

2025 Chilkat Valley Community Foundation - Annual Grant Program

Alaska Community Foundation

Application Information

Name of Organization

Character Limit: 100

Amount Requested

Character Limit: 20

Project/Program Name

Character Limit: 100

Project/Program Description

Character Limit: 3000

Evaluation

Instructions

For Operating Support grants, consider the organization's services as the "project."

Please use the following rating scale for each of the evaluation areas below:

0 = Low score

10 = High score

Area 1 - Project Summary/Mission Statement/Background*

Is the project clearly explained and has the project's relevance to mission been clearly demonstrated?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 2 - Project Collaboration*

Are partnerships listed and the role/benefit of each explained? **If so, score from 7-10.**

If collaboration for the project is not a part of the project, **score 7.**

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 3 - Project Timeline*

Is the proposed timeline reasonable?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 4 - Project Need*

Is the community need for the project clearly demonstrated? Are who and the number of people served clear?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 5 - Project Goals*

Are the project goals realistic and achievable?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 6 - Project Benefits*

Are the benefits of the project clear and believable? (i.e., changes in skills, knowledge, behavior, attitude, and/or quality of life)

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 7 - Measuring Success*

Is the proposed measurement appropriate?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 8 - Project Sustainability*

Is the proposed project sustainable and is the sustainability plan reasonable?

OR

Does the application address how the project will contribute to the organization's sustainability?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 9 - Project Budget*

Is the project budget complete and does it appear reasonable? Are line items explained/justified? Was an organization balance sheet included?

Scoring Options: 0 - 10

Area 10 - Leverage*

For **New Programs/Projects** under \$1,000 and for ALL **Operating Support** or **Capital** grant requests, score **7**.

For **New Programs/Projects** requesting \$1,000 or more, score from **7 - 10**, depending on other dedicated fundraising.

Scoring Options: 7 - 10

Bonus Points for Capital Grants*

Extra points are only given for **Capital** grant requests, and only if the applicant has already applied for any other grant, such as a Rasmuson Foundation grant, for the project. Bonus points for applying for any other grant, score **5**.

All other applications, score **0**.

Scoring Options: 0 - 5

Decision

Overall Importance*

On a scale of **0 - 5 (using tenths)**, prioritize the overall importance of this project for the Chilkat Valley. This will provide a starting point for discussion during the CVCF Annual Grants Committee meeting.

Scoring Options: 0 - 5

Character Limit: 20

Any Additional Comments

Character Limit: 5000