

YBCBD Mini-Grants & Event Sponsorship Application Form & Directions

Application Directions

Submit a letter of request (no more than 3 pages long) to info@ybcbd.org by 5pm, Tuesday, August 1, 2023. Letters must be on your organization's letterhead or the letterhead of your fiscal agent and signed by an officer or director of the sponsoring organization.

Applicants will be notified of the status of their funding request by September 14, 2023. Events should be scheduled to occur at least 4 weeks after the YBCBD funding announcement or no sooner than October 15, 2023.

Letter of Request Content

Be sure to include the following:

- Name, Key Contact Name & Title, Telephone Number, Email address, mailing address of the sponsoring organization.
- Overview of the proposed Project or Event including how it will benefit the district, target participants, description of the project goal, activities, and outcomes. Be sure to indicate the project's specific location within the District.
- For special events, be sure to specify the event's title, location, date, time, anticipated attendance, promotional/outreach strategy, opportunities for YBCBD recognition and how the success of the event will be defined and measured. [Please note that events must be open to the public.]. Also include how the event will provide a welcoming, inclusive, and safe space for community connections.
- Brief description of the sponsoring organization and its relationship to the residents or resident organization and proposed project.
- Attach a detailed project budget including specific line items for which YBCBD funding is requested, any other sources of project funding, and status (committed or projected) of those other funding sources.
- Attach a current roster of Board Members.