

Bayou City Fellowship

Mobilization and Outreach Policy

Organization Grants

Scope:

- This policy applies to any grants to an organization that does not have funds specifically approved under an approved Missions Budget (i.e. does not contain an approved line item amount in the budget). The funds for these grants will be drawn from the “Campus Discretionary” line item in an approved Missions Budget.
- This policy does not apply to grants made to organizations in response to emergency relief work (e.g. hurricane relief grant).
- To be eligible for support in accordance with this Policy, an organization must complete the Request Form, and if: (i) the requested amount is below \$5,000 approved by a Mobilization Pastor or Campus Pastor, or (ii) the requested amount is above \$5,000 approved by the Mobilization and Outreach Team.

Criteria for Funding

The requesting Organization must be:

- Involved in an activity that has a Kingdom Purpose
- In theological alignment with Bayou City
- Fiscally responsible.

Considerations

The following are important points to be taken into account when considering whether to fund a particular organization’s funding request:

- Strong preference should be given to funding requests from an organization in which Bayou City members are involved; this strong preference is underpinned by Bayou City’s stated objective to have its members directly involved in service to the Kingdom.
- Although not a requirement, priority should be given to funding requests related to the Focus Areas.

Funding

- Payments will not be made to individuals
- Will follow all Bayou City financial procedures