



Coastal CODE Committee Advised Fund Grant Guidelines

Alaskan Brewing Co. has committed 1% of all proceeds from Alaskan IPA to support the cleanup and preservation of the Pacific Ocean and its coastlines in an initiative called the Coastal CODE (Clean Oceans Depend on Everyone). The Coastal CODE Fund, in partnership with The Ocean Foundation, provides grants to organizations and activities that promote the health of the Pacific Ocean and coastlines. Focused on the western waters of the United States, the Coastal CODE Fund grants money to projects that promote:

- Beach Cleanup Activities
- Water Quality Improvement
- Sustainable Fisheries
- Ocean Conservation Education
- Ocean and Coastal Preservation

Who May Apply

- USA established Public Charities (including 501(c)3 designated organizations)
- Projects or Campaigns with a designated non-profit fiscal sponsor
- Other Organizations or Individuals with a demonstrable charitable purpose (special cases)

The Coastal CODE will NOT fund:

- Projects outside of the U.S. western coastline
- Grant requests that do not respect cultural integrity, especially of Native peoples
- Grant requests that do not respect responsible use of natural resources
- Litigation, endowments, capital campaigns or land acquisition
- Requests asking for more than 10% overhead, administrative, or infrastructure costs

Solicited Proposals must be short and include the following:

1. Our one-page **application** (attached) that includes a brief description of the project or program and contact information for the primary contact.
2. A **project or program summary (not to exceed four pages)** detailing:
 - a. History of the organization
 - b. Description of the project, goals, objectives, and provisions for monitoring and evaluation
 - c. Total organizational budget, detailed project/program budget including use of TOF grant
 - d. Other sources of funding and collaborating organizations
 - e. Expected outcomes and completion date
3. A copy of the organization's (or its fiscal sponsor's) proof of non-profit status (except under special circumstances).

The Coastal CODE Advisory Committee meets four times a year to make granting decisions. Proposal deadlines are December 1, March 1, June 1 and September 1. The maximum funding limit is \$10,000.

Submit proposals via email to The Ocean Foundation's Special Projects Director, Jeremy Linneman, at jlinneman@oceanfdn.org. Please do NOT send duplicate copies via regular mail.

Organizations should expect final notification within 8 weeks upon proposal submission.