

## **Reliant Energy Charitable Foundation Matching Gift Guidelines**

If you are seeking a grant from the Reliant Energy Charitable Foundation please review the guidelines below and ensure your organization aligns with our giving criteria.

The Foundation supports 501c3 organizations in the areas of education, environment, low income and research and treatment of diseases that DO NOT fit one of the below criteria:

- Individuals
- Labor or veterans organizations
- Political organizations or campaigns
- Amateur athletic programs
- School trips or extracurricular activity fundraisers
- Churches, synagogues, temples, etc.
- Organizations that limit membership or services based on race, religion, color, creed, sex, age, sexual orientation or national origin
- Private foundations
- Electricity

If your organization meets the above criteria then you may submit a proposal by for review. In addition to the proposal, a copy of the organizations W-9 form and IRS determination letter along with a list of the organization's Board of Directors must be included with the proposal to be considered for review. Also, please note that all proposals are reviewed and responded to on a quarterly basis. **Only proposals submitted by mail are accepted, do not email proposals to this email address - they will not be responded to.** Please mail proposal packet to:

Reliant Energy Charitable Foundation  
1201 Fannin Street - 11th Floor  
NRG Tower @ The Pavilions  
Houston, Texas 77002

Thank you for your inquiry,

Corporate Charitable Giving  
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