

PASSPORTS

with purpose

WE BELIEVE IN THE POWER OF TRAVEL TO CHANGE THE WORLD.

Passports with Purpose is the annual travel bloggers' fundraiser. We harness the power of our community and, through \$10 donations, raise funds to support tangible projects around the world that serve local communities.

Past years' programs include the building of a school in rural Cambodia (\$35,000), 25 homes built for a Dalit (untouchable) community in Southern India (\$65,000), two libraries built in Zambia (\$90,000), five wells in Haiti (\$110,000) and two schools and two adult literacy programs in Mali (\$84,000).

The fundraiser is held for approximately 2 weeks in November/December each year.

Submission details:

- Submit a completed Funding Application (below) with all details filled out and saved as a PDF.
- Email completed Application to: info@PassportsWithPurpose.org
- Deadline for submission is May 15 for that calendar year.

Types of project we are interested in funding:

- **Tangible projects** that have a start and finish date.
- Those that provide **high impact** to an entire community.
- Those that **directly benefit women and children** are given priority though this criteria is not required.
- Those in developing nations are given priority due to the ability of making a larger impact with fewer dollars.
- Projects that support **basic human needs**.

Applicants must fit the following criteria:

- Organization must have a track record of at least 3 consecutive years of success with previous projects.
- Must have ability to provide regular updates on progress throughout the project (pre, mid and post).
- No religious affiliation for the applying organization or beneficiaries.
- Ability to accept funds via PayPal.
- Must be a US-based not-for-profit organization.

Notification Process:

Applicants will be notified no later than July of the calendar year for which they are applying.

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Please submit this application form to passports-with-purpose@googlegroups.com and copy info@PassportswithPurpose.org.

Organization/Project name: _____

Date of application: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone number: _____

Website: _____

Contact name: _____

Contact email: _____

Describe your funding request in detail. Note location, expected start and completion dates, who the project benefits and any other pertinent details.

Describe your organization's overall mission in 2-3 sentences.

Tax status: _____ Date of incorporation: _____

Total annual budget of your organization for the current year: \$ _____

Number of staff: _____

On another page, please share information about any efforts made to ensure your organization, both board and staff, reflect the constituency you serve.