



JUNIOR LEAGUE OF LAFAYETTE

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PRESS RELEASE

JUNIOR LEAGUE OF LAFAYETTE GRANT DEADLINE NEARS

Lafayette, La – Junior League of Lafayette’s Collaborative Opportunity Grant Application deadline is nearing. Collaborative Opportunity Grants enable Junior League of Lafayette (JL Lafayette) to offer local nonprofit organizations funding for short-term projects. In addition to monetary funding, JL Lafayette volunteers assist in the planning, execution and completion of the selected project.

President, Dr. Melanie Fowler, expresses the importance of these grants, “By awarding Collaborative Opportunity Grants, Junior League of Lafayette is able to expand upon the impact these nonprofit agencies make in the community. Our collective and combined efforts are valuable in improving the lives of women and children in Acadiana.”

In the 2019-2020 League year, JL Lafayette’s Collaborative Opportunity Grants Committee awarded \$17,000 in grants and hundreds of volunteer hours to 13 local nonprofit organizations.

This year’s deadline for grant applications is 12 p.m. on Wednesday, July 15, 2020. All grant applications are to be submitted electronically to grants@juniorleagueoflafayette.com AND a printed copy must arrive via postal carrier or be hand-delivered to JL Lafayette Headquarters, located at 504 Richland Avenue, by the deadline. Any application that is received after the deadline will not be considered.

For more information, visit

<https://www.juniorleagueoflafayette.com/collaborative-opportunity-grants/grant-application/>. Please direct all questions to Adrienne Reed, 2020-2021 Collaborative Opportunity Grants Chair, by email at grants@juniorleagueoflafayette.com.

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About Junior League of Lafayette: founded in 1957, Junior League of Lafayette is committed to building a better Lafayette. Our members are extraordinary women who are dedicated to improving the community through effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. By focusing on the organization’s mission, Junior League members have raised millions of dollars over the years which have been invested right back into the community to directly impact the lives of women and children. (<http://www.juniorleagueoflafayette.com>)

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