



Strengthening our Community

VADNAIS HEIGHTS AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

an affiliate of MINNESOTA PHILANTHROPY PARTNERS and THE SAINT PAUL FOUNDATION

VHACF Grant Making Guidelines

Our core focus is to support education, families in need, health and welfare, and community spirit for those living in the Mounds View 621 or White Bear Lake 624 School District area.

Criteria include:

- Applicant is located within or directly serves the 621 or 624 School District area
- Applicant/organization is 501(c)(3) charity
- Organization's focus is to support education, families in need, health and welfare and community spirit

Consideration is also given to:

- Organization's management practices
- Number of previous requests
- Urgency and demonstrated need
- Number of people that will benefit within our geographic area
- Total amount requested in relation to amount available to grant and total amount of overall grant applications