Join Us for an Introduction to Grant Writing Workshop

For nonprofits new to proposal writing or wanting a quick refresher, Bath Community Fund is offering a grant writing workshop on Aug. 22. Presenter Dave Holmes, Cleveland Lead at Candid Midwest (formerly the Foundation Center), will provide attendees an overview of how to write a standard project proposal to a foundation, including:

- The basic elements of a proposal
- The “do’s” and “don’ts” of writing and submitting a proposal
- How to follow up whether the answer is yes or no
- How to research grant opportunities using Foundation Directory Online

The information shared at this session will provide valuable insight for nonprofits applying for grants during Bath Community Fund’s fourth grant cycle this fall, as well as from other local and national funders.

The workshop will take place on Thursday, Aug. 22, from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the Trustees’ Meeting Room at the Bath Township Administration Building, located at 3864 W. Bath Road.

Attendance at the workshop is free, but registration is required. Secure a spot at www.akroncf.org/BathGrantWorkshop. For more information or questions, contact Delinda Herman at 330-436-5613 or dherman@akroncf.org.

About the Presenter

Dave Holmes, Cleveland Lead at Candid Midwest (formerly the Foundation Center), coordinates the training, reference, and research services for the Midwest region. He returned to Candid in 2015 from a position as Senior Consultant at Grants Plus, writing grants and providing research for a variety of large and small nonprofit clients. He holds a bachelor’s degree from the University of Pittsburgh, an MA from Villanova University, and an MLIS from Kent State University.

Upcoming Grant Deadline

Bath Community Fund’s fourth grant cycle opens Sept. 1, with online grant applications accepted through Oct. 1.

In recent years, the fund has supported organizations like Victory Gallop, Girls on the Run and Western Reserve Historical Society.

More information and access to the online grant application is available at: www.akroncf.org/ApplyBCF.

Grow our impact with the power of endowment

In three years of awarding grants, Bath Community Fund has gifted nearly $50,000 to local nonprofits that are making a difference and changing lives for Bath residents of all ages. By helping grow the endowment, you can ensure that many more of those pressing needs will be met for current and future generations of Bath residents. Learn more online at www.BathCommunityFund.org.

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