

## **Board of Advisors Grants Committee**

### ***Purpose:***

The grants committee is responsible for assisting staff in reviewing proposals from nonprofit organizations and recommending grants in accordance with the Foundation's mission and guidelines.

### ***Membership:***

The committee shall be comprised of not less than three members and no more than seven members of the Board of Advisors. The committee can include non-board members whose expertise will help to improve our grantmaking.

### ***General Responsibilities:***

- Objectively review applications for competitive grants and ensure fairness and transparency in making grants from unrestricted and field-of-interest funds
- Develop and expand relationships with current and potential grantees
- Publicize the availability of grants and promote the Foundation's programmatic interests and involvement in the community
- Plan donor tours, site visits, etc. to educate donors and potential donors of critical issues in our community
- Assess the effectiveness of grants made by Foundation