

Impact100 Louisville Opens 2026 Grant Cycle to Local Nonprofits

Letters of Intent Accepted March 2 – April 2

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (February 24, 2026) - Impact100 Louisville is pleased to announce the opening of its 2026 Grant Application Cycle. Beginning March 2, 2026, the organization will accept Letters of Intent (LOI) from qualified nonprofit organizations serving Jefferson County, Kentucky. The LOI submission period will remain open until noon on April 2, 2026.

The organization awards high-impact grants of \$100,000 to local nonprofits through the power of collective giving. “Women have the power to transform their communities by coming together collaboratively,” says co-founder Carey Goldstein. “Through Impact100, an individual contribution becomes part of a life-changing investment.”

The preliminary application outlining eligibility requirements and grant guidelines is available on the organization's website. A virtual information session for potential applicants will be held on March 5, 2026 at noon. Registration is required.

Grant funding will be considered in the following areas:

Capacity Building – One-time expenses that strengthen the organization's ability to fulfill its mission (examples: technology upgrades, strategic planning).

Program Support – Expansion or improvement of existing programs that directly support the organization's mission.

Innovation – New ideas, methods, or approaches designed to address unmet community needs.

About Impact100 Louisville

The Impact100 model is simple and transformative: at least 100 women each contribute \$1,000 to fund significant grants that create meaningful change in the community. Following a detailed review process, the full membership votes to determine final grant recipients. Current membership has grown to over 500 women and counting.

Since its founding in 2020, Impact100 Louisville **has awarded more than \$2.5 million to local nonprofit organizations**, supporting innovative programs, strengthening capacity, and advancing meaningful solutions to community needs.

Impact100 Louisville remains committed to supporting initiatives that create lasting impact and address critical needs within the community. Nonprofits wishing to review eligibility guidelines, to register for the information session, or to submit a Letter of Intent, should visit impact100louisville.org.

About Impact100 Global - Providing Leadership and Support to Chapters Across the Globe

Impact100 Global unites and empowers women to give collectively, creating transformational impact locally and worldwide. With more than 80 chapters across the globe, Impact100 Global has awarded over \$178 million since its founding in 2002.

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