



City Hall  
206 N. Main St  
Toledo, Oregon 97391  
6:00 PM

**Toledo Contribution Committee**  
**Contribution Committee Meeting – also via Zoom Meeting Platform**  
August 24, 2026

Virtual Meeting: The Contribution Committee will hold this meeting in person and online through the Zoom video meeting platform. The meeting is open to the public. The meeting login information is available on the City website under the Meetings page at [www.cityoftoledo.org/meetings](http://www.cityoftoledo.org/meetings).

- 1. Call to Order & Flag Salute**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Consent Agenda**
  - a. August 4, 2025 Contribution Committee Meeting Minutes
- 4. Discussion and Information Items**
  - a. Review of Submitted City Enhancement & In-Kind Services Applications
- 5. Committee Action**
  - a. Contribution Committee Recommendations to the Toledo City Council for the funding of City Enhancement & In-Kind Services Applications
- 6. Adjournment**

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## TOLEDO CONTRIBUTIONS COMMITTEE

### MINUTES

206 N. Main St.

Toledo, Or 97391

August 4, 2025 10:00 AM

The contributions committee began the meeting at 10:20 a.m.

| Present | Absent | Committee Member                                       |
|---------|--------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| X       |        | Mayor – Rod Cross                                      |
| X       |        | Budget Committee – Jim Chambers                        |
| X       |        | Citizen At-Large – Barry Bruster                       |
|         |        | Citizen At-Large –                                     |
| X       |        | City Staff Member – Krista Miller,<br>Interim Recorder |
|         |        | City Manager –                                         |

Mayor Rod Cross, Interim Recorder Krista Miller, Barry Bruster, and Jim Chambers attended the meeting.

There was an informal presentation of the 2024 awardees and how much each organization received. Recorder Miller presented the current budgeted amount of \$21, 180.

Previously, the Recorder had reached out to organizations to ensure they had an opportunity to apply for funds. Due to change in staff that did not happen and the committee wanted to ensure organizations they knew could use the assistance, received funds.

The committee recommends allocating the following funds in the amount of \$19,170.00.

- |    |                             |         |
|----|-----------------------------|---------|
| 1. | Yaquina River Museum of Art | \$1,170 |
| 2. | The Arc of Lincoln County   | \$4,000 |
| 3. | Toledo Rotary Club          | \$1,000 |
| 4. | Toledo Meals on Wheels      | \$2,000 |
| 5. | Yaquina Historical Railroad | \$1,500 |
| 6. | Homey House                 | \$2,000 |

- 7. Toledo Food Share Pantry \$6,000
- 8. Toledo History Center (LC Historical Society) \$1,500

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 10:45 a.m.

APPROVE:

ATTEST:

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Mayor Rod Cross

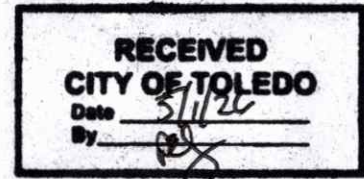
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Interim City Recorder Krista Miller



**City of Toledo**  
**City Enhancement & In-Kind Services**

**Application Form**  
**Deadline: Friday, May 1, 2026**



**Please submit the completed application to:**

Attention: City Recorder Paul Johnson  
City of Toledo  
Po Box 220  
Toledo, OR 97391

**Application Criteria:**

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4. Number of citizens receiving direct services from the organization requesting funds

Please address how your organization meets these criteria. Attach additional information (if necessary).

