## THE PHILADELPHIA FOUNDATION

*Please read below to determine whether or not your organization is eligible to apply for funding from YOUTHadelphia.* 

## To be eligible for a YOUTHadelphia grant an organization must:

- Demonstrate how the program/project is youth-led, an initiative largely devised and implemented by young people
- Hold a 501(c)3 tax exempt status or a fiscal sponsor
- Have at least three years of audits or Form 990's
- Have at least one full-time staff member
- Complete child abuse clearances for all staff and volunteers who work with youth

## Ineligible organizations include:

- Schools (K through 12): Public, independent, parochial and other private schools and programs that support curriculum development for these institutions.
- Agencies with operating budgets greater than \$10 million (including restricted and temporarily restricted funding).
- Colleges and university academic or general purpose departments.
- Centers and programs housed in universities that raise less than 75% of their funding.
- Cemeteries.
- General childcare agencies.
- Government agencies: Agencies and departments of local, state or federal government (and their fund-raising arms).
- Libraries.
- Organizations that are located in and serve a constituent base outside of the geographic area served by The Philadelphia Foundation.
- Organizations that discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, gender identity, sexual orientation, age, disability, or any other legally protected characteristics.
- Umbrella funding organizations for the sole purpose of re-granting.

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