



2017
Application Form
Keep Palm Beach County Beautiful, Inc.
Great American Cleanup Mini-Grant Program

I. PROJECT INFORMATION

- A. Project Name:
- B. Project Site Name and Full Address:
- C. Type of Project Proposed:
- D. Date(s) of Project Commencement/Completion
- E. Owner of the site: Owner permission attached: Yes No

NCON is presently getting requests from residents in the pilot project area and permission to clean/plant/spruce up the areas within their private properties.

II. APPLICANT INFORMATION

- A. Lead Organization:
- B. Type of Organization (Local Government, non-profit, neighborhood group etc):
- C. Name and Title of Contact Person/Project Manager:
- Address: City:
- Zip:
- Email:
 Cell Phone:

As the project manager, I hereby certify that all parts of the application package have been read and understood, that all application requirements have been met, that all information submitted herein is true and correct and represents the desire and intent of the applicant to install and maintain the proposed project according to the plans, specifications, and costs attached herein.

Signature: _____ Date:

Project Information Sheet

Summarize the project to be undertaken:

NCON in partnership with the City of West Palm Beach, has identified the 600-700 block of 38-43 Streets in WPB to immerse with attention from code enforcement, police, city outreach, and public and private organizations, in an attempt to improve the quality of life in this area by improving the appearance of the neighborhood, the knowledge of city rules, such as sanitation and trash pick-up procedures, by residents, and community interaction for residents and homeowners. As part of EARTH DAY, NCON plans to encourage neighborhood volunteers to work with the residents on that day to plant trees where necessary, replace plants in the traffic-calming bulb-outs with drought-resistant plants, to collect trash and debris, and provide any necessary assistance for simple rehab projects which will help beautify the area and create a sense of pride in one's community.

The project requires volunteer effort, which further helps to build a sense of community, stewardship, and awareness that beautification is a part of a thriving neighborhood.

NCON Volunteers and the residents will gather for a picnic at the Boys & Girls Club following the morning cleanup and celebration of Earth Day and Keeping Palm Beach County Beautiful.

Describe the site as it is today and why changes are needed:

The neighborhood encompasses the 600 and 700 blocks of 38-43 Street in WPB. It has minimal sidewalks, curbs, naked bulb-outs, dilapidated structures, visible debris, and downed or broken fences.

The residents need a 'helping hand' to enhance community involvement, beautification enhancement, and stewardship.

Describe the project as envisioned when complete:

The pilot project area will be litter free, tidied up, fences mended, some new paint and drought resistant plants for this small project area; and it will have a visible effect for the residents.

Describe your work plan from the beginning of the project to completion (include dates and work to be performed):

With NCON as the nucleus of volunteers, more volunteers are being recruited in advance of the event from the surrounding neighborhoods affected by the blight in the pilot area.

Groups of volunteers will gather at the Boys and Girls Club at 9 a.m. on the day of the event for assignment to a specific street to carry out the project mission (see above).

At noon or upon completion, the volunteers, residents of the pilot area, and residents from surrounding neighborhoods will gather at the Boys and Girls Club for a picnic.

Organization Information Sheet

Describe your organization in relation to the proposed project:

The Northend Coalition of Neighborhoods (NCON) is a non-profit neighborhood coalition organization comprised of residents and smaller neighborhood organizations in the Northend of West Palm Beach whose mission is to advocate for a better quality of life for all Northend Neighborhoods in West Palm Beach.

Describe the partnerships (if any) with other entities that have been formed for the project and their contribution:

The City of West Palm Beach, including the Mayor, have agreed to assist and work with NCON to improve the quality of life in this neighborhood via the creation of this pilot program. This specific event is part of the larger effort created under the pilot program.

Local businesses, such as Rybovich, have also committed their support to this effort. They will provide volunteers and help promote outreach of this event.

A very important partner is the Boys and Girls Club, which is located within the pilot project area. They will provide the location for our volunteers to meet, where the picnic will be held, and volunteers to assist during the day.

Northwood GREENLIFE (NWGL) is also a partner in this event. NWGL is a 501 c(3) whose mission is to lead and inspire sustainable living practices in the Northwood area. NWGL's knowledge will be of great use leading up to the event and throughout the day with regard to where the plantings will take place.

If applicable, describe what the organization will do to ensure the maintenance of the project for a minimum of the next 3 years:

NCON is working with the Pinewood Park Neighborhood Association to continue the community awareness and involvement, particularly to maintain their community greenery, with the goal of building a strong neighborhood association that will ensure the maintenance of the project for many years to come.

Budget Information Sheet

Please indicate below how the \$1000 funds for the grant will be used. If receiving match money or in-kind services from other sources, please detail in the second chart below.

ITEM	VENDOR NAME	QUANTITY	COST
Insurance for picnic			200
Permission for picnic site			100
PAINT	Home Depot	3 gal	100
Plantings (small tree/shrubs)	Home Depot/ drought tolerant	10	300
Dirt/Shovels/ Gravel/garden supplies	Home Depot		100
Directional Signs for event	TBD / based on quotes	20	200

If applicable:

MATCH TYPE	SOURCE	VALUE
Volunteer labor from community	Boys & Girls' Club, NCON, Neighborhoods, Rybovich, Northwood Greenlife	Unknown

TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET

\$1000.00
