



The RVA Community Fund for Standing Together supports Richmond-area nonprofit organizations with financial support for rapid response services after incidents of bias, discrimination, or bullying. These incidents often require immediate interventions that are not covered by traditional funding mechanisms. As such, this fund ensures that nonprofit organizations will have greater capacity to meet needs that are increasingly urgent in today's climate.

Nonprofit organizations are invited to apply for mini-grants of \$500, \$1,000, or \$1,500 to support interventions including facilitating, convening, counseling, and coaching. Grant applications will be reviewed by an objective, diverse committee on a weekly basis, and approved requests will be funded within two weeks.

The RVA Community Fund for Standing Together will:

- (1) Ensure that nonprofit organizations can quickly meet urgent needs;
- (2) Provide critical resources such as staff time, program supplies, and travel support after an incident of bias, discrimination, or bullying; and
- (3) Allow nonprofit organizations to more meaningfully develop longer-term strategies with institutions after incidents of bias.

Initial funding for the RVA Community Fund for Standing Together has been provided by the Robins Foundation. The Richmond Jewish Foundation is responsible for fund management, and the Virginia Center for Inclusive Communities is providing administrative support.

Organization Name: _____
Street Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Contact Name: _____
Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____
Amount Requested: <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,000 <input type="checkbox"/> \$1,500

Certifications:
<input type="checkbox"/> My organization is a registered 501c3 organization and can provide an IRS determination letter upon request
<input type="checkbox"/> My organization's profile on ConnectVA is up-to-date

Describe the problem/incident that you seek to address (up to 4 sentences):

Describe your planned intervention. Include an estimated timeline and list any collaborative partners (up to 8 sentences):

How will you determine if your intervention was successful in addressing the problem you described? (up to 4 sentences):

Explain why your organization is well-positioned to provide the proposed intervention (up to 4 sentences):

Please type the full name of the person completing this application to confirm that (1) all of the content included in this submission is truthful, and (2) you agree to complete the project as described if approved for funding.

Full Name: _____

