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CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

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GRANT APPLICATION

***Must be received in our office on or before the due dates below**

Due Dates April 15th and October 15th

Date: September 20, 2017

Name of Organization (must match IRS 501(c)(3) designation) Family Advocates, Inc.

Address PO Box 705

City, State, Zip Platteville WI 53818

Phone 608-348-5995

Person Responsible for the Grant Darlene Masters

Position in the Organization Executive Director

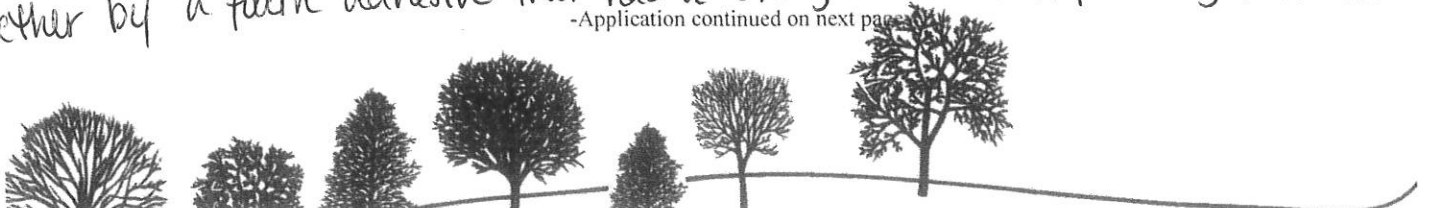
Organization's Purpose Family Advocates, Inc. provides prevention and education services along with intervention to victims of domestic violence, sexual assault and child abuse. Services are provided in Grant, Iowa and Lafayette Counties.

This application must include your organization's latest IRS Letter of Determination showing exemption and public support status. (Not required for units of Government & public schools).

Grant Request \$ 1485.00

Describe the reason for this grant request in the space below: Family Advocates, Inc. is in need of two single beds with mattresses for one of the bedrooms. These beds will replace a metal framed bunkbed that is destroying the wood floor and is difficult for clients to utilize the top bunk. An additional single bed is being requested to replace a broken bed in a different bedroom. Clients will have easier access to the beds and floors can be saved by replacing the beds. Two additional mattresses are being requested to replace mattresses that were destroyed. Those mattresses are currently being held together by a foam adhesive that has a strong odor and is not a long term solution.

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A. Supporting Information

1. Specific use of grant: This grant will be used to purchase three twin size beds and five twin size mattresses for the shelter facility. Two of the mattresses are in need of replacement due to damage. The other three mattresses along with the beds will be replacing an old metal bunkbed and a broken bed. The replacement of the beds will provide better living conditions for the clients and eliminate further damage to the wood floors where the old metal bunkbed is currently.
2. Time schedule: Beds and mattresses will be purchased upon award of grant and delivered to the shelter facility by Banworth and Udelhoven in Platteville.
3. Other sources of funding: New mattresses were purchased in 2014 through a grant from the Dubuque Racing Association; however, four of the mattresses have been destroyed. Two of these mattresses will be replaced with the new beds, and the two other mattresses will be replaced through this request as well. Funding is received through state and federal grants to support the services provided by Family Advocates, Inc. which includes sheltering of clients. Funding sources include the Department of Children and Families, Victims of Crime Act, Sexual Assault Victim Services, Emergency Food and Shelter Program, United Way, and private donations as well as fundraisers.
4. Describe the effect of postponing your request to another time: The current metal bunkbed is in poor shape and destroying the wood floors in the bedroom. It is also difficult for many of our clients to climb into a top bunk on a bed. The two additional mattresses will be replacing mattresses that were destroyed and are currently being held together by a foam sealant which has a strong odor and is not a long term solution. The third bed will replace the broken bed that is in one of the rooms.
5. Describe who, when, how and where will the effects of this grant be felt: Victims of abuse who utilize the shelter facility will benefit from having a more livable environment with single beds replacing the bunkbed for more accessibility. This can also increase the pride that clients will feel when residing at the shelter which is often a shameful experience due to the nature of the stigma behind a shelter, but with a nice, attractive, clean, and healthy living environment, clients tend to take pride in where they are living despite their situation.

