

## Elizabeth Dean Fund Committee City of Ann Arbor Public Services 4251 Stone School Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48108 (734) 794-6356

## PROJECT PROPOSAL

In 1964, Elizabeth R. Dean bequeathed \$2 million to the City of Ann Arbor "to be held in trust in perpetuity, to repair, maintain and plant trees on city property." The trust is managed by the Elizabeth Dean Fund Committee which accepts proposals for special tree planting and maintenance projects to enhance Ann Arbor's urban and community forest.

## **PROJECT EVALUATION & SELECTION CRITERIA**

Projects must provide for open and equal access to all citizens, thereby deriving benefits to the entire community. The Dean Fund Committee has identified the following priority areas where it would like to focus its funding towards.

- Neighborhood streets
- Proposals submitted by neighborhood organizations.
- Major Streets, particularly those that have had significant loss of trees
- Neighborhood parks
- Historic neighborhoods
- Public Housing Sites
- Community Centers

## PROJECT PROPOSAL INFORMATION

Please answer the following questions as concisely as possible (attach a separate sheet if necessary). If your proposal is considered for funding, you may be asked to attend a Dean Fund Committee meeting to further explain your project.

|    |  | \$1,001 - \$5,000 | >\$5,001 |
|----|--|-------------------|----------|
| 3. | . What is the approximate cost of the project? |                   |          |
|    | If <b>YES</b> , what other sources:            |                   |          |
| 2. | . Have you sought other sources of funding?    | es 🗆 NO           |          |
| 1. | . Describe the project.                        |                   |          |

| 4. If approved for funding, will you or your group take part in this project?   YES   NO              |  |  |  |  |
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| If <b>YES</b> , how?  |  |  |  |  |
| ☐ Monetary Contribution ☐ Maintenance/Tree Care ☐ Project Promotion                                   |  |  |  |  |
| Other   |  |  |  |  |
| 5. Have you talked over your project with people in the area, City staff or City Council?    YES   NO |  |  |  |  |
| If YES, with whom?  |  |  |  |  |
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| Contact Person:   | Phone Number:  |  |  |  |
| Organization (if applicable):   | Email Address:   |  |  |  |
| Are you interested in serving on the Elizabeth Dean Fund Committee?   VES NO                          |  |  |  |  |
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| Mail completed proposals to:  | Questions? Contact:  |  |  |  |
| City of Ann Arbor Public Works  | Tiffany Ciacobazzi City of Ann Arbor                                     |  |  |  |
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