

# Grant Application

The Ontario REALTORS Care® Foundation supports shelter-related charities in Ontario. Shelter is defined as a refuge, haven or protection that provides or improves quality of life from hunger, the elements, physical/psychological abuse, disabilities and illness.

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## Grant Application Guidelines & Requirements:

1. Filled out application form, including all requested information.
2. Your organization's **charitable registration or other proof it is a registered charity** must be provided with your application.
3. A copy of **Audited Statements** for the last fiscal year must be included with application.
4. A copy of current year's **Operating Budget** must be included with application.
5. Letter detailing grant request details.
6. REALTOR® Advocate endorsement letter.
7. Video presentation (no more than 4 minutes in length).

## Grant requests for the following are not accepted:

1. Budget Deficits
2. Fundraising Events
3. Endowments
4. Theatre or performing arts groups
5. Private foundations
6. Service or fraternal clubs
7. Agencies/Organizations which raise funds for distribution to other community organizations
8. Third Party organization fundraising on behalf of a shelter related charity

Submissions from a large number of organizations are received each year and the available income permits a portion of these to receive funding. An unfavourable decision from the Foundation in no way reflects the quality of the organization making the request. We thank you for considering LSTAR and the Ontario REALTORS Care® Foundation to help support your cause.

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