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Main St. Foundation grant applications due

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BRISTOL — Several funds at The Main Street Community Foundation are now accepting grant applications from nonprofit organizations.

Samantha Rajotte, scholarship & program officer, with the Main Street Community Foundation, said that grant applications are being accepted now for organizations located in or serving residents of Bristol,

Burlington, Plainville, Plymouth, Southington and Wolcott.

“The deadlines are in mid-September,” she said.

The Online Grants Center can be accessed

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through the Foundation's website, mainstreetfoundation.org/apply-for-grant, which includes a link to the online grant applications and the grant guidelines. Applications are being accepted for grants from the following funds:

- **Women & Girls Fund** - Successful grant applications will address one of the three priority areas for local women and girls identified by community partners, which are services for senior women, confidence building and leadership, and mental health and well-being. The deadline to apply is Sept. 6.

- **Bradley Henry Barnes and Leila Upson Barnes Memorial Trust** - Nonprofit organizations may submit letters of inquiry (LOIs) for new capital projects, programs, or initiatives that improve the health outcomes of Southington residents. The deadline to submit LOIs is Sept. 20. Continued funding applications will open Sept. 27.

- **Men & Boys' Fund** - Grant applications must demonstrate the need for a program or initiative that assists local men and boys in improving the quality of their lives, increasing their self-sufficiency, and making a positive difference in their community. The deadline to apply is Sept. 20.

Interested organizations can email Kate Kerchaert, director of grants & programs, at kate@mainstreetfoundation.org, or call 860-583-6363.