

Donor-Advised Fund Due Diligence Policy

Triangle Community Foundation actively seeks to promote access, equity, and inclusiveness, and to discourage discrimination that denies the essential humanity of all people. The Foundation's grantmaking policies reflect the belief that organizational performance is greatly enhanced when people with different backgrounds and perspectives are engaged in an organization's activities and decision making.

Recognizing that all funds are assets of Triangle Community Foundation, we reserve the right to deny grant recommendations from donor-advised funds to organizations that attack or malign individuals or groups of individuals on the basis of their having certain characteristics, including, but not limited to, race, color, religion, sex, national origin (including membership in a Native American tribe), or sexual orientation.

Triangle Community Foundation's mission is to inspire and mobilize giving, leadership, and action toward a vision of a vibrant Triangle that works together to ensure everyone thrives. We live into that vision and mission by investing in, and helping our donors invest in, organizations that have a positive impact in our region, whether through the arts, environmental and economic resilience, youth and education, or building the capacity of our nonprofit community. As we review and assess organizations, we will seek to educate ourselves and our donors about organizations with policies or practices that support the Foundation's mission, vision, and values.

Note: If your organization (for nonprofits) or your grant recommendation (for donors) is found to not be in compliance with this policy, Foundation staff will contact you for further information. The Foundation has the right to approve or deny any grant recommendations pending the outcome of our due diligence process.