



The Solana Beach Fund

Building a brighter future for our community.

Vision

We are committed to building a Thriving Community that supports strong nonprofits, enhances the quality of life, encourages philanthropy and supports the well-being of residents, businesses and friends in Solana Beach.

Mission Statement

The mission of the **Solana Beach Fund** is to address and fund community needs and to build local philanthropy through ongoing and legacy gifts. The fund is part of Coastal Community Foundation which has been serving the North Coast for almost 30 years. *The mission of the Foundation is to enhance the quality of life in the San Diego North Coastal area by directing philanthropic efforts towards community needs.*

Values

The Founding Members of the Solana Beach Fund value connecting residents to community needs through intergenerational involvement and community building and encouraging service to community.

- C**- Community Building
 - I** – Intergenerational Involvement & Philanthropy
 - V** – Volunteerism
 - I** – Integrity
- C** – Connecting Residents to Community Needs

The Solana Beach Fund provides sufficient oversight to ensure that grants are distributed for charitable purposes and are administered in accordance with established standards and best practices.

Grantmaking Guidelines

Grant funds may be requested for new activities, to expand current programs, to make them more effective or to improve organizational efficiency in delivering services. The Solana Beach Fund does not make grants for fund raising events, endowment campaigns, travel, religious or political advocacy, or for programs and services outside of Solana Beach. Preference will be given to organizations with budgets less than \$2 million.

Grant Range: \$2,000 – \$5,000

Application checklist:

- A completed **application with the project budget** (available at: <http://coastalfoundation.org/programs/Solana-beach-fund/>).
- When completing the application please **rename the document with your organization's name in document file name** (example: ABC Organization Project X).
- Current year's recent financial statements** (profit and loss and balance sheet) attached as a separate document.
- Federal Tax Exempt Letter** If you have not submitted proposals to CCF during the past two years, scan and email a copy of your IRS 501(c)(3) federal tax exempt letter to grants@coastalfoundation.org
- Grant packets must be submitted **electronically by the deadline of Monday, April 16, 2018**. Email the application (one document) and the required financial statements (second document) to: grants@coastalfoundation.org

Questions: Contact Coastal Community Foundation at (760)942-9245 or grants@coastalfoundation.org