

Greater Boston Real Estate Board (GBREB) Foundation

Homeless & Housing Assistance Grant Application 2017

Eligibility: Monetary grants are available to housing-related non-profit organizations, defined as 501 (c)(3) entities which provide shelter, food and clothing, mortgage and/or rental assistance, home buyer counseling or other similar support to individuals and households that are located in or operate within the [jurisdiction](#) of the Greater Boston Association of REALTORS®/GBREB or an adjacent community in which a GBAR member firm is located.

Funding: Grants will be limited in size to no more than \$2,500 and will be awarded based on several factors, including the size and scope of organization nominated or seeking a grant, the number of applications received, the GBREB Foundation balance and total donations made to the GBREB Foundation by GBAR members in a given year.

Application Period & Deadline: Applications may be submitted annually between January 1 – March 31, 2017 and should be mailed to: Greater Boston Association of REALTORS®, Attn: Kevin Butler, One Center Plaza, Mezzanine Suite, Boston, MA, 02108, or via email to Kevin Butler at kbutler@gbreb.com. Grant recipients will be selected by the GBAR Charitable Grants Task Force and grants will be approved by the GBAR Board of Directors no later than June. The formal announcement and presentation of grants will take place at a GBAR event during the spring or summer of 2017.

Part I

Name of Organization: _____

Business Mailing Address: _____

Telephone: _____ **Website URL** _____

Year organization was established: _____ **Number of Organization Staff/ Employees** _____

What housing need(s) does this organization address within the community? _____

What communities does the charity serve? _____

Is this housing charity a 501 (c)(3) organization under the IRS tax code? Yes ____ **No** ____

Tax ID # (Copy of tax exempt letter required):

Name of Person Nominating Organization for Grant: _____

Telephone #: _____ **E-mail Address:** _____

Please cite Affiliation to or Involvement with Nominated Organization, if any:

Part II

1.) Briefly summarize the program or work the grant would fund and expected impact on the community:

2.) How many people or families will benefit from or be aided by this charity/initiative as a result of grant?

3.) How many people or families has this housing organization aided or assisted since its inception?

4.) When will the program be implemented? (indicate if this is a year-long effort)

5.) What public (local, state, federal) and/or private funds are already received by the charity for this program?

6.) Why do you believe this organization is deserving of a grant from the GBREB Foundation?

Submitted By (please sign): _____ Date: _____