Spartanburg’s Joint Funders

CHAPMAN CULTURAL CENTER
www.chapmanculturalcenter.org

FOCUS AREAS
Grants are available to artists, cultural organizations, and other nonprofits and government agencies for a variety of arts and cultural projects, artistic professional development, general operating support, and ongoing programs.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
✓ General operating support, programs and services.
Grants range from $250 to $95,000. Average annual giving is $600,000.
✗ We do not fund artists under 18, or outside of Spartanburg County.

MARY BLACK FOUNDATION
www.maryblackfoundation.org

FOCUS AREAS
Early Childhood Development (ECD), Healthy Eating & Active Living (HEAL) and Community Health Fund (CHF).

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
✓ ECD and HEAL grants have no minimum or maximum request limit. CHF grants not to exceed $40,000.
Average annual giving is $2.3 million.
✗ Activities that are discriminatory, direct grants or scholarships to individuals, grants that further political or religious activities, research, transportation, duplication of hospital services, projects that will be complete before funding begins, endowment or reserve funds, and fundraising events.

SPARTANBURG REGIONAL FOUNDATION
www.regionalfoundation.com

FOCUS AREAS
Priority given to projects that increase access to healthcare in Cherokee, Spartanburg and Union counties. Priorities may change from year to year.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
✓ Community grants have no minimum, with a maximum of $20,000. Hospital grants have no minimum or maximum.
Average annual giving is $600,000.
✗ Endowments, operating support, loans, fundraising events, retroactive expenses/activities, vehicles, schools, grants to individuals.

UNITED WAY OF THE PIEDMONT
www.uwpiedmont.org

FOCUS AREAS
Education, Economic Mobility, and Health.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
✓ General operating support for programs aligned with our Community Impact Agenda. All grants are multi-year funding (3 years).
Minimum grant award is $15,000 in Spartanburg County. Average annual giving is $1.4 million in Spartanburg County.
✗ Unsolicited requests

SPARTANBURG COUNTY FOUNDATION
www.spcf.org

FOCUS AREAS
Quality of Life, Educational Achievement, Economic Mobility, and Nonprofit Effectiveness

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES
✓ 501(c)3 and/or tax-exempt organizations serving Spartanburg County and providing data-driven responses to community needs.
Average Grant is $10,000-$20,000
Average annual giving is $14 million
$700,000 from The Spartanburg County Foundation Community Impact Fund and Trustee Initiated Funds;
$13.3 million from Component Funds, Donor Advised Funds, and Supporting Organizations
✗ Recurring requests for the same purpose for which a Foundation grant has been previously awarded, lobbying or political activities, individual projects, organizations that require membership in certain religions, debt reductions, deficits, retroactive expenses, or unsolicited requests.