



News Release

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

May 13, 2019 – The Lincoln County Community Foundation is currently accepting applications from eligible Lincoln County organizations including 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations, congregations, governmental and educational institutions for its 2019 grant cycle.

Grants will be awarded to benefit a broad range of charitable purposes. Most previous grant awards range from \$1,000 to \$2,000. The board has awarded one \$5,000 impact grant each of the last two years and is interested in increasing the number of impact grants approved this year, provided there are compelling proposals submitted. Proposals for the impact awards are encouraged to identify additional funding sources and partnerships with other organizations. Priority will be given to requests for projects and programs addressing food, children services, utilities, housing, and mental health. A listing of previously awarded grants can be found at lincolncounty-cf.org.

To begin the application process, grant seekers are invited to visit the Online Grants Center at fftcgrants.communityforce.com and search for Lincoln 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, June 7, 2019**. The system closes promptly at 12:00 pm and will not accept late submissions. Contact Katie Russell with further questions about the application process at 704.973.4559 or krussell@fftc.org.

About the Lincoln County Community Foundation:

Established in 2001 as a permanent endowment, the Lincoln County Community Foundation benefits a wide range of charitable purposes. As an affiliate of Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas, the Lincoln 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 lincolncounty-cf.org.