

Vermont Fruit & Nut Tree Grant 2023

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Subject: Summary of proposal for a Vermont Fruit and Nut Tree Grant for 2023

GRANT NAME: Vermont Fruit and Nut Tree Grant 2023

SUMMARY OF PROJECT:

The ad hoc Middlebury Tree Committee (MTC) in coordination with the Town of Middlebury and The Teen Center seek to apply for a Vermont Fruit and Nut Tree Grant for 2023. The grant would enable the Teen Center to expand its vegetable garden to include fruit and nut trees. Anticipated benefits include providing free fruit and nuts to local residents who are experiencing poverty, providing participants at the Teen Center with useful experience in the care and maintenance of fruit and nut trees that are suitable for our climate, and providing students at Mary Hogan School with opportunities to learn about sustainable agricultural practices and the nutritional value of some of the foods we grow and consume.

GRANT FUNDING REQUESTED: \$1,000

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING GRANT APPLICATIONS: December 16, 2022

TOTAL PROJECT COST: No matching funds are required for this grant, but the value of contributed services will most likely match the amount of any grant funds that are received.

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