



HOLLE

FAMILY FOUNDATION

2025 FUNDING ANNOUNCEMENT

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The Holle Foundation provides support to nonprofits that reflect the lifelong interests of Brigadier General Everett Holle: fulfilling societal needs, developing scholarships, leadership development and celebrating history and culture. The fund makes grants only to 501(c)(3) nonprofits that closely align with Holle Family Foundation goals.

GRANT APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Applications are accepted through the Holle Family Foundation grant portal (www.hollefoundation.org). Applications will be accepted for the 2025 funding cycle beginning August 1, 2024 and ending November 1, 2024.

Approved projects may begin no earlier than January 1, 2025, and must be closed by December 1, 2025. **All grants are reimbursable grants supported by documentation of expenditures.**

AREAS OF FOCUS

The Foundation funds projects in Bibb, Blount, Chilton, Jefferson, St. Clair, Shelby, Tuscaloosa, and Walker counties. Grant priorities include:

- Societal Needs
- Opportunities for Achievement
- Fostering Future Leaders
- History and Culture
- Access to the Outdoors
- Veteran Support

For additional details regarding grant priorities, visit the *Areas of Focus* page on the website.

WHAT WE LOOK FOR

The Holle Family Foundation has limited funds with which to make grants. Oftentimes, the request for qualified grants greatly exceeds the grant funds available. To make the greatest impact with the funds available, we prefer requests that address:

- A critical community need that is not being met by other organizations or programs,
- Solves an immediate physical need,
- Addresses the root causes of a problem in an innovative or entrepreneurial manner,
- Does not duplicate existing services,
- Are pilot projects which, if successful, can be expanded to serve a wider population or be duplicated by other organizations,
- Involve collaboration and cooperation with other organizations and agencies,
- Include an effective mechanism for measuring the impact of Foundation's investment.

Applicants will not be funded on an ongoing annual basis unless the terms of the grant specifically provide for multi-year funding.

Applicants are encouraged to visit the Holle Family Foundation's website at www.hollefoundation.org for additional instructions and information.