



EPISCOPAL
BISHOP *of* OREGON
FOUNDATION

11800 SW Military Lane
Portland, Oregon 97219

Foundation Mission Statement

"The mission of the Episcopal Bishop of Oregon foundation is to support the creation and development of healthy diocesan institutions, vital congregations and affiliated organizations in the Diocese of Oregon. We accomplish this by partnering financially with diocesan institutions, congregations, affiliated organizations in their efforts to create and develop faithful communities and organizations full of joyful leaders, formed in Christ offering sacramental hospitality with a clear mission in the world."

Foundation Vision Statement

"Creating vital structures moving toward the reign of God."

Episcopal Bishop of Oregon Foundation Grant Proposal

Organization Name: CHURCH OF THE RESURRECTION

Address: 3925 HILYARD ST. EUGENE, OR. 97405

Telephone number: 541.686.8462

Website: WWW.RESURRECTIONEUGENE.ORG/SERVING-GODS-WORLD/HOME-STARTER-KITS
-A-BRIEF-HISTORY/

Mission Statement of the project (Please be brief):

TO PROVIDE BASIC KITCHEN, BEDROOM AND BATH GOODS TO
INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES TRANSITIONING OUT OF SUBSTANCE
ABUSE TREATMENT, HOMELESSNESS, ABUSIVE SPOUSE RELATIONSHIPS,
MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS AND PRISON.

Describe the types of services rendered by this agency (Please be brief): THE CHURCH OF
THE RESURRECTION EXISTS TO SPREAD GOD'S LOVE INTO THE
WORLD THROUGH TEACHING AND ACTION CONSISTENT WITH
THE TRADITIONS OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Project name/Description (Please be brief): HOME STARTER KIT PROGRAM:
KITS PROVIDE BASIC HOME ESSENTIALS TO UNDERSERVED AND
VULNERABLE INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES TRANSITIONING INTO NEW
HOUSES AFTER TRAUMATIC EXPERIENCES AND SETBACKS.

Dollar Amount requested: \$75,000 (3 YR PROGRAM)

Total operating budget: \$38,000 P/YR (#3 YR PROGRAM = \$114,000)

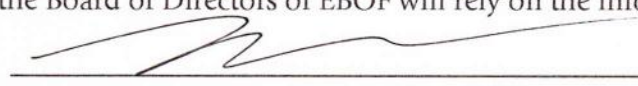
Contact person: REV. DR. BRENT WAS

Title: RECTOR

Phone number: 541.686.8462

Email: FRBRENT@RESURRECTIONEUGENE.ORG

The undersigned represents that s/he is authorized to make the representations contained in this application and intends that the Board of Directors of EBOF will rely on the information contained herein.

Signature: 

Project Director (if different than contact person): GERRY CLARK
Address: 3925 HILYARD ST. EUGENE, OR 97405
Phone number: 541.686.8462
Email: GIRALDUSCLARK@GMAIL.COM

Have you received an Episcopal Bishop of Oregon Foundation grant in the past? And, if so please describe. YES, "HOSPITALITY VILLAGE" OF TINY HOUSES FOR HOMELESS (2017)

EBOF Grant applications sources and allocation of Funds attachment

Committed funding from the requesting organization \$2,500 BUDGET EA. YEAR + \$2,500
Grants and other funding in Progress \$1,000 LIONS CLUB GRANT CHRISTMAS FUND IN 2018
Other sources: \$600 EA. YEAR - ST. VINC. DE PAUL
IN-KIND DONATIONS FROM COMMUNITY

Episcopal Bishop of Oregon Foundation Grant proposal narrative

Please attach your narrative response as a separate document. Please limit your narrative to 500 words. Do not include any other attachments.

- Explain how the requested funds will be used and how this program advances the Dioceses of Oregon ministry.
- Explain whether this is a new project, an expansion of an existing project, or the continuation of an existing project.
- What are the specific objectives of the proposed project and the general strategies to accomplish them? (Please include, if appropriate, examples where your proposed activity, project or idea is already being successfully implemented by others.)
- How is success or accomplishment of the proposed project's objectives measured and monitored?
- What happens to the proposed project if EBOF funds are not available?
- How will this program be funded in the future?

Submission Instructions:

Completed materials should be submitted to Marie Bagwell, Executive Assistant to the Bishop. You may send them by email to marieb@diocese-oregon.org or mail them to her at: Diocese of Oregon, 11800 SW Military Lane, Portland, OR 97219.

Episcopal Bishop of Oregon Foundation Grant Narrative

The Home Starter Kit program is an all-volunteer ministry led by the Episcopal Church of the Resurrection, in partnership with other local churches and social service agencies in the Eugene/Springfield area. We provide basic kitchen, bedroom and bath goods to individuals and families transitioning out of substance abuse treatment, homelessness, abusive spouse relationships, mental health programs and prison. This grant funding will help us restart this desperately needed service.

The program strongly supports the four Strategic Directions outlined in the Diocesan Mission Plan, including: Congregational Life, Diocesan Mission, Leadership Development and Gospel Justice. The kits provide dignity and love to diverse, underserved and vulnerable individuals and families transitioning into new homes after traumatic experiences and setbacks. It gives them some sense of normalcy and respect as they begin their first step back into permanent housing. Ministry volunteers are also strengthened through this program by developing deeper connections with fellow human beings during a tremendous time of need in their lives. The program provides local mission work that allows our congregation to live out our identity as faithful witnesses to God's love.

Being consistent with the Baptismal Covenant is an important part of this ministry. One important statement in the Baptismal Covenant asks, "Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?" The program serves Christ in all persons through providing basic home supplies to help lift vulnerable people into permanent, safe housing. Christ's love to the world is shown to those in need by the caring and love provided in each individual kit. Evidence of vitality is readily demonstrated by volunteers' time and energy given over the 25-year history of the program.

The program has a proven track record that addresses needs effectively and efficiently. This ministry began in 1993 and has experienced tremendous growth. All funding we receive goes directly to the kit contents. Staffing is provided in full through volunteer hours. We receive kit requests from our partner social service agencies such as Laurel Hill and Shelter Care. In 2016, we filled 352 kit requests, serving 466 adults and 350 children!

We have formed a core team of volunteers who have a passion to serve this ministry and have developed a Sustainability Plan which includes dedicated fundraising efforts each year. Our church allots \$2,500 annually, members provide in-kind items throughout the year, and we receive gift cards monthly from St. Vincent De Paul for some materials. Our goal is to achieve a sustainable fundraising program, and we have developed a Sustainability Plan and Performance Measures to guide us to our goal. Lastly, our Communications Plan also shows how we will share our successes and failures with others who may wish to join this ministry. Sharing these plans on our project website also provides transparency and equity to our current and future donors. Each of these plans can be found on our project website:

<https://resurrectioneugene.org/serving-gods-world/home-starter-kits-a-brief-history/> Lastly, Church of the Resurrection is current with the DPA.