Remy Fund for Pets and Animal Services Funding Guidelines

Birmingham businessman and philanthropist Ken Jackson honored the memory of his late dog Remy, a Jack Russell-Shih Tzu mix, by establishing the Remy Fund for Pets and Animal Services at the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham.

The Remy Fund for Pets and Animal Services is a special fund of the Community Foundation of Greater Birmingham (CFGB) that considers grant requests from organizations with a mission or specific programs that involve traditional companion animals (cats, dogs, and horses). Requests will be considered for general organizational support, although preference will be given to projects with clear goals and objectives. Capital projects will not be considered at this time. Areas of priority are:

- rescue/shelter programs for traditional companion animals
- spay/neuter programs
- animal-assisted therapy programs involving traditional companion animals
- education and advocacy programs (promoting the humane and dignified treatment of traditional companion animals)

Grants will generally be made in the $2,000 to $20,000 range, and will be restricted to organizations classified as public charities under section 501(c)3 of the IRS code and based in, or serving, one or more of the following Alabama counties: Blount, Jefferson, Shelby, St. Clair, and Walker.

How to Apply:

The Remy Fund will conduct one grant cycle per year, with the process beginning in late spring and concluding by the end of summer. Applications open March 15 of each year and are due by April 30.

To access the registration/logon page for the CFGB online grantmaking system, enter the web address below into your browser: https://www.grantinterface.com/cfgb/Common/LogOn.aspx