



# META LOCAL COMMUNITY FUND

## Grants to Non-Profits in East Palo Alto and Belle Haven Community

### WHAT IS IT?

Grants of up to \$10,000 are available for non-profit programs serving East Palo Alto and the Belle Haven community of Menlo Park.

### HOW TO APPLY?

Please visit our website for the link to the online application portal:

<https://www.venturesfoundation.org/programs/community-initiatives/meta-localcommunity-fund/>

**Submit your application by August 30, 2024.**

Applications will be reviewed by the advisory board of the Meta Local Community Fund. Grantees will be notified by October 1, 2024.

Contact [slira@venturesfoundation.org](mailto:slira@venturesfoundation.org) with any questions.

### WHO CAN APPLY?

All organizations that meet the following criteria are welcome to apply:

- 501(c)(3) non-profits with a history of success in providing services to the Belle Haven community of Menlo Park.
- 501(c)(3) non-profits with a history of success in providing services to the East Palo Alto community.

Please note:

- This year we are looking to support small, grassroots programs that have a big impact, and ***preference will be given to agencies with an annual budget of \$1.5 million or less.***
- An organization may apply for ***one grant*** each cycle. For example, please do not apply for a grant in Belle Haven and another one in East Palo Alto.
- If the Meta Local Community Fund has funded your organization in the past and you would like to apply again, ***please provide an overview of the results of the most recent grant in 500 words or less.*** (This overview can be uploaded with the online application if it has not been previously submitted.)
- Public agencies, schools, and school foundations are not eligible.
- Nonprofits providing programming on a school campus are eligible. ***Please provide a letter of support about your work from the school principal/director or authorized school personnel.***



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