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## MANTUA SMALL BUSINESS GRANT APPLICATION

Welcome to DMRC's Mantua Small Business Grant (MSBG) program. This program is intended to support and highlight small businesses in Mantua Village by providing a \$400 grant for new projects that will enhance their presence and visibility. **DMRC awards up to 4 grants each year.** Please see the reverse for full Program Criteria on which the entries will be judged. Winners will be selected by the MSBG committee.

| Tell us in a few words how you would apply the grant and how you expect it would help your |                       |  |
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| presence in the community.   |                       |  |
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| Business Name:   | Contact Person:       |  |
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| Business Address:  | Contact Phone Number: |  |
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|  | Contact E-mail:       |  |
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Applications must be received by June 15th of each year.

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Selections will be made the week of June 21<sup>st</sup>. Presentations will be made during our annual Art On The Hill Festival the second Saturday in July. Questions? Please feel free to contact us at 330 274 4040 or email at DMRCemail@gmail.com. Thank you and good luck!

## PROGRAM CRITERIA

- Eligible project must be designed to enhance your presence in the community via
  - 1. signage,
  - 2. new or updated website,
  - 3. media advertising purchase or
  - 4. other new relevant project.
- Eligible businesses must have a physical address and conduct business within Mantua Village and have less than \$1 million in annual gross receipts.
- All projects must be historically appropriate and compliant with village ordinances where required.

Should you win a grant DMRC will give you a placard for display and arrange for an announcement with photo in a local newspaper. We ask that grant funds be used for the project which is described in your application – please don't use them for alternate projects without approval from the DMRC Mantua Small Business Grant committee.

If awarded, grant eligibility returns after twenty-four months.