

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL
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TEMECULA



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Society of Saint Vincent De Paul, Temecula

Year Organization Founded: *

2000

Website:

svdptemecula.org

Mailing Address: *

41167 Via Cielito Temecula, CA, 92591

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

100

Contact Name: *

Bob Valdillez

Contact Title: *

President, Food Pantry

Contact Email: *

Contact Phone: *

Alternate Contact Name:

Ana Rafferty

Alternate Contact Email:

Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Riverside County

A current City of Temecula Business License may be required to submit prior to fund disbursement. *

Understand

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula, CA

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

SVDP Food Pantry Temecula

Start Date:*

2026-01-02

End Date:*

2026-06-05

Physical Address of Project/Program*

41875 C St, Temecula, CA 92592

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

SVDP Temecula

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

11/10/2022

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

35-2407791

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

Tax Exempt ID pg 1 2 (2).pdf

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click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

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on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>



(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

For almost 25 years, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Temecula, has been committed to addressing food insecurity and providing essential support to individuals and families in need. Our weekly Food Pantry, which takes place every Friday morning, serves nutritious food ensuring that vulnerable populations have access to healthy meals.

Our organization is built on the principles of compassion, dignity, and inclusivity, ensuring that all individuals receive assistance regardless of race, color, creed, nationality, sex, marital status, disability, religion, or political affiliation.

We are dedicated to promoting health equity by ensuring access to healthy food for individuals and families experiencing food insecurity. Through our Food Pantry, we serve over 11,000 individuals annually, providing essential food assistance to supplement their food supply. However, the demand for our services continues to rise, with an approximate 23% increase each year.

Our impact extends to some of the most vulnerable members of our community, including families with young children who rely on fresh, nutritious food to support their health and well-being. By providing food that offers dietary variety and essential nutrients, we help improve overall food security while promoting better health outcomes.

As the demand for our services continues to grow, we remain committed to expanding our reach and ensuring that no one in our community goes hungry. With additional funding, we can serve even more disadvantaged, vulnerable, marginalized, and underserved individuals, strengthening our mission to provide healthy food to those in need.

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Funding Sources

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Yes No

Project/Program Description

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Understand

Project/Program Title: SVDP Food Pantry Temecula

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

We are seeking funding to expand and sustain our food pantry in response to a sharp rise in community need and a decline in resources.

Rising Demand: In just one year, the number of individuals we served increased by 23%—from 9,705 in 2022–2023 to 11,955 in 2023–2024.

Fewer Donations: Contributions from individuals and businesses have significantly decreased, straining our ability to meet demand.

Supplementing Essentials: Due to reduced food donations, we are purchasing more high-need items like eggs, milk, rice and cereal to ensure families receive nutritious options. On the average we spend \$1,000 each month on these supplemental purchases.

Increasing Costs: Essential operating expenses—such as electricity, facility upkeep, storage, and communications—continue to rise.

With your support, we can continue to meet the growing needs of our neighbors facing food insecurity.

How These Funds Will Help

This funding is vital to sustaining and expanding our food assistance programs during a time of growing community need.

Bridge the Gap: With food insecurity on the rise, these funds will allow us to purchase more essential items—such as eggs, milk, rice and cereal—to fill the gaps left by declining donations.

Expand Our Reach: As more families and individuals face crisis situations, your support will enable us to serve a larger population and respond more effectively to urgent needs.

Sustain Critical Services: This support will ensure families continue receiving steady, dependable food assistance while also allowing us to respond to urgent needs identified in our client survey—most critically, access to basic non-food essentials such as toilet paper and hygiene supplies.

Your generosity directly translates into nourishment, stability, and hope for the neighbors who turn to us each month.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

The request for \$5,000 grant will be spent within 6 months after receiving the funding in the following ways:

\$500 per month will be used to purchase supplemental food essentials, such as eggs, milk, rice and cereal, which will help us offer balanced food choices to our neighbors.

\$500 per month will be used to purchase bare essential items that were identified by a survey given to our neighbors who come to the food pantry every week. The following items were listed as most needed:

Toilet paper

Hygiene supplies

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TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

Although we do not require that neighbors who come to the food pantry live in Temecula, approximately 80% of those registered live in Temecula.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

576

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

40

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

We seek \$5,000 to sustain and expand our food pantry amid rising demand and declining donations. Funds will provide essential foods, hygiene items, and household supplies, ensuring nutritious, reliable support for families in need—80% of whom live in Temecula—while bridging gaps caused by reduced community contributions.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

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|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
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| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* n/a | EXPENSES* \$0.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* n/a | * \$0.00 |
| Supplies* Toilet paper and hygiene supplies | * \$2,500.00 |
| Services* n/a | * \$0.00 |
| Food* Essential food: including buy not limited to milk, eggs, cereal | * \$2,500.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* n/a | * \$0.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$0.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$5,000.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$5,000.00 |

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[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

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Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

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I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Society of Saint Vincent De Paul, Temecula

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Bob Valdillez

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President, Food Pantry

E-mail: *

[REDACTED]

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Bob Valdillez

Submission Date:

2025-09-13 10:19:13 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Ana Rafferty, Grant Coordinator, Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Temecula

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL ST CATHERINE
OF ALEXANDRIA-TEMECULA
41875 C STREET
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Date:
04/20/2023
Employer ID number:
35-2407791
Person to contact:
Name: Renee Railey Norton
ID number: 31172
Telephone: 877-829-5500
Accounting period ending:
September 30
Public charity status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Form 990 / 990-EZ / 990-N required:
Yes
Effective date of exemption:
November 10, 2022
Contribution deductibility:
Yes
Addendum applies:
No
DLN:
26053718009482

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

Based on the information you submitted with your application, we approved your request for reinstatement under Revenue Procedure 2014-11. Your effective date of exemption, as listed at the top of this letter, is the postmark date of your application.

Our records show you were previously tax exempt as a subordinate under group exemption number 5496. Because you applied for and were granted your own individual tax-exempt status, you no longer rely on your affiliation with a parent organization for recognition of your tax exemption and you'll be listed individually in the Tax Exempt Organization Search (Pub. 78 data).

If, in the future, you choose to become a subordinate under a group ruling, you'll lose your individual recognition of tax-exempt status and you'll no longer appear in the Exempt Organizations Select Check (Pub. 78 data). Moreover, if you become a subordinate under a group ruling and your parent organization loses its tax-exempt status, you also will lose your exempt status. To reestablish your individual tax exemption after rejoining a group exemption, you'll be required to reapply and pay the appropriate user fee.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

Letter 947 (Rev. 2-2020)
Catalog Number 35152P

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SPERO VINEYARDS



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

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Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

SPERO VINEYARDS

Year Organization Founded: *

2014

Website: *

WWW.SPEROVINEYARDS.ORG

Mailing Address: *

2076 LINCOLN AVE
PASADENA, CA 91103

Number of Paid Staff: *

1

Number of Volunteers: *

35

Contact Name: *

MARK WOODSMALL

Contact Title: *

PRESIDENT

Contact Email: *

LAM@WOODSMALLLAWGROUP.COM

Contact Phone: *

[REDACTED]

Alternate Contact Name:

Alternate Contact Email:

Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

TEMECULA

A current City of Temecula Business License may be required to submit prior to fund disbursement. *

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Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

TEMECULA

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Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Vines of Opportunity: Empowering Through Viticulture

Start Date:*

2025-12-01

End Date:*

2026-11-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

32250 VISTA DEL MONTE TEMECULA, CA 92591

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

SPERO VINEYARDS, INC

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

02/14/2014

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

3647270

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEStatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

Entity Status Letter - Spero Vineyards.pdf

370.5KB

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

46-5288314

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

IRS Determination Letter.pdf

637.21KB

Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

State Registry Search Tool:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

Details.pdf

240.09KB

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

Spero Vineyards is a nonprofit dedicated to empowering young adults with disabilities in Riverside County through education and job training in viticulture. In collaboration with the City of Temecula, local colleges, school districts, and regional centers, our mission is to enhance the self-esteem, independence, and quality of life of individuals with disabilities, equipping them with the skills and experience needed to thrive in the workforce.

Focused on young adults aged 16 to 26, we aim to bridge the gap between school district programs and the limited resources available through the Department of Rehabilitation. By addressing the critical need for post-graduation support, Spero Vineyards offers a path to financial independence and stability, helping participants build confidence and prove their value to potential employers. Through hands-on experience in viticulture, we facilitate the integration of individuals with disabilities into the workforce and their communities as capable, contributing members of society.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

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Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Cultivating Knowledge: Student-Assisted Research on Water Use, Stock Development, and Fruit Composition | \$5,000.00 | 01/2025 | CSF Grant |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

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Understand

Project/Program Title: Vines of Opportunity: Empowering Through Viticulture

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

The funding from the Temecula Grant will directly support Spero Vineyards' mission to provide viticulture job training and educational opportunities for young adults with disabilities in Riverside County. Through this program, participants, aged 16 to 26, will gain hands-on experience in vineyard operations, learning essential skills in planting, pruning, harvesting, and wine production.

In partnership with local schools, regional centers, and colleges, Spero Vineyards will create an inclusive and supportive training environment that fosters independence and self-esteem. The program is designed to bridge the gap between traditional educational pathways and the limited post-graduation resources available to individuals with disabilities.

With the grant funding, we aim to expand our training facilities, offer additional workshops, and provide personalized mentorship, helping participants develop both technical and soft skills necessary for successful employment. The program will also include career development sessions, job placement assistance, and employer engagement, ensuring that individuals with disabilities can secure sustainable employment and thrive in their communities.

Ultimately, the Spero Vineyards program not only helps participants achieve financial independence but also demonstrates the potential of individuals with disabilities to contribute meaningfully to the workforce, while fostering greater inclusion and understanding within the broader Temecula community.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

If awarded, the Temecula Grant will be strategically invested to expand and enhance the services offered through the Spero Vineyards program. The funding will be used to support the following key areas:

Facility Expansion and Enhancement

A portion of the grant will be used to upgrade and expand our vineyard facilities, including the purchase of additional vineyard equipment, tools, and supplies essential for hands-on training in viticulture. This will ensure that participants have access to the latest industry-standard equipment and can gain valuable, real-world experience.

Transportation and Accessibility Support

To ensure that participants can fully engage in the program, we will use part of the grant to provide transportation support for individuals who may face mobility challenges or lack reliable access to transportation. Additionally, accessibility improvements will be made within our facilities to ensure an inclusive, supportive environment for all participants.

Community Outreach and Employer Engagement

A portion of the funding will be directed toward community outreach initiatives aimed at building relationships with local employers, raising awareness about the program, and promoting the benefits of hiring individuals with disabilities. This will include organizing employer information sessions, job fairs, and community events to foster inclusion and advocate for diversity in the workforce.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

The grant funding will directly benefit Temecula residents by expanding access to specialized job training and employment opportunities for young adults with disabilities living in the area. By providing hands-on viticulture training within city limits, Spero Vineyards empowers local individuals, many of whom have limited post-graduation options, with the tools they need to build meaningful, independent lives.

This program addresses a critical service gap in Temecula, where transition support for individuals with disabilities often ends after high school. By equipping participants with marketable skills and direct pathways to employment, the program reduces dependency on public services and helps residents achieve greater self-sufficiency.

In addition, the program strengthens Temecula's workforce by preparing individuals with disabilities to become contributing members of local businesses, particularly in the agriculture, hospitality, and wine industries, which key sectors in the region. Local employers also benefit by gaining access to a motivated and well-trained talent pool.

Finally, the presence of an inclusive, community-driven training program like Spero Vineyards enhances the social fabric of Temecula, promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion while fostering a stronger, more connected community for all residents.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

100

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30

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4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

Spero Vineyards empowers Temecula youth with disabilities through hands-on viticulture training, bridging gaps in post-graduation support. Grant funding will enhance facilities, curriculum, and job placement services, directly benefiting local residents by promoting independence, workforce inclusion, and stronger community connections through partnerships with schools, employers, and the City of Temecula.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

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LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
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| Viticulture Equipment | \$5,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * |
| Rent | \$1,500.00 |
| Supplies* | * |
| Viticulture Supplies | \$3,000.00 |
| Services* | * |
| Professional Consultation | \$2,000.00 |
| Food* | * |
| Participant/Volunteer Food | \$500.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * |
| N/A | \$0.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * |
| | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: | TOTAL EXPENSES |
| \$12,000.00 | \$12,000.00 |

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Name of Applicant Organization: *

SPERO VINEYARDS

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

MARK WOODSMALL

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

MARK WOODSMALL

E-mail: *

sperovineyards@gmail.com

Phone: *

213-605-2345

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Mark Woodsmall

Submission Date:

2025-08-25 09:25:28 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.



Entity Status Letter

Date: 8/25/2025

ESL ID: 3597626725

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 3647270

Entity Name: SPERO VINEYARDS, INC.

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

SPERO VINEYARDS INC
C/O MARK WOODSMALL
2076 LINCOLN AVENUE
PASADENA, CA 91103

Date:
02/11/2022
Employer ID number:
46-5288314
Person to contact:
Name: Customer Service
ID number: 31954
Telephone: 877-829-5500
Accounting period ending:
December 31
Public charity status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Form 990 / 990-EZ / 990-N required:
Yes
Effective date of exemption:
May 15, 2021
Contribution deductibility:
Yes
Addendum applies:
No
DLN:
26053742004861

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

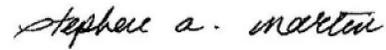
Based on the information you submitted with your application, we approved your request for reinstatement under Revenue Procedure 2014-11. Your effective date of exemption, as listed at the top of this letter, is retroactive to your date of revocation.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Stephen A. Martin".

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements



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Office of the Secretary of State
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CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 653-3516

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File No.: BA20240023621

Date Filed: 1/4/2024

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|--|---|---|------------------------------------|
| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | SPERO VINEYARDS, INC. | | |
| Entity No. | 3647270 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 2076 LINCOLN AVE. PASADENA, CA 91103 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 2076 LINCOLN AVE. PASADENA, CA 91103 | | |
| Attention | | | |
| Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | MARK EDWARD WOODSMALL | 2076 LINCOLN AVE. PASADENA, CA 91103 | Chief Executive Officer |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Eva Woodsmall | 2076 LINCOLN AVE. Pasadena, CA 91103 | Secretary, Chief Financial Officer |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position |
| | | | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | MARK EDWARD WOODSMALL | | |
| Agent Address | 2076 LINCOLN AVE. PASADENA, CA 91103 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | No, I do NOT want to receive entity notifications via email. I prefer notifications by USPS mail. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <u>MARK WOODSMALL</u> | | <u>01/04/2024</u> | |
| Signature | | Date | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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TEDX TEMECULA

OFFICIALLY:

**INLAND VALLEY BUSINESS
& COMMUNITY FOUNDATION**



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

TEDxTemecula

Year Organization Founded: *

2012

Website:

www.tedxtemecula.com

Mailing Address: *

27513 Jimson Cir., Temecula, CA.
92591

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

12

Contact Name: *

Jonathon Montanez

Contact Title: *

Lead Organizer

Contact Email: *

Jonathon@tedxtemecula.com

Contact Phone: *

951-775-0917

Alternate Contact Name:

Jim McLaughlin

Alternate Contact Email:

jim@tedxtemecula.com

Alternate Contact Phone:

[REDACTED]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula Valley, SW Riverside County

A current City of Temecula Business License may be required to submit prior to fund disbursement. *

Understand

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

TEDxTemecula 2026 Annual Conference

Start Date:*

2026-02-02

End Date:*

2026-09-26

Physical Address of Project/Program*

42051 Main St., Temecula, CA. 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

TEDxTemecula

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

09/28/2012

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

26-4018866

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

TEDxTemecula W-9.pdf

1.16MB

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

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You might find IRS Form 990

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on the link below:

(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

[https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?
facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

At TEDxTemecula we produce a high level annual conference according to TED official licensing guidelines intended to give our community the TED experience without leaving their home. We bring 8 local and amazing minds to a stage for a full day event to educate, inform and create conversations for the attendees. We aim for this to be a community driven event where many of the local businesses get involved in some way to show their community support for productive and respectful and open minded conversations. Just this year we have 7 local restaurants that have created TEDx inspired drinks for the month of August and September with Table Tents promoting both the restaurant and TEDxTemecula. This only being my second year as organizer we are already seeing a notable influx in community awareness and support. We aim to be the Premier TEDx experience of Southern California.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| TEDxTemecula | \$5,000.00 | 03/2025 | City Grant |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: TEDxTemecula 2026 Annual Conference

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

This grant assists us in providing the exceptional experience that our attendees have come to expect as becoming the premier TEDx event of Southern California. We will continue to attract high quality talent to the stage allowing the City of Temecula to be seen as the premier Southern California destination for not just the wineries and casino but for the investment into the community culture and respect of diverse ideas openly shared.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Since no one in the organization is paid, we utilize funding to advertise, host small events throughout the year to maintain exposure. We use funding to secure venues and food for and branded products for events. We also utilize funding to pay for our membership to the Temecula Chamber of Commerce, hopefully other local Chambers, and the Temecula Valley Economic Development Coalition as well as entry and vendor booth fees for conferences where we can promote the organization.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

The main event is hosted in Temecula at the Community Theater. We promote Temecula residents as much as possible as speakers as well as investing in Temecula products and services for food, programs, print and other services. We support local in nearly all of our purchases. This is a community event for all and we encourage student attendance by giving half off ticket options.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

350

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

25

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

We provide an in person full day event that not only empowers those within the audience but online throughout the globe with thought provoking ideas that steer far from controversial or sensitive topics. We spend the year building up to the main event through community outreach in the form of small engaging events and business driven support. We also promote and encourage local speakers and strive to attract visitors from all over the valley and beyond proving that Temecula is a city that pours into it's community.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$20,000.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any Sponsors | * \$15,000.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$15,000.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* Signs, computers, etc | EXPENSES* \$1,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* Theater and other venue fees | * \$11,000.00 |
| Supplies* Supplies | * \$500.00 |
| Services* Video, food, print, beverage, etc | * \$10,000.00 |
| Food* Food for events | * \$8,000.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* Google and Social Media ads, expos and conferences | * \$5,000.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$0.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$55,000.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$35,500.00 |

Compliance

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/paid invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 14, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by * Monday, September 14, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

TEDxTemecula

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Jonathon Montanez

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

Organizer

E-mail: *

jonathon@tedxtemecula.com

Phone: *

951-775-0917

President/Authorized Officer Signature *



Submission Date:

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Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: **JUN 03 2010**

INLAND VALLEY BUSINESS AND
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION INC
29970 TECHNOLOGY DR STE 211
MURRIETA, CA 92563-2649

Employer Identification Number:
26-4018866
DLN:
17053356346039
Contact Person:
FAITH E CUMMINS ID# 31534
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500
Accounting Period Ending:
December 31
Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)
Form 990 Required:
Yes
Effective Date of Exemption:
November 12, 2008
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

For Studio

INLAND VALLEY BUSINESS AND

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert Choi". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent "R" and "C".

