Jackson County Community Foundation accepting grant applications

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The board of advisors of the Jackson County Community Foundation is currently accepting grant applications for programs funded from its community grantmaking fund, according to Ken Torok, board president.

Funds are available for nonprofit organizations that serve general charitable needs in Jackson County. Priority will be given to grant applications dealing with food, health, education and youth. Grants typically range from $1,500 - $2,500, but as the total grantmaking amount is larger this year, applicants should feel free to ask for larger amounts outside the typical grant range. Total grantmaking will not exceed $18,000 this year.

Applications are available online beginning July 6. Visit nccommunityfoundation.org for information about applying. The deadline for submitting applications is noon August 7.

For further information, contact NCCF Regional Director Katie Crumpler at 828-538-4299 or kcrumpler@nccommunityfoundation.org or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the Jackson County Community Foundation

The Jackson County Community Foundation is a growing family of philanthropic funds, resource for area nonprofits, source of grants for worthy local causes and partner for donors. JCCF is led by a local volunteer advisory board that helps build community assets through the creation of permanent endowments, makes grants and leverages leadership – all for the benefit of Jackson County. Whatever your means or charitable goals, the JCCF makes it easy to become a philanthropist. JCCF was founded in 1992 and is an affiliate foundation of the North Carolina Community Foundation. In addition to Torok, board members include: Beth Lofquist (vice
president and secretary), Ray Barber, Earl Black, Tommy Chisholm, Lynette Ginn, Paxton Meyers, Linda Outlaw, Joseph Pechmann, Damon Sink and Norman West.

Tax-deductible contributions, made payable to the Jackson County Community Foundation, can be mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, 3737 Glenwood Ave. Suite 460, Raleigh, NC 27612. Contributions can also be made online at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has administered more than $130 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With nearly $247 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with a network of affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance across the state. An important component of NCCF’s mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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