

Garden Grant

Grant applications will be accepted from 12:00 a.m. EST on April 15th through 11:59 p.m. EST on August 15th, 2023, for the 2023 Fall or 2024 Spring planting seasons. The period between April 15th and August 15th provides an initial opportunity for learning and preparing as you design and plan your garden project. Grant will be awarded approximately September 1, 2023. Two (2) \$250 grants from NSWCD and Two (2) \$250 grants from KNCB will be awarded depending on the number of applications received.

Organization Information

Please note: Applications are limited to organizations located in the Newberry County, SC, United States.

- (1) Organization Name (required)
- (2) Organization Address (required)

Address

City State Zip/Postal

- (3) Organization Phone (required)
- (4) Organization Website



Project/Garden Details

- (5) Name of entity that has ownership and authority of the project site (school district, nature center, youth center, house of worship, etc.) (required)
- (6) Address of Garden Location (if different from organization location above).

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- (7) Project/Garden Name (required)
- (8) Provide the age ranges and number of people estimated to participate in the project. (required)
- (9) Provide a general timeline of the project. (required)
- (10) Give a description of your garden and include project objective(s). For example, community vegetable garden, rain garden, butterfly or insect habitat, soil improvement, bird food habitat. (required)
- (11) Attach a sketch or diagram (in .pdf or other digital format, limit of 8 MB) of the entire area you intend to plant, as it currently exists, including 1) site dimensions, 2) vegetation which will remain, 3) existing natural and/or human-made structures, 4) scale, 5) planting conditions (light, soil, moisture)? (required)
- (12) What preparation is required in anticipation of planting, and how will you accomplish this? i.e. What vegetation, if any, will be eliminated prior to planting? (required)



- (13) Who will be responsible for managing/maintaining the planting area after the garden has been planted? (required)
- (14) Explain why this project is important to your organization and community? (required)

Project Budget

(15) Is there anything else about your project, your organization, the youth you serve, or your community that you want to share with NSWCD/KNCB

Understand that the awarding of grants and amount of grants shall be subject to the sole discretion of NSWCD/KNCB. I also understand project details and designs become the property of NSWCD/KNCB, and if I am awarded a grant, NSWCD/KNCB shall have the right to supply others with this information and disseminate its underlying concepts and/or ideas.

If awarded a grant, I agree to acknowledge this funding source in any project publicity or printed materials and to submit an expense accounting to NSWCD/KNCB within one year of the date of the award letter.

NSWCD/KNCB and/or any of its agents, officials, and employees shall assume no responsibility or liability for claims of damage of any kind to property or for claims of injury to any person in connection with the award or distribution of a grant.

I understand that I am responsible for securing and retaining parental approval and release for any photos and/or videos provided to NSWCD/KNCB for any youth under the age of 18 and that NSWCD/KNCB has permission to use submitted project photos and/or videos in any public media about NSWCD/KNCB.



I certify that I have obtained the necessary approval from my organization to submit this grant application and move forward with our garden project if we are awarded funds.

IF AWARDED any grant, APPLICANT AGREES TO DO THE FOLLOWING:

- a. Provide NSWCD/KNCB with a point of contact to receive funds within 2 weeks of award notification.
- b. Submit a project report at the completion of the grant (1 year after award) that includes digital photos/videos (especially of children or youth actively planting or using the project site). Newspaper articles or other media reports about the project are also welcome.
- c. Submit the below License Agreement allowing NSWCD/KNCB to use all photos, videos, artwork, and other media provided by applicant as part of the application, project report, or other communication with NSWCD/KNCB concerning the project. By submitting this application, applicant is stating that applicant has obtained and retains on file a Publication Release for items submitted to NSWCD/KNCB and a Release from each person depicted in any image submitted to NSWCD/KNCB, including parental permission for any person under age 18.
- d. Acknowledge NSWCD/KNCB funding of your garden in project publicity and printed materials.
- (19) I understand and agree with the above attestation. *

Grant Applicant's Name *

First Name Last Name

Grant Applicant's Email *

Grant Applicant's Signature *

Today's Date *