

Requirements: All Community Grant requests must meet the following criteria:

1. Requesting organizations must provide documentation of 501(c)(3) or other tax-exempt status.
2. We encourage the submission of applications for projects supporting food insufficiencies and providing community essentials.
3. Organizations are limited to one grant during a fiscal year.
4. Funds are not available for individual scholarships or endowment funds.
5. Funds are not available for general operating expenses (including salary, overhead, and rent) of established ongoing programs, except in instances when the ongoing program is related to supporting food insufficiencies and providing community essentials.

Criteria: Grants awarded by the Junior League of Summit are intended to:

1. Effect positive community change.
2. Provide seed money for start-up programs and projects.
3. Promote voluntarism through partnerships with local organizations and the JLS.
4. Promote, when appropriate, collaboration among community groups.
5. Support organizations whose volunteers include JLS members.
6. Include a partnership opportunity for JLS volunteers to participate directly with the requesting organization to assist in implementing project(s) for which grant monies are awarded.