



Missouri Community Betterment Educational Fund, Inc.

Annual MCB Community Visit

An annual visit is provided at the request of the MCB community. The visit is tailored to the needs of the community and can include: Assistance with planning, developing a survey, and technical assistance to name a few. MCB staff will bring individuals up to date on MCB events, programs, webinars and other benefits being offered to MCB communities. Additional visits can be scheduled upon request for a minimal fee.

Missouri Rural Funding Team

The team provides a mechanism for communities to find potential funding for a project(s) in their community. MCB will assist the community by searching for resources that might fund this project(s). Simply fill out a “Before You Ask” form to get the process started.

Annual Conference

MCB holds an annual conference in the fall for all of their community members to attend. Educational and motivational sessions on topics relevant to the attending communities’ needs are offered. The communities who participate in the project submission will be recognized at the conference during the awards ceremony. It is an excellent opportunity for individuals to share ideas, network and become inspired by others.

Exclusive “MCB Communities” Section of Website

Many samples of documents and assistance your community will need for planning and implementation are available. A searchable project listing is available for 2012 – 2015 projects as well as general project lists going back to 2006 for all MCB Communities. The site gives you access to a “Resources Directory” which contains links and connections to funding resources for potential community projects through various state agencies, organizations and foundations, statistic information, business start-up tools, grant writing information, and much more. The Online Forum allows access to all MCB communities. Ask and receive answers from communities like yourself.

Webinars & Regional Meetings

Webinars – A minimum of 4 educational webinars are offered annually at no charge. Topics have included Grant Writing, Successful Student Leadership and Social Media Basics.

Regional Meetings – 6 regional meetings are held across the State of Missouri annually. These meetings offer another opportunity for MCB communities to learn the latest news and resources available.

Annual Project Submission & Awards, Monthly Newsletter, E-blasts!