Robert Choi
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC



Entity Status Letter

Date: 9/19/2025

ESL ID: 1408611510

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 3168073

Entity Name: INLAND VALLEY BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
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Date Filed: 5/17/2025

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|--|--|--|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Entity Details | | | | |
| Corporation Name | INLAND VALLEY BUSINESS AND COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. | | | |
| Entity No. | 3168073 | | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 28820 VIA NORTE VISTA MURRIETA, CA 92563 | | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | | |
| Mailing Address | 40335 WINCHESTER ROAD STE E503 TEMECULA, CA 92591 | | | |
| Attention | Marie Antonette G. Waite | | | |
| Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| | JAMES ROSS MCLAUGHLIN | 40335 WINCHESTER ROAD STE E503 TEMECULA, CA 92591 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| | Marie Antonette Gonzalez Waite | 40335 Winchester Road Ste E503 Temecula, CA 92591 | Secretary, Chief Financial Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | | |
| Agent Name | MARIE ANTONETTE GONZALEZ WAITE | | | |
| Agent Address | 40335 WINCHESTER ROAD STE E503 TEMECULA, CA 92591 | | | |
| Email Notifications | | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | | |
| <i>Marie Antonette G. Waite</i> | <i>05/17/2025</i> | | | |
| Signature | Date | | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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TEMECULA VALLEY
HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER
FOUNDATION



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Temecula Valley Hospital
Volunteer Foundation

Year Organization Founded: *

2022

Website: *

tvhvolunteerfoundation.org

Mailing Address: *

31700 Temecula Parkway
Temecula, CA 92592

Number of Paid Staff: *

4

Number of Volunteers: *

0

Contact Name: *

Sheri Mako

Contact Title: *

Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation
President

Contact Email: *

TVHVBoard@gmail.com

Contact Phone: *

[REDACTED]

Alternate Contact Name:

Elayne Vanasse

Alternate Contact Email:

[REDACTED]

Alternate Contact Phone:

[REDACTED]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula Valley

Business License No. *

057531

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

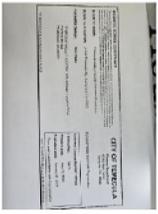
Temecula Valley

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License *

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Smoking Cessation Program

Start Date:*

2025-11-17

End Date:*

2026-11-17

Physical Address of Project/Program*

31700 Temecula Parkway Temecula, CA 92592

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Date of Incorporation:*

07/15/2022

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- State of California Entity Status Letter
- IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

5159246

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEstatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

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IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

92-1066669

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

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<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- First Page of most recent IRS Form 990
- Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

Attach First Page of Most Recent Form 990*

You might find IRS Form 990

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on the link below:

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facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)



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Yes No

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Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

Mission: To support the comfort and welfare of Temecula Valley Hospital's patients and the Temecula community.

Purpose: Includes providing educational opportunities to cultivate awareness of health care; awarding scholarships to those in the community in pursuit of careers in health care or medicine; and engaging in activities that further the hospital's stated charitable purposes.

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Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

Project/Program Description

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*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Smoking Cessation Program

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

This program is designed to help adult residents of Temecula quit smoking through free, structured cessation classes led by certified tobacco treatment specialists. The program includes a 6-week group course covering behavioral strategies, addiction education, and nicotine replacement therapy (NRT) guidance. The goal is to improve public health by reducing tobacco-related illnesses and increasing access to evidence-based support, especially for underserved populations.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Grant funding will be used for the following:

Program materials: Printed workbooks, handouts, and visual aids for participants.

Supplies: Nicotine replacement therapy samples, including patches and gum.

Technology: A portable projector and screen for educational presentations.

Personnel: Partial stipend for certified cessation facilitators and guest speakers.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

This program directly serves the residents of Temecula by improving their health and quality of life. Tobacco use is the leading cause of preventable death, and many residents lack access to effective cessation resources. By offering a no-cost program in Temecula, we empower residents to quit smoking, reduce healthcare costs, and create a healthier community. The program will prioritize local participants and partner with local clinics and outreach agencies to ensure accessibility.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

112

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

0

*

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

The proposed smoking cessation program aims to reduce tobacco use through community outreach, education, behavioral support, and culturally tailored interventions. By targeting high-risk populations and leveraging local partnerships, the program seeks to improve health outcomes, decrease smoking rates, and create sustainable, smoke-free environments through proven, evidence-based strategies.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

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| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$4,160.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* Provided by Temecula Valley Hospital | EXPENSES* \$0.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* Provided by Temecula Valley Hospital | * \$0.00 |
| Supplies* Freedom from Smoking Participant Guides \$1120 (\$160 per group (total of 7) \$10 per Guide, Pens \$200 | * \$1,130.00 |
| Services* None | * \$0.00 |
| Food* Light Snacks/ Refreshments--Each group with 8 sessions = \$540 for food x 3 programs | * \$3,780.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* Flyers/Posters for clinics, libraries, community centers | * \$200.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$4,160.00 |
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I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization:*

Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name:*

Sheri Mako

President/Authorized Officer Title:*

President

E-mail:*

TVHVFBBoard@gmail.org

Phone:*

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature*

Sheri Mako

Submission Date:

2025-09-05 08:44:36 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation:*

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Elayne Vanasse, Volunteer, Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

TEMECULA VALLEY HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER
FOUNDATION
42632 DRENNON COURT
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Date:
03/02/2023
Employer ID number:
92-1066669
Person to contact:
Name: Customer Service
ID number: 31954
Telephone: 877-829-5500
Accounting period ending:
December 31
Public charity status:
509(a)(2)
Form 990 / 990-EZ / 990-N required:
Yes
Effective date of exemption:
July 15, 2022
Contribution deductibility:
Yes
Addendum applies:
No
DLN:
26053454004203

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

Letter 947 (Rev. 2-2020)
Catalog Number 35152P



STATE OF CALIFORNIA
FRANCHISE TAX BOARD
PO Box 1286
Rancho Cordova CA 95741-1286

TEMECULA VALLEY HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER FOUNDATION
42632 DRENNON COURT
TEMECULA CA 92592

Date: 10.09.2023
Case: 38190836908797793
Case Unit: 38190836908797820
In reply refer to: 760:KES:F120

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|------------------------------|---|
| Regarding: | Tax-Exempt Status |
| Organization's Name: | TEMECULA VALLEY HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER FOUNDATION |
| CCN: | 5159246 |
| Purpose: | Charitable |
| R&TC Section: | 23701d |
| Form of Organization: | Incorporated |
| Accounting Period Ending: | 12/31 |
| Tax-Exempt Status Effective: | 07/15/2022 |

Exempt Acknowledgement Letter

We have received your federal determination letter and Form 3500A, *Submission of Exemption Request*, and have approved your request for California Tax-exempt status.

Under California law, Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 provides that an organization is exempt from taxes imposed under Part 11 upon submission of the federal determination letter approving the organization's tax-exempt status.

Generally, the effective date of an organization's California tax-exempt status is the same date as the federal tax-exempt status.

To retain tax-exempt status, the organization must be organized and operating for nonprofit purposes within the provisions of the above R&TC section. An inactive organization is not entitled to tax-exempt status.

In order for us to determine any effect on the tax-exempt status, the organization must immediately report to us any change in:

- Operation
- Character
- Purpose
- Name
- Address

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California, to engage in, carry on or conduct in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the licensee is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California, nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

BUSINESS NAME: Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation

BUSINESS LOCATION: 31700 Temecula Pky, Temecula, CA 92592

BUSINESS OWNER: Sheri Mako

TEMECULA VALLEY HOSPITAL VOLUNTEER FOUNDATION
PO BOX 891252
TEMECULA, CA 92589

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

Business License Number: 057531

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: May 23, 2024

Expiration Date: January 31, 2025

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

NOT TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE



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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Office of the Secretary of State
STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 653-3516

For Office Use Only

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File No.: BA20221126719

Date Filed: 11/15/2022

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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | Temecula Valley Hospital Volunteer Foundation | | |
| Entity No. | 5159246 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 42632 DRENNON COURT TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 42632 DRENNON COURT TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Attention | | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| + Sheri Mako | 42632 DRENNON COURT TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| + Joosang Lim | 33840 SATTUI STREET TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| + Karen Ekegren | 44785 RUTHERFORD STREET TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Secretary | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| + Jean Mityr | 32055 CORTE ESCOBAR TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Vice President | |
| + Denyse Wilson | 45571 PONDEROSA COURT TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Vice President | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | Sheri Mako | | |
| Agent Address | 42632 DRENNON COURT TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Sarah Bush</i> | <i>11/15/2022</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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TEMECULA VALLEY
MASTER CHORALE



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization *

Name:

Temecula Valley Master Chorale

Year Organization

Founded:

2001

Website:

<https://temeculavalleymasterchorale.org>

Mailing Address: *

PO Box 892638, Temecula, CA
92589

Number of Paid Staff: *

2

Number of Volunteers: *

45

Contact Name: *

Lena Sinclair

Contact Title: *

Public Relations Director

Contact Email: *

[REDACTED]

Contact Phone: *

[REDACTED]

Alternate Contact Name:

Nancy Marshall

Alternate Contact Email:

[REDACTED]

Alternate Contact Phone:

[REDACTED]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula

A current City of Temecula Business License may be required to submit prior to fund disbursement. *

Understand

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Temecula Valley Master Chorale 25th Anniversary Season

Start Date:*

2025-09-02

End Date:*

2026-06-06

Physical Address of Project/Program*

31143 Nicolas Rd, Temecula, CA 92591

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley Master Chorale

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

03/06/2001

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

33-0928024

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

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click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

Attach First Page of Most Recent Form 990*

You might find IRS Form 990

TVMC_990 Filed_Sep 15, Doc 1.pdf

3.79MB

on the link below:

(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

[https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?
facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

The Temecula Valley Master Chorale is committed to enriching the cultural life of our community by:

Performing quality choral music.

Supporting aspiring musicians to expand musical experiences.

Collaborating with local Fine Arts Groups.

Providing financial support through scholarships, awards, and hiring local musicians.

Chorale members come from across the Inland Empire and from all walks of life and professions. For some, music is their vocation as teachers and choir directors; but for many others it is their avocation, a great way to enrich their lives by coming together with others who love to sing and perform beautiful and challenging works of music.

The Temecula Valley Master Chorale is a self-supporting, non-profit, volunteer chorus. Its singers feel that the opportunity to sing with TVMC is rewarding, informative and FUN – an amazing "team sport"! TVMC strives to make each concert an inspirational and entertaining experience for the audience.

The Chorale's Community Outreach Program makes participation especially rewarding. Through ticket sales and fundraising, both scholarships and vocal competition prizes are awarded each year to students who are interested in pursuing solo and choral performance.

TVMC appreciates audience and volunteer support in its effort to make beautiful music!

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

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Understand

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Understand

Project/Program Title: Temecula Valley Master Chorale 25th Anniversary Season

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

TVMC will be performing its 25th anniversary season this coming '25 / '26 concert season (which began rehearsal on 09/2/2025 and lasts through 06/6/2026. Our concerts are hosted at a low cost to allow accessibility for the Temecula community to enjoy choral / classical music in our community.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Grant funding will help with our programming including expenses for: Music, facility rental and insurance, and marketing for rehearsal and concerts.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

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The Temecula Valley Master Chorale performs classical and choral music for the enjoyment of our patrons within the community. We perform at a low / affordable cost to provide enrichment and entertainment through choral music.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

600

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45

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We perform to be able to make choral music accessible to our local Temecula Valley community.

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| Services* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Food* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* Facebook and Instagram Ads / Boosts, Postcards | * \$500.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$16,500.00 |
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Temecula Valley Master Chorale

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Nancy Marshall

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President, Board of Directors

E-mail: *

[REDACTED]

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Nancy Marshall

Submission Date:

2025-09-15 06:47:35 PM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

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IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Lena Sinclair, Board of Directors PR Manager

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

*Original
Fed tax
Addendum
Letter*

Date: **MAR 06 2001**

THE TEMECULA VALLEY MASTER CHORALE
C/O RANDALL DE LEEUW
22674 SPRINGMIST DR
MORENO VALLEY, CA 92557

Employer Identification Number:
33-0928024
DLN:
17053039002021
Contact Person: DEL TRIMBLE ID# 31309
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500
Accounting Period Ending:
December 31
Foundation Status Classification:
509(a)(1)
Advance Ruling Period Begins:
October 25, 2000
Advance Ruling Period Ends:
December 31, 2004
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

Based on information you supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from federal income tax under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3).

Because you are a newly created organization, we are not now making a final determination of your foundation status under section 509(a) of the Code. However, we have determined that you can reasonably expect to be a publicly supported organization described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Accordingly, during an advance ruling period you will be treated as a publicly supported organization, and not as a private foundation. This advance ruling period begins and ends on the dates shown above.

Within 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period, you must send us the information needed to determine whether you have met the requirements of the applicable support test during the advance ruling period. If you establish that you have been a publicly supported organization, we will classify you as a section 509(a)(1) or 509(a)(2) organization as long as you continue to meet the requirements of the applicable support test. If you do not meet the public support requirements during the advance ruling period, we will classify you as a private foundation for future periods. Also, if we classify you as a private foundation, we will treat you as a private foundation from your beginning date for purposes of section 507(d) and 4940.

Grantors and contributors may rely on our determination that you are not a private foundation until 90 days after the end of your advance ruling period. If you send us the required information within the 90 days, grantors and contributors may continue to rely on the advance determination until we make

Letter 1045 (DO/CG)

THE TEMECULA VALLEY MASTER CHORALE

a final determination of your foundation status.

If we publish a notice in the Internal Revenue Bulletin stating that we will no longer treat you as a publicly supported organization, grantors and contributors may not rely on this determination after the date we publish the notice. In addition, if you lose your status as a publicly supported organization, and a grantor or contributor was responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act, that resulted in your loss of such status, that person may not rely on this determination from the date of the act or failure to act. Also, if a grantor or contributor learned that we had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a publicly supported organization, then that person may not rely on this determination as of the date he or she acquired such knowledge.

If you change your sources of support, your purposes, character, or method of operation, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. If you amend your organizational document or bylaws, please send us a copy of the amended document or bylaws. Also, let us know all changes in your name or address.

