

CR&D is responsible for administrating the following öLö accounts. These are designated funds. To apply for a grant, please email the CR&D chair the information relevant to your proposal. All grant requests must be approved by the Session. Money is paid by the Presbytery to the Session.

### **L5060 Technology Upgrades Grant Policy**

Grants up to \$500 per congregation per year to pay up to one half the cost for all types of computer and other technology needs for any sized member church, manse, youth house, Presbytery supported camps, and properties owned by the presbytery. Not for physical plant upgrades.

Grants will be awarded on a first come first served basis by a designated member of the CR&D committee for 2013. Thereafter, grant requests may only be approved by a majority at CR&D meetings.

### **L5001 Camp and Conference Center Scholarships Grant Policy**

*CR&D meets twice a year in person and occasionally on teleconference to consider large grant requests. However, churches may request small amounts that can be quickly approved by a designated member of the CR&D committee.*

#### **Small Grant Request Policy for L5001**

Up to \$75 for children (ages 0-18) and up to \$300 for adults to attend a PC(USA) camp, conference, workshop, etc., per individual per year. Money may be used to cover up to one half of registration, travel, and lodging expenses. A small grant is not to be used for Triennium, as the Presbytery already substantially subsidizes the cost of Triennium for everyone. However, youth experiencing economic hardship may apply for a scholarship to Triennium under our large grant policy.

#### **Large Grant Request Policy for L5001**

*These grant requests may only be approved by the majority at a CR&D committee meeting.*

Amounts exceeding \$75 for children or \$300 for adults to attend a PC(USA) camp, conference, workshop, etc., per individual per year. Money may be used to cover up to one half of registration, travel, and lodging expenses. A large grant may be used for Triennium. A note from the pastor indicating hardship must accompany the grant request.

For Camps Clearwater Forest and Okoboji: Grants up to \$15,000 total for both camps per year for capital improvement, operating costs, or leadership development. To reflect the relative use of the two camps by presbytery church members, two thirds of granted money would go to Clearwater Forest and one third of granted money would go to Okoboji. These grants are available provided that at least \$10,000 would remain in the balance of L5001 after both camps received a grant for that year. These grants are not to substitute for annual budgeted support from the Presbytery.

## **L5006 Peace Fund Grant Policy**

1. One time grant for a project.
2. First three years of project inception or a new element to an existing program.
3. A Presbyterian congregation must be in relationship with the organization/agency or mission project; active involvement requires more than financial contributions.
4. \$1,500.00 limit and requiring the congregation to match funds.
5. October 1<sup>st</sup> deadline. (Announcement of the year's recipients will be made at the Fall Presbytery meeting prior to receiving the Peacemaking Offering.)
6. The ministry must be open and accepting of all individuals regardless of race, age, gender or sexual orientation. A ministry may have a specific focus group such as a youth shelter or a men's homeless shelter.
7. Peacemaking projects as defined via our denomination website resource will be given priority: [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org) CRD .
8. Support for mission trips for those congregations that haven't had a mission trip in three years with expenses focuses solely on project support (ex. PDA).
9. Grants will not be considered from congregations who have applied and/or received financial support from any other Presbytery Committee for the same ministry.

## **L5008 Congregational Transformation, Development, and Coaching Grant Policy**

### **New Church Development Grant**

Grants to match First-Level (up to \$25,000) and Second Level (up to \$25,000) PC(USA) Office of Mission Program Grants for New Church Development, and possible further funding as needed.

### **1001 New Worshipping Community Grants**

New Worshipping Communities which have received the seed grant from the PC(USA) for their first year may apply for an additional \$7500 for a second year of ministry from CR&D. Grants will be awarded twice per year at CR&D meetings. Only one grant per church per year, and only one grant per New Worshipping Community per year.

### **Congregational Transformation and Coaching Grants**

Grants up to \$4000 to pay for up to one half the expense of hiring a church coach or consultant to address congregational development, redevelopment, and transformation. Grants will be awarded twice per year at CR&D meetings. Only one grant per church per year.

### **Shared Ministries Grants**

Grants up to \$2000 to pay up to one half of the expenses to develop shared ministries among churches for youth, ethnic populations, immigrants, the elderly, cluster development, and development of unique and innovative ministries amongst congregations. Grants will be awarded twice per year at CR&D meetings. Only one grant per group of churches per year.

### **L5021 Healing Ministry Fund Grant Policy**

Up to the balance of the fund to support individual or joint church ventures related to health ministries projects. Grants will be awarded twice per year at CR&D meetings. Only one grant per church per year.

### **L5026 Interest/Ken Stinson Grant Policy**

Up to \$1500 for scholarships to attend or host seminars or workshops pertaining to chemical abuse and health. Grants will be awarded twice per year at CR&D meetings. Only one such grant per church per year.

### **L5056 Presbytery Pentecost Offering Grant Policy**

Money may be allocated by the discretion of CR&D to fund youth related events such as Triennium and other cluster or presbytery youth programs. Please contact a member of CR&D if you have an idea for a youth event.

### **L5087 Missions and Social Justice Work Inside/Outside Our Borders**

CR&D will decide upon an appropriate mission for one or more projects or support of long-term mission staff. Please email the CR&D chair suggestions.