

**San Diego Chapter
American Society of Landscape Architects**

2008 COMMUNITY GRANT

Application Form and Project Summary

Application Schedule
Applications Available
JUNE 1, 2007

Application Deadline
AUGUST 1, 2007

ASLA San Diego Community Grant Awarded
DECEMBER 6, 2007

The American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) is the national professional organization founded in 1899 representing landscape architects in private, public and academic practice. Its membership extends to include related design professionals, persons whose work involves landscape architecture, and interns in landscape architecture. The ASLA mission is to lead, to educate, and to participate in the careful stewardship, wise planning, and artful design of our cultural and natural environment. The San Diego Chapter of ASLA was formed in 1976 to serve both the profession and the public on local issues dealing with the practice of landscape architecture. These issues include water conservation, political, environmental, urban design and quality of life issues. The ASLA San Diego Community Grant was established in 1997 as a result of the Chapter's commitment to the local community.

Award

1. One (1) \$5,000.00 Community Grant will be awarded this year. **Grant will be distributed quarterly, when the recipient organization submits receipts for expenses incurred in 2008. Final reimbursement request with receipts must be mailed on or before December 1, 2008.**

ASLA San Diego Community Grant Purpose

In order for the profession of landscape architecture to make its full contribution to the San Diego Community, the accessibility and understanding of the profession must be made available to all community members. This Grant is intended to educate and enhance the community on landscape architecture and/or environmental issues. **Grant awardees are requested to submit an update and digital images on the progress of the project by May 1 (images may be used by ASLA San Diego on website and in publications).**

\$5,000 Grant Award

Community groups are invited to apply for the Grant to make **landscape improvements** to their neighborhoods.

The following are examples of what the Grant could be used for:

- * Landscape Amenities: Cost to purchase & install benches, plant materials, paving, shade structures, irrigation, signs, etc.
- * Landscape Construction: The cost to construct landscape improvements.
- * Landscape Maintenance: The cost to provide maintenance of existing landscape improvements.

Eligibility

All non-profit community groups recognized by the IRS located in the County of San Diego and which have been in existence as a non-profit group for at least three (3) years are eligible to receive the Community Grant.

Submittal Requirements (see Application Form)

Selection Process

Completed submittals (including the application form, project summary, letters of recommendation and proof of non-profit status) are forwarded to the San Diego Chapter of ASLA Executive Committee for review and recommendation. Final selection will be made by a majority vote of the ASLA San Diego Chapter Executive Committee. The Grant recipient will be invited to the ASLA Design Awards (tentatively scheduled on December 6, 2007) where the ASLA Community Grant Award will be announced.

Application Form

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Community Group Name: _____

President/Chairperson of Community Group:

Community Group or Chairperson Address:

Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Name of Contact Person for the Grant:

Phone Number: _____

Fax Number: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Submittal Requirements and Deadlines

1. Application Form and Project Summary must be typed and complete.
2. Letters of Recommendation: Provide two (2) letters of recommendation from city/county officials, community leaders or business people in the community.
3. Non-Profit Status: Submit a copy of the community group's proof of IRS non-profit status.
4. Provide twelve (13) copies of the application form, project summary, letters of recommendation and proof of non-profit status.
5. All submittals must be submitted to ASLA/San Diego Chapter, P.O. Box 81521, San Diego, CA 92138-1521.
6. All submittals must be submitted in full and postmarked no later than the deadline indicated. Incomplete submittals or those postmarked after the deadline will not be considered.
7. If you have questions concerning the grant application contact Jim Taylor 760.692.1924 or the ASLA San Diego Chapter Office at 619.225.8155.

**Contact us at aslasd@sbcglobal.net if you'd like an application package (MSWord) emailed to you
Or you may print the application from our website at www.asla-sandiego.org**

NOTE: Any of the above submittal requirements not included in the grant application are cause for rejection. The submission of photos or plans is encouraged but not required.

ASLA SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION DUE AUGUST 1, 2007

AN ASLA SAN DIEGO COMMUNITY GRANT REIMBURSEMENT FORM MUST
BE SUBMITTED (WITH RECEIPTS) BY THE AWARDED COMMUNITY
GROUP WITHIN **ONE YEAR** OF RECEIVING THE GRANT

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Project summary must be typed and all items must be addressed.

A maximum of 2 pages, one sided only, may be used for responses.

1. Project Name:

2. Describe what the ASLA Grant will be used for, where the project is located (include assessor's parcel number, if known) and provide a signed letter from the property owner stating that the Grant can be used towards the improvement of the property:

3. State how the project will be implemented. Provide a project schedule and provide a project completion date (Note: The project must be in progress/completed by December 1, 2008):

4. State how the project will benefit the community in which it is located.

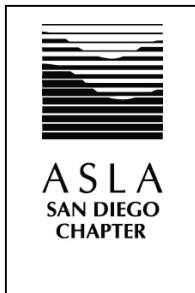
5. How will the project enhance the community's understanding of the profession of landscape architecture?

6. If the ASLA Grant fund will not pay for the project completely, state how additional funds will be obtained in order to complete the project:

7. Provide information on who will provide the long-term maintenance of the proposed project:

8. State if there will be any publicity of this project in a newsletter, web site, community meetings or press release through the Community Group:

San Diego ASLA 2007 Community Grant Recipient



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SD/ASLA Community Grant Recipients

- 2002: Euclid Avenue Revitalization Committee –
Euclid Avenue Community Gateway**
- 2003: Casa Familiar Casitas de las Forecitas –
Sellsway Street Improvement Project**
- 2004: Azalea Park Neighborhood Association –
Poplar/Fairmont Street Improvement Project**
- 2005: La Jolla Town Council Federation –
Scripps Park Project**
- 2006: Point Loma High School Foundation –
Project S.C.A.P.E. Landscape Plan**
- 2007: San Ysidro Business Association –
Street Tree Improvements**