As of January 1, 1984, you are liable for social security taxes under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act on amounts of \$100 or more you pay to each of your employees during a calendar year. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Organizations that are not private foundations are not subject to the private foundation excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Internal Revenue Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Internal Revenue Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

Donors may deduct contributions to you only to the extent that their contributions are gifts, with no consideration received. Ticket purchases and similar payments in conjunction with fundraising events may not necessarily qualify as deductible contributions, depending on the circumstances. Revenue Ruling 67-246, published in Cumulative Bulletin 1967-2, on page 104, gives guidelines regarding when taxpayers may deduct payments for admission to, or other participation in, fundraising activities for charity.

You are not required to file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax, if your gross receipts each year are normally \$25,000 or less. If you receive a Form 990 package in the mail, simply attach the label provided, check the box in the heading to indicate that your annual gross receipts are normally \$25,000 or less, and sign the return. Because you will be treated as a public charity for return filing purposes during your entire advance ruling period, you should file Form 990 for each year in your advance ruling period.

THE TEMECULA VALLEY MASTER CHORALE

that you exceed the \$25,000 filing threshold even if your sources of support do not satisfy the public support test specified in the heading of this letter.

If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. A penalty of \$20 a day is charged when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay. However, the maximum penalty charged cannot exceed \$10,000 or 5 percent of your gross receipts for the year, whichever is less. For organizations with gross receipts exceeding \$1,000,000 in any year, the penalty is \$100 per day per return, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay. The maximum penalty for an organization with gross receipts exceeding \$1,000,000 shall not exceed \$50,000. This penalty may also be charged if a return is not complete. So, please be sure your return is complete before you file it.

You are not required to file federal income tax returns unless you are subject to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T, Exempt Organization Business Income Tax Return. In this letter we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

You are required to make your annual information return, Form 990 or Form 990-EZ, available for public inspection for three years after the later of the due date of the return or the date the return is filed. You are also required to make available for public inspection your exemption application, any supporting documents, and your exemption letter. Copies of these documents are also required to be provided to any individual upon written or in person request without charge other than reasonable fees for copying and postage. You may fulfill this requirement by placing these documents on the Internet. Penalties may be imposed for failure to comply with these requirements. Additional information is available in Publication 557, Tax-Exempt Status for Your Organization, or you may call our toll free number shown above.

You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees. If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, we will assign a number to you and advise you of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

If we said in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the addendum enclosed is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help us resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.



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| Entity Details | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Corporation Name | THE TEMECULA VALLEY MASTER CHORALE | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Entity No. | 2268147 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 31659 COUNTRY VIEW RD TEMECULA, CA 92591 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mailing Address | PO BOX 890204 TEMECULA, CA 92589-0204 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Attention | Ann Mulder, Treasurer | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Agent for Service of Process | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agent Name | Ann E Mulder | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agent Address | 31659 COUNTRY VIEW RD TEMECULA, CA 92591 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Email Notifications | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Ann E Mulder</u> | <u>11/18/2024</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Signature | Date | | | | | | | | | | | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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TEMECULA VALLEY POSSE



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Temecula Valley Posse

Year Organization Founded: *

1992

Website: *

<https://www.riversidesheriff.org/261/VForces-Unit>

Mailing Address: *

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

15

Contact Name: *

Danielle Cason

Contact Email: *



Contact Phone: *



Alternate Contact Name:

Brenda Cowan

Alternate Contact Email:



Alternate Phone:



Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

City of Temecula

Business License No.: *

055804

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

City of Temecula

Copy of Business License: *

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CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.



<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Amount Requested: *

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title: *

Essential Equipment and Advanced Training Project

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

Temecula Old Town Sheriff's Station 28690 Mercedes St, Suite B, Temecula, CA

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley Posse

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

01/01/1992

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

1989222

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBESatus

Entity Letter for Grant.pdf

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IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

22-3874698

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- First Page of most recent IRS Form 990
- Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

Attach First Page of Most Recent Form 990*

You might find IRS Form 990

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on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>



(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

State Registry Search Tool:

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's:*

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

The Mission of the Temecula Valley Mounted Posse is to strengthen the bond between the residents of Temecula Valley and the Riverside County Sheriff's Office by serving as a bridge between law enforcement and the public. Since the Posse's inception in 1992, our goals have been centered on

community relations, public safety, and supporting law enforcement by being the “eyes and ears” for the Riverside Sheriff's Office. We achieve these objectives through a variety of activities, such as community outreach, parades, special events, patrolling Old Town, and search and rescue operations. With currently 15 volunteer members, the Posse dedicates upwards of 5,000 volunteer hours annually, using personal resources and horses to fulfill these missions. Our presence in the community not only enhances public safety but also promotes approachability, and breaking down barriers between law enforcement and the public. The Temecula Valley Mounted Posse is committed to ensuring a brighter and safer future for all by maintaining strong connections between the City of Temecula, its residents, and law enforcement.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP * | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Training and Supplies | \$5,000.00 | February 2025 | Community Service Funding Grant |
| | | | |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Essential Equipment and Advanced Training Project

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

The Essential Equipment and Advanced Training Project focuses on providing the necessary equipment and training to ensure that both horse and rider are fully effective during Old Town patrols, parades, special events, and search and rescue. Ultimately, increasing the overall safety and success of the Temecula Valley Mounted Posse's operations.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

If awarded, the Temecula Valley Mounted Posse would spend the grant funding on essential equipment and advanced training programs. Funds would be used to purchase essential equipment such as official

Sheriff parade and patrol pads, leather bridles, leather reins, safety helmets, and official Sheriff star conchos. This essential equipment will be used when patrolling Old Town, community events, search and rescue, and Color/Honor guard which is responsible for presenting flags at formal events, parades, and memorial services for fallen officers. Additionally, funds would be used for advanced training that would include immersive horsemanship clinics led by experts in the field, including but not limited to Mounted Patrol Courses offered by the accredited Western States Mounted Officers Association. These courses are designed to train and equip Posse volunteers with vital skills in horsemanship, mounted patrol tactics, crowd management, sensory training, and formal Color/Honor Guard protocols. By investing in this essential equipment and advanced training, the Posse aims to enhance their operational readiness and continue serving the City of Temecula and the Temecula Valley effectively.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

For the thousands of residents and visitors of the City of Temecula who regularly have positive interactions with the Temecula Valley Mounted Posse, and the thousands more to come, this grant funding specifically benefits by the following:

- **Strengthened Community Connections:** The Posse’s dedication to serving the community while mounted on horses facilitates approachable interactions between law enforcement and Temecula residents and guests. This accessibility humanizes law enforcement and cultivates a strong bond between Temecula residents and those who serve and protect the community.
- **Enhanced Public Safety:** The properly trained and equipped Posse members and horses are an integral part of maintaining order and safety during events and patrolling of Old Town. The Posse contributes to a sense of security and trust within the community as well as providing a fun and unique experience for the Temecula residents and guests.
- **Memorable experience:** For the thousands of Temecula residents who interact with the Temecula Valley Mounted Posse every year while patrolling Old Town, parades or at events. Not only kids, but adult faces light up when they see us, get to pet a horse (some for the first time) or take pictures with us, and the memory for them is priceless and will last a lifetime.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

20,000

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

15

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT AND ADVANCED TRAINING PROJECT: This project will enhance the effectiveness of mounted patrols during community events. ESSENTIAL EQUIPMENT: Official Sheriff parade and patrol pads, leather tack, safety helmets, and official Sheriff conchos. ADVANCED TRAINING: Immersive horsemanship clinics, including but not limited to Mounted Patrol Courses. Estimated number of Temecula residents to benefit: Possibly thousands due to amount of interaction we have with the residents on a daily basis.

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--|------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant | REVENUES* |
| | \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * |
| | \$0.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * |
| | \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * |
| | \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* | EXPENSES* |
| Essential Equipment | \$5,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * |
| None | \$0.00 |
| Supplies* | * |
| None | \$0.00 |
| Services* | * |
| Advanced Training | \$5,000.00 |
| Food* | * |
| None | \$0.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * |
| None | \$0.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * |
| | \$0.00 |

TOTAL REVENUE:

\$5,000.00

TOTAL EXPENSES

\$10,000.00

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 15, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by Monday, September 15, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Temecula Valley Posse

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer: *

Danielle Cason

E-mail: *

[REDACTED]

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Danielle Cason

Submission Date:

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IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact:

Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or

Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413

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Temecula Valley Posse

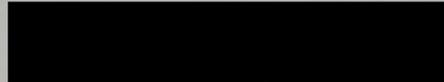
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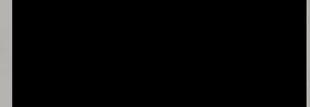
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E-mail: *



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Brenda Cowan CFO

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

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Entity Status Letter

Date: 8/3/2025

ESL ID: 8705767384

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 1989222

Entity Name: TEMECULA VALLEY POSSE

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

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TEMECULA VALLEY POSSE
% CHRIS THOMAS
44605 VIA VAQUERO
TEMECULA CA 92590-3167

023738

Employer identification number: 22-3874698

Dear Taxpayer:

Thank you for your inquiry of Sep. 28, 2023.

Your employer identification number (EIN) is 22-3874698. Please keep this letter in your permanent records. Enter your name and EIN on all federal business tax returns and on related correspondence.

You can get any of the forms or publications mentioned in this letter by visiting our website at [IRS.gov/forms](https://www.irs.gov/forms) or by calling 800-TAX-FORM (800-829-3676).

If you have questions, you can call 800-829-4933.

If you prefer, you can write to us at the address at the top of the first page of this letter.

When you write, include a copy of this letter, and provide your telephone number and the hours we can reach you in the spaces below.

Telephone number () _____ Hours _____

Keep a copy of this letter for your records.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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| Corporation Name | TEMECULA VALLEY POSSE | | | |
| Entity No. | 1989222 | | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 51900 HERNLEY RD AGUANGA, CA 92536 | | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | | |
| Mailing Address | PO BOX 431 TEMECULA, CA 92593 | | | |
| Attention | Brenda Cowan | | | |
| Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| | BRENDA COWAN | 51900 HERNLEY ROAD AGUANGA, CA 92536 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Tanis Earle | 43740 CAJON DR TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Danielle Cason | 27890 CLINTON KEITH RD MURRIETA, CA 92562 | Secretary | |
| Additional Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Arlene Eyerman | 28805 LOS ALAMOS HEIGHTS RD MURRIETA, CA 92563 | Vice President | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | | |
| Agent Name | Danielle Cason | | | |
| Agent Address | 27890 CLINTON KEITH RD MURRIETA, CA 92562 | | | |
| Email Notifications | | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | | |
| <i>Danielle Cason</i> | | 07/22/2024 | | |
| Signature | | Date | | |

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California, to engage in, carry on or conduct in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California, nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Temecula Valley Posse

BUSINESS LOCATION: 28690 Mercedes St Old Town Sheriff'S Station, B,
Temecula, CA 92590

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

BUSINESS OWNER:

TEMECULA VALLEY POSSE
PO BOX 431
TEMECULA 92590

Business License Number: 055804
License Fee: \$4.00
Effective Date: November 06, 2024
Expiration Date: January 31, 2026
Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

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TEMECULA VALLEY
ROSE SOCIETY



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Temecula Valley Rose Society/American Rose Society

Year Organization Founded: *

1990

Website:

temeculavalleyrosesociety.org

Mailing Address: *

Temecula Valley Rose Society
PO Box 890367
Temecula, CA 92589

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

25

Contact Name: *

Susan B Whitten

Contact Title: *

President

Contact Email: *

Contact Phone: *

Alternate Contact Name:

Rebecca Weersing

Alternate Contact Email:

Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

City of Temecula

Business License No. *

054673

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

City of Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License *

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Growing and Maintaining a Successful Garden

Start Date:*

2026-01-10

End Date:*

2026-11-07

Physical Address of Project/Program*

30592 Jedidiah Smith Rd

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley Rose Society

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

10/07/1991

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

1570446

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEstatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

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IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

33-0428167

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

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on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

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TVRS EZ990 Form 2024.pdf

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(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

Objectives: Rose Haven Heritage Garden is a nonprofit public garden owned by Temecula Valley Rose Society, dedicated to promoting horticultural education, environmental stewardship, and community engagement through gardening. Founded in October 1990, the Society and the Garden have been providing opportunities for rose and gardening enthusiasts throughout the City of Temecula. We exist to uphold the following Mission and Vision Statements.

Mision Statement

The Temecula Valley Rose Society, an affiliate of the American Rose Society, is a non-profit public benefit corporation fostering awareness and appreciation for the cultivation and preservation of roses and related horticulture through sound ecological stewardship of Rose Haven Heritage Garden, inclusive educational programming, including hands-on learning experiences for community members of all ages.

Vision/Objective Statement

Through mindful stewardship of Rose Haven Heritage Garden, sustain in perpetuity a vibrant and active community space, centered around roses, providing quiet enjoyment, active learning, and healthy living.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Growing and Maintaining a Successful Garden

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

We are seeking funding from the City of Temecula Community Grants program to support our community gardening programs. These programs are designed to provide local residents with opportunities to learn through hands on volunteering at Rose Haven Heritage Garden. This once-a-month Saturday program excluding July and December will provide essential gardening skills. The attendees will learn what tools to be use, how to care for the tools and what they will need if they decide to start their own home garden. These tools will remain as property of the Temecula Valley Rose Society and be provided to the volunteers participating in these workshops while in the garden and for volunteers who come to participate but do not have the right tools for the activity. This grant will enable us to offer more frequent hands-on gardening workshops, provide comprehensive educational resources, and supply essential gardening tools—including weeders, pruners, gloves, trowels, and rakes. These efforts will improve community access to rose cultivation, enhance our vegetable garden and its role in supporting local food security, and support the pollinator garden, which is vital to the ecological health of the entire site. These skills enhance the success for all gardening efforts, in this garden, community gardens and at home.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

The grant funding will be used to purchase the tools needed to successfully develop and maintain a rose garden, a vegetable garden, a succulent and cactus garden and a pollinator garden. The tools to be purchased are:

Long Handled Garden Tool consisting of spades, forks, scrappers, hoes, and rakes. The Hand tools include trowels, transplanters, forks, shrub racks, cultivators, scoops, widgers, weeders, Hori knives. The Cutting tools include hand pruners, loopers, and pruning saws. Other tools include wheelbarrows, post hole diggers, pry bars, kneeler pads. These are the essential tools needed to plant, transplant, shape, trim, prune, mulch, fertilize all plants, scrubs, rose bushes, vegetables and pollinator plants throughout the Rose Haven Heritage Garden.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

Program Goals and Objectives

Goal: To enhance community gardening skills and access to gardening resources for residents of Temecula.

Objectives:

1. Develop and implement a series of gardening workshops focused on fundamental gardening skills, organic gardening practices, and sustainable methods over the next year.
2. Provide gardening tools such as weeders, pruners, gloves, trowels, and rakes to participants in our

programs, ensuring they have the necessary resources to use while volunteering at Rose Haven Heritage Garden and to transfer the skills learned to cultivate their own gardens and continue to volunteer at the Rose Garden.

3. Foster a network of community gardeners to share skills, produce, and gardening tips, thereby creating a sustainable gardening community.

Program Activities

1. Workshops:

- One Saturday a month excluding July and December, workshops led by experienced gardeners and horticulturalists.

- Topics include soil health, pest management, organic gardening, and plant care.

- Workshops will cover both theoretical concepts and practical, hands-on activities.

2. Tool Distribution:

- Participants will have access to a gardening tool kit while volunteering in RHHG.

- Tool kits will include essential items (e.g., weeder, pruners, gardening gloves, trowels, and rakes) to support their gardening education.

3. Community Gardening Days:

- Organize community gardening events where residents can come together to work on shared gardening projects, fostering community engagement and a sense of belonging.

