



State of South Carolina Request for Contribution Distribution

This form is designed to collect the information required by South Carolina in accordance with Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act and Executive Order 2022-19. This form must be submitted to the state agency that is providing the contribution for the designated organization. The state agency providing the contribution should use this form to collect information from the designated organization. The information must be collected from the designated organization before the funds can be disbursed.

Contribution Information

Amount	State Agency Providing the Contribution	Purpose
\$50,000.00	P280 - Department of Parks, Recreation, and Tourism	To support upfit (provide upgrades and enhancements) for National Shelter System site designation of the Center.

Organization Information

Entity Name	Tri-Community Center (dba Tri-Community Center, Inc)
Address	Mailing: 2509 Hwy 311; Physical:1708 Poplar Hill Drive
City/State/Zip	Cross, South Carolina 29436-3526
Website	currently under construction
SCEIS Vendor #	7000291023
Tax ID#	57-0929247
Entity Type	Nonprofit Organization

Organization Contact Information

Contact Name	Bernard Gilliard
Position/Title	Executive Board Chairperson
Telephone	(803) 622-0851
Email	cola.dist.ced@gmail.com

Plan/Accounting of how these funds will be spent:

Description	Budget	Explanation
Demo of current floor covering and prep floor surface	\$12,000.00	
Epoxy Flake Blend (or related material) Flooring	\$38,000.00	The selected (exact) flooring type/material is yet to be determined.
		However, all the selected flooring and supporting material/supplies needed will be within the scope of work and budgeted amount submitted.
Grand Total	\$50,000.00	

Please explain how these funds will be used to provide a public benefit:

The geography and resident population's epi-profile across socio-economic indicators both support and confirm the need to have a designated National Shelter Site (NSS) facility in this area of Berkeley County. As a designated pre-disaster facility, the Center will function as an information hub, a pre/post event staging and point of distribution site, and as/if needed a shelter or special medical needs shelter to serve the local rural communities in Northwestern Berkeley County.

Once fully functional as an upgraded/retrofitted facility, the Center will apply for formal NSS inclusion to the local registry of designated sites to receive and provide additional critical resources and services to the whole of the rural communities, neighborhoods, and residents. The completion of the upfit project will benefit the communities, county, and state through its capacity to provide local core services to ensure the resiliency of our residents living in rural locales with the support of the great state of South Carolina.

Organization Certifications

- 1) Organization hereby gives assurance that no person shall, upon the grounds of race, creed, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which this organization is responsible.
- 2) Organization certifies that it will provide quarterly spending reports to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
- 3) Organization certifies that it will provide an accounting at the end of the fiscal year to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
- 4) Organization certifies that it will allow the State Auditor to audit or cause to be audited the contributed funds.

Bernard Gilliard

Organization Signature

Executive Board Chairperson

Title

Bernard Gilliard

Printed Name

3-Oct-24

Date

Certifications of State Agency Providing Contribution

- 1) State Agency certifies that the planned expenditure aligns with the Agency's mission and/or the purpose specified in the appropriations act.
- 2) State Agency certifies that the Organization has set forth a public purpose to be served through receipt of the expenditure.
- 3) State Agency certifies that it will make distributions directly to the organization.
- 4) State Agency certifies that it will provide the quarterly spending reports and accounting received from the organization to the Senate Finance Committee, House Ways and Means Committee, and the Executive Budget Office by June 30, 2025.
- 5) State Agency certifies that it will publish on their website any and all reports, accountings, forms, updates, communications, or other materials required by Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act.
- 6) State Agency will certify to the Office of the Governor that it has complied with the requirements of Executive Order 2022-19 by June 30, 2025.

Duane Parrish

Agency Head Signature

10/15/2024

Date

Duane Parrish

Printed Name