

# GRANT REQUEST POLICY AND FORM

## The FreeBSD Foundation Grant Request Policy

One of the functions of The FreeBSD Foundation is to provide funds, in the form of grants, to individuals or organizations. The grants may be used for:

- Development of software for FreeBSD to benefit the user and developer community, including contract development of critical system infrastructure, porting of closed source applications such as Java(TM).
- Obtaining computers and other equipment for developers to use toward improving FreeBSD, such as the network performance cluster, FreeBSD.org cluster, and personal development systems for developers.
- Providing additional Internet infrastructure to aid in the development and distribution of FreeBSD.
- Support developer communication and coordination, including financial support for developer summits and developer travel.
- Encouraging the formation of FreeBSD user groups.
- Cultivating press coverage and advertising the utility and availability of FreeBSD.

### Directions for Applying for a Grant

If you are requesting a Travel Grant, refer to the Travel Grant Request Policy. If you are responding to an RFP, follow Proposal Submission Process as outlined at [www.freebsdoundation.org](http://www.freebsdoundation.org) (not yet implemented).

The FreeBSD Foundation will only consider grant requests related to FreeBSD. Please tell us who you are and some information about your organization. Give us a description of your project, or why you are requesting a grant. If the request is for purchasing equipment, list the equipment needed and the purpose of the equipment. It is the discretion of the FreeBSD Foundation to determine who owns the hardware at the end of the project.

Tell us how this project will benefit the FreeBSD community.

Determine your budget and how you would like the foundation to help. Determine how much funding you need within reason. Please estimate the amount in US dollars.

Expect the approval process to take up to 4 weeks before receiving the funds. Provide as much information as you can regarding the purpose of the project, who this will help, and anticipated costs. Also, how the foundation's funds will be used.

After the project has completed, a Grant Report Form must be completed. This is an opportunity for you, the grant recipient, to report on your use of the funds, effect of your program, and help us see the impact of our investment to the FreeBSD community

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# GRANT REQUEST FORM

Request Date \_\_\_\_\_

Organization Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip/Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_ Country \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mission and  
Description of  
Organization

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Description/  
Purpose of Project

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How This Benefits  
the FreeBSD  
Community

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Proposed Use of  
Funds. Include  
Estimated Cost or  
Budget.

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Amount Requested from Foundation (US Dollars)	
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**Up to 4 weeks may be required for processing this grant requests.**

**You may submit this form three different ways:**

- 1. Fill in form and click on button below when finished**
- 2. Fill in form and fax to (720) 222-2350 or mail to the address listed above.**
- 3. Print form, fill in, and fax or mail in.**

Amount Approved
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Approved By
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Date
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Title
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