- Partnerships with local schools, community centers, and organizations to maximize outreach such as Temecula Garden Club, Temecula Valley Chapter of the National Charity League, Boys and Girls Scout Troops, American Legion and other veterans' organizations, and those that share the desire to learn and want to dig in the dirt.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

2,000

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

12

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

Gardening offers numerous physical, mental, and social benefits, contributing positively to community well-being. Many individuals lack the knowledge, resources and tools to engage and enjoy gardening whether as volunteers or for their own home gardens. These hands-on workshops will give participants the skills to grow gardens with confidence and experience the joy of gardening. The community benefit of this garden is the ability to give fresh vegetables to the Mission of Hope Food Bank. In 2025 we have donated over 700 lbs of fresh produce.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$400.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$3,836.90 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* | EXPENSES* |
| Long Handled tools, Hand tools, Cutting tools, Wheelbarrows, Post hole digger, Pry bars, Kneeler pads. See full list as described in question 2. | \$5,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * \$0.00 |
| Already provided by Temecula Valley Rose Society | |
| Supplies* | * \$0.00 |
| nothing extra | |
| Services* | * \$0.00 |
| nothing extra | |
| Food* | * \$200.00 |
| Water and fruit for volunteers | |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * \$100.00 |
| Social media, website for all sessions to promote events | |
| Staffing Expense | * \$0.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: | TOTAL EXPENSES |
| \$9,236.90 | \$5,300.00 |

Compliance

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/paid invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 14, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by * Monday, September 14, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Temecula Valley Rose Society/American Rose Society

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Rebecca Weersing

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

Executive Committee Agent

E-mail: *

[REDACTED]

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Rebecca Weersing

Submission Date:

2025-09-04 06:29:00 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Susan B. Whitten President Temecula Valley Rose Society

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



Entity Status Letter

Date: 8/28/2025

ESL ID: 4914256219

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 1570446

Entity Name: TEMECULA VALLEY ROSE SOCIETY

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

Connect With Us

Web: ftb.ca.gov
Phone: 800-852-5711 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, except state holidays
916-845-6500 from outside the United States

California

Relay Service: 711 or 800-735-2929 (For persons with hearing or speech impairments)

Internal Revenue Service

District
Director

AMERICAN ROSE SOCIETY
TEMECULA VALLEY ROSE SOCIETY
P.O. BOX 890367
TEMECULA, CA 92589-0367

Department of the Treasury

300 N. Los Angeles Street, MS 7043
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Person to Contact:

L. BARRAGAN
Telephone Number:

(213) 894-2336

Refer Reply to:

EO(0223)98

Date:

FEBRUARY 24, 1998

EIN: 33-0428167

Dear Taxpayer:

This letter is in response to your request for exempt status regarding the above named organization.

Our records indicate that this organization was recognized to be exempt from Federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(03). Group exemption number 7044 has been assigned to the organization and its subordinates. The determination letter issued in JUNE 1983 continues to be in effect.

If you need further assistance, please contact our office at the above address or telephone number.

Sincerely,

L. Barragan

Disclosure Assistant

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CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Temecula Valley Rose Society

BUSINESS LOCATION: 30592 Jedediah Smith Rd, Temecula, CA 92592

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

BUSINESS OWNER: Rebecca Weersing

TEMECULA VALLEY ROSE SOCIETY
PO BOX 890367
TEMECULA, CA 92589

Business License Number: 054673
License Fee: \$4.00
Effective Date: January 09, 2025
Expiration Date: January 31, 2026
Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
 Office of the Secretary of State
STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 657-5448

For Office Use Only

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File No.: BA20250183308

Date Filed: 1/27/2025

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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | TEMECULA VALLEY ROSE SOCIETY | | |
| Entity No. | 1570446 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 46261 HUNTER TRAIL TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | P O BOX 890367 TEMECULA, CA 92589 | | |
| Attention | | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| Rebecca Weersing | 46261 HUNTER TRAIL TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| + ANNE SCHRYER | 46261 HUNTER TRAIL TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Secretary | |
| + ROGER FITNESS | 45819 CEBALO ST TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| Florence R Rafulowitz | 42343 CAMINO ROMO TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Assistant Chief Financial Officer | |
| + SUSAN WHITTENS | 46261 HUNTER TRAIL TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Other | CO-CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | REBECCA WEERSING | | |
| Agent Address | 46261 HUNTER TRAIL TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | No, I do NOT want to receive entity notifications via email. I prefer notifications by USPS mail. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Florence Rafulowitz</i> | 01/27/2025 | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

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TEMECULA VALLEY
WRITERS AND ILLUSTRATORS



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators

Year Organization Founded: *

2024

Website:

www.temeculavalleywi.com

Mailing Address: *

[Redacted]
Temecula, CA 92592

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

30

Contact Name: *

Jeff Waddleton, president

Contact Title: *

President

Contact Email: *

president@temeculavalleywi.com

Contact Phone: *

949-265-9218

Alternate Contact Name:

Lisa Harris

Alternate Contact Email:

[Redacted]

Alternate Contact Phone:

[Redacted]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula

Business License No. *

058027

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License *

Business Licence 2026.pdf

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Temecula Valley Literary Access Initiative

Start Date:*

2026-01-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

41000 Main Street, Temecula CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

02/04/2024

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- State of California Entity Status Letter
 IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

99-1420798

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

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Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators - 501c3 Letter copy
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(one required, both preferred)

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<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

The mission of Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators is to support the local creative community in their endeavors, and provide an accessible platform for personal and professional growth. The foundation is organized exclusively for these purposes pursuant to section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators Monthly Meeting | \$5,000.00 | January 1, 2025 | Community Service Funding Grant |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Temecula Valley Literary Access Initiative

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

The Temecula Valley Literary Access Initiative expands TVWI's reach across the city, ensuring more residents discover and benefit from literary arts programming. Our goal is to reach at least 1,000 residents in 2026. By investing in outreach, visibility, and accessible venues, the program connects neighborhoods, families, and individuals, regardless of socioeconomic status, with opportunities for creative growth, education, and community building. Outreach efforts will include partnerships with schools, libraries, and senior centers, and presence at farmers' markets and cultural festivals.

Outreach will focus on connecting new, diverse participants to TVWI's program offerings, including:

Poetry Programming: TVWI's newest offering; connecting youth and adults with the power of writing and reading poetry

Monthly Meetings: Workshops for writers and artists featuring professional writers and artists

Spoken Nuggets: Open mic nights featuring local writers against the backdrop of local art

Small Group Writers Meet-Ups: Genre- and medium-specific meetings focused on specific themes such as romance, LGBTQIA, Mystery-Thriller-Horror

Show Up and Write/Sketch/Create: a group for creatives to work in a group setting to encourage productivity and form community.

Focused on strengthening the literary arts community and empowering creatives of all ages to connect with the arts and humanities through reading, writing, making art, TVWI envisions Temecula as a cultural hub for arts and culture in Riverside County.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

TVWI will use grant funds to expand access to free literary arts programs. Funding will cover city-wide venue rental (\$900) for consistent public meeting space; marketing and outreach (\$1,500) such as flyers, banners, and boosted social media to reach new audiences; and digital tools (\$750) including Mailchimp, Canva, MembershipWorks, and Zoom for virtual access. Additional support will provide visibility items (\$1,000), including a pop-up canopy tent and locally printed materials, plus event supplies (\$850) for signage, engagement tables, a local talent look-book, and refreshments at community and programmatic events. These services and equipment will strengthen TVWI's ability to connect residents across the city with creative opportunities.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

This funding directly benefits Temecula residents by increasing access to free literary arts programs—monthly meetings, poetry programming, open-mic nights featuring local writers, anthologies, and small group meet-ups. Outreach will ensure more families and individuals discover and attend events, while digital tools expand participation for those unable to attend in person. With City support, TVWI can host accessible events, appear at community festivals, and promote literacy, creativity, and cultural pride. An estimated 1,000–1,500 residents will benefit annually through participation, audience attendance, and online engagement, strengthening Temecula’s identity as a city that values arts and community storytelling.

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1,000

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30

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4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

TVWI intends to connect 1,000+ Temecula residents to the creative arts in 2026. Our Literary Access Initiative will support marketing and tracking software, facility rental and printed materials for community gatherings, refreshments for workshops, a local talent directory, and fees associated with creative opportunities (anthologies and skill-building sessions).

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
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LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| Tools/Equipment* | EXPENSES* |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Branded table setup for outreach visibility | \$500.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * \$900.00 |
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| Supplies* | * \$600.00 |
| Reusable plates, outreach postcards, event signage, pop-up shade. | |
| Services* | * \$750.00 |
| Mailchimp, Canva, MembershipWorks, SociableKit, Hovercode, and Zoom Business | |
| Food* | * \$500.00 |
| Light refreshments for meetings and community engagement nights. | |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * \$1,750.00 |
| Flyers, banners, boosted social media ads, and promotional materials to extend reach across Temecula. | |
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Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name:*

Jeffrey L. Waddleton

President/Authorized Officer Title:*

President

E-mail:*

jeff@temeculavalleywi.com

Phone:*

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature*

Jeffrey L. Waddleton

Submission Date:

2025-09-12 10:18:20 AM

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Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

TEMECULA VALLEY WRITERS AND
ILLUSTRATORS
C/O FELICIA A HORTON
30732 DORAL CT
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Date:
03/26/2024
Employer ID number:
99-1420798
Person to contact:
Name: Customer Service
ID number: 31954
Telephone: (877) 829-5500
Accounting period ending:
December 31
Public charity status:
509(a)(2)
Form 990 / 990-EZ / 990-N required:
Yes
Effective date of exemption:
February 25, 2024
Contribution deductibility:
Yes
Addendum applies:
No
DLN:
26053475003124

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements



Entity Status Letter

Date: 9/12/2025

ESL ID: 3890139975

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 6087152

Entity Name: TEMECULA VALLEY WRITERS ILLUSTRATORS INC.

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 .
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

Connect With Us

Web: ftb.ca.gov
Phone: 800-852-5711 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, except state holidays
916-845-6500 from outside the United States

California

Relay Service: 711 or 800-735-2929 (For persons with hearing or speech impairments)

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate (pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California) to engage in, carry on or conduct, in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California; nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Temecula Valley Writers and Illustrators

BUSINESS LOCATION: 30732 Doral Ct, Temecula, CA 92592

BUSINESS OWNER: Jeff Waddleton
Stacia Deutsch

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

TEMECULA VALLEY WRITERS AND ILLUSTRATORS
30732 DORAL CT
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Business License Number: 058027

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: October 17, 2024

Expiration Date: January 31, 2026

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE

NOT TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE



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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Office of the Secretary of State
STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 657-5448

For Office Use Only

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File No.: BA20241543192

Date Filed: 8/26/2024

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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | Temecula Valley Writers Illustrators Inc. | | |
| Entity No. | 6087152 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 30732 DORAL CT. TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 30732 DORAL CT. TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Attention | | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| + Jeff Waddleton | 30732 DORAL CT. TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| + Stacia Deutsch | 29830 YNEZ RD. TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| + Trond Hildahl | 47650 PATO FRIO RD. AGUANGA, CA 92536 | Secretary | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | Jeff Waddleton | | |
| Agent Address | 30732 DORAL CT. TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Trond Hildahl</i> | <i>08/26/2024</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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THE EMPOWERMENT CENTER



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

The Empowerment Center

Year Organization Founded: *

2005

Website:

www.theempowermentcenterintl.com

Mailing Address: *

43200 Business Park Drive
Temecula, CA 92590

Number of Paid Staff: *

3

Number of Volunteers: *

15

Contact Name: *

Teresse Lewis

Contact Title: *

Executive Director

Contact Email: *

tlewis@theempowermentcenterintl.com

Contact Phone: *

951-514-2939

Alternate Contact Name:

Eboni Lawrence

Alternate Contact Email:

Elawrence@theempowermentcenterintl.com

Alternate Contact Phone:

951-514-██████

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula & Riverside County

Business License No. *

024539

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License *

Business License 2025.pdf

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Youth Mental Health Community Health Worker

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

43200 Business Park Drive Temecula, CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

The Empowerment Center

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

02/01/2005

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

2588343

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEStatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

The Empowerment Center Entity Status Letter 2025.pdf

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56-2497243

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TEC IRS Tax Exempt Letter.pdf

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Provide further verification as follows:*

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First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

You might find IRS Form 990

on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

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(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

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Attorney General Letter - The Empowerment Center.pdf

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

The Empowerment Center's mission is to build resilience in youth and families by equipping the next generation of health leaders through our Youth Mental Health Community Health Worker Academy. This program trains high school students with the knowledge, skills, and support needed to promote wellness at home, in schools, and throughout the Temecula community—while strengthening the local workforce pipeline.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Youth Community Health Worker | \$7,800.00 | 07-24 | CDBG |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

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Understand

Project/Program Title: Youth Mental Health Community Health Worker

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

The Empowerment Center's Youth Mental Health Worker Project is an innovative grow-your-own approach to training up the youth in the city of Temecula to address the mental health concerns of Temecula's youth population. The purpose of the project is to create an ecosystem that trains and deploys a front-line army of youth mental health workers to gain competencies that create viable career pathways upon high school graduation. Youth participants ages 16-24 will receive comprehensive training provided and supervised by licensed mental health professionals to prepare them for the healthcare workforce. Curriculum will include Mental Health Assessment Skills, Advocacy Skills, Career Readiness Skills, knowledge of mental and behavioral health referral systems, and skills to become trusted messengers to connect youth and families to mental health supports in times of need. The robust 3-month program includes components in training, mentorship, supportive services, and case management to assist youth participants with job placement. Upon completion of the program, participants will be able connected to employment opportunities within local community based and community healthcare clinics and organizations to improve health outcomes for youth throughout Temecula. Graduates of the program will receive a state-recognized certificate of completion, providing an accelerated opportunity to gain a transferable industry-recognized skill set to meet youth mental health needs without the barrier of a 4-year degree traditionally needed to work in the field of mental health. This innovative program also includes supportive services for participants in need, including flexible training opportunities, technology assistance, short-term financial support. As an organization that embraces youth and young adult development, The Empowerment Center created this project to increase the availability of effective and compassionate mental health supports to youth by youth. TEC is inviting the city of Temecula to partner with us in this very exciting and innovative programming for our youth

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Grant funds will be used to cover the costs of youth mental health training, curriculum materials.

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\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Teresse Lewis, LCSW

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

Executive and Clinical Director

E-mail: *

tlewis@theempowermentcenterintl.com

Phone: *

951-514-2939

President/Authorized Officer Signature *



Submission Date:

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President/Authorized Officer: *

LaKeshia Chambers

E-mail: *

tlewis@theempowermentcenterintl.com

Phone: *

951-514-2939

President/Authorized Officer Signature *



Submission Date:

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IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact:

OGDEN UT 84201-0029

In reply refer to: 4077591934
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THE EMPOWERMENT CENTER
% TIFFANY BAKER
27262 VIA INDUSTRIA
TEMECULA CA 92590-3751



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Employer Identification Number: 56-2497243
Person to Contact: Ms. Wiles
Toll Free Telephone Number: 1-877-829-5500

Dear Taxpayer:

This is in response to your Apr. 03, 2014, request for information regarding your tax-exempt status.

Our records indicate that you were recognized as exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code in a determination letter issued in January 2006.

Our records also indicate that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are described in section(s) 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

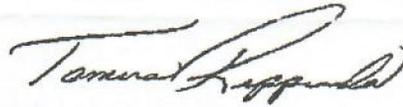
Please refer to our website www.irs.gov/eo for information regarding filing requirements. Specifically, section 6033(j) of the Code provides that failure to file an annual information return for three consecutive years results in revocation of tax-exempt status as of the filing due date of the third return for organizations required to file. We will publish a list of organizations whose tax-exempt status was revoked under section 6033(j) of the Code on our website beginning in early 2011.