**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name: The Arc of Lincoln County

Contact Person: Nikki Holland

Physical Address: 321 SE 3rd St.  

|               |           |              |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|
| <u>Toledo</u> | <u>OR</u> | <u>97391</u> |
| City          | State     | Zip          |

Mailing Address: 321 SE 3rd St.  

|               |           |              |
|---------------|-----------|--------------|
| <u>Toledo</u> | <u>OR</u> | <u>97391</u> |
| City          | State     | Zip          |

Phone Number: 541-602-9248

E-mail address: nholland@arcoflincoln.org



## AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$10,000

Date:

4/30/2026

**Describe how the funds will be used** (use an additional page if more space is needed):

The Circle Center Building currently houses The Arc of Lincoln County headquarters and home to all of our programs for individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD) and their families, our Old School Thrift and Gift Shop, community event spaces, and soon to be community event rental spaces. This last month we had over 800 visitors to our building. This number is set to increase with more community events, such as the Spring Thursday Market, community event rentals, and other various community classes, trainings, and events. Our goal is to make this building as accessible as possible.

These funds will be used for upgrades to the surfaces outside our building to make them more accessible. We have numerous projects around the property we are trying to obtain money for. These include a new ADA ramp that leads from the front parking lot to the main side entrance, continuing our sidewalk improvement work along the front entry, and removing and repaving our walking track in the back.

All of these projects are very large projects that will require funding from multiple sources. We would like to pair this money with funds from other grants to complete at least one of these projects this summer. Any funding you are able to provide will allow this to happen.

## PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?



YES



NO



NOT SURE

|                                       |           |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ \$4000 |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$        |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$        |

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**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name: Toledo Meals on Meals Program - Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments

Contact Person: Randi Moore, Program Director

Physical Address: 1400 Queen Ave SE, Suite 206  
Albany, OR 97322  
City State Zip

Mailing Address: (Same as physical address)  
City State Zip

Phone Number: 541-924-8438

E-mail address: rmoore@ocwcog.org





## AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$2,000.00 Date: May 1, 2026

**Describe how the funds will be used** *(use an additional page if more space is needed):*

Please see attached.

## PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years? ☒ YES ☐ NO ☐ NOT SURE

|                                       |           |             |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ 2,000.00 |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ 2,000.00 |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$ 2,000.00 |

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## **City of Toledo, City Enhancement & In-Kind Services Attachment**

### **Toledo Meals on Wheels Program**

#### **1. Record of Service to the Citizens of Toledo**

Since 1980, Meals on Wheels has been serving communities throughout our region, including Toledo, by providing hot, nutritious meals and essential support to older adults and adults with disabilities. In Toledo, the program offers both congregate dining and home-delivered meals, ensuring that residents can access reliable nutrition regardless of mobility or health limitations. From January 1 through December 31, 2025, Meals on Wheels delivered 6,567 home-delivered meals and provided 1,605 congregate meals at the Trinity Methodist Church site, serving a total of 70 unduplicated Toledo residents. Beyond meal service, each interaction includes a daily wellness check and personal connection, helping clients maintain safety, independence, and stability in their own homes.

#### **2. Financial and Management Capability of the Requesting Organization**

The Meals on Wheels program is managed by the Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments, an organization with extensive experience administering nutrition and senior support services across multiple communities. Program oversight includes established volunteer coordination, meal production standards, and financial stewardship practices that support long-term operational stability.

The agency's structure ensures careful budgeting, compliance with Federal and State dietary guidelines, and rigorous monitoring of program outcomes, demonstrating strong capacity to manage public contributions effectively.

#### **3. Positive Impact on City-Supported Activities**

The City of Toledo benefits directly from the presence of Meals on Wheels because it supplements the city's responsibility to support older residents and adults with disabilities. The program provides essential health, safety, and socialization services that would otherwise require additional city resources. Daily wellness checks performed during meal deliveries help identify emerging health concerns early, reducing risk and supporting aging in place. Congregate meals offered through the Toledo meal site further strengthen community ties and provide safe social engagement opportunities, aligning with the city's commitment to resident well-being.

#### **4. Number of Citizens Receiving Direct Services**

During the 2025 service year, 70 unduplicated Toledo residents received direct services from Meals on Wheels. These individuals benefited from both congregate meals served at the Trinity Methodist Church site and home-delivered meals for homebound residents.

