

Sunnyvale Cares Nonprofit Grant Program Application

Application Deadline: June 30, 2020 by 5 p.m.

Thank you for your interest in the Sunnyvale Cares Nonprofit Grant Program. Please review the grant guidelines to determine if your organization qualifies for funding. Funding will be approved by the City Council in late July 2020. Applicants will be notified of award decisions in after City Council decision.

Complete applications may be submitted in the following ways:

- Mail or Drop Off in Person: Office of the City Manager (Front Desk) Attn: Economic Development 456 W. Olive Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94086
- Email: svcares@sunnyvale.ca.gov

For questions, email svcares@sunnyvale.ca.gov or call 408-730-7607.

Name of Nonprofit organization: First Morning Light Chinese Christian Church

Name of Individual Submitting Application: Benjamin Lu

Individual's email [REDACTED] Phone [REDACTED]

Grant Amount Requesting from the City (Maximum grant amount is \$30,000): \$ 30,000

Organization Background

1. When was your organization formed?
09/21/2008

2. What is your Mission?
Provide religious service and worship to residents in Sunnyvale

3. Approximately how many Sunnyvale customers are served annually?
150

4. Describe your group's activities and the resources that support those activities.
We provide Sunday worship, bible study, youth fellowship and children bible study. There are 5 full time pastors and over 100 volunteers to support all activities

5. What is your annual budget? \$900,000

6. How do you raise funds?
Member's donation, fund raising for special events
7. How many employees does your organization have? 5 full times and 1 part time
8. What steps has your organization taken to address budget impacts due to COVID-19?
Reduce spending, i.e. canceled youth summer mission trip/retreat, canceled children VBS, etc.
9. Describe the impacts of the COVID 19 pandemic on your organization, specifically, what are the financial impacts?
There's a \$45,000 deficit per month since March 2020
10. For what purposes would this grant be used and how would it would benefit your organization and customers?
To maintain minimum facility expense, purchase personal protection equipment be prepared for re-open
11. Any other information you would like the Council Committee to consider?
Church income solely depends on member's donation. There are financial impact to most of our members due to Covid-19 and direc ly impact church income