

Vital Pathways' Community Project Mini-Grant Application – 2021

Vital Pathways is pleased to be offering a Community Mini-Grant

Timeline

Request for Proposals released: April 1, 2021

Deadline for Proposals: May 10, 2021

Review of Proposals: May 17, 2021

Announcement of recipients: May 24, 2021

Final Reports Due: May 24, 2022

Grant Program Description

Vital Pathways, a 501(C)3 organization established in 1994 whose purpose is to improve quality of life in our communities, will be awarding a Community Project Mini Grant with a maximum award of up to \$500. The grant may be divided into multiple awards based on proposals received. Below is the request for proposal guidelines.

Grant Eligible

Municipal governments and organizations within the following towns are eligible to apply: Amity, Cary Plantation, Hammond Plantation, Hodgdon, Houlton, Houlton Band of Maliseet, Linneus, Ludlow, Monticello, Littleton, Orient, Haynesville, and New Limerick.

Criteria

Mini-Grant proposals must promote the interest of your Community and will be judged by the following criteria:

- Projects funded by mini-grants must address a need in the community that promotes safety, health, and wellness in the community.
- Great consideration will be given to the quality and completeness of the grant's application.

Application Guidelines

A typed explanation of your project, not to exceed one-page addressing each of the items listed.

- Clearly explain your proposed project.
- Provide the contact information for the individual responsible for the project implementation. (name, mailing address, telephone, email address)
- Explain any additional support for this project and how this project will be sustainable.
- Include a budget detailing the funding requested. Clearly state the funding amount requested up to \$500. Funds must be spent by May 22, 2022 along with a final report due to Vital Pathways by that date.
- All funded projects must provide a final written report (min. 2 paragraphs, max. 1 page) describing the results of the community mini grant. If possible, please submit photos of the project.
- Grant recipients must agree to allow project photos to be used in the local newspaper articles, website & future Vital Pathways presentations.
- The applicant must be compliant with all local, state, and federal regulations associated with the project.

Application Submission Information

Please submit completed applications to:

Vital Pathways

PO Box 1437

Houlton, ME 04730

For more Information, email us at vitalpathways94@gmail.com

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Applications should be mailed to Vital Pathways, PO Box 1437 Houlton, ME 04730. For further information email Vital Pathways Chairperson, Joe Fagnant at vitalpathways94@gmail.com.