

The Harley-Davidson Foundation – Online Application FAQs

Find the answers to your questions about The Harley-Davidson Foundation online application process here.

How do I know if I'm eligible to receive support from The Harley-Davidson Foundation?

To request a charitable contribution, your organization must be a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that serves the areas in which our [facilities](#) are located.

What is your grant criteria?

The Harley-Davidson Foundation looks for the following details when reviewing grant applications:

- The extent to which the project or program supports the communities where our corporate facilities are located. To locate these facilities, [visit our website](#)
- The relevance to one or more of our areas of interest: Education, Health, Environment.
- The proposal's clarity in stating the expected project or program outcomes and the strategy for achieving them.
- The extent to which the strategy involves a collaborative approach to problem-solving or issues affecting the target groups or organizations.

What is the sponsorship and merchandise donation criteria?

The Harley-Davidson Foundation looks for the following details when reviewing sponsorship and merchandise donation applications:

- The extent to which the fundraiser supports the communities in which our corporate headquarters are located (Milwaukee Only).
- The relevance to one or more of our areas of interest: Education, Health, Environment.

How do I apply for support?

You may submit your application electronically through our website. Go to the Foundation's website and select "Apply Online." If you are a returning user, use your login credentials to start a new application. If you are a new applicant, please create a log in by choosing the "New Applicant" option.

I clicked the "Forgot Password?" link but did not receive a message from the system.

The system will only email temporary passwords to users who have created an account in the past. If you do not receive a message, you may create a new account.

The person who set up my organization's online account no longer works here. Should I create a new account?

No. If you still have access to the old login information, sign into your organization's account, and click "Change my E-Mail/Password" to update the account information. If you do not have access to your organization's existing account, please contact the Foundation at FoundationApplications@harley-davidson.com.

Do I have to complete the online application during one online session?

No, you can start the application and save and finish it another time. Just click on the "Save and Finish Later" button located at the bottom of each page.

If I create an account, will my application be saved automatically?

No, your application will need to be saved once you begin to work on it. To ensure no data is lost, please click on the "Save and Finish Later" button.

How do I access an application I haven't submitted or haven't completed?

When you decide to return to an application, go to the "Application in Progress" link on the Foundation's website. Then, log in using your email address and password to view all applications saved under your account.

Can I get a copy of the online application?

You'll be able to print out the online application form while you're filling out the proposal. Just click on the Printer Friendly Version link.

Where do I send my online application?

Once the application is completed online, you will need to click the "Review & Submit" button at the bottom of the last page of the application to submit your application electronically. Once your application has been submitted, a confirmation e-mail will be sent to the e-mail address that you used to create your online grant application account. Please add FoundationApplications@harley-davidson.com and FoundationReview@harley-davidson.com to your e-mail address book (or friendly senders) to ensure that these messages arrive in your inbox.

Can I mail my application?

Please do not mail any requests. Only online applications will be considered.

What should I expect after I submit my application?

After you submit your application, you will receive an e-mail confirmation. After an initial review, you may be contacted to provide additional information. Communications will occur via e-mail or letter. Please add FoundationApplications@harley-davidson.com and FoundationReview@harley-davidson.com to your e-mail address book (or friendly senders) to ensure that these messages arrive in your inbox. After the Harley-Davidson Foundation reviews your application, you will receive notification indicating whether your request has been approved or declined.

When will I be contacted about the status of my proposal?

For grants applications, please allow at least 12 weeks after the application deadline for a response. For sponsorship/ merchandise donations, please allow at least 6 weeks.

How should I notify H-D if my e-mail or mailing address changes after I submit my online application?

Please e-mail FoundationApplications@harley-davidson.com to let us know. Be sure to provide the name of your organization and the old address information in the e-mail.

What if I have questions?

Please e-mail your questions to FoundationApplications@harley-davidson.com