




Request for Funding

- All funds must be used by May 1, 2019. A final program evaluation must be submitted by May 15, 2019. If the applicant misses the deadline but submits a final grant report by September 30th, they will be eligible to apply after one academic year. Applicants that do not submit a final grant report by the deadline of September 30th will not be considered for future funding.
- (Requests will not be accepted without the requesting parties signature)*

*****Please complete all sections.*****

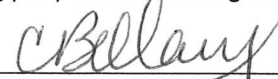
Requester:	Cindy Bellamy	
Project Title:	Agriculture Trailer	
School Name:	Mount Dora High School	
Academic Subject:	Agriculture	
Grade(s):	9-12	
Number of Students:	219	
Number of Participating Teachers:	1	
Amount Requested:	\$5,000	
Please provide a detailed budget of how funding will be expended for this project.		
Expense Category:	Amount:	Reason:
Program Materials (Consumable)		
Program Materials (Non-Consumable):	5000	Agriculture Enclosed Trailer to haul livestock, plants, equipment, for our Agriculture program to and from events such as the Lake County Fair, Mount Dora Blueberry Festival, Zellwood Tractor Pulls, etc.
Transportation:		
Program Implementation (not to exceed 10%):		
Other (Please Specify Expense):		
TOTALS	5000	

In Kind Contributions that benefitted project:		
Project Detail		
Other Funding Sources: CAP Funds (If Available)		
Program Rationale: (Why is this program important?) I teach Agriculture and act as the advisor for the Future Farmers of America (FFA.) This year is the second year that we have been named one of Florida's Finest FFA Chapters as well as receiving the prestigious FFA National Chapter Award (out of 3700 High School FFA Chapters, we are one of 35 honored.) No other Lake County School has received these awards. Our Agriculture Studies classes (219 students) work with livestock, plants, and provide numerous volunteer activities throughout our community. We do not have a farm or land lab. Therefore, our classes must see animals through a video, textbook or if available, we tow our animals in for the day and then take them back home. Currently, we have been using my (the teacher's) old horse trailer which is in terrible shape. We can no longer haul our large animals in this trailer, nor can we haul anything with any weight. In addition, we are trying to build our horticulture (plant) program. Recently, we sold over 800 blueberry bushes at the Mount Dora Blueberry Festival. However, we had to pay a hauler to move the bushes and plants. In addition, we serve the community by manning the concessions at the Zellwood tractor pulls, volunteer for the Mount Dora 1/2 Marathon and Mount Dora Twilight 5K Run, work with and voluntarily set up elementary school farms (Sorrento Elementary) as well as sponsor and volunteer at various Agriculture awareness events in our community. This includes us bringing grills, tables, food, etc. which we can no longer haul in our trailer. We are trying to purchase a school vehicle to haul the trailer. However, that will be purchased through CAP Funds. There will not be enough money to purchase the equipment we need through those funds.		
Program Impact: (How will the teachers and students benefit from this project?) The purchase of a trailer will allow us to haul our equipment, plants, supplies, etc. to various events, contests, fairs, and other activities instead of hiring a hauler, relying on parents and/or students, and/or not participating because we cannot get our equipment to said events.		
Program Evaluation Method: (How will you measure teacher and student success?) The success will be measured by the continued involvement that our Agriculture program participates in within the community as well as affording our students opportunities to participate in educational, agricultural, community, and scholastic events.		
Program Timeline: (provide a project start date and completion date) The trailer is needed immediately and will be put into action upon its purchase. It will become the property of Mount Dora Agriculture Department and FFA, and will remain in service in Lake County until it no longer functions (20 Years?)		

Program Approved By:  5/10/2019 _____
Principal Assistant Superintendent/Superintendent

(A principal, assistant superintendent or superintendent signature is required for all requests over \$2,000.00. The superintendent's signature is required for all requests over \$5,000.00. The superintendent's signature is also required for all requests for curriculum or capital expenditures (other than building improvements))

*Requesting party has read and agrees with the funding policies of the Educational Foundation.

Signed:  Date: 5/10/19

Printed Name: Cindy Bellamy Email: bellamyc@lake.k12.fl.us

To be completed by foundation staff/board

Program meets Foundation Mission/Funding Policy: Yes or No

Director Recommendations: _____

Executive Board Recommendations: _____

_____ Approved _____ Denied _____
President Signature

Date