



News Release

Grants Available for Iredell County Nonprofits *Iredell County Community Foundation Now Accepting Applications*

February 19, 2018 – The Iredell County Community Foundation is currently accepting applications for its 2018 grant program from eligible Iredell County organizations including 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations, congregations, governmental and educational institutions.

Priority will be given to requests for projects and programs that address workforce development or literacy for children ages 5-10.

In 2018, the foundation will invest the majority of grant funding in projects and programs that address workforce development or literacy for children ages 5-10. Please note, for projects and programs that address literacy for children ages 5-10, the foundation will consider requests enabling the grantee to seek grant support from other funders.

To begin the application process, grant seekers are invited to visit the Online Grants Center at <https://fftcgrants.communityforce.com> and search for Iredell County Community Foundation to access the online application. Past applicants can login to the Online Grants Center using their previously established ID and password. First-time applicants can create a new account.

Completed applications must be submitted online **by noon on Friday, March 16, 2018**. The system closes promptly at 12:00 pm and will not accept late submissions.

An informative webinar on how to apply for grants through the Online Grants Center can be viewed at <http://www.fftc.org/communityforce-webinar>. Contact Katie Russell with further questions about the application process at 704.973.4559 or krussell@fftc.org.

About the Iredell County Community Foundation:

Established in 1989 as a permanent endowment, the Iredell County Community Foundation benefits a range of charitable purposes. As an affiliate of Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas, the Iredell County Community Foundation inspires philanthropy, increases charitable giving and strengthens the community.

The Foundation assists donors in making charitable contributions to the community, provides services for nonprofit organizations to create new or manage existing endowments and awards grants to local nonprofits. For more information please visit www.iredellcounty-cf.org.

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