



SHAW HARBOR FOUNDATION

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NEW YORK COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

2020 Grant Application

Introduction — John S. McNeely established the Shaw Harbor Foundation in 2017 to support and enhance the community where he and his family chose to grow a once small business into a thriving international firm. Each fall, tri-county nonprofit organizations will have an opportunity to seek grant support from the Shaw Harbor Foundation through an application process the Northern New York Community Foundation will facilitate. Grants will support investments in quality of life and endeavors that strive to make life better for all.

Targeted Population — Jefferson, Lewis and St. Lawrence counties with special consideration given to Jefferson County towns of Adams, Ellisburg, Henderson, Lorraine, Rodman, Worth, and Hounsfield.

General Eligibility and Purposes — Nonprofit organizations eligible for funding must have confirmed 501(c)(3) classification through the Internal Revenue Service. Organization that do not have this classification may partner with an eligible nonprofit organization, municipality, or entity to serve as a fiscal sponsor. Agencies seeking funding through this opportunity must confirm partnership with an eligible nonprofit organization or fiscal sponsor at the time a grant proposal is submitted. Please contact the Community Foundation for further assistance, if needed.

Focus Areas -

- 1. Arts and Culture Activities**
- 2. Historical Activities/Projects**
- 3. LGBTQ Services/Programs**
- 4. General Quality of Life Activities/Projects**
- 5. Other**

Projects will have a maximum of a one year time period to finish the work.

Grant Funding Available — Up to \$10,000 is available in 2020. Please note that multiple projects may receive full or partial support.

Application Process — Please complete this application and attach any supporting documents to help complete a thorough application.

Deadline — Grant proposals must be received or postmarked to the Northern New York Community Foundation by no later than **Friday, November 13, 2020**. No requests will be considered beyond this date.

Grant Award and Review — All applicants will be notified by the Northern New York Community Foundation of the status of their grant by the end of **December 2020**.

Grant Report — It is a requirement that grant recipients submit a grant report provided by the Northern New York Community Foundation by the completion of your project. An incomplete report may affect future funding requests.

How to Submit a Proposal — Please send completed grant proposals to the Northern New York Community Foundation, Attn: Kraig Everard, 131 Washington St., Watertown, NY 13601. Proposals may also be submitted via email to kraig@nnycf.org.

Questions/Clarification — Please contact the Northern New York Community Foundation at 315-782-7110, or via email at kraig@nnycf.org.