

June 24, 2022

To: Advisory Neighborhood Commission 3/4 G
Washington, DC 20015

On June 14, 2022, Historic Chevy Chase DC, working with other community organizations, submitted an application request for a grant of \$2,000 for support of a project to renovate historic fire and police call boxes in the Chevy Chase DC community.

HCCDC comes now to request that the application be withdrawn to be substituted by the amended application submitted herewith. The application remains substantially the same; only corrections and clarifications have been made. Please contact the undersigned if there are any questions about the substitution.

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4. By applying through the following Google form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfh87RrI5dVluJKrMJ9E4rvPjYCa8FkMgaTJIRQRhcBJ/viewform?usp=sf_link

Date: June 24, 2022

Amount Requested: \$ 2,000

Name of Applicant: Historic Chevy Chase of DC
dba Chevy Chase Call Box Project

Address of Applicant: P.O. Box 6292, NW Station, DC 20015-0292

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Web Site Address if applicable: HistoricChevyChaseDC.org

Please Circle Community Priority To Which Application Applies: (Circle one or more):

- Arts / Culture / History National Awareness Month / Education
- Extra-curricular Educational and Sports Activities for Pre-K-12 Students
- Historic Preservation Projects
- Homeless Outreach
- Neighborhood Beautification Activities
- "Friends of" Parks and Recreation Projects
- Program-Related Training or Equipment
- Public Safety Projects
- Senior Citizen Programs
- Other: _____

1. Is the applicant a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization? X Yes ___ No

If yes, please attach a copy of the exemption. Attached

If no, please describe the legal structure of the organization.

2. Has the applicant applied for an ANC 3/4 G grant before?

X Yes ___ No

If yes, when October 2004 and for how much \$ 1,500.

Did your organization receive the requested grant? ☒ Yes ☐ No

3. Does the applicant currently receive funding from the D.C. government? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, for what purpose _____;

from which agency _____;

for how much? \$ _____.

4. Is this project/activity for which the applicant seeks funding currently supported by other donors, grantors, matching funds, etc.? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please provide a list of names and amounts for no more than five key supporters: see attached statement

If no, are there plans to secure additional support? Please explain:

5. Who is the person who will be responsible for providing a follow-up report within 60 days of the grant award? Edward Hayes

6. In the space provided, provide the following: Attached

- A statement of the general purpose of the grant;
- A description of what the grant funds will be used for;
- A timeline for the project; and
- Itemized quantity and/or cost list.

The undersigned representing the applicant affirms that the information provided in this Grant Application is accurate and true to the best of his/her knowledge.

Signature

Printed Name

Date

ANC 3/4 G INTERNAL USE

Applicant's Presentation Date: _____

Application Voted On (Date): _____

Approved: [☐]

Not Approved: [☐]

Amount Awarded: \$ _____ If approved, date check Issued: _____

ANC 3/4 G INTERNAL USE

Applicant's Presentation Date: _____

Application Voted On (Date): _____

Approved: [☐]

Not Approved: [☐]

Amount Awarded: \$ _____ If approved, date check Issued: _____

Contact ANC 3/4G

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Office Hours – 9am-12pm MWF

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Facebook – [ANC3G](https://www.facebook.com/ANC3G)

Office and Meeting Location

Chevy Chase Community Center
5601 Connecticut Ave NW
Washington, DC 20015

Mailing Address

Northwest Station
PO Box 6252
Washington, DC 20015

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June 2022

**Chevy Chase Call Box Project
ANC 3/4G Grant Application**

Historic Chevy Chase DC (HCCDC) is seeking financial support from ANC 3/4G in the amount of \$2,000 for the Chevy Chase Call Box Project. The following organizations have collaborated to accomplish this effort: HCCDC, Chevy Chase Community Association (CCCA), Ch/Art (Chevy Chase Artists), and District Bridges. We intend to renovate and improve six abandoned police and fire call boxes across the Chevy Chase neighborhood. Our plan is to clean, repair, paint, and install historic and art content about our community.

As community groups and the ANC seek to improve the beauty of our neighborhood, HCCDC and the Project team members believe that these call boxes deserve attention and that the residents in our community will benefit greatly from their renovation. The renovated call boxes will add to the beauty of our streets, and they will provide delightful and significant bits of historical information about our neighborhood. The ANC has been in the forefront to designate Connecticut Avenue as a Gateway to Washington, DC and the Call Box Project supports that goal by adding public art to our main street and neighbors.

The first box scheduled to be refurbished will be at the NW corner of Connecticut Ave and Morrison St. The box is close to the PNC Bank and the Arcade building which is listed in the DC inventory of Historical Sites. It is a neoclassical building with a limestone façade, built in 1925. It was one of the first enclosed urban malls and has a rich history. This call box is scheduled to be dedicated on September 17th. Close by is the Historic Avalon Theater, built in 1923, closed in 2001, and reopened with neighborhood input in 2003. This is the heart of the shopping and dining area on Connecticut Ave in Chevy Chase, DC.

