

# The Foundation

of the Wisconsin  
Automobile & Truck Dealers

## Dealer Community Challenge Grant

The Foundation Board of Directors has approved limited funding for this 2009 program.

### Guidelines

- One grant request per dealer per calendar year.
- Dealers who submit proposals to fund the same organization as in a previous year, are eligible for consideration for only three consecutive years.
- Dealers making the grant must submit a letter to The Foundation with the Grant Application that confirms the benefactor organization's status as an IRS qualified, 501(c)(3), tax exempt, charitable organization. Qualifying organizations must be within Wisconsin.
- A copy of a check issued by the dealer donor and payable to the charity is required prior to the issuance of a grant check by The Foundation. The matching grant amount will depend on the number of requests received for qualifying organizations. The matching grant check will be mailed to the dealer to be presented by the dealer and/or a Foundation representative.

### Policies

- Uniqueness, need and impact will be the criteria used in all grant proposals.
- Grant proposals that are duplicative of The Foundation's Scholarship Program are not eligible.
- Only grant proposals from dealership owners or their corporate officers are eligible.
- Proposals promoting specific religious beliefs or political views are not eligible.

## How To Apply

### **Application Procedure**

Proposals will be reviewed by the Foundation Executive Committee on December 15, 2009 and notification of awards will be made after this meeting. An application form is required for all Dealer Community Challenge Grants. All requests must be in writing, and should include the following information:

- Complete **Dealer Community Challenge Grant Application (enclosed)**
- A copy of the IRS determination letter of determination concerning Section 501(c)(3) status.

### Mail by December 1, 2009 to:

Raymon L. Pedersen, Executive Director  
The Foundation of the Wisconsin Automobile & Truck Dealers  
P. O. Box 5345  
Madison, WI 53705

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**Foundation**  
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**2009 COMMUNITY GRANT PROPOSAL**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Organization that will benefit from Grant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Fax Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Staff Officer/Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Person/Title

Does this organization have federal tax-exempt status?  Yes  No If no, please explain,  
otherwise please submit a copy of your charity's IRS tax exempt status letter.

Your Name/Title \_\_\_\_\_

Dealership Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Amount you will pledge (greater than or equal to \$500) \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe benefactor organization and/or program \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Will any part of this grant be used for administrative cost or fund raising?

Yes  No If yes, what percentage \_\_\_\_\_

The undersigned, submits this Community Grant Proposal for consideration and certifies that  
the above information is true and correct.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FAX by December 1, 2009 to: Ray Pedersen, Executive Director at (608) 251-4379**