B. Your organization's history, activities, services and composition:

Family Advocates, Inc. is a non-profit organization dedicated to the eradication of abuse. Prevention and intervention services are provided to victims, secondary victims and witnesses of domestic, sexual, child and elder abuse. A shelter facility with administrative offices is located in Grant County with outreach offices in Iowa and Lafayette Counties. In the 1970's a group of concerned individuals began discussing how to respond to the prevalence of abuse in Grant County and the surrounding area. At this time, a telephone hotline services was provided for victims, survivors and concerned individuals to access. Later, safe houses were offered by community members. In 1982, a shelter facility was acquired through the City of Platteville and a Community Development Block Grant. The shelter continues to house victims of abuse; however, the agency is now housed in a larger facility. The current shelter offers six bedrooms. Family Advocates, Inc. provides one-on-one peer counseling, support groups, criminal justice advocacy, medical advocacy and legal advocacy. Additionally the agency offers prevention and education services to area schools, agencies and organizations. The agency also has offices in Darlington and Dodgeville.

Attachments to this grant that we find useful in considering your grant request.

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3. Other sources of funding.
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5. Describe who, when, how and where will the effects of this grant be felt.

B. Your organization's history, activities, services, and composition. (Videos are of limited use.)

Please see attached.

Applications are considered in June and December of each year. The corresponding deadlines are April 15th and October 15th. Concise grants that address the needed information are appreciated.

PLEASE SEND THIS APPLICATION TO ELMER G BIDDICK CHARITABLE FOUNDATION:

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Internal Revenue Service
District Director

Department of the Treasury

Date: SEP 24 1982

Employer Identification Number:

39-1403784

Accounting Period Ending:

January 31

Form 990 Required: Yes No

Person to Contact:

D. B. Lacey

Contact Telephone Number:

612-725-5811

CCD 072982 CASE NO 41221703E0
FFN 410031265 EIN 39-1403784
FAMILY ADVOCATES INC
401 WARNER HALL
PLATTEVILLE, WI 53818

IRS

Dear Applicant:

Based on information supplied, and assuming your operations will be as stated in your application for recognition of exemption, we have determined you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We have further determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Code, because you are an organization described in sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi).

If your sources of support, or your purposes, character, or method of operation change, please let us know so we can consider the effect of the change on your exempt status and foundation status. Also, you should inform us of all changes in your name or address.

Generally, you are not liable for social security (FICA) taxes unless you file a waiver of exemption certificate as provided in the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. If you have paid FICA taxes without filing the waiver, you should contact us. You are not liable for the tax imposed under the Federal Unemployment Tax Act (FUTA).

Since you are not a private foundation, you are not subject to the excise taxes under Chapter 42 of the Code. However, you are not automatically exempt from other Federal excise taxes. If you have any questions about excise, employment, or other Federal taxes, please let us know.

Donors may deduct contributions to you as provided in section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers, or gifts to you or for your use are deductible for Federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of sections 2055, 2106, and 2522 of the Code.

The box checked in the heading of this letter shows whether you must file Form 990, Return of Organization Exempt from Income tax. If Yes is checked, you are required to file Form 990 only if your gross receipts each year are normally more than \$10,000. If a return is required, it must be filed by the 15th day of the fifth month after the end of your annual accounting period. The law imposes a penalty of \$10 a day, up to a maximum of \$5,000, when a return is filed late, unless there is reasonable cause for the delay.

to the tax on unrelated business income under section 511 of the Code. If you are subject to this tax, you must file an income tax return on Form 990-T. In this letter, we are not determining whether any of your present or proposed activities are unrelated trade or business as defined in section 513 of the Code.

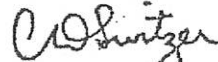
You need an employer identification number even if you have no employees.

If an employer identification number was not entered on your application, a number will be assigned to you and you will be advised of it. Please use that number on all returns you file and in all correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your exempt status and foundation status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown in the heading of this letter.

Sincerely yours,


District Director

9-20-17

Family Advocates

ATT: MELISSA.

FROM BANWORTH & UDELHOVEN

Sending Picture Sleeper All leather Black.
Avail 3 sizes w/PRICE.