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THE EMPOWERMENT CENTER
% TIFFANY BAKER
27262 VIA INDUSTRIA
TEMECULA CA 92590-3751

If you have any questions, please call us at the telephone number shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,



Tamera Ripperda
Director, Exempt Organizations



Entity Status Letter

Date: 9/14/2025

ESL ID: 1174647137

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 2588343

Entity Name: THE EMPOWERMENT CENTER

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Office of the Secretary of State
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CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
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Date Filed: 2/5/2025

| Entity Details | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|-------------------------|---------------|--|-----------|---------------------|--|-------------------------|--|
| Corporation Name | THE EMPOWERMENT CENTER | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Entity No. | 2588343 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 43200 BUSINESS PARK DR TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mailing Address | 43200 BUSINESS PARK DR TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Attention | The Empowerment Center | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Officers | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Agent for Service of Process | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agent Name | TIFFANY BAKER | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agent Address | 43200 BUSINESS PARK DR TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Email Notifications | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <u>Corey Lewis</u> | <u>02/05/2025</u> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Signature | Date | | | | | | | | | | | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES INC
dba
MISSION HOPE



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Thessalonika Family Services
(DBA Mission Hope)

Year Organization Founded: *

1989

Website:

www.MissionHope.com

Mailing Address: *

41760 Rider Way

Number of Paid Staff: *

8

Number of Volunteers: *

250

Contact Name: *

Kristi Piatkowski

Contact Title: *

Development Director

Contact Email: *

Kristi.Piatkowski@missionhope.com

Contact Phone: *

7142602699

Alternate Contact Name:

Alternate Contact Email:

Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Southwest Riverside County

Business License No. *

054787

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License *

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Empowerment Village: Stable Housing for Single Mother Families

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

38950 Mesa Road, Temecula, CA 92592

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Mission Hope

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

09/01/2025

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

95-3551068

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

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Provide further verification as follows:*

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First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

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(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

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Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

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Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

Mission Hope is a nonprofit serving Temecula residents through wraparound services addressing food and housing insecurity. Mission Hope serves more than 500 households each week with access to healthy food, safe, stable housing, and supportive resources. Our mission is to partner with our community to provide access to healthy food, housing programs and resources that equip and empower those we serve to live life to the fullest. We accomplish this mission through four interconnected programs - Hope Food Pantry, Hope Resource Center, Hope Family Housing, and Empowerment Village - designed to address both urgent needs and long-term stability.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*
 Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Empowerment Village | \$5,000.00 | December 2024 | CSF |
| Healthy Food Program | \$5,000.00 | January 2024 | CSF |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Empowerment Village: Stable Housing for Single Mother Families

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

Mission Hope is requesting \$5,000 to support Empowerment Village, a program providing safe, stable housing and supportive resources for vulnerable single mother families with young children. The program can house up to 40 individuals or 15 families for up to two years on a thriving campus through shared housing. Adults moving through the program are provided case management, skill development and educational workshops, employment and career development, and resources to help them move from dependency and at-risk for homelessness to self-sufficient and thriving members of our community. The Empowerment Village program aligns with the City of Temecula by helping address housing insecurity.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Empowerment Village provides safe, stable housing and supportive resources to help single mothers with young children stay off the streets, out of foster care, and instead, move toward a independent, productive member of the community. Funds would be used to provide stable housing including utilities, food, transportation, or needs the children may have regarding education including transportation, supplies, or clothing. Mission Hope employs one part-time employee to work on campus at Empowerment Village supporting the families through resource referral, volunteer management, and home maintenance.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

The 2023 Point-in-Time Count on Riverside County found 3,725 people experiencing homelessness, with a majority being unsheltered (2,441). This was a 12% increase from 2022. Located in Temecula, Empowerment Village helps the City address homelessness by targeting single mother families with young children. All program residents are income verified and are extremely low to low-income. By providing stable housing, Empowerment Village helps keep families off the streets. By providing wraparound services, such as food, parenting classes, and employment resources, the program helps keep children out of foster care and the family moving towards self-sufficiency.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

40

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

35

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

Empowerment Village provides safe housing and wraparound services for up to 40 single-mothers and young children in Temecula. By addressing food, housing, parenting, and employment needs, the program prevents homelessness and foster care, while equipping families to achieve long-term stability, self-sufficiency, and productive community membership.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$150,000.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$25,000.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$150,000.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* | EXPENSES* |
| Landscaping and Maintenance | \$15,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * \$95,000.00 |
| Facilities, Insurances | |
| Supplies* | * \$15,000.00 |
| Supplies not donated and needing to be purchased | |
| Services* | * \$55,000.00 |
| Direct services | |
| Food* | * \$150,000.00 |
| In-kind value from Feeding America | |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * \$0.00 |
| None | |
| Staffing Expense | * \$25,000.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: | TOTAL EXPENSES |
| \$330,000.00 | \$330,000.00 |

Compliance

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/paid invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 14, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by * Monday, September 14, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization:*

Thessalonika Family Services (DBA Mission Hope)

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name:*

Heather Sanford

President/Authorized Officer Title:*

CEO

E-mail:*

Heather.Sanford@missionhope.com

Phone:*

951-444-1404

President/Authorized Officer Signature*



Heather Sanford

Submission Date:

2025-09-08 06:01:22 PM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation:*

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Kristi Piatkowski, Development Director, Mission Hope

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



IRS Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

P.O. Box 2508
Cincinnati OH 45201

In reply refer to: 0752153521
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THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES
PO BOX 890326
TEMECULA CA 92589-0326



034933

Employer ID number: 95-3551068
Form 990 required: YES

Dear THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES:

We're responding to your request dated June 05, 2018, about your tax-exempt status.

We issued you a determination letter in September 1995, recognizing you as tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(03).

We also show you're not a private foundation as defined under IRC Section 509(a) because you're described in IRC Sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Donors can deduct contributions they make to you as provided in IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts under IRC Sections 2055, 2106, and 2522.

In the heading of this letter, we indicated whether you must file an annual information return. If you're required to file a return, you must file one of the following by the 15th day of the 5th month after the end of your annual accounting period:

- Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
- Form 990EZ, Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
- Form 990-N, Electronic Notice (e-Postcard) for Tax-Exempt Organizations Not Required to File Form 990 or Form 990-EZ
- Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

According to IRC Section 6033(j), if you don't file a required annual information return or notice for 3 consecutive years, we'll revoke your tax-exempt status on the due date of the 3rd required return or notice.

You can get IRS forms or publications you need from our website at www.irs.gov/forms-pubs or by calling 800-TAX-FORM (800-829-3676).

If you have questions, call 877-829-5500 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.,

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THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES
PO BOX 890326
TEMECULA CA 92589-0326

local time, Monday through Friday (Alaska and Hawaii follow Pacific time).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Teri M. Johnson".

Teri M. Johnson
Operations Manager, AM Ops. 3

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate (pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California) to engage in, carry on or conduct, in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California; nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Thessalonika Family Services

BUSINESS LOCATION: 38950 Mesa Dr, Temecula, CA 92592

BUSINESS OWNER: Steve Hargis
Heather Sanford

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES
38950 MESA DR
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Business License Number: 054787

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: January 06, 2025

Expiration Date: January 31, 2026

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

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| Entity Details | | | | |
| Corporation Name | THESSALONIKA FAMILY SERVICES | | | |
| Entity No. | 0995764 | | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 38950 MESA ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | | |
| Mailing Address | 38950 MESA ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | | |
| Attention | Secretary of the Board | | | |
| Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| | Nicole Albrecht | 38950 MESA ROAD #8753 TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| | Monica Hargis | 38950 MESA ROAD #8753 TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Secretary | |
| | + Heather Sanford | 38950 MESA ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| | + Steve Hargis | 38950 MESA ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92592 | Chairperson of Board | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | | |
| Agent Name | Nicole Albrecht | | | |
| Agent Address | 41951 REMINGTON AVE 210 TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | | |
| Email Notifications | | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | No, I do NOT want to receive entity notifications via email. I prefer notifications by USPS mail. | | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | | |
| <u>MLH</u> | | <u>04/11/2024</u> | | |
| Signature | | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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THRIFTING 4 GIFTING
FORMERLY
THE ASSISTANCE LEAGUE



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Thrifting 4 Gifting

Year Organization Founded: *

1989

Website: *

<https://thrifting4gifting.org>

Mailing Address: *

28720 Via Montezuma
Temecula, CA 92590

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

152

Contact Name: *

Diane Sitar

Contact Title: *

Grants Chairman

Contact Email: *

grants@thrifting4gifting.org

Contact Phone: *



Alternate Contact Name:

Diane Sitar

Alternate Contact Email:



Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

SW Riverside County

Business License No. *

001475

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

SW Riverside County

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Copy of Business License *

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Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Foster & Homeless Youth Support

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

28720 Via Montezuma, Temecula, CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Thrifting 4 Gifting

Nonprofit Status

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Date of Incorporation:*

06/15/1989

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State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

1463456

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEStatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

Entity Status Letter.9-2025.pdf

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Provide further verification as follows:*

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First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

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Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

Thrifting 4 Gifting is an all-volunteer, 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. For over 36 years, we operated under the name Assistance League of Temecula Valley as a local chapter of National Assistance League. Affiliation with National Assistance League provided us with the right to use the registered trademark name of "Assistance League". Otherwise, we have been an independent 501(c)(3) entity with no financial reliance on the national organization. National Assistance League recently made some structural changes in the organization. After careful consideration, we decided to discontinue affiliation effective June 1, 2025. We changed our name to Thrifting 4 Gifting ("T4G") and will retain the same value and commitment to our local communities that we always have.

T4G transforms lives and strengthens our communities through philanthropic programs in Southwest Riverside County. Member volunteers are dedicated to identifying and serving the needs of Temecula, Murrieta, Menifee, Lake Elsinore, Wildomar and Romoland communities through philanthropic programs developed and administered by our members. Our organization supports six community based philanthropic programs benefiting everyone from infants to adults residing in Southwest Riverside County.

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Funding Sources

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Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|-------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Five Points | \$50,000.00 | August 2023 | CSF |
| Operation Foster & Homeless Youth | \$5,000.00 | January 2024 | CSF |
| Operation School Bell | \$7,474.00 | June 2024 | CDBG |
| Operation School Bell | \$10,138.00 | April 2025 | CDBG |

Project/Program Description

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*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Foster & Homeless Youth Support

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

T4G Foster & Homeless Youth Support program works with local foster care agencies and school districts to provide basic essential needs. We provide clothing, shoes, food, transportation, Christmas gifts, and hygiene items to children in the foster care system, foster and homeless Temecula school students, and foster youth who are transitioning out of the foster system.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Temecula CSF grant funds will support Temecula's foster and homeless children and youth as follows: 1) Children entering the foster system: T4G works with four local foster family agencies. Within 48 hours, we provide one week's worth of new clothing, shoes and basic necessity items (as needed depending on the situation) at a cost of approximately \$150 per child. The children served range in age from Newborn to 18 years old. 2) Temecula Foster & Homeless Students: T4G works with school counselors, social workers and foster agencies to provide school clothing, shoes and hygiene items as well as food on an as needed basis. We also provide Christmas gifts. 3) We offer a "senior package" to foster/homeless youth to include them in high school activities. The funds are paid to the high school and the student can choose to purchase a yearbook, Grad Night ticket, Prom ticket, Student Body Card and more. We also provide support funds for special classes or other individual needs. Youth are typically 17-19 years of age. 4) Transitional Housing Program ("THP") and non-Minor Dependents: T4G works with Kamali'i Foster Family Agency which has a contract with Riverside County to provide safe, semi-independent housing and supportive services for up to 2 years for Riverside County former foster and out of home probation youth ranging in age from 18 to 24. Kamali'i offers them a furnished 2 bdrm/2 bath apartment in Riverside County which is shared with another program participant. Kamali'i has requirements to be in their program, such as a no drug policy. Residents must be working or attending school. There are life coaches that hold weekly seminars to cover topics such as budgeting, how to cook on a budget and maximize grocery funds, how to write a resume and tools for managing their lives. T4G provides various household items to set up the THP apartments for Temecula residents such as furniture, vacuums, bedding, bath towels and accessories, kitchen appliances and utensils as well as dishes, silverware, mixers, coffee pots, air fryers and more. We also provide Christmas gifts. 4) We provide new school clothes and shoes to foster/homeless youth on an as needed basis.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

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T4G has built strong relationships and partnerships with many other non-profit organizations, school counselors and social workers to assess needs and serve Temecula's citizens. We support foster and homeless youth to provide basic needs, which increases the possibility that they will become a productive member of society and not revert back to homelessness.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

80

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

6

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4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

T4G will provide various basic needs and support for Temecula foster and homeless children and foster youth transitioning out of the system. We will work with other non-profit organizations, school counselors and social workers to assess the needs and serve Temecula's citizens.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
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| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* N/A | EXPENSES* \$0.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Supplies* Items purchased for foster & homeless youth | * \$20,000.00 |
| Services* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Food* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$1,500.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$20,000.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$20,000.00 |

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I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Thrifting 4 Gifting

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Annette Sheehy

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President

E-mail: *

president@thrifting4gifting.org

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Annette Sheehy

Submission Date:

2025-09-13 01:29:00 PM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Diane Sitar, Grants Chairman, Thrifting 4 Gifting

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



Secretary of State Certificate of Status

I, SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D., California Secretary of State, hereby certify:

Entity Name: THRIFTING 4 GIFTING
Entity No.: 1463456
Registration Date: 06/15/1989
Entity Type: Nonprofit Corporation - CA - Public Benefit
Formed In: CALIFORNIA
Status: Active

The above referenced entity is active on the Secretary of State's records and is authorized to exercise all its powers, rights and privileges in California.

This certificate relates to the status of the entity on the Secretary of State's records as of the date of this certificate and does not reflect documents that are pending review or other events that may impact status.

No information is available from this office regarding the financial condition, status of licenses, if any, business activities or practices of the entity.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of September 07, 2025.

SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D.
Secretary of State

Certificate No.: 365510114

To verify the issuance of this Certificate, use the Certificate No. above with the Secretary of State Certification Verification Search available at bizfileOnline.sos.ca.gov.

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate (pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California) to engage in, carry on or conduct, in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California; nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Assistance League Of Temecula Valley

BUSINESS LOCATION: 28720 Via Montezuma, Temecula, CA 92590

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

BUSINESS OWNER: Ginny Wetzel

ASSISTANCE LEAGUE OF TEMECULA VALLEY
28720 VIA MONTEZUMA
TEMECULA, CA 92590

Business License Number: 001475
License Fee: \$4.00
Effective Date: November 17, 2024
Expiration Date: January 31, 2026
Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE

NOT TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE



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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Office of the Secretary of State
STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 657-5448

For Office Use Only

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File No.: BA20251142443

Date Filed: 5/24/2025

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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | THRIFTING 4 GIFTING | | |
| Entity No. | 1463456 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 28720 VIA MONTEZUMA TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 28720 VIA MONTEZUMA TEMECULA, CA 92590-2510 | | |
| Attention | Treasurer | | |
| Officers | | | |
| | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| Diana Elizondo | 39628 Clos Du Val Murrieta, CA 92563 | Secretary | |
| Annette Sheehy | 39612 CLOS DU VAL MURRIETA, CA 92563 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| + Fernando A Disla | 28720 VIA MONTEZUMA TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | Fernando Disla | | |
| Agent Address | 28720 VIA MONTEZUMA TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Fernando Disla</i> | <i>05/24/2025</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Trumpets of Tirzah

Year Organization Founded: *

2017

Website:

www.trumpetsoftirzah.com

Mailing Address:*

31217 Pauba Rd, Suite 201,
Temecula, CA 92592

Number of Paid Staff:*

3

Number of Volunteers:*

8

Contact Name:*

Carina Reed

Contact Title:*

President

Contact Email:*

carina@trumpetsoftirzah.com

Contact Phone:*

9513777931

Alternate Contact Name:

Anne

Alternate Contact Email:

enroll@trumpetsoftirzah.com

Alternate Contact Phone:

[REDACTED]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves:*

International

Business License No. *

056416

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License*

Temecula Business License.jpg

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Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Healing Art Retreat

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

31217 Pauba Rd, Suite 201, Temecula, CA 92592

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Trumpets of Tirzah

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

04/23/2018

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

83-0545537

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

IRS Approval Letter.pdf

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

State Registry Search Tool:

[https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?
facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

CA DOJ Registration.pdf

135.72KB

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's:*

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

Empowering women to embrace their unique potential through a journey of inner healing, personal growth, and value-based leadership. We provide wellness, reflective practices and character building that fosters resilience, integrity, and moral influence to nurture healthy households and vitality in the community.

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Understand

Project/Program Title: Healing Art Retreat

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

We facilitate a safe space for women to process and release difficult emotions. As part of our inner healing initiative, we provide a monthly healing art retreat to women who have experienced trauma or loss in their life which is inhibiting them from being productive and active in daily living. Each retreat is 3 hours long and guides participants through a journey of expression to release emotions of trauma/loss and then replace those emotions with positive affirmations, renewed perspective, self-empowerment, and a hopeful outlook for the future. Each woman leaves with her completed artwork of hope, wellness tools to help her maintain a positive mindset, and an art supply kit with self instructions that she can do at home to help her maintain an emotional balance.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

Each participant costs about \$50 in supplies that includes her take-home kit and we serve about 30 women per month. Supplies include: paint, brushes, adhesive, 3D media art embellishments, canvases, stamps/stencils, and misc. other art supplies. In addition, we provide printed resources in the take-home kit plus provide printed resources about this program to other non-profits in the area which provide services to women in this demographic. All grant funding would go towards what the women receive.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

This funding will directly strengthen the well-being of Temecula Women by strengthening their mental health and providing a healthy outlet for processing emotional distress. Many women in our city face the unseen effects of grief, hardship, unexpected trauma, or life transitions, which can limit their ability to fully participate in work, family, and community life. By making our Healing Art Retreats accessible at no cost, we provide a constructive outlet for stress, encourage social connection, and foster a sense of belonging. Participants leave better equipped to engage with their neighbors, support local initiatives, and contribute to the overall health and vitality of Temecula.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

360

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

4

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4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

This grant will make our monthly Healing Art Retreat free for women in Temecula, providing a safe space to process challenges, build resilience, and restore hope—empowering them to re-engage in daily life, strengthen relationships, and contribute positively to the well-being and vitality of the community.

