



# The Laura Turner Dugas *Fund for Allen County*

*Building a brighter future by giving  
back to your community today!*

COMPONENT FUND OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF SOUTH CENTRAL KENTUCKY

## GRANT GUIDELINES

The Laura Turner Dugas Fund for Allen County (the LTD Fund) exists to build a better area in which all of its citizens can enjoy life—work, play and retirement. The LTD Fund has been established to encourage philanthropic giving by providing a common source for contributions to charity and other community concerns. The LTD Fund prefers to fund programs/projects that address community needs and have lasting value. The goal is to leave a legacy upon which future generations of citizens of Allen County can establish an even finer community.

The grant applications will be reviewed by the LTD Fund grant committee from which recommendation will be made to award the grants. Final approval of the request is made by the Board of Directors of The Community Foundation of South Central Kentucky.

## ELEMENTS WE SUPPORT IN OUR COMMUNITIES

The LTD Fund has identified the following five areas as those that it would address through grant awards:

1. EDUCATION
2. THE ARTS
3. BEAUTIFICATION
4. HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
5. PUBLIC RECREATION

## GRANTMAKING LIMITATIONS

LTD DOES **NOT** FUND:

- Annual /Capital campaigns
- Individuals
- Endowments
- Sectarian religious purposes: Faith based organizations and churches are eligible if project/program serves the community.
- General agency operating revenues; some indirect operating costs attributable to the program proposal may be funded
- Capital improvements/purchases; unless they are tied to the specific program proposal

## OTHER LIMITATIONS & ELIGIBILITY

Grants will be made to organizations serving Allen County, KY

- LTD Fund will consider grants up to \$5,000
- Applicants should represent projects/programs that can demonstrate potential for success and sustainability
- Program objectives should be specific and measurable
- Organization must be a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt, not-for-profit agency and/or organized group carrying out a charitable purpose for the public good.

## REVIEW PROCESS

Each grant opportunity is subject to a review process that may last 30-60 days. The Foundation reserves the right to shorten or extend the process at any time.

- Proposals must be received in The Community Foundation of South Central Kentucky's office by 5:00 PM CST, first working day in March. 908 Broadway Ave., Bowling Green, KY
- Naturally, not all projects can be funded. A denial should not be viewed as a negative reflection on your work, but rather a reflection on the amount of funding available. You will be notified in writing or via e-mail on the status of your grant.

## REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

If a grant is awarded, the grantee organization will be required to submit a report at the end of the grant period to share the results of the project and to show that all funds were spent as intended. A report form will be forwarded to the agency upon award of a grant.

For questions please contact the Community Foundation of South Central Kentucky:

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