

TZEDEK – COLLECTIVE LIBERATION GRANT PROPOSAL RUBRIC

CRITERIA	EXCEEDED	MET	APPROACHED	NOTES
Relevance to Collective Liberation	Fosters a climate of collective liberation among community and inclusion among groups to enrich an understanding and respect for all. Designed to encourage collaboration and connection in the community. Clearly addresses a need of the community as it relates to collective liberation.	Seeks to support a climate of collective liberation among the community. Has the potential to encourage aspects of inclusion among community and groups. Provides adequate information related to the needs of the target audience as it relates to collective liberation.	Somewhat related to collective liberation; however, may not directly address it. Does not clearly articulate the need as it relates to collective liberation.	
Innovation	Proposed project reflects research and a process of creative thinking that do not currently exist in the community, while seeking to advance collective liberation.	Project idea reflects an understanding of research and the process of creative thinking, but the approach may not sufficiently target collective liberation in the community.	Project idea reflects some attempt at research and creativity, but approach may not be completely realistic when it comes to collective liberation in community.	
Potential for Ongoing Impact	Project has clear potential for effective implementation. Proposal explains the project's impact on the community and how it ties into fostering collective liberation. May also include submissions of support from colleagues and community.	Project has potential for ongoing impact. Proposal, however, does not go into much detail in explaining the project's potential impact on community and/or how it ties into collective liberation.	Project has potential for impact, but implementation plans may need to be adjusted.	
Capacity to Make an Impact on Targeted Group(s)	Project is clearly designed to reach and/or is applicable to the targeted community or communities.	Project seems appropriate to reach the targeted community or communities.	Project seems designed to reach a fair number of groups and/or individuals in the community.	
Collaboration	Project demonstrates meaningful collaborative effort with other organizations and/or reaches out to a diverse range of people and groups.	Project demonstrates a collaborative effort within a specific population. May also reach out to other people and groups.	Project is not presented collaboratively but could incorporate some efforts to reach out to others.	
Budget	Budget is reasonable and well thought out. It clearly demonstrates how it will maximize the funds requested.	The budget is reasonable. It demonstrates an effort to maximize funding.	The budget is somewhat reasonable, yet certain adjustments could be made to help others have a clearer understanding of the intended usage of funds.	