



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.

| Purpose |
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| Carmark / legislative grant |

| Organisation Contact Information | |
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| Contact Name | Rockey Burgess |
| Position/Title | Mayor |
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Please explain how these funds will be used to provide a public benefit:

New playground equipment would provide significant public benefits by promoting physical activity and social interaction among children and families. It offers a safe and engaging space where kids can develop motor skills, coordination, and strength through active play. Additionally, it fosters social skills, teamwork, and creativity as children interact with peers. For families, playgrounds encourage outdoor time, contributing to healthier lifestyles and mental well-being. Upgraded equipment can also enhance community pride, making parks more attractive and inclusive spaces for all, strengthening the neighborhood's sense of community. The picnic shelter in a community park offers numerous benefits to the public, providing a shaded and comfortable space for families and groups to gather, socialize, and enjoy outdoor activities. It encourages community bonding by hosting events such as picnics, birthday parties, and local gatherings, while offering protection from sun and rain, making the park more usable year-round. Additionally, the shelter enhances the overall appeal of the park, attracting more visitors and promoting a healthy, active lifestyle in a welcoming, outdoor environment.

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.

Organization Signature

WAPV
Title

Rene Burgess
Printed Name

10/16/24
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.

Agency Head Signature

Date

Duane Parrish

Printed Name

11/1/2024