

Terms and Conditions for the Because We Care Initiative

1. Introduction

Welcome to the ONE Insurance Group, Because We Care Initiative. By submitting an application for funding, you agree to comply with the following terms and conditions. These terms outline the eligibility criteria, responsibilities, and obligations of applicants. Failure to adhere to these terms may result in disqualification from funding consideration.

2. Eligibility Requirements

To be considered for funding, applicants must:

- Propose a project that has a clear local impact and benefits the community.
- Ensure the project is inclusive and fosters community engagement.
- Demonstrate long-term or multi-functional benefits to the community.

3. Ineligible Applications

Applications will not be considered if they:

- Are religious or politically motivated.
- Are from national or provincial charities without local impact.
- Are for personal gain, private businesses, or individual requests.
- Seek funding for projects that are already completed.

4. Application Process

Applications must be submitted through the official website form or by email with branded PDF document.

- The Because We Care Community Investment Committee reviews applications quarterly.
- Submissions must be made in the month prior to the quarter's end to be considered for that period.
- Applicants whose submissions are not selected will not receive notification of rejection. Unsuccessful applicants are encouraged to reapply after a period of six months.

5. Funding Conditions

If selected, applicants may be required to submit a detailed budget, including revenue and expenses, before funds are disbursed.

Note: Before committing any financial support to the program, it is essential that the program demonstrates the viability of its funding. Specifically, the program must secure at least 80% of its total required funding from other sources. Documentation proving the secured funding must be provided for review. Failure to meet this requirement could result in the withholding of our financial commitment until the condition is satisfied.

- Funds must be used strictly for the purposes outlined in the application.
- ONE Insurance Group reserves the right to request progress updates and financial reporting.
- Any misuse of funds may result in the requirement to return the funding and potential disqualification from future applications.

6. Disclaimer and Liability

ONE Insurance Group reserves the right to amend these terms and conditions at any time.

- Submission of an application does not guarantee funding approval.
- ONE Insurance Group is not liable for any project outcomes, losses, or damages arising from funding approval or denial.
- ONE Insurance Group may revoke funding if it determines that the applicant has misrepresented information or failed to comply with these terms.

7. Agreement & Certification

By checking the agreement box (for website applications) or signing the designated field (for PDF applications), the applicant certifies that:

- All information provided is accurate and complete to the best of their knowledge.
- They have the authority to submit the application on behalf of the organization.
- They agree to use any awarded funds as intended and comply with all conditions outlined in this document.
- They acknowledge that ONE Insurance Group reserves the right to request additional documentation and verify project details before funding approval.

8. Acknowledgment of Donation

In order to receive funds, the recipient will acknowledge the funding of ONE Insurance as indicated in the Organization's marketing plan. Examples of acknowledgement may include the following: event program, brochures, newspaper publications, television and radio advertising, press-releases and media conferences, and social media. This acknowledgment will be dependent on the scope of the donation and is subject to the agreement of both parties. ONE Insurance reserves the right to promote the donation as deems fit.

For any inquiries regarding these terms and conditions, please contact ONE Insurance Group at BWC@oneinsurance.ca

ONE Insurance Group reserves the right to modify these terms as needed to ensure transparency and compliance with community investment objectives. We appreciate your commitment to making a positive impact in your community and look forward to reviewing your application.