Project/Program Budget

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LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* | EXPENSES* |
| Small Art Tools | \$1,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* | * |
| None Allocated | \$0.00 |
| Supplies* | * |
| Art Supplies | \$16,000.00 |
| Services* | * |
| None Allocated | \$0.00 |
| Food* | * |
| None Allocated | \$0.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* | * |
| Printed Items | \$3,000.00 |
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Name of Applicant Organization: *

Trumpets of Tirzah

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Carina D Reed

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President

E-mail: *

carina@trumpetsoftirzah.com

Phone: *



President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Carina D Reed

Submission Date:

2025-08-08 06:05:20 PM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

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INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date:

MAR 22 2019

TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH
C/O CARINA REED
19826 VICTORY BLVD
WOODLAND HILLS, CA 91367-2830

Employer Identification Number:
83-0545537
DLN:
17053213312008
Contact Person:
PETER A ORLETT ID# 31436
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500
Accounting Period Ending:
June 30
Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(i)
Form 990/990-EZ/990-N Required:
No
Effective Date of Exemption:
April 23, 2018
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We're pleased to tell you we determined you're exempt from federal income tax under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3). Donors can deduct contributions they make to you under IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under Section 2055, 2106, or 2522. This letter could help resolve questions on your exempt status. Please keep it for your records.

Organizations exempt under IRC Section 501(c)(3) are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined you're a public charity under the IRC Section listed at the top of this letter.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that you're required to file Form 990/990-EZ/990-N, our records show you're required to file an annual information return (Form 990 or Form 990-EZ) or electronic notice (Form 990-N, the e-Postcard). If you don't file a required return or notice for three consecutive years, your exempt status will be automatically revoked.

If we indicated at the top of this letter that an addendum applies, the enclosed addendum is an integral part of this letter.

For important information about your responsibilities as a tax-exempt organization, go to www.irs.gov/charities. Enter "4221-PC" in the search bar to view Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, which describes your recordkeeping, reporting, and disclosure requirements.

Letter 947

TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH

Sincerely,

Stephen a. martin

Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements



Entity Status Letter

Date: 8/11/2025

ESL ID: 1005594135

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 4144850

Entity Name: TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH | | |
| Entity No. | 4144850 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 31217 PAUBA RD SUITE 201 TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 31217 PAUBA RD SUITE 201 TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Attention | Carina Dawn Reed | | |
| Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) |
| | Shanae Martin | 3412 WOODCREST CT COLUMBIA, TN 38401 | Secretary |
| | CARINA DAWN REED | 40570 HEYERDAHL AVE MURRIETA, CA 92563 | Chief Executive Officer |
| | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jeffrey Lee Reed | 40570 HEYERDAHL AVE MURRIETA, CA 92563 | Chief Financial Officer |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position |
| | | | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | CARINA DAWN REED | | |
| Agent Address | 31217 PAUBA RD SUITE 201 TEMECULA, CA 92592 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| /Carina Dawn Reed/ | | 04/19/2024 | |
| Signature | | Date | |

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California, to engage in, carry on or conduct in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California, nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Trumpets of Tirzah

BUSINESS LOCATION: 31217 Pauba Rd, #201, Temecula, CA 92592

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

BUSINESS OWNER: Jeffrey Lee Reed
Carina Dawn Reed

TRUMPETS OF TIRZAH
31217 PAUBA RD, #201
TEMECULA, CA 92592

Business License Number: 056416

License Fee: \$4.00

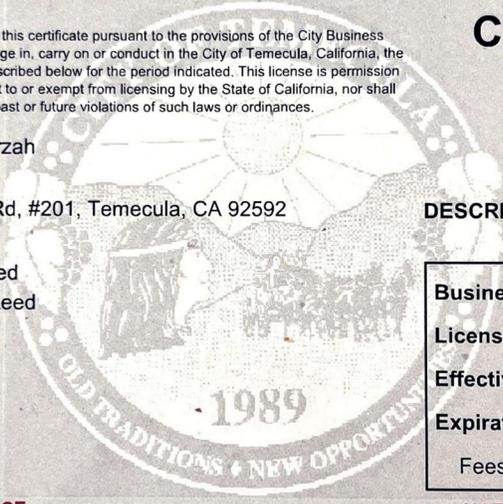
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VETERANS OF FOREIGN WAR
AUXILLIARY



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<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary

Year Organization Founded: *

1914

Website: *

<https://vfwauxiliary.org/>

Mailing Address: *

VFW Auxiliary
National Headquarters
406 W. 34th St., 10th Floor
Kansas City, MO 64111

Number of Paid Staff: *

8

Number of Volunteers: *

470,000

Contact Name: *

Mag'e Hernandez

Contact Title: *

President

Contact Email: *

[Redacted]

Contact Phone: *

[Redacted]

Alternate Contact Name:

Charlene Fink

Alternate Contact Email:

[Redacted]

Alternate Contact Phone:

[Redacted]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula and Murrieta

A current City of Temecula Business License may be required to submit prior to fund disbursement. *

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Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Vetsgiving

Start Date:*

2025-12-06

End Date:*

2025-12-06

Physical Address of Project/Program*

Temecula Valley VFW Post 4089, 28075 Diaz Rd, Temecula,
CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Temecula Valley VFW Post 4089 Auxiliary

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

10/01/1996

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

4039099

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

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Provide further verification as follows:*

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First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

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on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>



(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

Established in 1914, members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Auxiliary set out to serve the veterans of this country and our communities in honor of the sacrifices and commitment of every man and woman who has served in uniform. The VFW Auxiliary is one of the nation's oldest veterans' service organizations and our members are the relatives of those who served in a location of foreign conflict. Nearly 470,000 members in more than 3,500 Auxiliaries nationwide, plus three foreign-based Auxiliaries, volunteer millions of hours and fundraise millions of dollars for charitable projects that benefit veterans, military service personnel and their families.

Through our National Programs we assist the VFW to pass or block legislation that impacts veterans and their families, provide nearly a million volunteer hours in the VA medical system, conduct patriotic programs with thousands of students and offer hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarships for our nation's youth.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Vetsgiving

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

Vetsgiving aims to spread holiday cheer and bring joy to veteran, wounded, active-duty military families and those less fortunate in the Temecula community by providing toys and a meal during the holiday season. The VFW Auxiliary will provide an assortment of new toys for children of all ages and parents will be able to come shop for their children at our local Post . We will have gift wrapping stations set up as well as have snacks and refreshments available while they shop. We will also provide them with a turkey and all the trimmings to take home with them so they can also have a meal on the table.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

We will spend the money purchasing toys, gift wrapping materials and the take home meals (turkeys and the trimmings). The Auxiliary will provide the snacks and refreshments and the volunteers.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

This program will benefit Temecula's veteran, wounded, active military duty, and those less fortunate families that need a little help around the holidays. We expect to gift at least 20 local families in need.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

20

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

12

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS.*

Vetsgiving spreads holiday cheer to veterans, military families, and those in need in Temecula by providing toys, gift-wrapping, refreshments, and complete holiday meals. Grant funds will support purchasing toys, wrapping supplies, and turkeys with trimmings for families to enjoy at home.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$250.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any None | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* None | EXPENSES* \$0.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* None - we will host it at our Post | * \$0.00 |
| Supplies* Toys - \$3,950. Gift wrapping - \$50 | * \$4,000.00 |
| Services* None - it will be hosted with Auxiliary volunteers | * \$0.00 |
| Food* Turkey & Trimmings (\$50 x 20 families) | * \$1,000.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* None - the Auxiliary will market the event | * \$0.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$0.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$5,250.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$5,000.00 |

Compliance

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/paid invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 14, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by * Monday, September 14, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Mage Hernandez

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

VFW Post 4089 Auxiliary Jr Vice President

E-mail: *

[REDACTED]

Phone: *

[REDACTED]

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Mage Hernandez

Submission Date:

2025-09-15 10:37:40 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.



Entity Status Letter

Date: 9/15/2025

ESL ID: 8229493611

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 8062216

Entity Name: TEMECULA VALLEY AUXILIARY 4089 VFW OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 w.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

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VETERANS

SUPPLEMENTAL SUPPORT NETWORK



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

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CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Veteran's Supplemental Support Network

Year Organization Founded: *

2011

Website:

Mailing Address: *

23705 Kathryn St Murrieta, California 92562

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

150

Contact Name: *

MARCELLUS ANTONIO BENTON

Contact Title: *

Outreach Development Officer

Contact Email: *

mbenton@vetsupportnet.org

Contact Phone: *

4157798776

Alternate Contact Name:

Sue Kennedy

Alternate Contact Email:

skennedy@vetsupportnet.org

Alternate Contact Phone:

4157798776

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Temecula, Murrieta, Menifee, Wildomar

Business License No. *

054652

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

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Copy of Business License *

2025 License - Veterans Supplemental Support Network Temecula.pdf

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<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Daisy Link Kiosks

Start Date:*

2025-12-01

End Date:*

2026-10-01

Physical Address of Project/Program*

41593 Winchester Rd ste 200

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Veterans Supplemental Support Network

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

09/11/2013

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- State of California Entity Status Letter
 IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

3557670

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- First Page of most recent IRS Form 990
 Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

State Registry Search Tool:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

Details.pdf

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives:*

Veterans Supplemental Support Network (VSSN) is a nonprofit organization dedicated to ending and preventing suicide, homelessness, and hardship in the military and veteran community. We meet the mission by providing mental health care services and peer support navigation to wraparound services, which we have been implementing since 2015.

VSSN's goals and objectives are to:

Provide accessible mental and behavioral health services tailored to the unique needs of women veterans, disabled veterans, spouses, dependents, and their adult-aged children.

Deliver efficient peer navigation that links military-connected individuals to essential supports such as housing, healthcare, employment, food, and education.

Strengthen community collaboration by uniting providers, businesses, and civic leaders to create responsive, coordinated networks of care.

Apply data-driven approaches to identify service gaps and inform policy and program improvements at the city, county, and state levels.

Through initiatives such as the DaisyLink Kiosk, VSSN expands access by building on its established navigation system, offering an interactive, community-based resource hub that ensures no veteran or family member falls through the cracks.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|-------------|---------------------------------|--|
| STOMPING THE STIGMA VETERAN OUTREACH | \$10,000.00 | July 2023 | COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING REINVESTMENT IN TEMECULA GRANT PROGRAM |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: Daisy Link Kiosks

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

The Temecula Community Fund grant will support the deployment of two DaisyLink Kiosk Stations, an innovative, community-based solution designed to connect veterans, military families, and underserved residents in Temecula with essential resources. Each DaisyLink Kiosk is a digital, ADA-accessible, interactive hub that provides around-the-clock access to local services, including housing, mental and behavioral health care, employment, food assistance, and family support programs. This civic and resource connector has already been approved for expansion in the City of Murrieta and San Bernardino, and Temecula's participation will strengthen regional access and ensure continuity of support across neighboring communities.

The kiosks are designed with features that reduce barriers to care and encourage use:

Around-the-Clock Access Symbol: A blue "around-the-clock" axis signals consistent availability whenever the kiosks are open and in use.

Instant QR Connections: Residents receive a QR code linking them directly to the provider's platform or application, allowing them to carry resources on their phone.

Live Text Support: Users may opt in to text with a VSSN peer or care navigator, creating a direct bridge to personalized follow-up and coordination.

Confidential & Accessible: Each kiosk is ADA-compliant and stigma-free, helping residents feel safe when seeking help.

Community Insight & Privacy: Only limited, non-identifying data is collected—a resident's first name, connection to the military/veteran community, and type of resource requested. This safeguards privacy while allowing the City of Temecula to understand local needs (e.g., "veteran requesting mental health care" or "caregiver seeking respite services") and plan future initiatives.

These kiosks will be fully integrated into VSSN's existing peer navigation program, which already connects military and veteran households to a trusted network of local resources and partners. By linking kiosk requests to live peer navigators and established service providers, the project reduces risk and strengthens continuity of care for Temecula residents. Internship stipends for MSW and other graduate-

level students help support this work while reducing staffing liability; VSSN has no paid staff and instead leverages academic partnerships and volunteers to sustain operations

Together, the two kiosks are projected to serve at least 1,000 Temecula households annually, while generating anonymized data that helps the City and its partners identify gaps, coordinate with regional deployments in Murrieta and San Bernardino, and strengthen long-term community resilience.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

If awarded, the Temecula Community Fund grant will be used to deploy two DaisyLink Kiosk Stations in Temecula. These kiosks will provide accessible, confidential, and stigma-free connections to housing, healthcare, food, education, and crisis stabilization services for active duty service members, reservists, veterans, spouses, children, surviving spouses, and caregivers.

Grant funding will cover:

Two Kiosk Hardware Units (\$4,250): ADA-compliant, durable touchscreen kiosks designed for community access.

Software Setup & Management (\$350): Secure configuration of the DaisyLink platform with vetted local, state, and federal resources.

Software Maintenance (\$400): Annual updates to keep both kiosks reliable and resource listings current.

Budget Total: \$5,000

Additional costs for peer & care navigator support (\$600 per unit annually) and community outreach and training (\$1,725) will be covered by VSSN donor contributions and a secondary funding partner.

To strengthen trust and transparency, only minimal, non-identifying information is collected through kiosk use: a resident's first name, connection to the military or veteran community, and type of resource requested. This ensures privacy is protected while enabling the City of Temecula to better understand local needs (e.g., "veteran requesting mental health care" or "caregiver seeking respite services") and strategically plan for future initiatives.

This funding ensures that Temecula gains two fully deployed kiosks capable of serving at least 1,000 households annually, while also generating anonymized data to guide the City's future planning and investment in resident services.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

This grant ensures that Temecula residents—including active duty service members, reservists, veterans, spouses, children, surviving spouses, and caregivers—have direct, stigma-free access to essential services where they already live, work, and gather. By deploying two kiosks in high-traffic community hubs,

residents can quickly connect to resources such as housing, behavioral health, food, education, and crisis stabilization without the confusion of navigating multiple agencies.

Because the kiosks are tied directly to VSSN's peer navigation system, residents are assured their requests are answered not only with information but also with follow-up and real services from local partners. This structure is reinforced by graduate-level interns who receive stipends, reducing the need for traditional staffing and workers' compensation while expanding the community's access to well-trained navigators.

Together, the kiosks are expected to serve at least 1,000 Temecula households annually (500 per device), creating measurable improvements in stability and well-being. Each kiosk also serves as a civic connector—bringing city, county, state, and nonprofit services together in one accessible location. Instead of residents struggling to find help across multiple offices, the kiosks function as a single, trusted access point that makes public and community resources easier to use.

Beyond individual benefits, anonymized, non-identifying data collected through kiosk use will give the City of Temecula valuable insight into local needs. This information will help civic leaders and partner organizations plan more effectively, identify service gaps, and strengthen the overall accessibility of Temecula's resource network.

Community Story Example: Imagine a Temecula military spouse visiting the library with her children. She uses the kiosk to scan a QR code for a local food assistance program, then opts into a text with a VSSN peer navigator, who follows up the next day with counseling resources for her family. This simple, stigma-free interaction demonstrates how the kiosks reduce barriers for residents while also reinforcing Temecula's civic mission to make resources visible, connected, and accessible to all.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

1,000

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

9

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

The Temecula Community Fund grant will support two DaisyLink Kiosks, providing accessible, confidential, stigma-free connections to housing, healthcare, food, and education. Each kiosk serves at least 500 households annually and collects non-identifying data that pairs residents' backgrounds with needs, helping the City plan future initiatives while protecting privacy.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$600.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any Collective committed funding from donors and foundations (i.e Yellow Ribbon, Cookouts & Comradery, etc) | * \$3,450.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$2,400.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* Two kiosk hardware units (ADA-compliant, durable touchscreen kiosks) | EXPENSES* \$4,250.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* n/a | * \$0.00 |
| Supplies* Inkind donation from corporate partners (i.e. Regus, Walmart/Sam's Club, donors from Benevity) | * \$2,400.00 |
| Services* Volunteer training and orientation – \$600.00 Community outreach, education, collaboration, and training (covered by secondary funder) – \$3,450.00 | * \$4,050.00 |
| Food* N/A | * \$0.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* Software setup, management, and maintenance (two kiosks) | * \$750.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$45,760.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$11,450.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$11,450.00 |

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Name of Applicant Organization:*

Veteran's Supplemental Support Network

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name:*

Daisy Tate

President/Authorized Officer Title:*

Board Member

E-mail:*

dtate@vetsupportnet.org

Phone:*

4157798776

President/Authorized Officer Signature*



Submission Date:

2025-09-15 11:47:17 AM

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IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Marcellus Benton, Outreach Development Officer, Veterans Supplemental Support Network

Name, Title, & Organization

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Entity Status Letter

Date: 9/14/2025

ESL ID: 1384887681

Why You Received This Letter

According to our records, the following entity information is true and accurate as of the date of this letter.

