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Monterey Bay Blues Festival

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Grant Application 2010

Application must be received by January 31, 2010
(There will be no exceptions to this deadline.)

Thank you for your interest in applying for a grant from the Monterey Bay Blues Festival. The following will assist you in preparing your application. *Please* follow directions carefully and submit your application on or before the deadline,
January 31, 2010

Purpose: **The purpose of the MBBF Grant is to encourage, promote and support youth in the study and performance of music with an emphasis in the rich American art form of the Blues.**

Eligibility:

- Non-profit groups/institutions promoting youth and music, such as bands or orchestras; activities for youth that educate them and promote the arts. Schools and organizations submitting a grant application will be limited to one application per group/institution. **Organizations requesting grants for scholarships are not eligible for grant consideration.** Students pursuing scholarships through those organizations can be referred to MBBF for consideration.
- In the event non-profit organizations are selected for a grant from MBBF, those organizations must recognize MBBF funding in their program/ publicity/presentations. Please send a copy of the Blues Festival Grant Committee.
- Family members or officials of MBBF, employees or volunteers of MBBF are eligible to apply, but officials may not participate in the selection process.

Application:

- Application should be typed or written clearly in ink.
- If the application is not complete when submitted, it will not be considered.
- It is the responsibility of the applicant to make sure the three letters of recommendations are received by MBBF within the timeline.
- All applications become the property of MBBF and will not be returned.

Notification: - Applicants will be notified by mail no later than April 30, 2010.

Awards: - Before receiving monetary awards, applicants must show proof of matching funds for their stated project.



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1. Name of Organization _____

2. Name of person applying for organization _____

3. Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

Email _____

4. Purpose of Request (Be Specific) _____

5. Indicate when and how applicant will determine or verify if goal is accomplished: _____

6. Briefly state the most recent activities/services in which applicant organization has participated that are relevant to your stated goal(s).

7. Indicate the total cost for the stated project: \$ _____

8. Indicate the amount requested from MBBF: \$ _____

9. Indicate other financial efforts you have coordinated or made that are directed towards the stated goal:

10. Has this organization been funded by MBBF in the past? Yes No (circle one)

11. If the answer is "Yes" to #10, how many times in the last five years? _____

12. If funded last year, did you meet your project goal? Yes No (circle one)

 If yes, how. If no, why not?

To Complete This Application

1. Please attach a copy of your current non-profit identification document with this application.
2. Submit **THREE** letters of reference or recommendation from persons who you believe understand your purpose and goal. Attach or have the letters sent to the official MBBF address by the deadline. It is the applicant's responsibility to confirm that letters have been received within the application timeline.

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