Pictures 2 Woodbeds.

1 Basic FRAME.

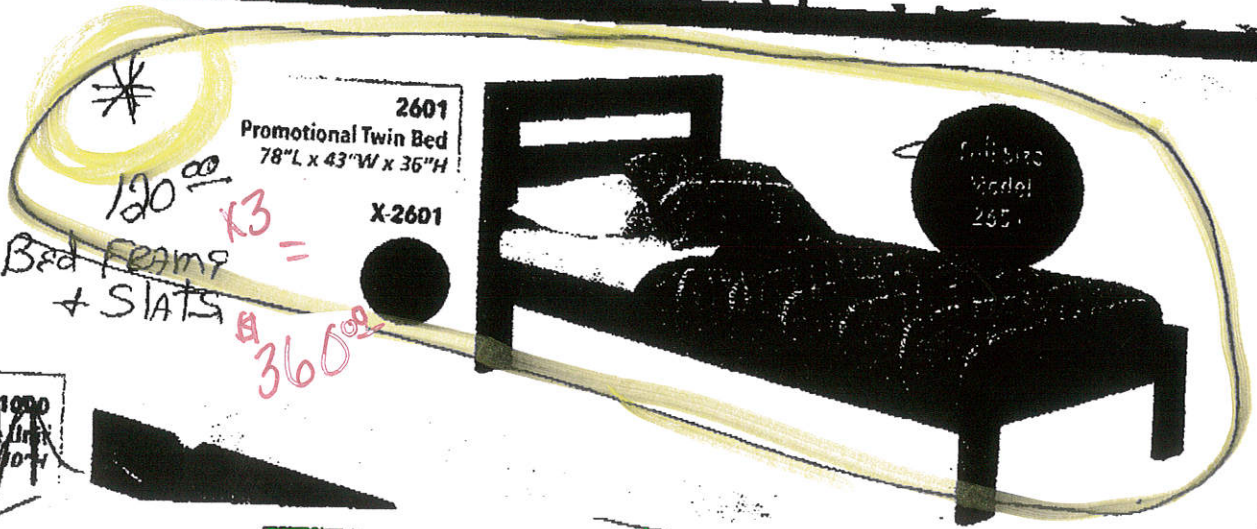
1 Bed w/ storage.

Twin Matts Waterproof 225⁰⁰ EACH.
x5 = \$1125⁰⁰

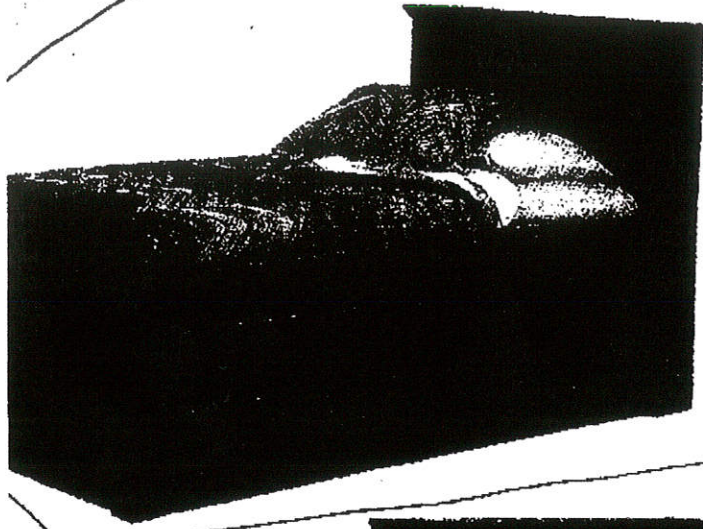
Armless Chair All leather tight seat
matching leather w/sleeper. 395⁰⁰ EACH.

~~*No pictures for send~~

DAVE BANWORTH & UDELHOVEN
608.348-9926



771000
Trundle Unit
42" x 40" x 40" H



BK1350 R
Bookcase Captain's Bed
with Storage Unit
83"L x 45"W x 45"H

X-BK1350 R

400⁰⁰
Bed Frame
w/ Storage Drawers

BK1354 R
Full Size Bookcase Captain's Bed
with Storage Unit
83"L x 54"W x 45"H

X-BK1354 R

