



The Thomas C. and Sandra S. Sullivan Foundation Grant Making Guidelines

Mission:	Assist and/or provide educational opportunities to those persons who would otherwise not be able to provide such opportunities to themselves, and provide aid to the poor and needy, primarily in greater Cleveland.
Focus Areas:	Catholic and other nonprofit organizations in greater Cleveland and those areas where Sullivan family members reside.
Types of Grants:	The Foundation provides operating, capital, and program support to organizations that serve the poor and needy. The goal is to fund programs with a record of success in making a profound improvement in the lives of disadvantaged members of our community.
Sample Projects:	<p>Humility of Mary Housing, to increase support services for homeless young men with a history of incarceration.</p> <p>Effective Leadership Academy, providing funding for low-income and at-risk students to attend the academy, building goal-setting, team-building and leadership skills.</p> <p>Fill This House, providing household necessities for Cuyahoga County newly emancipated youth “aging out” of foster care.</p>
Eligibility:	Social service agencies and nonprofit organizations in Cuyahoga county.
Award:	The range for grant awards is \$1,000-\$25,000. The average grant in 2021 was \$9,000.00
Deadline:	July 15. Please include your organization’s most recent audited financial reports or review (dated no more than three years ago) by an outside accounting firm.
Electronic Proposals:	<p>Electronic proposals are encouraged. Please email to mozimek@catholiccommunity.org as one pdf document in the following order:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grant application Section One through Project Evaluation Chart • Total Organization Budget with YTD Column • Program Request Budget • Statement of Revenue and Expenses • Board of Directors • Optional cover letter <p>Submit these items as two separate pdf’s</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tax ID Letter • Annual Report <p>You may also mail to</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The Thomas C. and Sandra S. Sullivan Foundation c/o The Catholic Community Foundation 1404 E. Ninth Street, 8th Floor Cleveland, OH 44114</p>
Questions:	Please direct to Mary Lou Ozimek at (216) 696-6252 x 4070 or mozimek@catholiccommunity.org .