

In 2021, First Presbyterian Church of Highlands received a generous bequest. The congregation never expected such a generous gift, and our gratitude is immense. The opportunity to share this gift with the community and beyond in ministry and mission only expands our gratitude! The First Presbyterian Church of Highlands Annual Gratitude Gift is our way of sharing what we have received, trusting in God's amazing ability to use what we share with each other to spread love, peace, and justice in God's world.

Name of Organization: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Website: _____

1. How would you consider usage of a one time gift of up to \$50,000? This may include an existing program or a new initiative:

2. Is there a specific need, program or space that is critical to the success of your organization's mission? _____

3. Has a study been completed on any endeavors and specific needs identified? If so, please give a brief summary.

4. If you are involved with a capital campaign, what is the expected purpose and outcome?

5. Regarding the above, at what stage are you currently with the fundraising effort? What percentage of the needed amount has been secured?

6. When do you expect completion of the project?

7. Please identify the population that would benefit from a gift of this size and how it would affect their lives.

8. How would your organization sustain any project funded with this gift?

9. Do you have additional funders to partner with for the best usage of all or part of this gift? Is this information available to share?

10. Do you have a recent tax form 990 to share with us?

(Please attach first two pages.)

What year? _____

11. Do you have a Board of Directors? _____

Please include their names:

12. What person in your organization would be the appropriate person to contact?

Title and phone number: _____

13. What other information can you share that would be beneficial to us in making decisions. Please attach a narrative if needed.

Your time and effort is appreciated. If possible, please fill out this form and scan it to jkmarkley1@gmail.com or mail to:

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The committee asks that this form be completed and returned by November 30, 2023 . Questions are welcome and can be directed to:

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