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Chowan Community Funds Foundation accepting grant applications

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The board of advisors of the Chowan Community Funds Foundation is currently accepting grant applications for projects funded from its community grantmaking fund, according to Katharine Little Farless, board president.

Funds are available for nonprofit organizations that serve general charitable needs in Chowan County. Applications are available online beginning March 10. Visit nccommunityfoundation.org for information about applying. The deadline for submitting applications is noon April 11.

The Chowan Community Funds Foundation is an affiliate of the North Carolina Community Foundation. The community grantmaking fund was established to support local charitable needs through annual grants. In addition to Farless, board members include: Lynne Layton (vice president), Robin Sams (secretary-treasurer), John Bryant, Robert Ford, Cynthia Harding and Paul Hicks.

For further information, contact NCCF Regional Director Natalie Peel at 252-562-9824 or npeel@nccommunityfoundation.org or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has made $116 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With more than $222 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a

broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with a network of affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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