



REQUEST SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

CHARITIES SUBMITTING REQUESTS

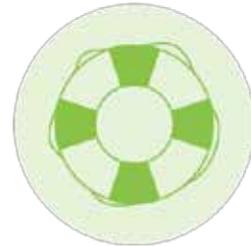
If the work of your charity fits into one of our three charitable categories:



YOUTH
developing
tomorrow's leaders



COMMUNITY
building and maintaining
strong, healthy
communities



SAFETY
protecting families, keeping
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and it is a registered charity with the Canada Revenue Agency, please send an email including brief details of your charity, the amount requested, and the purpose for which it will be used to foundation@goremutual.ca

BROKERS SUBMITTING REQUESTS

IS YOUR BUSINESS SUPPORTING YOUR CHOSEN CHARITY, EITHER IN TERMS OF FUNDING OR VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY?

The Foundation expects that you and your business also genuinely support the work of your nominated charity. If you don't, neither will we. It doesn't have to be something you have been doing for years (although that's fine too) and it doesn't necessarily have to be in the form of funding, but we want to know if you have been flipping pancakes for a fundraising breakfast for the last five years, or your team is running in a sponsored three-legged race. Whatever support you're giving, let us know.

IS YOUR CHOSEN CHARITY REGISTERED AS SUCH WITH THE CANADA REVENUE AGENCY?

The Foundation can only fund charities registered with the Canada Revenue Agency. Please ensure that you include the correct, official, name of your chosen charity on the nomination form AND provide the correct registered charity number. Without this information, we won't be able to proceed with your nomination.

DOES YOUR CHOSEN CHARITY SUPPORT ONE OF THE THREE AREAS TO WHICH THE FOUNDATION IS COMMITTED?

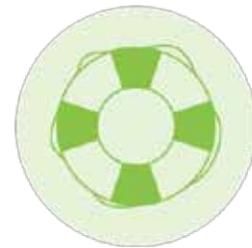
The Gore Mutual Insurance Company Foundation aspires to strengthen Canadian communities by supporting local charitable initiatives in the geographical areas served by Gore Mutual working in our three areas of focus:



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If the work of your chosen charity does not fit into at least one of these categories, we will not be able to provide funding. As the Foundation's focus is specifically on supporting charities, we are not able to provide grants to individuals, to political campaigns or legislative lobbying efforts, to business conferences or seminars, to projects that exclusively serve religious purposes or to sporting teams and events.

ARE YOU SEEKING FUNDING OF UP TO \$10,000 CDN?

The Gore Mutual Foundation Grants Review Committee makes decisions on requests up to a maximum of \$10,000 CDN.

HAVE YOU ALREADY NOMINATED A CHARITY THIS YEAR?

If you have already nominated a charity this year, that's fine. If you want to nominate more than one charity however, you will need to submit a separate nomination form for each, bearing in mind that we grant up to a total of \$10,000 CDN per brokerage per year.