

Salem Quarterly Meeting (NEYM) Funding Request
due 3/31/16

Currently, Salem Quarter's funding guidelines lean strongly toward making grants that arise from the meetings of the quarter and nourish and encourage a vital spiritual condition in those meetings, and strong bonds between them.

Criteria:

to nurture and encourage a vital spiritual condition in Salem Quarter, we are looking for proposals in these 3 areas which...

1. Encourage outreach (and inreach) in individual Meetings of Salem Quarter, so we know who we are and we share the gift of our faith with the world. Inreach involves getting to know each other better, especially in all things spiritual. Outreach includes publicity, public programs that bring people to the meeting and participation in community events. A well documented proposal will describe the program or action, including dates, and include projected costs and anticipated funding sources.

or

2. Encourage the corporate leadings of our Meetings, of committees within our Meetings and of working groups made up of individuals who come together from multiple meetings. We are especially interested in those proposals which involve interaction among Meetings and individuals in the Salem Quarter community. These should go beyond the regular committee work of the Meeting. New initiatives are encouraged. A well documented proposal will include a letter from the Meeting or Meetings describing the relationship of the leading to the Meeting(s). Such a proposal will also include projected costs and anticipated funding sources.

or

3. Encourage individual leadings and ministries which are grounded in and provide spiritual nourishment for our Meetings. A well documented proposal will include information about how the leading has been tested from the applicant's spiritual community (Meeting, YAFs.) This could be a travel minute or report from a clearness committee. It will also indicate how the individual and the community intend to be spiritually and practically accountable to each other, whether through a standing committee or some other means. Such a proposal will also describe the travels or activities the individual is led to, including time span, costs and any other funding sources. The committee will weigh the ability of the community to financially support travel and ministries in considering size of grants.

These three funding areas are listed in the order of priority for grant-making by the committee.

How to apply

Fill out the information requested on page 2.

Provide information about meeting support of the effort/project to be funded (letter from meeting, report from a clearness committee, minute of the meeting or the ministry & counsel Return it, by mail or email (as an attached file, not in the body of an email!)

to

salemQMclerk@neym.org

Applications are due by March 31 in the spring and September 30 in the fall..

The Quarterly Meeting Funds Committee reviews the applications and makes recommendations to the Quarter which meets for business the 4th Sunday in April and October. Approved grants will be distributed immediately after that meeting.

Date _____

Applicants' Name _____ Meeting _____

Address (street) _____

Address (city, state, zip) _____

Email _____ Phone _____

TYPE of GRANT choose one:

- Outreach/inreach
- Corporate leading/cooperative work of 2 or more meetings
- Individual leading or ministry

Program name/short description- REQUIRED:

Detailed description:

(Give us a sense of what leading this grant will enable. Tell us who, what, where, when, for how long, and why. If you have a support committee let us know that.)

Supporting documents (minute from business meeting approving a program or action by your meeting or report from a committee of your meeting; travel minute, report of a clearness or support committee for an individual) list file names or titles.

Amount Requested:

Can your meeting financially support this? To what extent?

Budget:

If other funds will be needed, provide an estimate of how much and a sense of other funding sources.

If this grant is approved:

whose name should be on the check? _____

what address should it be sent to? _____