#### **Describe How the Funds Will Be Used**

One hundred percent of the funds awarded will be used exclusively for the purchase of nutritious meals for eligible older adults and adults with disabilities in Toledo. All grant dollars will directly support the cost of prepared meals that meet Federal and State dietary guidelines, including meals served at the congregate site and those delivered to homebound residents. No portion of the funding will be used for administrative, operational, or staffing costs, ensuring that every dollar contributes directly to providing healthy meals and essential daily well-checks for Toledo citizens.





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**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name:

UNITED METHODIST THRIFT SHOP

Contact Person:

MARILYN MANNING, JANET LOHONYAH

Physical Address:

123 N. MAIN ST.  
TOLEDO, OREGON 97391  
City State Zip

Mailing Address:

123 N. MAIN ST  
TOLEDO, OREGON 97391  
City State Zip

Phone Number:

541-336-1925 Janet's cell 541-272-1981

E-mail address:

ljlbjohn@peak.org

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### AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request:

500.<sup>00</sup>

Date:

4-7-26

Describe how the funds will be used (use an additional page if more space is needed):

WE WILL HAND OUT AGE APPROPRIATE BOOKS ALONG WITH CANDY, TO THE MANY TRICK-OR-TREATERS WHO COME TO OUR SHOP. SOME BOOKS WILL BE IN SPANISH. WE GENERALLY HAVE SIX TO EIGHT VOLUNTEERS TO ACCOMPLISH THIS.

### PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?



YES

☐ NO



NOT SURE

If yes, please list previous funding:

|           |                  |
|-----------|------------------|
| 2025-2026 | \$ hoping \$500. |
| 2024-2025 | \$ 300.00 ??     |
| 2023-2024 | \$ 300.00 ??     |

for this year

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**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name:

Oregon Coast childrens Theatre + Center  
For the Arts

Contact Person:

Lawrence Adrian, Art Director/ceo

Physical Address:

Mr. Adrian has a studio in Siletz  
The charity has an office @ Fairview

City

State

Zip

Corange  
Tillamook

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 538

Toledo, ORE

97391

City

State

Zip

Phone Number:

503-801-0603

E-mail address:

occt.youthartprograms@gmail.com





## AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$2,250<sup>00</sup>

Date: 4-30-26

Describe how the funds will be used (use an additional page if more space is needed):

Restoration to large mural continues this summer  
New restoration too Planters on A Street (3)  
of them. We just finished Restoration  
to Sam Bresino's Bench (metal) mallards  
on Sand Marsh - this too about \$700<sup>00</sup>  
in supplies + Paint + Paid Labor. Re-install  
by city crews next couple of weeks. Donation  
of childrens garden nook @ library currently  
in Progress. About \$1,500<sup>00</sup> in value. Hope  
to also restore Sams Bench on Hwy 20 about a

## PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last  
three years?

☒ YES ☐ NO ☐ NOT SURE

|                                       |           |                               |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ 1,000.00                   |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ 1,000 <sup>00</sup> / 2025 |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$ 800.00 + ?                 |

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Talked too Maintenance Dept about it  
→ needs sanding / treatment / Rust +  
Re-painting.



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**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

|                    |                               |       |       |
|--------------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Organization Name: | Port of Toledo                |       |       |
| Contact Person:    | DeeAnn Ramos                  |       |       |
| Physical Address:  | 496 NE Hwy 20 Unit 1          |       |       |
|                    | Toledo                        | OR    | 97391 |
|                    | City                          | State | Zip   |
| Mailing Address:   | PO Box 428                    |       |       |
|                    | Toledo                        | OR    | 97391 |
|                    | City                          | State | Zip   |
| Phone Number:      | 541-336-5207                  |       |       |
| E-mail address:    | deeann.ramos@portoftoledo.org |       |       |



#### AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$5,000

Date: 4-30-2026

**Describe how the funds will be used** *(use an additional page if more space is needed):*

Grant funds will be strategically allocated to support both infrastructure improvements and community programming at the Waterfront Park. Of the total request, \$1,000 will be used toward upgrading pavilion water utilities to improve reliability and functionality for vendors and event operations. An additional \$2,000 will fund the purchase of tents and canopies to increase usable event space. The remaining \$2,000 will directly support the Wooden Boat Show, helping to offset essential event costs and ensure the continued success of this signature community event that celebrates maritime heritage and draws thousands of visitors to Toledo's waterfront each year.

#### PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?

☐ YES ☒ NO ☐ NOT SURE

|                                       |           |    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|----|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$ |

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## City of Toledo: City Enhancement & In-kind Services

For more than 12 years, the Port of Toledo Waterfront Park has provided a consistent and meaningful record of service to the citizens of Toledo and the surrounding region. As a publicly accessible venue, the park has remained open year-round for community use, offering a safe, welcoming space for recreation, cultural events, family gatherings, and civic celebrations along the waterfront. Throughout its operation, the venue has supported local nonprofits, schools, small businesses, and volunteers by hosting events that strengthen community connections and enhance quality of life. The sustained stewardship of the Waterfront Park reflects a long-standing commitment to public access, inclusivity, and economic vitality, ensuring that residents and visitors alike can enjoy the cultural, social, and environmental benefits of Toledo's working waterfront.

The Port of Toledo maintains strong organizational capacity, including a dedicated staff member who oversees planning for the Wooden Boat Show and scheduling events at Waterfront Park and is responsible for managing and reporting grant funds. The Port's long history of hosting events demonstrates long-term sustainability through consistent community support and effective operational management. Planned utility and site-enhancement investments are intended to provide durable, long-term benefits to the venue and future programming. The Port of Toledo also maintains partnerships with organizations such as Georgia-Pacific, the Yaquina Pacific Railroad Historical Society, Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Samaritan Health, Oregon Coast Bank, Dahl & Dahl Services, City of Toledo and NW Natural Gas, further strengthening its stability and community integration.

Proposed enhancements include the addition of canopies and tents, along with upgrades to water utilities in the pavilion, to improve accessibility, comfort, and functionality for community events and everyday use at the venue. These improvements will directly enhance the venue's rental potential by improving functionality, and reliability for events of all sizes. Upgraded infrastructure will better support renters while making the site more attractive to additional businesses, organizations, and private event hosts. Overall, these enhancements will promote long-term growth in venue rentals, improve service efficiency, and strengthen Waterfront Park's reputation as a high-quality, well-equipped community event destination.

Additionally, we are seeking financial support for the Wooden Boat Show, a signature waterfront event that celebrates maritime heritage, craftsmanship, and community engagement. Funding support will help offset essential event costs such as safety/security, sanitation services, marketing, advertising, promotional materials, utilities, entertainment, and volunteer support services, ensuring the Wooden Boat Show remains free, accessible, vibrant, and sustainable. Your investment will directly strengthen a valued community tradition, enhance the visitor experience, and help preserve and showcase the cultural and economic importance of wooden boatbuilding for future generations.



#### City of Toledo: City Enhancement & In-kind Services

Through its current activities—including Free Family Boating, the Wooden Boat Show, and three large annual events (the Summer Festival, Holy Toledo, and the Glastonbury Renaissance Faire)—the Port provides direct services to thousands of citizens each year; while attendance is not formally tracked, the Wooden Boat Show alone draws approximately 2,500 people, and Free Family Boating regularly serves about 40 participants in a single day. This does not consider the private rentals of the venue and those who use the walking path.



