

Application for Fresh Expressions Micro-Grants

Please provide the following information and answer the questions about your plans. A few sentences should be adequate.



Name, address, contact info of applicant:

Date of application:

Name of Fresh Expression **project**:

Name of local church and pastor (If applicable):

Please provide a **letter of support** from your pastor or District Superintendent.

Please describe your **vision** for your project and how it is a Fresh Expression of the church:

- How many people do you believe this project has the potential to impact?
- How will this Fresh Expression form Christian community?
- How will you measure “success”?
- Have you ever tried anything like this before? If so, please share...

Please describe the **kind of people you believe you will reach** with your Fresh Expression (e.g., retirees, boaters, bikers, young entrepreneurs, youth, migrant workers, etc.)

Who is **involved** in this project with you? What kind of “team” have you developed?

What is your projected **timeline**?

- How will you start?
- Where do you hope to be in 3 months, 6 months, 1 year?

Micro-grants of \$100 to \$1,500 are available.

- How will you **utilize those funds**?
- What other resources do you have?
- What resources will you need to sustain your Fresh Expression?

Please **share other experiences** you have had starting/leading the formation of something new.

What **potential obstacles** do you foresee?

What **spiritual disciplines** will you be using to support this work?

Please complete these questions, attach your letter of support, and send to Matt Harrell, the conference Fresh Expressions Coordinator, at mharrell@flumc.org.