

# A fund within the Greater Milwaukee Foundation

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# **Grant Agreement for Grant Number: (Will be provided later)**

The grant to your organization from the Fund for Lake Michigan (the Fund) at the Greater Milwaukee Foundation (the Foundation) is for the explicit purpose(s) described below and in your grant application to the FFLM and is subject to your acceptance of the following conditions. To acknowledge this agreement, to accept the grant, and to be eligible to receive the funds when needed, **PLEASE RETURN ONE SIGNED COPY OF THIS GRANT AGREEMENT TO THE FUND FOR LAKE MICHIGAN via email to vicki@fundforlakemichigan.org.** 

Grantee City of Milwaukee Environmental Collaboration Office			
Amount of Grant \$34,625			
Grant purpose Fondy Stormwater Park			
Grant period: begins November 15, 2016 ends October 31, 2017			
Payment schedule: - \$18,000 on December 1, 2016; \$10,000on March 15, 2017; \$6,625 on September 30, 2017; \$6,625 on September 3	2017		
Reporting schedule: Reports are due on March 1, 2017 and September 15, 2017			
Special Conditions:  FFLM funds can be use for the non-installation costs identified in your project budget including design costs (\$15,000) and expenses related to your education and outreach plans (\$10,000) and Vegetation Management (\$3,000).			

### **SPECIAL PROVISIONS:**

All grants are made in accordance with current and applicable laws and pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and the regulations issued thereunder.

## Please read the following carefully:

#### I. EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS

This grant is to be used only for the purpose described in the grant application and in accordance with the approved budget. The program is subject to modification only with prior written approval from the Fund and the Foundation.

- A. The grantee shall return to the Foundation any unexpended funds:
  - 1. if the Fund or Foundation determines that the grantee has not performed in accordance with this agreement and approved program/budget,
  - 2. if the grantee loses its exempt "public charity" status under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or
  - 3. if the grant period has ended.
- B. No funds provided by the Foundation may be used for any political campaign, legislation, candidates, or office holders, or to support attempts to influence legislation or public policy positions by any government body, other than through making available the results of nonpartisan analysis, study, and research. Grantees may be required to note in presentations or printed publications resulting from the grant that such conclusions do not reflect the position of the Fund for Lake Michigan or the Greater Milwaukee Foundation.
- C. Unless specifically authorized by the Foundation, expenses charged against this grant may not be incurred prior to the effective date of the grant or subsequent to the termination date, and may be incurred only as necessary to carry out the purposes and activities of the approved program.
- D. The grantee organization is responsible for the expenditure of the funds and for maintaining adequate supporting records consistent with generally accepted accounting practices.
- E. Private entities receiving funds from the Fund must solicit competitive bids for all contracts and other expenses estimated to be over \$50,000. Public entities receiving funds from the Fund must follow their own procurement laws and policies.

# **II. SIGNAGE AND PUBLICITY**

A. The grantee will include the Fund's logo and denote the Fund as a supporter of the project on printed materials, event announcements, the grantee's or project's website, and other media.

- B. When applicable, Fund staff will be included in major press announcements involving the project described in the proposal, such as ground-breakings, ribbon cuttings, and award ceremonies.
- C. The grantee is encouraged to acknowledge the Fund's support on social media and to follow the Fund for Lake Michigan on Twitter, Facebook, and LinkedIn.
- D. If applicable, the grantee will install educational signage that is approved by the Fund.
- E. The grantee will periodically share other photos, video clips, news articles, and other outreach materials that show the impact of the Fund's grant. These materials can be sent directly to Fund staff or submitted via the Fund's website via the "Share Your Story" webpage (http://www.fundforlakemichigan.org/share-your-story/).
- F. The grantee will, when asked, report on efforts to recognize the Fund for its support.

### III. OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE

For all on-the ground restoration and infrastructure projects, the grantee **will maintain the project for at least five years.** If the Project fails to perform as anticipated, or if maintaining the Project is not feasible, then the grantee will provide a report to the Fund explaining the failure of the Project or why maintenance is not feasible. Failure to maintain the Project may make the grantee ineligible for future Fund for Lake Michigan funding, until the grantee corrects the maintenance problems.

For the five calendar years following the year in which the grantee completes construction, **the grantee will provide a brief annual maintenance update** of one page or less. This update will summarize major maintenance activities during the previous 12 months and will indicate whether or not the project is performing as expected. This report is due December 31 of each year.

## III. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Reports will be submitted according to the following schedule:

- An interim report is due on: March 1, 2017
- A final report is due on: September 15, 2017

Reports should be submitted using the Fund for Lake Michigan's online grant system at <a href="https://www.grantinterface.com/lakemi/Common/LogOn.aspx">https://www.grantinterface.com/lakemi/Common/LogOn.aspx</a>. Please contact Jennifer Sargent at <a href="mailto:jennifer.sargent@arabellaadvisors.com">jennifer.sargent@arabellaadvisors.com</a> or 312-235-1430 should you have any questions or problems submitting your reports. Grantees who fail to submit reports may delay or forfeit pending or future grant payments.

For on-the-ground restoration or infrastructure projects, reports should include before and after photos of the project site.

## IV. LIMIT OF COMMITMENT

Unless otherwise stipulated in writing, this grant is made with the understanding that the Fund for Lake Michigan and the Greater Milwaukee Foundation have no obligation to provide other or additional support to the grantee. Any violation of the foregoing conditions will result in cancellation of future payments and refunding to the Foundation of any amounts subject to the violation.

For the Grantee:		
Signature of Representative		
Print Name and Title		
Date	<del></del>	