Application for State Revenue Sharing Funds

Organization Name: The SAFE Project		
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City: Coos Bay	**State:** OR	**Zip Code:** 97420
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Requested amount of state revenue sharing funds: $ 2,500.00

Describe your organization and how it benefits the City of Bandon community.

The SAFE Project provides emergency shelter and crisis intervention services to survivors of domestic and sexual violence, and their children, in Coos County, Curry County, and Western Douglas County (Reedsport). In 2022 The SAFE Project served over 880 total survivors. Our agency provided emergency shelter to 138 adult clients and 86 children during the year, totaling 5,521 bed nights and 16,563 meals provided in 2022. During this same year 6.5% of clients self-identified that they were residents of Bandon, Oregon, meaning that at least 57 clients served were from your community, which is a slight increase from previous years. (Please not that our aggregate data for 2023 is not complete/available at the time of this application)

Provide an overview of your budget and what funding sources are used to support the organization.

The SAFE Project is primarily support by non-competitive grant funding from the Oregon Department of Justice and Oregon Department of Human services that make up approximately 80% of our $650,000.00 budget. Additionally our agency is supported by local county and city grants for an additional 10% of our funding, with the final 10% coming from new and long-term donors as well as fundraising efforts.

Detail how the state revenue sharing funds would be used to support the organization.

Over the past several years the funds requested from the City of Bandon continue to specifically fund our TREM Support Group Program, which we were so thankful for. Our agency continues to run a remote Support Group option via ZOOM, with the cost of our new Support Group Kits being around $60 per client and including a workbook the client can use from home. We also currently facilitate a TREM support group in our emergency shelter, as well as art-based support groups, and we are nowe expanding our TREM support group program to include a specific group for male survivors, a specific group for youth girl survivors, and a specific group for LGBTQIA+ survivors (please see the attached brochure for more information on these exciting additions.) We are respectfully asking for $2500 this year to continue to support our TREM program and continue to supply Support Group Kits to our TREM clients. The City of Bandon remains our sole source of dedicated funding for the TREM Program.

Additional information (optional)

Please see are attached updated TREM brochures that include our new available support group classes as well as our 2022 Annual Report.

Signature: Rachael Espy **Date:** 04/12/24

Note: If the space provided is insufficient, additional documents may be attached to this application.

Providing crisis intervention services and emergency shelter to survivors of domestic or sexual violence in Coos County and surrounding areas.

This agency is committed to providing equitable services to all survivors of abuse.

THE SAFE PROJECT

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T.R.E.M.

In-Person & Online Hybrid
Trauma Recovery Support Group

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ABOUT TREM

TREM, an acronym that stands for the Trauma Recovery and Empowerment Model, is an evidence-based support group for survivors of physical, sexual, and/or emotional abuse.

TREM is a 15-week psycho-educational program that focuses on the neurobiology of trauma, the symptoms of trauma, how to overcome or manage those symptoms, and developing tools and confidence to live a healthy and fulfilling life free from violence.

At this time our support group is offered online and in small groups in person. Group days and times will vary throughout the year; for information on the next available group and to register please call 541-756-7000 during normal business hours or email emily@thesafeproject.net.

TREM VARIATIONS

TREM (In person)

This version of TREM is offered to adult survivors identifying as women and is held at our Outreach Office and in our Emergency Shelters.

TREM-H (Online hybrid)

This version of TREM is offered to adult survivors identifying as women online via ZOOM. Please contact us if you are in need of technical assistance.

The following groups are offered various dates/times throughout the year, dependent on obtaining a minimum of 5 registration requests per group:

TREM-G (Youth Girl Survivors)
TREM-2SLGBTQIA+ (Adult Survivors)
TREM-M (Adult Men Survivors)

GROUP EXPECTATIONS

- Respectful attitude and communication towards each other and the support group facilitators.
- Disruptive group members will be asked to leave and may risk termination from the support group program.
- Please arrive on time, have regular attendance, and active participation.
- Respect other group members confidentiality. Sharing information about other group members is not tolerated.
- We hope group members will make a sincere effort to learn valuable skills for overcoming their trauma, we are here to help.

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