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News Release

Grants Available: Lancaster County Community Foundation Now Accepting Applications from Nonprofits

LANCASTER, S.C. – The Lancaster County Community Foundation is currently accepting applications for its 2025 grant program. Eligible applicants include 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations, congregations, and governmental or educational institutions.

The Foundation seeks effective programs and strategies that address community needs and will prioritize requests that focus on health (with a focus on mental health), food, agriculture and nutrition, youth development, and housing. While requests outside these areas will also be considered, preference will be given to those that align with specified priorities. Proposed projects or programs must serve residents of Lancaster County.

Award amounts will be determined based on the merits of the proposed project. Grants will be awarded from \$3,000 to \$5,000. Proposals for larger grant awards are encouraged to identify additional funding sources and partnerships with other organizations.

To begin the application process, visit fftcgrants.communityforce.com and select “Lancaster County Community Foundation” to access the online application. Returning applicant organizations can log in to the Online Grants Center using their previously established ID and password. First-time applicant organizations can create a new account.

Completed applications must be submitted by noon Friday, June 27, 2025. The online grant application closes promptly at 12:00 p.m. and will not accept late submissions. Please contact Nia Scarboro with further questions about the application process at 704.973.4504 or nscarboro@fftc.org.

About Lancaster County Community Foundation:

The Foundation is a permanent endowment established in 1988. The Lancaster County Community Foundation benefits a wide range of charitable purposes within the county. As an affiliate of Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas, the Lancaster Foundation inspires philanthropy, increases charitable giving and strengthens the community. For information about the Lancaster County Community Foundation visit lancastercounty-cf.org.

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