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News Release

Grants Available Soon: Foundation For Black Philanthropy Accepting Applications from Nonprofits

CHARLOTTE, N.C. – Foundation For Black Philanthropy will begin accepting applications for its 2024 grant program on Wednesday, February 28. Eligible organizations include 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations, churches, religious organizations, governmental agencies, and educational institutions.

Grants will be awarded in support of education, health and economic development. Priority will be given to projects and programs addressing societal disparities experienced by Black people. All proposed projects and programs must serve residents of Charlotte-Mecklenburg County.

Award amounts will be determined based on the merits of the project. Previous awards have ranged from \$1,000 to \$10,000.

To begin the application process, visit <u>fftcgrants.communityforce.com</u> and select "Foundation For Black Philanthropy" to access the online application. Returning applicant organizations can log in to the Online Grants Center using their previously established ID and password. First-time applicant organizations can create a new account. **Completed applications must be submitted online by noon on Friday, March 29.** The online application closes promptly at 12 p.m. and will not accept late submissions.

Grant Writing 101 Workshop: Please join Foundation For Black Philanthropy for a grant writing workshop on Feb. 28. Discover the secrets to crafting successful grant proposals, connecting with funding opportunities and making your community dreams a reality. Whether you're a community leader, nonprofit organization, educator, artist, or simply someone eager to make a positive impact, this workshop is for you!

Topics will include:

- Grant readiness
- Eligibility
- Telling your story
- Completing your budget
- Relationship cultivation

Participants will receive hands-on assistance with their grant writing as well as an exclusive walk-through of the 2024 FFBP grant application. For those who are interested in participating, please <u>register online</u>.

Please contact Foundation For Black Philanthropy with further questions about the application process or grant writing workshop at <u>BlackPhilanthropy@fftc.org</u>.

About Foundation For Black Philanthropy:

Established in 1993, Foundation For Black Philanthropy, benefits nonprofit organizations addressing disparities experienced by the African American community in Charlotte-Mecklenburg. As an affiliate of Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas, Foundation For Black Philanthropy inspires philanthropy, increases charitable giving and strengthens the community. Grantmaking was originally made possible by planned gifts from Lethia Henderson and Elizabeth S. Randolph. Learn more about Lethia Henderson's Legacy and the story of Elizabeth S. Randolph.

For more information, please visit <u>www.fftc.org/FFBP</u>. ####

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