Entity ID: 3557670

Entity Name: VETERANS SUPPLEMENTAL SUPPORT NETWORK

- 1. The entity is in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 2. The entity is **not** in good standing with the Franchise Tax Board.
- 3. The entity is currently exempt from tax under Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) Section 23701 d.
- 4. We do not have current information about the entity.
- 5. The entity was administratively dissolved/cancelled on _____ through the Franchise Tax Board Administrative Dissolution process.

Important Information

- This information does not necessarily reflect the entity's current legal or administrative status with any other agency of the state of California or other governmental agency or body.
- If the entity's powers, rights, and privileges were suspended or forfeited at any time in the past, or if the entity did business in California at a time when it was not qualified or not registered to do business in California, this information does not reflect the status or voidability of contracts made by the entity in California during the period the entity was suspended or forfeited (R&TC Sections 23304.1, 23304.5, 23305a, 23305.1).
- The entity certificate of revivor may have a time limitation or may limit the functions the revived entity can perform, or both (R&TC Section 23305b).

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Phone: 800-852-5711 from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, except state holidays
916-845-6500 from outside the United States

California

Relay Service: 711 or 800-735-2929 (For persons with hearing or speech impairments)

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

The person, firm or corporation named below is hereby granted this certificate (pursuant to the provisions of the City Business License Ordinances of the City of Temecula, California) to engage in, carry on or conduct, in the City of Temecula, California, the business, trade, calling, profession, exhibition or occupation described below for the period indicated. This license is permission only, and is issued without verification that the license is subject to or exempt from licensing by the State of California; nor shall such issuance be deemed a waiver of the City of Temecula of past or future violations of such laws or ordinances.

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Veterans Supplemental Support Network

BUSINESS LOCATION: 41593 Winchester Rd, 200, Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS OWNER: Dexter Jasper
Daisy Tate

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

Business License Number: 054652

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: November 13, 2024

Expiration Date: January 31, 2026

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

VETERANS SUPPLEMENTAL SUPPORT NETWORK
41593 WINCHESTER RD, 200
TEMECULA, CA 92590

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE

NOT TRANSFERABLE and NON-REFUNDABLE



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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Office of the Secretary of State
STATEMENT OF INFORMATION
CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
 (916) 657-5448

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File No.: BA20251469814

Date Filed: 7/15/2025

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|--|--|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | VETERANS SUPPLEMENTAL SUPPORT NETWORK | | |
| Entity No. | 3557670 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 41593 WINCHESTER RD 200 TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 23705 KATHRYN ST MURRIETA, CA 92562 | | |
| Attention | Daisy Tate | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| Constance Carlisle | 41593 Winchester Rd ste 200 Temecula, CA 92590 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| DAISY TATE | 41593 WINCHESTER RD STE 200 TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| Dexter Jasper | 41593 Winchester Rd ste 200 Temecula, CA 92590 | Secretary | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| Kevin Birkinsha | 41593 WINCHESTER RD 200 TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Other | Managing Member |
| Herman Noah | 41593 WINCHESTER RD STE 200 TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Chairperson of Board | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | DAISY TATE | | |
| Agent Address | 23705 KATHRYN ST MURRIETA, CA 92562 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Daisy Tate</i> | <i>07/15/2025</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |



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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | TEMECULA POST NO. 4089 VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES | | |
| Entity No. | 1245462 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 28075 DIAZ ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 28075 DIAZ RD TEMECULA, CA 92590 | | |
| Attention | Post Commander/Quartermaster | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| + JESUS R HERNANDEZ | 28075 DIAZ ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| + ROLANDO R MARTIN | 28075 DIAZ ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Secretary | |
| + Christina G Ross | 28075 DIAZ ROAD TEMECULA, CA 92590 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | ELYSE M BELTZ | | |
| Agent Address | 30777 LA RAY LANE MENIFEE, CA 92596 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <u>ELYSE BELTZ</u> | <u>12/17/2024</u> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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VOICES FOR CHILDREN



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Voices for Children

Year Organization Founded: *

1980

Website:

www.speakupnow.org

Mailing Address: *

P.O. Box 7219, Riverside, CA 92505

Number of Paid Staff: *

79

Number of Volunteers: *

1,294

Contact Name: *

Jessica Muñoz

Contact Title: *

President & CEO

Contact Email: *

JessicaM@speakupnow.org

Contact Phone: *

951-357-9100

Alternate Contact Name:

Rebecca Rader

Alternate Contact Email:

RebeccaR@speakupnow.org

Alternate Contact Phone:

[REDACTED]

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Riverside County and San Diego County

Business License No. *

055636

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License*

City of Temecula business license exp 1.26.pdf

96.71KB

<https://css.temeculaca.gov>

Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$2,500.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Volunteer Recruitment in Temecula

Start Date:*

2025-07-01

End Date:*

2026-06-30

Physical Address of Project/Program*

1 Ridgeway Drive, Ste. 120, Temecula, CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Voices for Children

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

12/01/1982

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- State of California Entity Status Letter
- IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

1155526

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEStatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

vfc Certificate of Status 8.6.25.pdf

292.74KB

IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

95-3786047

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

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Voices for Children IRS tax-exempt determination letter August 2024.pdf

611.59KB

Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

- First Page of most recent IRS Form 990
- Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

You might find IRS Form 990

on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

Attach First Page of Most Recent Form 990*

VOICES FOR CHILDREN 6.30.24 - 990 p. 1.pdf

212.42KB

(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

State Registry Search Tool:

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

[https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?
facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)

VFC AG General Status 8.7.25.pdf

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

The mission of Voices for Children (VFC) is to transform the lives of abused, abandoned, or neglected children by providing them with trained, volunteer Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASAs). This year, approximately 6,000 vulnerable children will spend time in Riverside County foster care. After experiencing physical abuse or neglect, children are removed from their home and families and feel isolated, scared, and apprehensive about the future. The constraints of the foster care system are not ideal to meet the complex needs of children. For example, Juvenile Court judges make critical decisions for hundreds of children in foster care each year—many more children than they can know individually. VFC matches children in need with CASA volunteers who will advocate on their behalf in court, school, and the community. In fiscal year (FY) 2025–26, VFC will provide more than 15 Temecula children and 750 children overall in Riverside County foster care with the consistent and caring attention of a CASA who will advocate on their behalf to ensure that their needs are met and their concerns and aspirations are heard before the Court. VFC has proudly served as the CASA program for Riverside County since 2015 and has served a growing number of children each year since our inception. In January 2023, VFC entered an agreement with the Pechanga Band of Indians under which we will now provide CASA volunteers to children under the jurisdiction of the Pechanga Tribal Court. Distance Advocacy Specialist: In Riverside County, we launched a Distance Advocacy Specialist program in 2024 to provide advocacy to children from Riverside County who are placed outside the county. This program has served 16 children since its inception. In 2024, VFC launched the Distance Advocacy Specialist program, which provides similar services as a CASA volunteer would but serves children placed outside of Riverside County for whom assigning a CASA volunteer is not feasible due to distance. This program serves 25–30 children annually.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*

Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|-------------|---------------------------------|--|
| Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program | \$10,138.00 | July 2025 | Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) |
| Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Program | \$7,474.00 | July 2024 | Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) |
| Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Volunteer Drive in Temecula | \$2,500.00 | January 2024 | City of Temecula Community Service Funding |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

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Project/Program Title: Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) Volunteer Recruitment in Temecula

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT.*

VFC respectfully requests \$2,500 to support CASA volunteer recruitment efforts in Temecula. Volunteers are the heart and soul of our program. Each year, we recruit and train at least 100 new community members to be matched with children in foster care; last year we trained a record 143 new CASA volunteers. Our capacity to serve more children in need depends on our ability to recruit new community members to volunteer to undergo training and serve as CASA volunteers to children in foster care. Although we have grown our number of volunteers every year since our inception, the number of Riverside County children in foster care has climbed sharply, up to 6,000 from 5,000 last year. Therefore, VFC is compelled to boost recruitment efforts as our funding allows. We believe Temecula is a good source for potential volunteers because Temecula is family-oriented and many community-minded residents of Temecula have already completed CASA training and been matched with children in foster care. Currently, 26 Temecula residents serve as active CASA volunteers. We hope to recruit more volunteers by exhibiting at multiple public events in Temecula to raise awareness of the CASA program and the need for additional volunteers.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED.*

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

This funding will enable VFC to pay for fees associated with exhibiting at several popular events in Temecula and other related event expenses. The events include some that we have attended in the past, such as the Temecula Valley Balloon & Wine Festival, the Temecula State of the City Address, and the Temecula Chamber of Commerce Women's Conference, as well as new opportunities in Temecula. VFC hopes that by attending these exciting, local events, that we will meet potential CASA volunteers and inform them about this demanding and rewarding volunteer experience.

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3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS.*

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

An investment in CASA volunteer recruitment in Temecula will benefit Temecula in many ways. First, our program produces tangible benefits for our selfless volunteers. CASA volunteers gain a profound sense of satisfaction for making a tangible difference in the lives of vulnerable children. By focusing on Temecula, we hope to increase the number of CASA volunteers from Temecula. Last year, 32 Temecula

residents served as CASA volunteers. The CASA program also directly benefits Temecula children in foster care. More than 40 percent of the children we serve are in the southwest portion of Riverside County. By ensuring access to beneficial educational, physical and mental health, family, and housing resources, CASA volunteers help their assigned children to heal from trauma, overcome obstacles, and pursue brighter futures. VFC will provide advocacy to at least 15 Temecula children in foster care this year. The more CASA volunteers we recruit, the more children from Temecula can benefit from having their own dedicated CASA volunteer. By setting children up for success in life, CASA volunteers also benefit the community at large. For example, children with CASA volunteers perform better at school than those without CASA volunteer. Greater academic attainment correlates with better employment opportunities and reduced risk of homelessness and incarceration, both of which are extremely costly to society. Moreover, children with CASA volunteers are more likely than those without to find permanent homes sooner, whether reunification with their birth parents, adoption, or guardianship—all of which are less costly to society than foster care. Finally, by participating in events in Temecula, VFC will contribute to the strength of the events, positioning them for future growth. This, in turns, supports businesses in Temecula as people from surrounding areas travel to attend events and bolsters Temecula's reputation as a desirable place to live and visit.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

47

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM: *

32

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Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$2,500.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$3,500.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$0.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* n/a | EXPENSES* \$0.00 |
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Name of Applicant Organization: *

Voices for Children

Requested Amount:

\$2,500.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Jessica Muñoz

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President & CEO

E-mail: *

JessicaM@speakupnow.org

Phone: *

951-357-9100

President/Authorized Officer Signature *

Jessica Muñoz

Submission Date:

2025-09-15 09:53:31 AM

Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

IF DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE, APPLICATION PREPARED BY:

Brian Hutchins, Grants Officer, Voices for Children

Name, Title, & Organization

If you have any questions, please contact: Betsy.Lowrey@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 693-3959 or Stacey.Brown@TemeculaCA.gov (951) 694-6413



Secretary of State Certificate of Status

I, SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D., California Secretary of State, hereby certify:

Entity Name: VOICES FOR CHILDREN
Entity No.: 1155526
Registration Date: 08/16/1982
Entity Type: Nonprofit Corporation - CA - Public Benefit
Formed In: CALIFORNIA
Status: Active

The above referenced entity is active on the Secretary of State's records and is authorized to exercise all its powers, rights and privileges in California.

This certificate relates to the status of the entity on the Secretary of State's records as of the date of this certificate and does not reflect documents that are pending review or other events that may impact status.

No information is available from this office regarding the financial condition, status of licenses, if any, business activities or practices of the entity.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of August 06, 2025.

SHIRLEY N. WEBER, PH.D.
Secretary of State

Certificate No.: 355168428

To verify the issuance of this Certificate, use the Certificate No. above with the Secretary of State Certification Verification Search available at bizfileOnline.sos.ca.gov.



Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service
Tax Exempt and Government Entities
PO Box 2508
Cincinnati, OH 45201

VOICES FOR CHILDREN
2851 MEADOW LARK DR
SAN DIEGO, CA 92123-2709

Date:
August 13, 2024
Employer ID number:
95-3786047
Form 990 required:
990
Person to contact:
Name: Jeffery Miller
ID number: 1001731108

Dear Sir or Madam:

We're responding to your request dated July 19, 2024, about your tax-exempt status.

We issued you a determination letter in December 1982, recognizing you as tax-exempt under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 501(c)(3).

We also show you're not a private foundation as defined under IRC Section 509(a) because you're described in IRC .

Donors can deduct contributions they make to you as provided in IRC Section 170. You're also qualified to receive tax-deductible bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts under IRC Sections 2055, 2106, and 2522.

In the heading, we indicated whether you must file an annual information return. If you're required to file a return, you must file one of the following by the 15th day of the 5th month after the end of your annual accounting period.

- Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
- Form 990-EZ, Short Form Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax
- Form 990-N, Electronic Notice (e-Postcard) for Tax-Exempt Organizations Not Required to File Form 990 or Form 990EZ
- Form 990-PF, Return of Private Foundation or Section 4947(a)(1) Trust Treated as Private Foundation

According to IRC Section 6033(j), if you don't file a required annual information return or notice for 3 consecutive years, we'll revoke your tax-exempt status on the due date of the 3rd required return or notice.

You can get IRS forms or publications you need from our website at www.irs.gov/forms-pubs or by calling 800-TAX-FORM (800-829-3676).

If you have questions, call 877-829-5500 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., local time, Monday through Friday (Alaska and Hawaii follow Pacific time).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Stephen A. Martin
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements

BUSINESS LICENSE CERTIFICATE

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CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS NAME: Voices for Children

BUSINESS LOCATION: 1 Ridgeway Dr, 120, Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS OWNER: James Scoffin

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

Business License Number: 055636

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: December 06, 2024

Expiration Date: January 31, 2026

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

VOICES FOR CHILDREN
9370 CHESAPEAKE DR., 210
SAN DIEGO, CA 92123

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE

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CA NONPROFIT CORPORATION

California Secretary of State
 1500 11th Street
 Sacramento, California 95814
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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | VOICES FOR CHILDREN | | |
| Entity No. | 1155526 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 2851 MEADOWLARK DR SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | 2851 MEADOWLARK DR SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | | |
| Attention | James Scoffin | | |
| Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) |
| | Katherine Nicoletti | 2851 MEADOWLARK DR SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | Secretary |
| | Jessica Munoz | 2851 MEADOWLARK DR SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | Chief Executive Officer |
| | James R Scoffin | 2851 Meadowlark Dr San Diego, CA 92123 | Chief Financial Officer |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| | Officer Name | Officer Address | Position |
| | None Entered | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | JAMES SCOFFIN | | |
| Agent Address | 2851 MEADOWLARK DR SAN DIEGO, CA 92123 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>James Scoffin</i> | <i>10/17/2024</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |

FY 25/26 Community Service Funding (CSF)
Grant Application

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WOMEN ORGANIZING WOMEN



Community Service Funding Application

Organization

<https://temeculaca.gov/grants>

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM YOU HAVE READ COMMUNITY SERVICE FUNDING GRANT PROGRAM POLICY (link above) *

Confirm

Applicant Organization Name: *

Women Organizing Women, Inc

Year Organization Founded: *

2013

Website:

www.womenorganizingwomeninc.org

Mailing Address: *

PO Box 294
Temecula, CA 92590

Number of Paid Staff: *

0

Number of Volunteers: *

24

Contact Name: *

Robin McCoy

Contact Title: *

President

Contact Email: *

Contact Phone: *

Alternate Contact Name:

Alternate Contact Email:

Alternate Contact Phone:

Does the nonprofit have a current City of Temecula Business License? *

Yes No

Geographic Area(s) the Organization Serves: *

Riverside County

Business License No.: *

054372

Geographic Area(s) the Project/Program Serves: *

Temecula

CSF GRANT MUST BE EXCLUSIVELY USED TO SERVE TEMECULA.