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1. Record of service to the citizens of Toledo
  - **RSVP has provided SHIBA Medicare counseling to Toledo residents for over a decade and is a trusted, known Medicare expert in the community.**
2. Financial and management capability of the requesting organization to provide services
  - **If awarded, a project management code will be created for the SHIBA 97391 project through NetSuite for Government ERP. The SHIBA Program currently receives funds from Lincoln County, the United Way, and the State of Oregon.**
3. Positive impact the contribution may have on supplementing an activity or direct service provided by the City to Toledo citizens
  - **During the last six months (October 1, 2025-March 31, 2026) the Program counseled 489 Lincoln County residents; of those 28 were residents from zip code 97391 (STARS Report, Oregon SHIP).**
4. Number of citizens receiving direct services from the organization requesting funds
  - **We estimate that we will serve 60 total residents, given recent trends (limited Advantage plans in Lincoln County and a desire to understand changes).**

Please address how your organization meets these criteria. Attach additional information (if necessary).

**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name: RSVP of Lincoln County,  
SHIBA Program

Contact Person: Alicia Lucke

Physical Address: 203 N Main Street Toledo,  
OR 97322 (same for mailing)

E-mail address: aseniors@ocwcog.org



## AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$ 1 0 0 0

Date: 5/8/2026

Describe how the funds will be used *(use an additional page if more space is needed)*:

The Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance (SHIBA) program uses credentialed volunteers to counsel Medicare beneficiaries on plan options counseling. Due to ever-changing healthcare laws and provider regulations, finding the right Medicare plan is oftentimes confusing for local seniors and people with disabilities. Trained OCWCOG Medicare counselors, through the Senior Health Insurance Benefits Assistance (SHIBA) Program can help mitigate issues, note plan discrepancies or compare drug lists. Funds will support our Toledo-based coordinator (housed in Senior and Disability Services) salary/fringe.

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?

☒ YES

☐ NO

☐ NOT SURE

|                                       |           |        |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$     |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$1000 |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$1000 |

## PREVIOUS FUNDING

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1. Record of service to the citizens of Toledo. Toledo High School has had cross country teams going back for decades. Under the leadership of coach Paul Boyer, Toledo High School's cross country team even finished second in the state in 1981. The legacy that he built through his years of service eventually faded with his passing. Many coaches came and went since Coach Boyer until the boys' and girls' teams were eventually eliminated years ago. Interest in resurrecting the cross country teams has been there, but there has not been a coach to champion the cause, and now there is. I feel it is time to honor what Coach Boyer once built and time to bring back boys' and girls' cross country to Toledo HS.
2. Financial and management capability of the requesting organization to provide services. The Toledo Boomer Boosters are a non-profit organization which has demonstrated their ability, for years, to fiscally manage their support of Toledo HS athletic programs.
3. Positive impact the contribution may have on supplementing an activity or direct service provided by the City to Toledo citizens. Re-establishing the boys' and girls' cross country teams at Toledo HS will give our youth more options for participating in sports during the fall season beyond football, soccer, and volleyball. Sports participation has been shown to foster teamwork, leadership, and time-management skills while boosting academic performance and mental health. With the City Council's recent focus on youth dynamic partnerships like Homie House, we've seen progress that can be made when we expand recreational and coaching opportunities for our kids. Restarting the cross country programs will build on this momentum and reach even more young people.
4. Number of citizens receiving direct services from the organization requesting funds. Cross country teams typically race in numbers of 5 to 7 boys and 5-7 girls in varsity, but the teams do not cut any athletes and can support junior varsity teams of any size.

Please address how your organization meets these criteria. Attach additional information (if necessary).

**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name: Toledo Boomer Boosters



Contact Person: [Jerry Marsh](#)

Physical Address: [6048 S. Bay Rd. Toledo, OR 97391](#)

Mailing Address: [Same](#)

Phone Number: [\(541\)250-6411](#)

E-mail address: [JerryBMarsh@gmail.com](mailto:JerryBMarsh@gmail.com)

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#### AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: **\$2,000** Date: 04/12/2026

**Describe how the funds will be used** *(use an additional page if more space is needed):*

The funds will be used to pay for uniforms, entry fees to meets and transportation and other costs associated with restarting the programs as well as for discretionary expenditures throughout the season to bolster student/athlete participation in Toledo High School cross country.

#### PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last

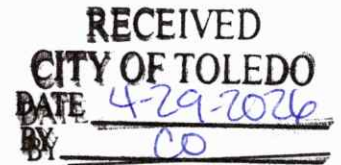
three years? No.

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| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$ |

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Toledo Chamber of Commerce is a nonprofit organization promoting tourism and growth of local businesses as well as the community at large. The chamber is a proud resource working to cultivate economic development in our town by supporting business expansion, promoting shop local initiatives, and attracting visitors. The chamber organizes and runs the annual Toledo Community Market, Classic Car Show and Swap meet, the hanging of the Valentines day hearts, Halloween Trick or Treat on Main street, the holiday Umbrella Parade, Tree Lighting and Community Holiday Party. We also support other Non-Profits efforts to create a sense of community and Tourism in Toledo including the Toledo Summer festival, The flower basket program with the Toledo community foundation, and the Community Easter Egg Hunt. In addition, the chamber hosts member networking events to provide local businesses a chance to network with each other. The chamber brings people together in ways that boost commerce and increase community involvement in a positive way.

2. Financial and management capability of the requesting organization to provide services.

The Toledo Chamber of Commerce is fiscally responsible. The chamber demonstrates its financial and management capability by functioning as a nonprofit organization that manages member dues, a budget that supports town events, and supports local businesses. The chamber has strong leadership and a loyal base of capable volunteers.

3. Positive impact the contribution may have on supplementing an activity or direct service provided by the City to Toledo citizens.

The Chamber is asking for funds to replace the Holiday wreaths that are hung during the month of December. Decorating the town for seasons and holidays really creates a sense of community and enhances town positivity by creating a welcoming, vibrant atmosphere that boosts public mood, fosters community pride, and increases foot traffic for local

businesses. Well maintained, decorated streets are a sign that the town of Toledo is well-cared for, which builds both economic prosperity as well as town joy. We have fostered the same 62 Wreaths for the last 20 years to keep this tradition and sense of pride in our community alive and these wreaths are now starting to fall apart. Most of the original wreaths were initially indoor wreaths, we are hoping to purchase outdoor wreaths with the intention that they will outlive the past wreaths and bring holiday joy and pride to our community for many more years.

4. Number of citizens receiving direct services from the organization requesting funds.

Decorating Main Street for the holiday season impacts the entire town. Businesses, families, and guests benefit from creating an inviting setting to stroll through.

Please address how your organization meets these criteria. Attach additional information (if necessary).

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| <b>ORGANIZATION INFORMATION</b> |
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Contact Person: Amber Brown

Physical Address: 311 NE First St Toledo,OR 97391

Mailing Address: PO Box 249 Toledo, OR 97391

Phone Number: 541-336-3183

E-mail address: Director@Toledooregon.org

206 N. Main Street | P.O. Box 220 | Toledo, OR 97391  
P: 541-336-2247 | F: 541-336-3521 | [www.cityoftoledo.org](http://www.cityoftoledo.org)

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| <b>AMOUNT OF REQUEST</b> |
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**Amount of Request: \$15,500**

Date: 04/29/2026

**Describe how the funds will be used** *(use an additional page if more space is needed):*



We are asking for funds to replace the Holiday wreaths that are hung on the light poles on business HWY 20 and Main street during the month of December. We have fostered the same 62 Wreaths for the last 20 years to keep this tradition and sense of pride in our community alive. These wreaths are now falling apart. Most of the original wreaths were initially indoor wreaths, we are planning to purchase outdoor wreaths with the contribution funds that will outlive the past wreaths and bring holiday joy to our community for many more years. Each outdoor wreath costs \$250 so to replace all 62 Wreaths we would need \$15,500.00 total. The new outdoor wreaths will be equipped with stainless steel frames which will certainly outlast the old wreaths that were not stainless steel. We are hopeful the City is able to help bring this to life so this 20 year old tradition isn't lost due to funding.

