



Columbus H.O.P.E. Foundation

Helping Other People Everyday

Subject: Nominate Remarkable Disability Organizations for 2026 Columbus HOPE Grants

Dear brother Grand Knights and Council Leaders,

As champions for individuals with intellectual and related disabilities across South Carolina, the Columbus HOPE Foundation relies on your insight and leadership to extend our mission's reach. Each year, your grant nominations help us identify organizations whose work brings hope, dignity, and transformative care to those most in need.

We invite your council to submit grant requests for local charities, schools, or service groups dedicated to improving lives of people living with disabilities. Whether it's education, therapy, community inclusion, or direct support—we trust your knowledge of worthy organizations that align with our vision to make a lasting difference.

Grant amounts and application details are available on our website at columbushope.org/grants. Please submit nominations by January 31, 2026 so our committee can thoughtfully review and allocate funds statewide.

Your council's efforts in identifying deserving recipients ensure that our resources reach front-line programs where every dollar brings hope and opportunity. Together, we create stronger communities and fulfill the promise of charity that defines our order.

Thank you for inspiring generosity and advocacy for those who need us most.

With fraternal gratitude,

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