



2026 LARGE GRANT APPLICATION **(for projects/proposals up to \$10,000 per year)**

The Camden Rotary Club operates its grant-making program in line with best practices in donor funding. Our overall goal is to do the most good for the most people in our service area of Knox County and Lincolnville. We will fund high-impact programs and projects in the following focus areas: food security, housing, health and safety, youth development and economic security.

*Please submit this completed form no later than **February 15, 2026**. Include any supporting materials, a copy of your 501(c)3 letter and the most recent 990 for your organization.*

APPLICANT ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Name:

Address:

Website:

Contact:

Tel:

Email:

GRANT PROPOSAL INFORMATION

Project Title:

Annual Amount Requested (not to exceed \$10,000):

Time period of Request:

Geographic Area:

Organization:

Project Name:



2026 LARGE GRANT APPLICATION SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

(In a separate document, use as much space as necessary to fully answer the 10 questions below.)

1. Please describe your organization's mission.

2. Please describe how the Camden Rotary Club's support for your proposed project will benefit people living in Knox County and/or Lincolnville. Is this a new solution to an identifiable problem?

3. How many people do you anticipate would benefit from this project?

4. Please describe the proposed project, including how you will measure its impacts.

5. Is this a new program or project for your organization?

6. Is there a record of success for similar projects?

7. Does the proposed project represent best practices in this field? Please explain.

8. Does your organization presently have the capacity to execute this project in each of the three areas below (please elaborate as necessary):
 - Operational/professional staff to plan and manage the project
 - Administrative ability to manage reporting requirements, etc.
 - Financial oversight and management



9. What is the entire budget for your project? Will you use or raise funds (other than from CRC) for this project? If so, please provide details.

10. Please describe key milestones and measurable outcomes that can be used to evaluate the performance of your project in the requested funding period.

PLEASE SEND A PDF OR YOUR SCANNED, COMPLETED APPLICATION TO BRUCE COLE, AT THE EMAIL BELOW. I WILL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT.

YOU MAY ALSO PRINT AND MAIL YOUR APPLICATION TO:

CAMDEN ROTARY CLUB GRANTS COMMITTEE
PO Box 602
Camden, ME 04843-4342

QUESTIONS?

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