**PREVIOUS FUNDING**

Has your organization received funding in the last three years? No

|                                       |           |    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|----|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$ |

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| Contribution Committee Review Date:    |    |
| Recommendation Amount to City Council: | \$ |
| City Council Review Date:              |    |
| Amount Approved:                       | \$ |



**City of Toledo  
City Enhancement & In-Kind Services**

**Application Form  
Deadline: Friday, May 1, 2026**

**Please submit the completed application to:**

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City of Toledo  
Po Box 220  
Toledo, OR 97391

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**ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Organization Name:

Toledo History Center

Contact Person:

Brenda Brown, Treas.

Physical Address:

320 N. Main St.  
Toledo, OR 97391

City

State

Zip

Mailing Address:

 Toledo History Center  
PO Box 213  
Main Street  
Toledo, Oregon 97391

State

Zip

Phone Number:

541-336-1203

E-mail address:

ToledoHistoryCenter1203@gmail.com



### AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$ 2,000. / Date: 4-30-26

Describe how the funds will be used (use an additional page if more space is needed):

Funds would be restricted for payment of insurance coverage costing \$1,611. - This past year. Balance of funds will be used for office expenses.

### PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?

☐ YES ☒ NO ☐ NOT SURE

|                                       |           |    |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|----|
| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$ |
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ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Organization Name: Toledo Summer Festival Inc.

Contact Person: Jennifer Mack

Physical Address: Po Box 326  
Toledo OR 97391  
City State Zip

Mailing Address: Po Box 326  
Toledo OR 97391  
City State Zip

Phone Number: 503-930-5756

E-mail address: toledosummerfest@gmail.com





## AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$ 2,000

Date: 5/1/26

Describe how the funds will be used (use an additional page if more space is needed):

The funds will be used towards the fireworks show we put on for the community.  
Thank you!

## PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?

☒ YES ☐ NO ☐ NOT SURE

If yes, please list previous funding:

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|-----------|----------|
| 2025-2026 | \$ 1,005 |
| 2024-2025 | \$ 2,000 |
| 2023-2024 | \$ 2,000 |

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Recommendation Amount to City Council:

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Amount Approved:

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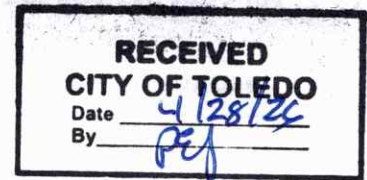


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ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Organization Name:

Yaguina River Museum of Art

Contact Person:

Susan Andersen

Physical Address:

140 NE Alder St

Toledo

City

OR

State

97391

Zip

Mailing Address:

140 NE Alder St

Toledo

City

OR

State

97391

Zip

Phone Number:

541-336-1907

Cell 541-961-5710

E-mail address:

yrmaoffice@questoffice.net



### AMOUNT OF REQUEST

Amount of Request: \$ 3,000.00

Date: 04-24-26

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**Describe how the funds will be used** (use an additional page if more space is needed):

### PREVIOUS FUNDING

Has your organization received funding in the last three years?

☒ YES ☐ NO ☐ NOT SURE

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| If yes, please list previous funding: | 2025-2026 | \$ 1,170.00 |
|                                       | 2024-2025 | \$          |
|                                       | 2023-2024 | \$          |

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## Toledo: Where Art & Industry Meet Saturday & Sunday March 7th & 8th **First Weekend Art Celebration**



### Yaquina River Museum of Art

Vicarage House Museum | 140 NE Alder Street | (541) 336-2797 - NEW LOCATION  
yaquinarivermuseumofart.com | Business Hours: F-Sun Noon-4PM

Now on Exhibit: The Permanent Collection  
"Wall Woman" by Nano Lopez Shown Here



### Michael Gibbons' Art

140 NE Alder Street | (541) 336-2797  
michaelgibbons.net

"Pink Forest Hills" Shown Here



### Bruster's Whimsy

139 S Main Street | (541) 272-2634  
<https://brusterenterprisellc.com/brusters-whimsy/>  
Cast Iron Minatures Shown Here



