

First United Church of Christ Foundation

Attn. First United Church of Christ
207 W Horah Street, Salisbury NC 28144

Application for Funds

Eligibility:

Be a non-profit organization or the local United Church of Christ, its youth ministries and other creative expressions of the Christian Gospel through the Church.

Organization: _____ Rowan One Church One Child Ministry

Location: 1312 N Main Street Salisbury, NC 28144

Contact Person/Phone Number: _____ Donna Beaver 704-267-7996

Address: Rowan County Department of Social Services/ROCOC

_____ 1813 E Innes St Salisbury, NC 28146

email: _____ donna.beaver@rowancountync.gov

Organization Mission/Purpose (May enclose supporting materials): _____

The Rowan One Church One Child Ministry (ROCOC) is a partnership between Rowan County Department of Social Services (RCDSS) and 82 Rowan churches and 1 civic organization. ROCOC unites RCDSS, the faith community, foundations, citizens, and other community partners seeking to improve the lives of Rowan County children and teens, keep birth families intact, assist relative caregivers and foster parents, and assist in providing stable home environments for Rowan County youth. ROCOC services clients from all races, ethnicities, and social backgrounds.

Member congregations are part of the following denominations: AME Zion, Baptist, Christian Methodist Episcopal, Church of God, Episocpal, Lutheran, Presbyterian, Independent Congreations, Seventh Day Adventist, United Church of Christ, and United Methodist.

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Use of Requested Funds: _____ Funds will be used to purchase beds, mattresses, cribs, pack and plays, car seats, cleaning supplies, children's clothing, underwear, socks, bedding, and other household goods for Rowan County's abused and neglected children and their families.

Funding Requested and How Funds will be Monitored: _____ RCDSS social workers request assistance for their clients through a referral form. Requests are screened by ROCOC Program Coordinator and the Adoptions Unit Supervisor. Requests for over \$500 must be approved by RCDSS leadership. All donated funds and expenditures are managed by the RCDSS and Rowan County Government Finances offices via google docs ledgers. Every donor receives a thank you letter and a receipt.

\$: 2800.00

Other Comments/Suggestions: _____

**Applications due August 12, 2022, to above address.
Applicants to be notified by September 20, 2022.
Presentations will be made in October 2022. (TBD)**