



## GIGI'S CANINE TRANSPORT VAN GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION INFORMATION

To help you prepare, below is a preview of the questions included in the application. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to reach out to [grants@gigis.org](mailto:grants@gigis.org)—we're happy to help.

### ORGANIZATION BASIC INFORMATION

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- Name of Organization
- Organization Type (501(c)3 or Municipal Shelter)
- EIN #
- Organization Category (Shelter, Foster-Based Rescue, Transport)
- Organization Mailing Address
- Website
- Primary Contact Name
  - Position
  - Email

### ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

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- Must be an open-intake U.S. municipal shelter, a 501(c)3 shelter with an open-intake policy, or a 501(c)3 rescue group with a transportation program.
- 50% or more of intake (for shelters) or animals transported (for rescue groups) must be dogs
- Canine intake for the past calendar year (2025) must be greater than 200 dogs
- Organization must be able to provide at least 3 years of canine intake/outcome records, and:
  - For 501(c)3 organizations, the past 3 years of 990 tax return forms, on request.
  - For municipal shelters, documentation of approval for the van grant by the appropriate fiscal authorities, on request.
- Organization must be able to demonstrate the ability to support all operating and repair costs relating to the vehicle (includes all maintenance, repair, insurance, and upkeep needed to keep the vehicle on the road).
- Organization must be able to commit to the grant program for at least 5 years.
- Agree to participate in the G.E.T. Protocol
- Understand AAWA and AVMA transport best practices

### ANIMAL RELATED QUESTIONS

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#### Previous Year Animal Care Information

- Total Animal Intake (previous year)
- Total Canine Intake (previous year)
- Total Live Canine Outcomes (previous year)
- List of other animals cared for



**Current Transport Information (Monthly)**

- # of Dogs picked up from other shelters
- # of Dogs picked up from other rescues
- # of Dogs taken in via open intake
- # of Dogs picked up from other sources
  - Other Sources

**Outgoing Transport (Monthly)**

- # of Dogs taken to other shelters
- # of Dogs taken to other rescues
- # of Dogs taken for medical treatment
- # of Dogs taken to adoption events
- # of Dogs taken to adoptive homes or fosters

**Projected Transport Information (Monthly)**

- Projected # of Dogs picked up from shelters
- Projected # of Dogs picked up from rescues
- Projected # of Dogs taken in via open intake
- Projected # of Dogs from other sources

**TRANSPORT RELATED QUESTIONS**

- Current vehicles used for transport
- Describe current transport vehicles
- A new van would be (first, replacement, additional)

**Partner Organizations**

- List transport/shelter partners you receive dogs from
- List transport/shelter partners you send dogs to

**Short Response Questions**

- What is your organization's mission or purpose?
- How does your organization help dogs and how would a van improve your impact?

**Additional Organization Information**

- Number of employees
- Number of volunteers
- Years in operation
- Facebook Handle
- Instagram Handle