

# Mobilizing America for Refugees Grant Application

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Our nation was built on the value of welcoming others and has always been home to those seeking freedom, safety, and opportunity. Today, that promise lives on in our communities, where nearly 51,000 Afghan refugees will be welcomed into the United States this fall.

Many already are here; others will arrive from overseas bases in the coming weeks. This is a population in dire need of assistance. [The Schultz Family Foundation](#), [Stand Together Foundation](#), [Starbucks Foundation](#), [Welcome US](#), and [Hello Neighbor](#) recognize the critical role communities and community-based organizations play in welcoming our new neighbors to the United States.

There has been a noticeable groundswell of interest among Americans from all walks of life in helping Afghan refugees in particular. People want to volunteer, to donate clothes and furniture, and to welcome Afghans to their new communities.

**This is what Americans do**, step up and come together to solve problems and build community.

And it's going to take a village. Resettlement agencies need the support of the community leaders, social entrepreneurs and change makers around them to meet this moment.

We're looking for those change makers. The veterans that stepped up to form a new organization to help, the faith leaders that welcomed new neighbors into their communities, the employers working to bring refugees into their workforce, the community-led organizations with networks of ready and willing volunteers.

If this sounds like you, we want to meet you and invest in what you are doing. Click '**next**' to see if you're eligible to apply for community grants to support your work and advance the vision of an open and welcoming America.

**The deadline to submit an application is November 15, 2021.**

**Tell us a little bit about who is filling out this application.**

What's your name?

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What's your role or position?

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What is your email address?

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What is a good phone number to use to reach you for follow-ups?

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How did you learn about this opportunity?

- ☐ Referral from Partner Organization
- ☐ Social Media Post
- ☐ Found the opportunity on my own

Who can we thank for the referral?

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**Now, let's get to know your organization.**

What is the name of your organization?

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What grant size would you like to apply for?

\$15,000

\$45,000

Other

If other, please enter your desired grant amount:

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**Operations**

Is your organization qualified as tax exempt under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3)?

☐ Yes

☐ No

☐ No, but I have a fiscal sponsor

What is the primary state in which you operate?

*If you work in multiple states or territories, please pick the one where you serve the most refugees.*

▼ AL (1) ... WY (50)

Q39 What is the primary city/town/region in which you operate?

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If you have a website or social media account please share it here to help us better get to know you better and learn more about your work.

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**On to the good stuff, let's learn more about the impact you're driving!**

Do you operate in a community that has been [designated](#) to receive Afghan refugees or parolees?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ I'm not sure

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What is your best estimate of the number of Afghan refugees or parolees that will be coming your community?

- ☐ 1 - 100
- ☐ 101- 500
- ☐ 500 – 1000
- ☐ 1000+

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How does your organization support or plan to support welcoming Afghan refugees and parolees into our communities?

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(Optional) Tell us about a refugee you have worked with recently that inspires you. What do you want others to learn from their story? This will give us a little more insight into the relationships you are building through your work.

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Describe your partnership with a resettlement agency you are working with. How does your work support and complement what they are doing?

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**Almost there! Please upload any relevant documents for your application.**

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**IRS determination letter of tax-exempt status (if applicable)**

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Most recent **audited financials** (if you do not have recent audited financials, please include an equivalent such as a financial report and/or the most recent 990)

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Brief **letter of support** from your resettlement organization partner (if you want to get creative, you can also submit a photo or short selfie-style video of you and your partner describing the partnership).

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**Other** (you can use this space to upload bios, list of board members, testimonials, etc.)

I certify that all of the information I provided in this application is true and accurate, and acknowledge that information included in my application is subject to Stand Together Foundation's [Privacy Policy](#). I understand that my application may be shared with other partner funding organizations for the purposes of funding review and partnership opportunities.

Once you sign this page please click '**next**' to finalize your submission.

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