

Resolve to make Greenpoint Greener in 2018

Submit a proposal to the Greenpoint Community Environmental Fund

Due by 3/15/2018

Go to www.nfwf.org/gcef to learn more and apply

Highlights of the GCEF Request for Proposals (RFP)

What types of grants are available? The goal of the GCEF is to secure significant environmental improvements in Greenpoint; and to support projects that address community environmental improvement priorities, such as improving water quality, groundwater, open space, toxic pollution, and air quality. Priority will be given to projects that:

- Sustain the benefits of past GCEF-funded work by supporting maintenance, organizational capacity, or enhanced community engagement;
- Extend the impact of past GCEF-funded work by targeting a new area of Greenpoint or a new Greenpoint audience; and/or
- Implement a new project that will realize environmental benefits for a significant portion of the Greenpoint population.

What is not eligible for funding? Funds may not be used to support political advocacy, fundraising, lobbying, or litigation. Monitoring, data collection, or data use projects must already have an approved Quality Assurance Project Plan from a public agency or the GCEF to be considered for funding.

What are the size of grants? Grants will range in size from \$25,000 to \$100,000.

Who may apply? Eligible applicants include non-profit 501(c) organizations, local government, and academic and educational institutions. Individuals and for-profit businesses are not eligible.

What is the geographic boundary of the GCEF? For the purposes of the GCEF, Greenpoint is defined as the area of Brooklyn encompassed by 11222 Zip Code and the entirety of McCarren Park as shown on the map at www.gcefund.org

When must projects start and end? Projects must start within one (1) month of grant award notification (expected to be July 15, 2018); and be completed by July 1, 2019.

Want to learn more about how to apply? Sign up at nfwf.org/gcef for the **GCEF Grant Applicant Webinar January 24th, 2 to 3 PM**

