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## KAFMO Community Field Assistance Grant Program

**What is it:** The Keystone Athletic Field Managers Organization will provide support to community organizations who do not have funding to buy essential materials and equipment for maintenance and repair of their athletic fields. Grant funding is designed to support individuals and organizations who lack the resources to maintain a highly playable and safe athletic facility.

**Who Can Apply:** Any person or organization who maintains community-based turf athletic facilities. Applicants will be expected to demonstrate they lack the funding and/or resources to maintain a playable and safe athletic field.

### How Does the Program Work:

1. Applicants must submit an email letter of request.
2. The KAFMO board will deliberate on the merits of the grant application.
3. Up to \$2,500 maximum per organization per year.
4. If approved, KAFMO will partner with a current KAFMO sponsor. The KAFMO sponsor will provide the approved materials, services and/or equipment and KAFMO will pay the KAFMO Sponsor directly. KAFMO will not send funds to a Grantee.
5. KAFMO may audit the grant to ensure the assistance is used properly. Failure to use the assistance as approved may result in exclusion from future grant opportunities.

**How to Apply:** Send an email letter of request to [info@KAFMO.org](mailto:info@KAFMO.org) with the following criterion:

1. Contact information: Email address, Phone number and Address of the Individual/Organization requesting grant assistance. Include the address of the Athletic Facility that funds are being requested for. If the applicant does not own the facility, then a letter of support should also be included from the entity that owns the facility.
2. Clearly outline why grant assistance is being requested. Photographs of the field in current condition are encouraged.
3. Explain in detail how the assistance will be used.
4. Demonstrate the capabilities and credentials of the individual or organization to use the assistance in a way that maximizes the grant allocation.

**How are grantees chosen:** Upon receipt of an application the KAFMO Board will deliberate at the Board's convenience. The KAFMO Board will approve or deny applicants based on the merits of the application on a case-by-case basis and at the sole discretion of the Board. If approved, KAFMO sponsors will be contacted for their assistance. KAFMO will facilitate communication between the sponsor partner and recipient.