

2017 (Second Quarter) - Council Community Grant Program Application

2017 COUNCIL COMMUNITY GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION Second Quarter (Due by May 19, 2017)

Name of Organization:	Castle Rock Chorale
Address:	1163 Freedom Way
City:	Castle Rock
State:	CO
Zip:	80109
Contact Name:	Kevin Pascoe
Telephone Number:	9162765066
Email Address:	kevpas@gmail.com
Description of Organization:	The Castle Rock Chorale began in 2011, and includes members from Castle Rock and the communities in and surrounding Douglas County.
Non-Profit status:	501(c)(3)
Please Attach Proof of Non-Profit Status:	CRC 501c3 approval letter0001.pdf
Additional Attachments:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Amount Requested (\$500 maximum):	500
Description of specific project for which funds are requested:	Contributions will help to pay stipends to our director and pianist, purchase music, hire guest artists, and rent performance spaces.
Eligible project area for which funds are requested:	Community-based performing visual arts programs and activities

How does this project benefit Castle Rock residents?:

Our mission is to build a dynamic choral community from Castle Rock and the surrounding Douglas County area, to allow the power of words and music to educate, enlighten, entertain, and unify.

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Name of Organization:	Littleton Community Music Association dba Castle Rock Orchestra
Address:	2538 Coach House Loop
City:	Castle Rock
State:	CO
Zip:	80109
Contact Name:	Music Director Matthew Rose
Telephone Number:	303-408-0980
Email Address:	matthewleerose@comcast.net
Description of Organization:	The Castle Rock Orchestra is an adult community orchestra based in Castle Rock, Colorado, since 2007. The ensemble rehearses at The First United Methodist Church of Castle Rock, 1200 South Street, Castle Rock, CO on Sundays from 2pm to 4pm. The group is a part of the Littleton Community Music Association (littletonmusic.org), a Colorado non-profit.
Non-Profit status:	501(c)(3)
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Additional Attachments:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Amount Requested (\$500 maximum):	500
Description of specific project for which funds are requested:	Funds are requested to purchase music for our Castle Rock Orchestra's concert season which includes a Halloween, Holiday, Winter and Spring Concert Series. Last-year we celebrated the beginning of our 10th Season with a spooky Forest and Woods concert, and our Vaughan Williams and

Classics concerts this February and April will be entertaining for the whole family. We plan to purchase music year-round so that we have music ready for our weekly rehearsals which begin in September and run through April. We rehearse and perform at the First United Methodist Church of Castle Rock.

Eligible project area for which funds are requested:

Community-based performing visual arts programs and activities

How does this project benefit Castle Rock residents?:

The Castle Rock Orchestra performs four concerts a season to an average of 150 audience members. The group consists of 45 area musicians, the majority whom live in Douglas County and Castle Rock. Our recent Holiday concert included Trans-Siberian Orchestra music which added electronic violin and guitar to our strings and was extremely well-received by the players and community alike. We are always encouraged by the number of families and seniors that are able to attend our family-friendly concerts.

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Name of Organization:	Douglas County Veterans Monument Foundation
Address:	4833 Front St. Unit B #433
City:	Castle Rock
State:	Colorado
Zip:	80104
Contact Name:	Debbie DeVoe
Telephone Number:	303.681.3777
Email Address:	debbie@dvcvmf.org
Description of Organization:	DCVMF was formed to construct a monument to honor all of our past, present and future Veterans of Douglas County. Now that the monument is complete our current mission is to become a valuable resource to our very own hometown heroes; our veterans. With over 20,000 veterans in Douglas County, we are providing Veterans Assistance Grants, up to \$1,000, to veterans in need, there has been a 700% increase in Grant applications in 2017. We also help to educate the Veterans on benefits & resources that are available to them.
Non-Profit status:	501(c)(3)
Please Attach Proof of Non-Profit Status:	DCVMF 501c3.pdf
Additional Attachments:	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Amount Requested (\$500 maximum):	500.00
Description of specific project for which funds are requested:	A Veteran appreciation breakfast: Working in conjunction with the Mozaic students at Castle View High School we will be hosting a Veteran appreciation Breakfast, date TBD. This event

is a time to honor our Veterans and provide valuable resources/education during the event. The funds will be used to help offset the food costs.

Eligible project area for which funds are requested:

Youth programs and activities, Senior programs and activities

How does this project benefit Castle Rock residents?:

It helps to bridge the gap between our youth and our Veterans many which are Seniors. This will be our third event, each year it has grown. The Veterans are so touched when they see the students and all they have done to make this a possibility.

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Name of Organization:	Spellbinders, Douglas County Chapter
Address:	399 Perry Street
City:	Castle Rock
State:	CO
Zip:	80104
Contact Name:	Suzanne Opp
Telephone Number:	720-933-7323
Email Address:	myoppmail@gmail.com
Description of Organization:	<p>Spellbinders is a national organization with chapters throughout the country, but headquartered in Carbondale, Colorado. It is made up of adult volunteers who love storytelling and visit classrooms and other events regularly to tell stories for children (and adults) of all ages. This unique program fosters literacy, ignites imagination and builds connections between generations, as most of our storytellers are retired, or older volunteers. The fees and activities of the Douglas County chapter were formerly supported by the Philip S. Miller Library. In 2017, due to budgeting, the Douglas County chapter has become self-sustaining, covering insurance, training, and other expenses. We are hopeful that the Town Council would consider helping to support our chapter, as we regularly serve many students both within the town limits of Castle Rock, and other school communities within Douglas County.</p>
Non-Profit status:	501(c)(3)
Please Attach Proof of Non-Profit Status:	aaaGroup Exempt Acceptance.pdf
Additional Attachments:	Spellbinders Chapter Letter for IRS 1_9_2017.pdf

Amount Requested (\$500 maximum): \$300

Description of specific project for which funds are requested:

There are two potential uses for these requested funds. In our annual budget, we would like to offer our existing volunteers professional training, to support their ongoing skill development. This would help our volunteers continue to provide the excellent art of storytelling in numerous classrooms throughout the 2017-2018 school year. The other option to utilize these requested funds would be to facilitate our fall training, which focuses on new Spellbinders who are just joining the organization. Some of the associated costs with this weeks-long training include the training materials themselves, as well as background checks and other miscellaneous enrollment costs.

Eligible project area for which funds are requested:

Youth programs and activities, Senior programs and activities, Community-based performing visual arts programs and activities

How does this project benefit Castle Rock residents?:

Our Douglas County Spellbinder volunteers have provided journeys of imagination through storytelling for over 400 classroom visits throughout the school year. With multiple repeat visits to classrooms, Douglas County Spellbinders have reached a total audience of over 10,000 eager young minds. Students and volunteers both are Castle Rock residents, although other surrounding communities are served. Stories are chosen and told to help children distinguish moral dilemmas, and learn the differences between wise and unwise decisions. The feedback from teachers and students in our community has been overwhelmingly positive, with unanimous requests for returns to the classrooms. In order to serve these populations, we need to engage new Spellbinders, and continue to support the ones who are actively participating.

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