



Chippewa River Watershed Association
Southwest Initiative Foundation Funds

The Southwest Initiative Foundation established an endowment fund in 2006 for the Chippewa River Watershed Association, made possible through generous donations and gifts from individuals who shared a vision of restoring and enhancing the Chippewa River Watershed. The fund continues to support projects that promote the long-term health and improvement of the watershed, honoring the legacy of those who invested in its future.

These funds are available to qualified applicants whose proposed activities demonstrate clear benefits to the watershed, including—but not limited to—natural resource protection, water quality enhancement, sustainable land use practices, education, and community engagement.

To be eligible for consideration:

- Applicants must complete the funding application (see page 2) in full.
- Proposed projects must directly contribute to the enhancement of the Chippewa River Watershed.
- Projects must include a budget breakdown and timeline and be able to document outcomes.

Funds may only be used for purposes consistent with the mission of the Chippewa River Watershed Association. Any misuse or application of funds outside this scope may result in cancellation of funding or a request for reimbursement.

The Chippewa River Watershed Association reserves the right to prioritize applications based on impact, feasibility, and alignment with watershed goals.



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Application

Background Information

Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____

Project Title: _____

Amount Sought: \$_____ Total Project Cost: \$_____

Project Period: From _____ To: _____

Project Description: *In the space below, or on an attached page please describe what you expect to accomplish with the requested grant and why you feel it is important for the improvement of the Chippewa River Watershed:*

Certification : *I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that I have the authority to apply for the funds requested on behalf of the organization named.*

Signature: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____



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Project Budget Form

Organization Name: _____

Project Title: _____

Project Period: From _____ To: _____

<u>Expenses:</u>	<u>CASH</u>	<u>IN-KIND</u>
Salaries and Benefits: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Travel: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Postage and Printing: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Supplies: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Equipment: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Administrative Expenses: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (please specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (please specify): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Total Expenses: \$ _____

Income: (you are encouraged to seek other funding sources.)

Other Grants (attach list): _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Program Income (fees, etc.) : _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Local Contributions: _____	\$ _____	\$ _____
Other (please specify) : _____	\$ _____	\$ _____

Total Income: \$ _____