



Community Giving Grant Application

Overview

NorthCountry's grant program offers funding to non-profit organizations for **events, programs and projects** that provide individuals with the tools and opportunities they need to overcome challenges and become self-sufficient, contributing members of the community. Grant requests are carefully reviewed and discussed by our employee-run NorthCountry Cares Committee, Board of Directors and Branch Managers – depending on the particular request.

Funding Principles

Grant funding preference is given to programs or organizations in northern Vermont that address:

- Poverty, Homelessness, Hunger
- Health, Wellness, Disability, Elderly
- Youth, Education
- Animal Welfare
- Community, Arts, Culture, Social Responsibility

We are unable to provide funding for:

- Labor, political, advocacy, for-profit or religious organizations
- Individuals
- Organizations with missions that conflict with corporate guidelines
- Operating funds
- Travel expenses
- Private education
- Private day care centers

Grant Recipient Opportunities

In addition to grant funding, NorthCountry Federal Credit Union provides reciprocal promotion through social media and press, and appreciates any corresponding promotion. See application for detail.

Grant Application



Date:

Non-profit organization name :

Vermont Tax Exempt ID Number:

Address:

Contact name, phone number, and email:

Amount requested: \$

Date funds needed:

We request completed applications at least 60 days prior to funding need.

Description of the project/program/event to be funded:*

Simple program or project budget including major revenue and expense categories:*

***Attach additional information as needed.**

Description of benefits and beneficiaries: How many local people will this request serve? How many are considered at-risk or underserved? Who will benefit in the community? What geographic areas will be served? How will it help our neighbors? Attach additional information as needed.

**Describe how NorthCountry support will be recognized or acknowledged:
(Please circle each item which applies)**

Social media support (specify)

Banner

Program ad

Mention from stage or PA system

Opportunity to hand out a promotional item

Logo on clothing

Website acknowledgement

Logo in print ads

Name in radio ads

Logo or name in digital advertising campaigns

Logo on television ads or PSAs

Named in media releases

Other:

Are there opportunities for NorthCountry employees to volunteer? Please describe.

If your organization has an annual report or other helpful information, please include it with your application. Completed applications can be dropped off at your local branch of NorthCountry Federal Credit Union or mailed to: NorthCountry Cares Committee, NorthCountry Federal Credit Union, PO Box 64709, Burlington VT 05406.

Questions? Contact Brian Jaffarian at 802-264-6774 or email – bjaffarian@northcountry.org

Please allow at least 60 days for your application to be considered.