



## 2024 ECF Grantmaking Guidelines

### Florida Space Coast Chapter

The Employees Community Fund of Boeing Florida Space Coast (ECF) is a charitable giving program that is wholly employee owned and managed. The ECF through the awarding of financial grants builds better communities and makes a positive impact in the Space Coast area where our employees live and work.

ECF makes grants to local 501(c)3 Health & Human Service nonprofits, such as food banks, job- training programs, shelters, transitional housing, mental health services, low-income medical clinics, youth programs and so much more.

We fund equipment, renovations and capital assets purchases that positively impact the children, families and individuals who seek assistance and support from your nonprofit. The ECF Chapter Grantmaking Committee looks for the “direct client benefit” of each grant to ensure that our employees’ contributions directly help those in need.

The Florida Space Coast Chapter of the ECF is managed by a Chapter Grantmaking Committee (CGC) of



- x Purchase or construction of new buildings.
- x Computers for direct



## Organization eligibility

- x Only organizations that are in good financial standing and have had an Internal Revenue Service designation as a nonprofit 501(c)(3) public charity (or similar designation under the relevant law for international organizations) for at least two years will be eligible to apply for a grant.
- x Certain types of organizations will be ineligible to apply for grants including: (1) organizations that denigrate or advocate discrimination or violence toward any racial, ethnic or cultural group; (2) political organizations; and (3) fraternal, sectarian, social, religious, or similar organizations.
- x Grant recipients will comply with all applicable laws and regulations of the United States and, where necessary, the nation of registry and/or operations, including, but not limited to, the U.S. Foreign Corrupt Practices Act, the USA Patriot Act, and the U.K. Bribery Act.
- x The agency's services must be open to all regardless of age, gender, race, religion, sexual orientation, national origin, and presence of disability, ability to pay or other background. Prioritizing agency services and targeting therapeutic programs to specific populations will not disqualify an agency from consideration. Furthermore, the agency must not discriminate against its staff or volunteers based on age, gender, race, religion, sexual orientation or identity, national origin, and presence of disability, or other background.

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All applicants will be required to complete an electronic application that includes a grant proposal and a written agreement setting forth the terms of the grant. The application requires disclosure of the mission statement, the governing board members and their affiliations, the top five highest paid staff members, a breakdown of funding sources, a detailed description of the project for which



x If you have never applied for an ECF or Boeing grant, please contact [ecfflspacecoast@boeing.com](mailto:ecfflspacecoast@boeing.com) to request access to the system.

### Chapter contact information

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### Timeline

Applications Open	Application Deadline	Awards Announced
2/1/2024	9/30/2024	11/30/2024