### Posh & Polished Salon

207 E Hwy 20  
Posh and Polished  
Holli McRae, Shining Light Candle Co. shown here

## Coming in April!



### Ivan Kelly Studio & Gallery

207 E Graham Street | (541) 336-1124  
michaelgibbons.net  
"Cliff Dwellers" Shown Here

***Proudly Sponsored by the Yaquina River Museum of Art***



# YAQUINA RIVER MUSEUM OF ART

Preserve, Make Public & Promote Art in the Yaquina Watershed

140 NE Alder Street | Toledo, OR 97391 | [yaquinarivermuseumofart.com](http://yaquinarivermuseumofart.com)



*Vicarage House Museum*

After an extensive clean out undertaken by our intrepid volunteers, we are now settled in to our new location across the street from the former Schoolhouse Museum at the newly established Vicarage House Museum.

Come stop by and check out our new space! We'll be featuring our newest exhibits on the first level along with our popular gift shop.

Additionally, the Vicarage House Museum is now open for tours on the weekends. Get the story on this historic 1926 building and the loving restoration of the property by Michael and Judy Gibbons.

As spring arrives here in Toledo, we are now gearing up for our monthly First Weekend series. Visit us and all participating locations on March 7th & 8th.



*Schoolhouse Clear Out*



*"Wall Woman" Nano Lopez  
Bronze Cast*

On display at the Vicarage House Museum will be a selection of sculptural works from the Michael & Judith Gibbons Trust, including the works of Nano Lopez, Paddi Moyer, Martin Eichinger, and Mark deGraffenreid. Original works by Museum Founder Michael Gibbons will be featured in the gallery space.

We are proud to announce two new additions to our First Weekend family: Bruster's Whimsy and Posh & Polished Salon are making their debut as First Weekend locations this March. Bruster's Whimsy will be featuring dioramas, and Posh & Polished will be displaying handmade candles by Holli McRae. For more information on First Weekend, please visit our website.

Your continued support makes events like First Weekend possible, and gives local artists a platform in their communities. To see how you can contribute, please visit [yaquinarivermuseumofart.com/support](http://yaquinarivermuseumofart.com/support) Thank you!



*Bruster's Whimsy Diorama*



**Describe how the funds will be used:**

200 Flyers per month of 1<sup>st</sup> Weekend Toledo Art Events for Saturday and Sunday created and distributed in all local businesses ½ of which is a mail out of 100 throughout the year. The flyers are posted in many locations throughout the county. The color flyer lists all participation artists free of charge. The museum has been making this event for 11 years now and many artists over the years have found it very beneficial. The museum also obtains free advertising with local media (Oregon Coast Today and Lincoln County Leader) through press releases that include photos of the artists art. Each monthly event takes a minimum of 4 hours at a rate of \$25. an hour of time working to complete the flyer and the presentation of a press release for total yearly cost of \$1,200.. The cost of printing the flyer each month is \$100. per month with total yearly cost of \$1,200. It takes another 4 hours to distribute the flyers to the artists and local business much of which is done by the volunteers of the museum. Refreshments and drinks are always included by the museum at each event which also brings in visitors with an another expense of \$50. per month for a yearly cost of \$600. This unique "1<sup>st</sup> Weekend" succeeds where other events do not in that each artist determines how much effort he or she puts forth for each event and is rewarded by making contacts with new art collectors. Please see the attached flyers example of recent flyers.

- 11 years of producing 1<sup>st</sup> Weekend Toledo Art".
- Continuous gift to all artists showing their work in Toledo for free.
- This event showcases all participation artist each month free of charge which has supported art Toledo events and gifted the artists in the community an event to help them see their art.
- 50-100 people attend 1<sup>st</sup> Weekend events each month thereby bringing more people to Toledo businesses and benefiting the artists opportunities to sell their work.
- Total cost per year is \$3,000.