The Community Foundation of Sarasota County is proud to announce our open call grant opportunities for 2022-23 are now available on our website.

Grants Under $10,000

Grants under $10,000 help improve a nonprofit's ability to fulfill its mission by strengthening its capacity. Capacity strengthening areas include fundraising, leadership, communication, evaluation, and emergency needs.

Application reviews begin August 1, October 1, December 1, March 1 and May 1.

Now Accepting Applications for Grants Under $10,000

Have additional questions? Please bring them to an upcoming virtual info session with our team!

Join Us Virtually:
2:00 - 3:00PM, September 8
Grants Under $10,000

Register for the Grants Under $10,000 Info Session

Grants Over $10,000

Grants over $10,000 support organizations and programs that provide access to education, health care, or basic human needs for people who face systemic barriers in our community.

Application reviews begin September 1, November 1, February 1, and April 1.

Now Accepting Applications for Grants Over $10,000

Have additional questions? Please bring them to an upcoming virtual info session with our team!

Join Us Virtually:
11:00 - 12:00PM, August 10

Register for the Grants Over $10,000 Info Session

Animal Welfare Grants

Animal Welfare Grants (up to $25,000) support organizations that serve animals
Animal Welfare Grants

For those interested in applying for a grant opportunity but unsure where to begin, we have compiled helpful resources to guide you along the application process:

- **Grant Reporting**
- **Eligibility Requirements**
- **Press Kit for Grantees**

If you have any questions about available grant opportunities, reach out to **impact@cfsarasota.org**.

Interested in Participating in Give 8/28?

**Kickstart Your Campaign with a Grant Opportunity from Us!**

To culminate the month-long celebration of Black Philanthropy Month, the Young, Black, and Giving Back Institute (YBGB) is hosting its fifth annual **Give 8/28** giving day for Black-led and Black benefiting nonprofits on August 28, 2022.

Registration is open now until August 14, 2022.

Email us at **nonprofits@cfsarasota.org** and let us know you’re participating.
To participate in Give 8/28, YBGB requires that at least 50% of the nonprofit leadership, board AND staff are Black, thereby accurately reflecting the population they serve. If you’re unsure whether your organization qualifies, you can take their eligibility questionnaire prior to registering.

In 2020 and 2021, Give 8/28 raised more than $328,000 nationally for more than 720 Black-led and Black-benefiting organizations from 3,916 donors.

Register for Give 8/28

The Community Foundation of Sarasota County will cover your organization’s $25* registration fee and issue a $250 "kickstart" grant to qualifying organizations.

*This fee helps the YBGBI cover costs associated with running this event and supports the Give 8/28 initiative.

Register for Give 8/28 Webinars

Download the Give 8/28 Nonprofit Toolkit

Subscribe to YBGB’s Newsletter

2022 Nonprofit Compensation & Benefits Survey is Here!

Open July 18 through September 15

The Community Foundation of Sarasota County has partnered with Association TRENDS to conduct a confidential compensation survey to report on trends within nonprofit agencies in Sarasota, Manatee, Charlotte, and DeSoto counties and help nonprofits:

- become more competitive in the marketplace; and
- retain staff as well as the institutional knowledge of long-tenured staff

There is no cost to participate or to receive the final report. The survey will go live on July 18, 2022 and close September 16, 2022. The final report will be available in October 2022.

Dates subject to change.

Why participate?

- This confidential survey is customized, created, and designed specifically for our region's nonprofits, which means organizations will be able to compare and benchmark staff salary levels.
- The more participation, the better the data will be. High participation produces robust results, benefiting both you and your staff.
- The results will help you set fair and competitive compensation where possible which is key to hiring and maintaining valuable staff members.

You can save and return to the survey to complete it at any time using this link:

https://salarysurvey.associationtrends.com/CFSC-comp-survey

Your username and password will be emailed to you upon registration for the survey.
The Giving Partner: Pro Tips

Utilize "Search Keywords" to Optimize Search Results

Our friends at GiveGab, the platform developer for The Giving Partner & Giving Challenge, have launched a new feature to help visitors on The Giving Partner better find your organization.

**Search Keywords** optimizes search results on the campaign website. Organizations can add relevant terms that are not captured in your story, name, or selected causes, as search functionality accounts for those.

How to Access the New Feature:
Nonprofit Job Bank

Whether you’re seeking a new nonprofit position or you want to post an open position at your organization, your local resource is the Association of Fundraising Professionals Southwest Florida Chapter’s Job Bank, supported by the Community Foundation of Sarasota County.

Contact GiveGab’s Customer Success Team with additional questions that you may have.

Nonprofit Job Bank

Have a Story of Impact you'd like to share? Send Us Your Story.