Springfield Earth Day Festival
Beneficiary Application

Our Mission Statement:

Earth Day Springfield Festival is a non-profit organization that organizes and promotes a yearly music festival in Springfield, Missouri. The proceeds of the festival will be donated to our local/regional environmental organizations to be used for projects that benefit our environment.

Please note: *Organizations are welcome to apply as often as needed; if you have already received an Earth Day gift, you may be reconsidered after 2 years have passed.*

Applicant Organization:

Contact Person: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____

1. What does your organization do? Please include your mission statement.

   What we are looking for:

   - Highlight a brief history of how the organization was founded and communicate how your foundational mission matches that of this funding opportunity.
   - Include the leadership team or board of directors and briefly how important decisions were made to build your nonprofit.
   - Is the founding mission interwoven throughout daily operations? Give an example.

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2. Briefly describe the project you plan to fund with Earth Day's financial gift.

3. Where does this project fit within your organizational strategy and vision?

4. Is your organization the primary deliverer of this service? Is it the primary initiator of the project?

5. What preparation have you done to date? What have others done in the field to date regarding this need and target population?

6. What is your plan to create awareness or promote your project? What are the alternative modes of intervention that you considered?

7. What are the potential barriers to success and alternative plans to ensure project success?

8. When was your organization founded, and how did you get started in this work?

9. What are your achievements to date? What are your goals for the next three to five years?

10. Please list your board members and titles:

11. Are you part of a larger organization? If so, why are they not funding your project? If you are a big national organization, how locally focused are you?

12. Please attach a copy of your 2026 budget.

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Instructions for Questions and Submission

Any and all questions about this application and the corresponding process must be submitted in writing via email to contact@earthdayspringfieldmo.org.

Please provide your electronic proposal responding to the following questions, as well as any additional information you view as relevant for displaying your credentials and fulfilling the Committee's stated needs:

EARTH DAY FESTIVAL
ATTN: MOLLY HEALEY
CONTACT@EARTHDAYSPRINGFIELDMO.ORG

Earth Day Festival reserves discretion for how funds are allocated, including what percentages of funds are awarded to which beneficiaries. Earth Day Festival makes its decisions based on the organization's environmental mission, how that mission impacts our community, and financial need.