



Upper Schuylkill Downtowns Design Challenge Grant Program

Grant Application



Applicant Information:

Name Business Name Property Address Town Zip Code Mailing Address (if different) Business Phone Business Fax Home Address Home Phone Email Address Social Security or EIN Number

Property Owner Information:

Are you the owner of record of the subject property? Yes No - If no, please complete the next four lines of information and attach a copy of the lease agreement

Property Owner's Name Address Town Zip Code Home Phone Cellular Phone Email

Select Project Category which best applies:

- Signs, Awnings (up to \$3,500) Murals (up to \$3,000) Storefront (up to \$5,000) Exterior Painting and Restoration (up to \$5,000) Additions and Architectural Elements (up to \$5,000) Corner, Stand Alone, or End of Row Building (up to \$10,000 per building per five years) Exterior Lighting (up to \$1,000) Visible Roof (up to \$3,500)

Note: Please see Pages 3, 4, & 21 of Upper Schuylkill Design Guidelines for Requirements and Approval Process.

Amount of Grant Request Available Matching Funds

Brief Project Description

The Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act (43 P.S. 165-1 et seq.; 34 Pa. Code 9.101 et seq.) may be applicable to this project if total project cost exceeds \$25,000. If applicable,

the grant recipient is responsible for including prevailing wage rates in all bid documents, specifications, and construction contracts pertaining to the Project. The Department of Labor and Industry (L&I) has final authority to make all prevailing wage applicability determinations.

Anticipated Start Date _____ **Anticipated Completion Date** _____

Additional Funding Source(s) – check all that apply to your project

- Cash
- Bank Loan
- Other (please specify and describe) _____

Applicants must supply the following to be considered:

- Grant Application
- Copy of paid Real Estate Tax Receipt
- Three (3) complete copies of the following:
 - Complete, detailed written description of the proposed project
 - Complete set of plan(s) and/or drawing(s) of the proposed project
 - Paint color samples and finishing material samples if appropriate
 - Schematic(s), photographs for each eligible project
 - Contractor and material cost estimates for each eligible project
 - Matching fund verification, proof of financial responsibility
 - Signatures of the applicant and property owner

By signing below, the applicant agrees to follow the terms and conditions as printed in the program guide “Improve – A Guide to Storefront and Property Design in Upper Schuylkill Downtowns.”

Signature of Applicant _____ **Date** _____

Signature of Property Owner (if different) _____ **Date** _____

To submit grant applications, contact:

Girardville PRIDE

Kathy Centiole Martone (570)875-2764

Or mail completed application to:

Girardville PRIDE

PO Box 42

Girardville, Pa 17935

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Target Area Location?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Code Compliance?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
Design Committee Approved?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Financial Responsibility?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

Signature of PRIDE Design Committee Chair _____ Date _____

Executive Director Upper Schuylkill _____ Date _____