



PPL Foundation

About Us

PPL FOUNDATION

Our mission is to empower communities by supporting student success from cradle to career; advancing diversity, equity and inclusion; and promoting the development of vibrant and sustainable communities.

EMPOWERING COMMUNITIES

Rhode Island Energy strives to empower the communities we serve, not only by delivering safe, reliable energy to our customers but by partnering with community organizations working to make a difference throughout Rhode Island.

We're proud to be a part of PPL Corporation, which has worked to strengthen local communities for more than a century.

The company's support for communities includes millions in donations through the PPL Foundation to community organizations, strong support of education, and employee volunteer initiatives.

This same commitment extends to Rhode Island, and we're eager to partner with community leaders and nonprofits to make a positive impact in Rhode Islanders' lives.

Funded by the PPL Foundation, Empowering Communities Grants will provide support to nonprofits in communities served by Rhode Island Energy. Grants of \$1,000 to \$50,000 will be awarded to organizations focused on education; diversity, equity and inclusion; or sustainable communities.

Focus Areas



EDUCATION

Building a strong foundation is critical to the success of today's students. Contributions in this area will support equitable and engaging high-quality educational opportunities for all students, with a particular emphasis on those in need. Programs supported through grants include, but are not limited to – early childhood education, science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) programs, literacy, summer learning and career and college preparatory programs.



DIVERSITY, EQUITY AND INCLUSION

PPL Foundation seeks to support communities where all are respected, valued and free to reach their full potential in life. Toward that end, the Foundation seeks to fund programs aimed at confronting racism and discrimination, advancing social justice and equality, improving multi-cultural relations and supporting minority-led organizations leading change in the communities we serve.



SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES

A strong community is one in which all residents are empowered to fulfill their potential. Improving the lives and well-being of residents in the communities we serve by fostering the development of safe, strong and sustainable communities is a primary objective of the PPL Foundation. Funding priorities include support for emergency and disaster preparedness, environmental conservation initiatives and neighborhood improvement programs.

