



Fiscal Sponsorship Program

SEED's Fiscal Sponsorship program allows community-based groups to seek grants, corporate sponsorships and tax-deductible donations under SEED's exempt status as a 501(c)3 federally recognized non-profit. SouthEast Effective Development (SEED) offers **Limited Fiscal Sponsorship**, which is ideal for grassroots groups and emerging organizations in need of a way to receive grants and tax-deductible charitable donations to further their work.

Benefits of Fiscal Sponsorship

Grants: As a fiscally sponsored client, your project may be eligible to receive grants that require 501c(3) status. Our team will work with you to provide the necessary documentation to apply, and when grants are awarded, will work with you to coordinate the grant contracts, invoices, and records-keeping.

Donations: Our team can streamline the process for your project to solicit corporate and individual donations. Your project will have access to SEED's secure online donation form, or for a fee, we can create a customized donation form for your website. We can also process cash or check donations. We will send acknowledgement letters and tax receipts for all donations, however we recommend that you still send a personalized thank you to you donors.

Financial Reports: SEED will provide annual or quarterly donation and expense reports (depending on volume of activity) or upon request.

The fine print

SEED accepts projects that are aligned with the mission of SEED and/or SEEDArts and are located in or serve Southeast Seattle. The fee for SEED's Fiscal Sponsorship Service is 10% of revenue deposited with SEED.

Interested? The first step is to complete a Fiscal Sponsorship Application. If approved, you will be provided with a Fiscal Sponsorship Agreement. There is a \$100 account set up fee.

Pre-Approved Grant Fiscal Sponsorship, for short-term projects to accept a single grant, and **Comprehensive Fiscal Sponsorship**, whereby SEED offers a wider range of administrative and financial services, is available on a limited basis. Please enquire for more information.

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