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# CHAPMAN FOUNDATION

Alvah H. and Wylene P. Chapman Foundation

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## GRANT GUIDELINES

**Mission:** The Alvah H. and Wylene P. Chapman Foundation was created in 1967 to honor and memorialize Alvah H. and Wylene P. Chapman and to perpetuate their charity and concern for others. The Foundation's primary stated objectives are to support religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes in areas where the descendants of Alvah H. and Wylene P. Chapman now reside or have interests. The Foundation currently makes grants in support of not-for-profit organizations where directors and members live and are involved in the community.

The Foundation will consider requests for support from organizations that have developed successful, innovative and creative programs that support the following:

- Children and families, especially those at risk
- Education at all levels
- Multicultural understanding and Multiethnic harmony
- Substance abuse prevention
- Programs serving the homeless

**Application:** Visit the website and complete the online application by the Summer or Winter deadline. You will need to provide and include the following items to complete your application: Grant Application Form, 501c3 IRS Determination Letter, List of Officers & Board of Directors, or any other governing body, Budget for Project/Organization, Financial statement for the organization's most recent fiscal year, Grant Proposal Letter.

**Types of support:** The Foundation makes grants for operating support, specific projects and endowments. Multi-year support will be considered in special circumstances. Funds will not be provided for loans or to organizations engaged in partisan or political activities. No grants will be made to individuals. The Foundation prefers not to make multi-year commitments. The Foundation rarely makes awards over \$15,000.00.

**Eligibility:** Only not-for-profit organizations that have been granted exemption from federal income tax by the IRS under section 501(c)3 are eligible to apply for support.

**Submission deadlines:** Grants are considered twice a year in December and July. Deadline for submission for the December meeting is October 15. Deadline for the July meeting is May 15.

**Special Note to Grantseekers:** Grants are awarded in communities where the family and directors reside or have been involved. We encourage all grant requests to have a Director or member of the Foundation sponsor or endorse the submission. Preference will be given to areas where directors and members live and are involved in the community. *Under special circumstances, organizations in parts of Georgia where the Chapman family has traditionally had interests will be considered.*

For Grant application submissions and inquiries, please contact CF Secretary, Kimberly Smetana.

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