



## Frequently Asked Questions

### **How do I know if my organization's project/program qualifies for support?**

All requests for support from Illinois Farm Bureau must align with our corporate giving priorities and be made on behalf of registered 501(c)(3) organizations. For more information, check out our [giving guidelines](#).

### **When can I apply? How will I know if my request has been selected to receive funding?**

Our application period is open year-round; however, the fiscal giving year begins September 1. Applications will be reviewed quarterly for funding consideration. (Nov 1, Feb 1, May 1, Aug 1) You can expect to hear back with a funding decision no later than 30 days after the end of the quarter when submitted.

### **How do I access the application?**

The application can be accessed via our online [application portal](#). If it is your first time applying for funding, you will need to create an account with your email and a password.

### **Can applications be mailed or faxed in?**

No. Any request for financial support must be submitted via our online [application portal](#). This allows our team to review each request easily and provide a timely response.

### **Can I save the application and work on it later? Can I make changes after I submit it?**

Once you have started the online application, you can Save your progress and return to it at a later time. When you are ready, submit your application click "Save and Finalize."

*NOTE:* Once you have submitted your application, you can no longer make edits. Ensure all information is complete and accurate prior to finalizing. You will receive a confirmation email once your application has been submitted.

### **How much does IFB generally give per request?**

While support is based on the nature and strength of each request, donations typically range from \$250 to \$1,500.

### **What if I still have questions?**

For more information, email us at [ifbgivesback@ifb.org](mailto:ifbgivesback@ifb.org).