# Storytelling Event Sponsorship 2024

### Massachusetts Foundation for the Humanities

## **Eligibility**

### Amount Requested\*

Event Sponsorships are \$2000

#### Choices

\$2000

### Tax-Exempt Status\*

Select the description that matches your organization.

#### **Choices**

My organization is a currently tax-exempt 501(c)(3).

My organization or project is fiscally sponsored by a 501(c)3.

My organization is a public library

Other - your organization may not be eligible for this grant.

## Will the program(s) be free for participants and open to the public?\*

#### **Choices**

Yes

No - If you selected no, the programs are not eligible for this funding.

#### **Organization Location**

Is your organization based in one of the following cities?
Brockton, Holyoke, Lawrence, Pittsfield, Roxbury-Dorchester, Worcester

#### **Choices**

Yes

No

### Event(s) Location(s)\*

Events must take place in one or more of the following cities. Check all that apply.

#### **Choices**

**Brockton** 

Holyoke

Lawrence

Pittsfield

Roxbury-Dorchester

Worcester

### **Organization Type\***

Choose the description that best matches your organization.

Note, the following organization types are not eligible for storytelling event sponsorships:

- Individuals without a fiscal sponsor or non-profit host applicant
- Foreign and/or for-profit entities
- Universities, colleges, or academic departments
- K-12 schools

#### **Choices**

Archive

Arts-related organization (including art museums)

Community organization or center

**Festival** 

Cultural heritage organization

Higher education affiliates

Historical site/house

Historical society

Incarceration or detention facility

Independent research library

Indigenous tribal organization or community

Media organization

Membership organization

Museum (history)

Museum (other)

Nature center or arboretum

**Environmental organization** 

**Public library** 

Social services or health organization

State or national park

Other

## Applicant Organization\*

Briefly describe your organization, its mission and its typical programs.

Character Limit: 1500

## **Programs**

### **Project Name\***

Enter your Project Name as "Storytelling Events by [Organization Name]"

For example: "Storytelling Events by Holyoke Community Center"

Character Limit: 100

### Total anticipated audience for program(s)?\*

How many people do you anticipate will attend your event(s)?

Character Limit: 10

#### Use of Funds\*

List how you will use sponsorship funds. For example:

Speaker stipends: \$1000

Livestream tech support: \$700

Promotion: \$300 *Character Limit: 1000* 

Storytelling Event Sponsorships can support up to 3 events. You only need to enter information for events that the sponsorship will support.

### Program 1 Date\*

Enter the date for the event.

Character Limit: 10

### Program 1 Title\*

Enter the title for the event.

Character Limit: 100

### Program 1 Location\*

Enter the location and street address for the event

Character Limit: 250

## Program 1 Description\*

Enter a brief description of the event. What community or individual stories will be featured?

Character Limit: 1000

If you will use sponsorship funds to support additional events, complete the questions below. If not, skip to the next section.

### **Program 2 Date**

Enter the date for a second event.

Character Limit: 10

## **Program 2 Title**

Enter the title for the second event.

Character Limit: 100

#### **Program 2 Location**

Enter the location and street address for the event.

Character Limit: 250

### **Program 2 Description**

Enter a brief description of the second event. What community or individual stories will be featured?

Character Limit: 1000

### **Program 3 Date**

Enter the date for the third event.

Character Limit: 10

### **Program 3 Title**

Enter the title for the third event.

Character Limit: 100

### **Program 3 Location**

Enter the location and street address for the event

Character Limit: 250

### **Program 3 Description**

Enter a brief description of the third event. What community or individual stories will be featured?

Character Limit: 1000

## **Project Officials**

## Authorizing Official's First and Last Name\*

If awarded a sponsorship, the authorizing official named here must be the same person who esigns the award agreement.

Character Limit: 100

### Authorizing Official's Position/Title\*

\*the Authorizing Official must be from the applicant organization

Character Limit: 125

### Authorizing Official's Email Address\*

Character Limit: 254

If your organization is fiscally sponsored. Answer the questions below. If not, skip to the final section.

### **Fiscal Sponsor Name**

Enter the name of your fiscal sponsor.

Character Limit: 250

### **Fiscal Sponsor Tax ID**

Enter the Tax ID of your fiscal sponsor.

Character Limit: 11

### **Fiscal Sponsor Agreement**

Upload a signed copy of your fiscal sponsor agreement.

File Size Limit: 5 MB

## Pre-Award Agreement

### Funding Agreement Part A\*

By selecting "I agree" below, I certify the following:

- 1. Programs awarded Storytelling Event Sponsorship will not:
  - Promote a particular political, religious, or ideological point of view.
  - Advocate for a particular program of social or political action, or for specific public policies or legislation.
- 2. Any funds granted as a result of this application will not be used for any of the following:
  - Promotion of a particular political, religious, or ideological point of view.
  - Advocacy of a particular program of social or political action
  - Support for specific public policies or legislation
  - Lobbying
  - Purchase of land or facilities, or the cost of construction or renovation
  - Debt or deficit reduction
  - Endowment of capital campaigns
  - For research or feasibility studies

#### Choices

Yes, I agree.

### Funding Agreement Part B\*

By selecting "I agree" below, I certify the following:

- 1. The statements contained herein are true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent statements or claims may subject me to criminal, civil, or administrative penalties.
- 2. The applicant organization assumes all responsibilities as grantee and may not operate simply as a fiscal agent.
- 3. The applicant organization's Authorizing Official, who is empowered to accept the terms of an award agreement if a grant is made, certifies that the applicant organization agrees to submit a brief final grant report, including attendance at online events.

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Yes, I agree