

Two or More Giving Criteria and Process

Organizations wishing to apply for grants from Two or More should complete a Beneficiary Inquiry form available on the Two or More website or from the Two or More Store. A Giving Committee of five volunteers appointed by the Two or More Advisory Committee will research organizations that make requests.

On or before the end of each quarter (March 31, June 30, September 30, December 31), the Advisory Committee will notify the Chair of the Giving Committee of the amount available for distribution. The amount will have been determined by the Advisory Committee after consideration of revenues received during the quarter, expenses paid and expected, and reserves considered judicious.

The Giving Committee will meet to make decisions on grant amounts and beneficiaries. Requests properly documented and received by the end of the previous quarter will be considered. A member of the Giving Committee will meet with the applicant to learn about the organization's mission, their impact, the project, those to be served, and the desired results. The Giving Committee will notify the Advisory Committee of its recommendations. It is possible that all available funds will not be distributed in a quarter if a larger request which is considered compelling has been received or is anticipated. Organizations making requests which are denied will receive notification from the Giving Committee.

Nonprofit organizations in the Permian Basin will be considered according to the following guidelines:

- An organization must have been in operation for at least twelve months.
- 501(c)3 status is not required but is preferred.
- An inquiring organization should be faith-based or aligned with the spirit of restoration and service that defines the Two or More mission.
- Connection to one or more of the many Two or More volunteers (except for the Executive Director) does not disqualify an organization from consideration.
- Grants are not made to fund staff salaries, marketing or promotional campaigns, political activities, or debt repayment.
- Grant applications should be made for specific needs or projects rather than for operating funds.
- Priority will be given to projects that encourage youth, promote mental health, or relieve hunger.

It is the goal of Two or More to give generously and wisely, using every dollar given to or earned by the organization for the greatest good.

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