Copy of Business License*

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Project/Program

Amount Requested:*

\$5,000.00

MAX: \$5,000 PER ORG

Project/Program Title:*

The Lydia Project Vocational Training/Mobile Kitchen Social Enterprise

Start Date:*

2026-01-19

End Date:*

2026-05-15

Physical Address of Project/Program*

27570 Commerce Center Drive, Temecula, CA 92590

Preferred Payment Method:

(If grant is awarded.)

Check Mailed Check Picked Up

Electronic File Transfer

Make Check Payable to:*

Women Organizing Women, Inc

Nonprofit Status

Is the organization incorporated as a nonprofit?*

Yes No

Date of Incorporation:*

09/12/2012

IF NO, THEN INELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE CITY FUNDING

Provide nonprofit status verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

State of California Entity Status Letter

IRS Deductibility Status

State of California Entity ID:*

C3508295

To find CA Entity Status Letter,

click the link below:

https://www.ftb.ca.gov/help/business/entity-status-letter.asp?WT.mc_id=akBEStatus

Attach State of California Entity Status Letter:*

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IRS Employer Identification Number (EIN):*

46-22-36828

To find IRS Deductibility Status,

click the link below:

<https://apps.irs.gov/app/eos/>

Attach IRS Deductibility Status:*

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Provide further verification as follows:*

(one required, both preferred)

First Page of most recent IRS Form 990

Detailed info about your charity found on the State Registry Search Tool (link below)

You might find IRS Form 990

on the link below:

<https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y>

Attach First Page of Most Recent Form 990*

2024 990EZ.pdf

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(990, 990-EZ, 990-PF, 990-T)

State Registry Search Tool:

Attach State Registry Document/Info*

[https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?
facility=Y](https://rct.doj.ca.gov/Verification/Web/Search.aspx?facility=Y)

Registrant Details- wow.pdf

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Application Authorization

Has the organization or any members of the Board of Directors of the organization been involved with any personal business transactions valued over \$500 including any business transactions, negotiations, investments, or interests in real property with a Temecula City Council Member during the past 12 months? *

Yes No

Is a Temecula City Council Member a member of the Board of Directors or an Officer of the organization? *

Yes No

This Application has been authorized by the organization's: *

Executive Committee Board of Directors Members-at-Large

Mission Statement

Briefly describe the nonprofit organization's mission/goals and objectives: *

The Lydia Project empowers women and families through vocational training and mobile kitchen food outreach. Our mission is to equip women with culinary, entrepreneurial, and life skills that open doors to employment and small business opportunities. The mobile kitchen serves as both a training ground and a community outreach tool, providing nutritious meals to vulnerable populations while creating hands-on learning experiences. We aim to break cycles of poverty by fostering independence, leadership, and long-term stability. By partnering with local organizations, businesses, and faith-based groups, we expand opportunities and resources for those we serve. Ultimately, our goal is to transform lives through skills, support, and the hope of a better future.

UPON REQUEST, COPIES OF THE ORGANIZATION'S CURRENT BUDGET/FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (BALANCE STATEMENT AND INCOME STATEMENT), AND IF AVAILABLE CPA'S AUDIT, MAY BE NEEDED TO DEMONSTRATE SOUND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT. DO NOT SUBMIT NOW.

*
 Understand

Funding Sources

Within the past two years, has your organization received (or is concurrently requesting) any other sources of funding from the City of Temecula? *

Yes No

| NAME OF PROGRAM/PROJECT FUNDED BY THE CITY GRANT * OR SPONSORSHIP | AMOUNT: * | MONTH + YEAR FUNDING RECEIVED * | NAME OF CITY GRANT OR SPONSORSHIP |
|---|------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| The Lydia Project Mobile Kitchen/vocational training | \$5,000.00 | 02/01/2024 | Community Service Fund Grant |

Project/Program Description

RECEIPTS/INVOICES WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE CITY TO DEMONSTRATE THE ORGANIZATION USED GRANT FUNDING AWARDED BY THE CITY TO SUPPORT THE PROJECT/PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED HERE.

*

Understand

Project/Program Title: The Lydia Project Vocational Training/Mobile Kitchen Social Enterprise

1. DESCRIBE THE PROJECT/PROGRAM THE TEMECULA GRANT FUNDING WILL SUPPORT. *

The Community Service Fund grant will support the Lydia Project Vocational Training and Mobile Kitchen Food Outreach, a program that will directly serve Temecula residents. Through hands-on culinary and workforce training, local women will gain employable skills, industry certifications, and opportunities for self-sufficiency. The mobile kitchen also provides food outreach in Temecula neighborhoods, delivering hot meals and resources to families, seniors, and individuals facing food insecurity. Funding will underwrite program supplies, equipment, equipment lease, Insurance, and food costs specifically allocated to participants and residents within the City of Temecula. By investing in this program, the City ensures that residents benefit from both immediate food relief and long-term vocational empowerment, creating stronger families and a healthier community.

2. DESCRIBE HOW THE ORGANIZATION WILL SPEND THE GRANT FUNDING, IF AWARDED. *

ALSO, INCLUDE EQUIPMENT, SERVICES TO BE PURCHASED AND WHY.

If awarded, the \$5,000 grant from the City of Temecula will be used to directly support the Lydia Project's vocational training and mobile kitchen food outreach for Temecula residents. Funds will underwrite a portion of our lease agreement and kitchen rental, ensuring a safe and consistent space for food preparation and training. We will purchase food and kitchen supplies to support both hands-on culinary instruction and community food distribution. Funding will also cover classroom supplies for workshops, certifications, and entrepreneurial training for local women. In addition, grant dollars will help offset the fuel and truck maintenance costs necessary to operate the mobile kitchen, allowing us to reach underserved Temecula neighborhoods with nutritious meals and outreach services. These investments are essential for maintaining high-quality programming, equipping participants with job-ready skills, and ensuring reliable community food access.

3. EXPLAIN HOW THIS GRANT FUNDING SPECIFICALLY BENEFITS TEMECULA RESIDENTS. *

TEMECULA RESIDENTS MUST BENEFIT FROM THIS PROGRAM/PROJECT IF AWARDED CITY FUNDING.

The Lydia Project Vocational Training and Mobile Kitchen Food Outreach directly benefits Temecula residents by providing both immediate food relief and long-term vocational opportunities. Through our mobile kitchen, we bring hot, nutritious meals to neighborhoods, families, and individuals within Temecula who are experiencing food insecurity. At the same time, Temecula women enrolled in our culinary and entrepreneurial training program, gaining hands-on experience, industry certifications, and pathways to employment or small business ownership.

Grant funding ensures that these services remain accessible by covering lease, rental, food, supplies, and fuel costs that allow us to operate consistently in Temecula. This investment directly improves the quality of life for local residents by reducing hunger, creating job readiness opportunities, and fostering

community stability. Every dollar awarded will stay within the city to serve Temecula families, strengthen the local workforce, and build a healthier, more resilient community.

3b. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PEOPLE FROM TEMECULA EXPECTED TO BENEFIT FROM THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

350

3c. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF VOLUNTEERS INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT/PROGRAM:

12

4. SUMMARY STATEMENT – SUMMARIZE ANSWERS 1 – 3 ABOVE IN 50 WORDS OR LESS. *

The Lydia Project benefits Temecula residents by providing vocational training and mobile kitchen food outreach. Grant funding supports lease, supplies, and fuel costs to deliver meals to families in need while equipping local women with job-ready skills, certifications, and pathways to employment and self-sufficiency.

Project/Program Budget

LIST REVENUES/INCOME FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| Amount requested from this City of Temecula Community Services Grant <i>(refer to page 2)</i> | REVENUES* \$5,000.00 |
| Amount contributed to the Project/Program by the Applicant Organization | * \$7,850.00 |
| Other grants or funding already awarded for Project/Program, if any | * \$0.00 |
| In-Kind match amount or volunteer credit hours estimated amount | * \$3,600.00 |

LIST OF EXPENSES FOR PROJECT/PROGRAM

| | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| Tools/Equipment* Sheeter, grain miller, mixer | EXPENSES* \$2,000.00 |
| Facilities/Rent/Insurance* rent, kitchen leasing, equipment leasing, food truck commissary fees, insurance, | * \$5,539.40 |
| Supplies* aprons, spatulas, measuring cups and spoons, scales, | * \$3,000.00 |
| Services* Truck maintenance, fuel, permits, registration, | * \$1,910.60 |
| Food* protein products, baking products, fruits and vegetables | * \$3,000.00 |
| Other (i.e. Marketing, etc)* 2 months - newsletter, marketing, boosting social media, networking | * \$1,000.00 |
| Staffing Expense | * \$2,000.00 |
| TOTAL REVENUE: \$16,450.00 | TOTAL EXPENSES \$16,450.00 |

Compliance

If your organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in Fiscal Year 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, all grant funds received must be expended anytime on or between July 1, 2025, and June 30, 2026.

In addition, all grant funds must be substantiated with proper back-up documentation. Failure to provide proper documentation may jeopardize any future funding. City of Temecula reserves the right to conduct an audit and/or require additional back-up information to substantiate how funds received from the City were spent. If the funds are not spent in accordance with the approved purpose stated on the Application, the organization will be required to refund the amount of funds.

To substantiate that Fiscal Year 2025-2026 funds received from the City were spent appropriately, proper back-up documentation including the report (in the link below) with accompanying receipts/paid invoices, must be submitted to the City on or before due date: Monday, September 14, 2026.

[Compliance Expenditure Report Form](#)

I have read and understand the above policy that if this organization is awarded a Community Service Funding Grant in FY 2025-2026 by the City of Temecula, a compliance expenditure report is due by * Monday, September 14, 2026.

CHECK THE BOX TO CONFIRM

Confirm

Acknowledgement/Signature

The applicant acknowledges and agrees to the following:

- Recipient is subject to all Community Service Funding Program requirements including submittal deadlines and payment disbursements.
- Every Community Service Funding application is considered individually and on its own merit.
- Awards will be given to organizations and activities that directly benefit the residents of Temecula.
- Funding is not immediately available to the recipient, and requires an award letter signature upon approval. Please allow time for checks to be processed.
- The awarding of Community Service Funding does not constitute an automatic annual allocation.
- The recognition for Community Service Funding should accrue to the City of Temecula.
- Community Service Funding must be spent as specified on the Application and records may be requested by the City of Temecula to ensure the funds were used appropriately.
- Community Service Funding grants will not be awarded or announced within the 60 days before an election in which an awarding Council Member is on the ballot.
- The recipient shall provide a full accounting with documentation on the use of awarded funds. The recipient shall return to the City any funds not spent or documented per the signed agreement.
- If awarded a Community Service Funding Grant by the City of Temecula in a previous fiscal year, then compliance receipts must be submitted on or before this application's due date or this application may be rejected as incomplete.

I hereby certify the information contained in this Application is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Name of Applicant Organization: *

Women Organizing Women, Inc

Requested Amount:

\$5,000.00

President/Authorized Officer Name: *

Robin McCoy

President/Authorized Officer Title: *

President

E-mail: *

Phone: *

President/Authorized Officer Signature *



Submission Date:

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Please confirm that the President/Authorized Officer Signing this Application is an Officer Listed on the State of California Statement of Information form:

President/Officer Confirmation: *

Verified and Confirmed

Visit <https://bizfileonline.sos.ca.gov/search/business> to verify.

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: OCT 28 2012

WOMEN ORGANIZING WOMEN INC
41911 5TH ST STE 100
TEMECULA, CA 92590

Employer Identification Number:
46-2236828
DLN:
17053080304043
Contact Person:
DAVID AGUILERA ID# 75867
Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500
Accounting Period Ending:
December 31
Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(i)
Form 990 Required:
No
Effective Date of Exemption:
September 18, 2012
Contribution Deductibility:
Yes
Addendum Applies:
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Sincerely,



Director, Exempt Organizations

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

Letter 947 (DO/CG)

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BUSINESS NAME: Women Organizing Women, Inc.

BUSINESS LOCATION: 41765 Rider Way, Temecula, CA 92590

BUSINESS OWNER: Robin McCoy

WOMEN ORGANIZING WOMEN, INC.
PO BOX 1382
TEMECULA, CA 92593

CITY OF TEMECULA

Finance Department
41000 Main Street
Temecula, CA 92590

DESCRIPTION: Non-Profit Organization

Business License Number: 054372

License Fee: \$4.00

Effective Date: February 20, 2025

Expiration Date: January 31, 2026

Fees paid in accordance with City Ordinance

TO BE POSTED IN A CONSPICUOUS PLACE

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**State of California
Secretary of State**

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Statement of Information

(Domestic Nonprofit, Credit Union and Consumer Cooperative Corporations)

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of the State of California**

JUL-28 2014

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IMPORTANT – READ INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM**

1. CORPORATE NAME

WOMEN ORGANIZING WOMEN, INC.

2. CALIFORNIA CORPORATE NUMBER

C3508295

This Space for Filing Use Only

Complete Principal Office Address (Do not abbreviate the name of the city. Item 3 cannot be a P.O. Box.)

| | | | |
|---|------|-------|----------|
| 3. STREET ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL OFFICE IN CALIFORNIA, IF ANY | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE, WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | | |

| | | | |
|---|------|-------|----------|
| 4. MAILING ADDRESS OF THE CORPORATION | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| ROBIN MCCOY 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE, WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | | |

Names and Complete Addresses of the Following Officers (The corporation must list these three officers. A comparable title for the specific officer may be added; however, the preprinted titles on this form must not be altered.)

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---|------|-------|----------|
| 5. CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER/ | ADDRESS | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| ROBIN MCCOY | 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE, WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | | |

| | | | | |
|--------------|----------------------------------|------|-------|----------|
| 6. SECRETARY | ADDRESS | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| EMMA DONALD | 317 HAYES STREET, GARY, IN 46404 | | | |

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|------|-------|----------|
| 7. CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER/ | ADDRESS | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| DIANE LOMAX | 4525 VAN BUREN STREET, GARY, IN 46408 | | | |

Agent for Service of Process If the agent is an individual, the agent must reside in California and Item 9 must be completed with a California street address, a P.O. Box address is not acceptable. If the agent is another corporation, the agent must have on file with the California Secretary of State a certificate pursuant to California Corporations Code section 1505 and Item 9 must be left blank.

8. NAME OF AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS [Note: The person designated as the corporation's agent MUST have agreed to act in that capacity prior to the designation.]
ROBIN MCCOY

| | | | |
|---|------|-------|----------|
| 9. STREET ADDRESS OF AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS IN CALIFORNIA, IF AN INDIVIDUAL | CITY | STATE | ZIP CODE |
| 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE, WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | | |

Common Interest Developments

10. Check here if the corporation is an association formed to manage a common interest development under the Davis-Stirling Common Interest Development Act, (California Civil Code section 4000, et seq.) or under the Commercial and Industrial Common Interest Development Act, (California Civil Code section 6500, et seq.). The corporation must file a Statement by Common Interest Development Association (Form SI-CID) as required by California Civil Code sections 5405(a) and 6760(a). Please see instructions on the reverse side of this form.

11. THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

| | | | |
|------------|---|---------|-----------|
| 07/28/2014 | ROBIN MCCOY | FOUNDER | |
| DATE | TYPE/PRINT NAME OF PERSON COMPLETING FORM | TITLE | SIGNATURE |



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| Entity Details | | | |
| Corporation Name | WOMEN ORGANIZING WOMEN, INC. | | |
| Entity No. | 3508295 | | |
| Formed In | CALIFORNIA | | |
| Street Address of California Principal Office of Corporation | | | |
| Street Address of California Office | 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | |
| Mailing Address of Corporation | | | |
| Mailing Address | PO BOX 294 TEMECULA, CA 92593 | | |
| Attention | Robin McCoy | | |
| Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position(s) | |
| Cecily Smith | 120 EAST MARKET STREET 201 INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46204 | Secretary | |
| Pamela Key | 1249 CENTER ROSS ROAD CROWN POINT, IN 46307 | Chief Executive Officer | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ROBIN DENISE MCCOY | 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | Chief Financial Officer | |
| Additional Officers | | | |
| Officer Name | Officer Address | Position | Stated Position |
| None Entered | | | |
| Agent for Service of Process | | | |
| Agent Name | ROBIN MCCOY | | |
| Agent Address | 31976 GRANVILLE DRIVE WINCHESTER, CA 92596 | | |
| Email Notifications | | | |
| Opt-in Email Notifications | Yes, I opt-in to receive entity notifications via email. | | |
| Electronic Signature | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> By signing, I affirm that the information herein is true and correct and that I am authorized by California law to sign. | | | |
| <i>Robin McCoy</i> | <i>05/30/2025</i> | | |
| Signature | Date | | |