



West Allis Neighborhood Association Small Grant Program FOCUS Grant

The goal of this program is to provide neighborhood associations an opportunity to organize and build a healthy community, and to attract new diverse members, promote citizen engagement, improve marketability of residential areas and sustain citizen involvement.

FOCUS grants are intended to fund community building activities within neighborhoods that will create and/or operate special programs or activities that make West Allis unique, better and beautiful. These grants support existing neighborhood associations and City commissions in their missions.

Grants up to \$2,000 may be awarded to qualifying groups. A 25% match is required. Groups may receive one FOCUS grant per year.

Existing Neighborhood Name: Orchard Hills

Members*: Jane Fleming (contact) 414-331-8251 ; j.fleming@sho@west.com
Mikaya Clark
Adrienne Sumrall
Kitty Dufek - Maier
Amy Ryback

*Attach additional sheet if necessary
See Attached

 Attach Proof of Quorum at Annual Meeting

Mission / Statement of Purpose: To beautify our neighborhood, and plan more community events to bring neighbors together

Grant Request Amount: 2,200.00

- Activity Type: Fundraising Event
 Social Event
 Capital Improvement
 Education/Information Program
 Special Event

Proposed Use of Funds*: Orchard Hills Night Out Block Party - \$400.00
Appliques on the 2 transformers (119th & 122nd) @ 1,600
Plants & maintenance of circle on 119th - \$200 for plants

* Projects must outline the activities and parties to be involved. Grants CANNOT be spent on activities that promote the use of alcohol or tobacco, or any illegal activity.

Completed applications should be submitted to the Community Development Senior Planner of Planning and Zoning Program at City Hall (7525 W. Greenfield Ave., West Allis, WI 53214). Any questions regarding the grant may be submitted primarily to dcarrington@westalliswi.gov and copied to Manager of Planning and Zoning sschaer@westalliswi.gov or via phone at (414) 302-8418.

The City and program staff reserves the right to restrict the allocation and/or expenditure of these program funds at any time.

Notes -OHNA June 1, 2023

- Attendees

- Jane Fleming
- Ramona Lenger
- Dan Devine
- Adrienne Sumrall
- Kitty Derek-Maier
- Alfred Sumrall
- Mikaya Clark
- Mark Weitenbeck
- Deanna Sommerfeld
- Anne Weitenbeck
- Lois Farrell

- Discussions

- Filling open board positions
 - Jane Fleming – President
 - Mikaya Clark – Vice President
 - Deanna Sommerfeld – Member at Large
- Neighborhood Garage Sale
 - August 17-19
 - Purchase more signage
 - Post on Social Media platforms
- Neighborhood Night Out

- Tuesday, September 12
 - Location TBD
 - Request barricades
- Futures: Halloween, Earth Day Trash Clean-Up
- Next meeting
 - Wednesday, August 16 @6:30pm
 - Location: Natty Oaks