**Ridgewood DeMolay Fund for Excellence Grant Request**

Ridgewood Chapter Order of DeMolay No 1281 was established in August of 1928 and functioned for many decades. When they closed they left a Certificate of Deposit that was recovered by New York DeMolay. In consultation with senior leaders of DeMolay and the approval of the Most Worshipful Richard J. Kessler, Grand Master of Masons, the proceeds from this Certificate of Deposit will be used to make grants to support activities at the regional and chapter level focused on membership development, membership retention, United Masonic Youth, or other special projects. The award of the grant is at the sole discretion of New York DeMolay. Completed applications may be forwarded to [PWBrusoe@gmail.com](mailto:PWBrusoe@gmail.com). No money will be paid out to an individual, and an after-action report is required on all grants of funds.   
  
**Name of Person Requesting Funds:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
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**Chapter/Region:**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
**Is this grant for?** Membership Development Membership Retention   
  
 United Masonic Youth Other  
**If other please describe:**  
**Title of Grant** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
  
**What is the goal of this grant request? (NTE 250 words)  
  
  
  
  
  
  
How will you measure success? (NTE 500 words)  
  
  
  
  
Describe how the grant money will be used? (NTE 500 words)  
  
  
  
  
  
Has the Chapter or Region ever done something similar to this before? (NTE 500 Words)  
  
  
Please include an itemized budget below or attached  
  
If NY DeMolay cannot fund the entire grant, would the event still happen? Or how would you adjust the budget?  
  
This request was approved by the Chapter’s Advisory Council on**