The other call boxes under consideration at this time are located at:

- SE corner of Connecticut & Oliver (2 at this location)
- NW corner of Nevada & Quesada
- SE corner of Chevy Chase Parkway & McKinley
- NW corner of Connecticut & Kanawha

HCCDC is delighted that at present significant attention is being given to the history of our community. Three major events that have generated much of this interest are the following:

1. The Small Area Plan
2. The renaming of Lafayette Park to Lafayette-Pointer Park
3. The application that has been filed for an historical designation for the PNC Bank Building

Discussion about these matters have been extensive, vigorous, informative, and are ongoing. Important aspects of these discussions have included an appreciation for the opportunity to add to the beauty of our community and the opportunity for educational history.

The call boxes are of two types: police call boxes and fire alarm boxes. They were put in place in the late 1800's all over the city when we had walking street patrols in our community and the firemen used horse drawn wagons. By the mid-1900's these boxes had fallen into disuse. They were all stripped of their inner working parts and were abandoned in place in the early 1970's. We now have these dead warriors in our community that have been abandoned and allowed to rust.

The ANC 3/4G funds would be used for the first call boxes along Connecticut Avenue. The call box will be professionally cleaned and prepared for the artists with a baseline protective coat and a protective finishing coat in collaboration with the artists. Each box will have a QR code with information about the call box and the artist.

Please see the attached line-item budget. The expenses are for material, paint, and labor. Artists will be provided with funds for the artistic materials and a modest honorarium. ANC funds will be used, within 60 days, as follows:

- Remove rust and paint, repaint, and repair each box - \$1,200
- Artist materials and - \$300
- Casting the brass or bronze plaque - \$500

ANC funds will be matched with the following committed funds. Major contributors will be cited on a plaque on the call box.

- \$4,000 – District Bridges

- \$1,000 – HCCDC
- \$1,000 – CCCA
- \$1,000 – Little Beast Restaurant
- \$1,000 – Robert Gordon

Major contributors will be cited on a plaque on each call box.

Edward Hayes, board member of HCCDC and former president of CCCA, will serve as Chair of the committee that manages the CC Call Box Project. Robert Gordon, member of HCCDC and current president of CCCA, and Brianne Dornbush, executive director of District Bridges, will provide logistical and other support. Beth Cartland, of Ch/Art (Chevy Chase Artists), will provide focus on content and in identifying art and artists.

Submitted:

Historic Chevy Chase of DC

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CHEVY CHASE CALL BOX PROJECT TIMELINE

- June 2022 – Coordination of team members
 Raising funds
 Interviewing contractors
 Development and circulation of proposal for artists
 Identification of history and housing for inclusion on boxes
- July 2022 - Selection of contractor(s)
 Commencement of renovation of initial call box
 Review and selection of art proposals
 History statements selected
 Selection of development of additional boxes
- August 2022 - Completion of initial box
- Sept. 2022 - Community reveal of initial box (Chevy Chase Day 9/17/22)
- Oct. 2022 - Commencement of additional projects

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
DISTRICT DIRECTOR
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date:

OCT 21 1996

HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC INC
C/O MARY ROWSE
P.O. BOX 6292 NORTHWEST STATION
WASHINGTON, DC 20015-5092

Employer Identification Number:
52-1707345

DLN:

316281033

Contact Person:

D. A. DOWNING

Contact Telephone Number:

(513) 684-3957

Our Letter Dated:

March 2, 1993

Addendum Applies:

Yes

Dear Applicant:

This modifies our letter of the above date in which we stated that you would be treated as an organization that is not a private foundation until the expiration of your advance ruling period.

Your exempt status under section 501(a) of the Internal Revenue Code as an organization described in section 501(c)(3) is still in effect. Based on the information you submitted, we have determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code because you are an organization of the type described in section 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination unless the Internal Revenue Service publishes notice to the contrary. However, if you lose your section 509(a)(1) status, a grantor or contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act, or the substantial or material change on the part of the organization that resulted in your loss of such status, or if he or she acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would no longer be classified as a section 509(a)(1) organization.

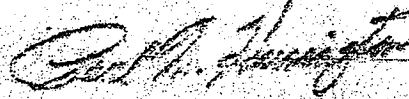
If we have indicated in the heading of this letter that an addendum applies, the addendum enclosed is an integral part of this letter.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your private foundation status, please keep it in your permanent records.

HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC INC

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,



District Director

Enclosure:
Addendum

HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC INC

Guidelines under which private foundations may rely on this determination, for gifts, grants, and contributions made after March 13, 1989, were liberalized and published in Rev. Proc. 89-23, Cumulative Bulletin 1989-1, page 844.

You are required to make available for public inspection a copy of your exemption application, and supporting documents, and this exemption letter. If you are required to file an annual information return, you are also required to make a copy of the return available for public inspection for three years after the return is due. Failure to make these documents available for public inspection may subject you to a penalty of \$10 per day for each day there is a failure to comply (up to a maximum of \$5,000 in the case of an annual return). See Internal Revenue Service Notice 88-120, 1988-2 C.B. 454, for additional information.

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52-1707345	HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC	2017	06-30-2018	07-02-2018	Pending	10065520181832177152	Get Updated Status
52-1707345	HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC	2018	06-30-2019	08-21-2019	Accepted	10065520192333129113	
52-1707345	HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC	2019	06-30-2020	10-09-2020	Accepted	10065520202834056832	
52-1707345	HISTORIC CHEVY CHASE DC	2020	06-30-2021	09-09-2021	Accepted	10065520212524907294	