The Community Foundation for Ireland - Older Persons'

Grant

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Status: Grant Range:Funding Source:OpenUp to €1,000FoundationUp to €5,000Up to €5,000

Cash Type: Revenue

The Older Persons' Fund is a long term philanthropic fund which promotes the civic engagement of older people, as a means of working towards making a difference in their communities.

The Older Persons' Fund at The Community Foundation for Ireland is now open for applications! All applications are online and the closing date is 4.30 p.m. Thursday 12 April 2018.

Please read the criteria document carefully for the relevant category you are applying for. This year we have the following two categories that you may apply for a grant under:

- A. Inclusion of older people in active citizenship roles-
- B. Supporting older peoples' voices at local & national level

Grants of up to €7,500 are available to organisations working towards inclusion of older people in active citizenship roles.

Grants will support community based and national activities that promote older people as active citizens and build older people's capacity and potential to take on roles in their community. Social trips, parties or other primarily social activities will not be funded.

Criteria

Applicants must show that service users/beneficiaries are involved or have been consulted in project planning where appropriate. Applicants must be prepared to evaluate and learn from their work as well as share project learning and outcomes and participate in two Learning Networks of Grantees. When applying online you will be asked to demonstrate the following:

- How does your project fit with the Fund's objectives in this particular category?
- Are there opportunities for collaboration?
- Demonstrate your organisation's capacity for the undertaking
- Provide a clear and realistic budget for the proposal
- Provide a timeline for the work.

How to Apply - Important Dates

Explanation of deadline	Reason	<u>Date</u>
Deadline for applications	Closing (temporarily)	12 Apr 2018
Deadline for applications @ 4.30pm	Closing (temporarily)	23 Mar 2017
Deadline for applications @ 4.30pm	Closing (temporarily)	16 Sep 2016

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