

COUNCIL GROVE AREA FOUNDATION
APPLICATION FOR GRANT

1. Organization Name: Council Grove Softball Club
2. Address:

<u>310 S. Chautauqua St.</u>	<u>Council Grove</u>	<u>KS</u>	<u>66846</u>
Street	City	State	Zip
3. Organization's Officers: Jesse Knight, Matt Wilkens, James Crosby, Amber Weeks & Brandy Villalobos
4. Contact Person, Title, Phone: Brandy Villalobos, Treasurer, (620) 767-2856
5. Is this a tax-exempt organization? If so, date tax exempt status received:
Our club is an informal non-profit organization that does not pay income tax on the money it receives. Our club donates 100% back to the community rather than distributing the income to our committee leaders or members.
6. Title of Project and Brief Description:
Safety Improvements-Please see attached

7. Geographic Area to be served: Morris County and surrounding areas
8. What group will be benefited: All age groups Size of Group: No limit
9. Anticipated Project Period: May 2018 to August 2018
10. Is this a request for Capital, Operating Support, or a Special Project? Special Project
11. Total Project Cost: \$ 14,000.00
12. Amount Requested from Foundation: \$ 11,500.00
13. Amount and Source of Pledges or Commitments to Date: The Softball Club has set aside \$2500.00 to be pledged for this project. These funds were raised through multiple tournament fundraisers hosted the last three years.
14. Other Grant Applications or Funding Requests made for this project: No other Grant Applications applied for at this time. Future coed softball tournament fundraisers will be hosted to raise additional funds for this project and other community improvements.
15. What action has been taken on the other applications or requests? No other application requests year to date.

16. What is the purpose of this project; what specifically will it accomplish? The softball complex is used by all ages and the project would benefit both youth baseball and adult softball. The current location of the playground at the softball complex as well as the age and condition of the playground equipment is a major safety concern of our members. This safety improvement project will address the concerns of our members and create a safe environment for our youth for many years to come.

**Proposal for Improvements to Bill B. Young Softball Complex
4/30/18**

Remove current (wooden) swing set:

- Cost = \$0
- Labor – Volunteer

Install new 4 person swing set:

- Cost = \$3000
 - (1) 4 person swing set @ \$2000 each
 - (1) Load of sand @ \$1000 each
- Labor – Volunteer

Install protective netting between fields:

- Cost = \$11,000
 - Netting = \$1500
 - 50' x 200' net for top @ \$1500 each
 - Poles = \$1500
 - (10) 12' poles @ \$150 each
 - New 1st base/3rd base fence on fields = \$8000
 - (2) 200 linear feet @ \$20/foot
- Labor – Volunteer and Contract

Funding:

- Total Project Cost = \$14,000
 - Council Grove Softball Club = \$2500
 - Local Foundation Support = \$11,500

Links:

<http://www.miracle-recreation.com/product/arch-swing-painted-4-seats/>

https://www.networldsports.com/baseball-nets-14ft.html?gclid=Cj0KCQjw_ZrXBRDXARIsAA8KauRegJuh_9isdrJsQW9LGAvk_RzKi2HMOzcSQ0c1CB9lyuMigAzsZEaAl82EALw_wcB

https://www.metalsdepot.com/steel-products/galvanized-steel-products/galvanized-square-tube?gclid=Cj0KCQjw_ZrXBRDXARIsAA8KauQcIRtLWfdWpLoI36HekHMOqcXwrjlkEeX0OGn8VuLOx5maPgWEP70aAplbEALw_wcB

