

Church Improvement Grant Application



Church Improvement Fund Guidelines:

- Please carefully read the guidelines for the Church Improvement Fund grant program. The Church Improvement Fund will provide grants for capital improvements to churches that primarily serve the African American communities in Carroll County, Georgia.
- Funding priorities will be primarily for brick and mortar projects that will improve the physical condition of the churches and help them better serve their congregation and the community. This grant cannot fund furnishings, i.e. chairs, pews etc. This grant can only fund projects for Church owned property, not leased property or buildings.

Contact Information

Contact Person	
Title	
Evening Phone #	
Day Phone #	
Email Address	

Church Name	
Physical Street Address	
City, ST, Zip Code	
Mailing Address (if different)	
City, ST, Zip Code	

Total Project Amount

Total Project Amount	Grant Amount (75%)	Church Cash match (25%)
\$	\$	\$

The applicant church will be responsible for 25% of the project costs with the Church Improvement Fund providing the remaining 75%.

Organization Information

How long has church been in existence?

Tax ID #:

Tell us about your church and how you have had an impact on membership, community service, and outreach programs in your community.

Why is the church applying for a grant from the Church Improvement Fund?

(ONLY capital improvement projects will be funded. Examples of Capital Improvements include an addition of a **permanent structural improvement or restoration of an existing structure.** No furniture can be funded with grant money.)

Additional materials needed to apply:

- Total cost estimate for the project. (Detailed costs)
- Three previous years of financial statements. (Can be bank statements)
- Plans for the project (if applicable, drawings or list of work to be done with cost estimates).

Application Acknowledgement

By applying for these funds and submitting this application we are acknowledging that our church will be required to show proof of 25% of the project costs available in cash prior to funds being requested or released from the Community Foundation of West Georgia if the grant is approved. The Foundation assumes no liability or responsibility for the quality of the work performed.

Signature of Representative: _____

Date: _____

Return application and other required documents to:

**Community Foundation of West Georgia,
807 South Park Street, Carrollton, GA 30117**

Applications Due April 30, 2019 by 5pm