ABCUSA MATTHEW 25 GRANT APPLICATION

A generous donor has given a sum of money through American Baptist Churches USA to be used for programs that address "housing, feeding, education and health with regard to the less fortunate." A panel will select recipients for grants of up to \$5,000 largely based on the degree to which the funds will be used to directly assist persons in poverty. Ministries must be in a direct relationship with American Baptist Churches USA to be eligible to apply, and only one application per church or Region will be considered per 12 month period. Grant funds may not be used to fund staff positions or for capital improvements to facilities. Grant awards will be sent to the ABC church or Region, checks will not be made payable to an individual or ministry.

Address in ABCIS is:

1153 N Montello St, Brockton 02301

1. General Information

Church or Region: NEW BIRT' I BAPTIST CHURCH

Region Affiliation with ABCUSA: TABCOM

Ministry or Group receiving these funds: NEEDY MINISTRY EDUCATION Mailing Address: 225 CRESCENT STREET, BROCKTON, MA 02302

Phone: 617.930.3662 Federal Tax ID#: 27-0849884

Contact person: REV. J. NESLY CHERY Fmail: CHERYJEANN@MSN.COM

2. Please submit with your application a copy of:

Your mission statement.

- A financial statement FOR THIS MINISTRY. This can be a budget or projected budget, and should not exceed 2 pages. Church budgets are not acceptable.
- Specifically, how do you plan to use the requested funds?
 GRANT MONEY WILL BE USED TO PURCHASE EQUIPMENTS, BOOKS AND SUPPLIES, COMPUTERS, PRINTERS, COST OF OVERHEAD, FOODS, BEVERAGES, ETC.
- 4. How will the funds assist individuals battling poverty and its effects?

 These individuals will be empowered by this program, which will teach them how to read, learning the ABC of computer and how to fill out an application. This is a very good tool that will give new learners more ability and confidence to search on the market
- 5. Total cost of the project: is es mated to be around 18k/y
- 6. Amount being requested from the ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant: 5k
- 7. Your other funding source(s): NBBC, Old Colony, Fund Raisings, organization renting

I certify that all the information submitted with this application is true and correct, and that we will use any granted funds as described. We will supply a 1-page report on the use of the funds and a photo/photos within six months of receipt of the grant.

Application submitted by: Rev. J. Nesly Chery Date: 03/01/2016

Please note:

- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Recipients agree to share their stories via the ABCUSA website.
- Application deadline is March 1 for grants distributed on April 15; September 1 for grants distributed on October 15
- Completed applications should be sent via email to <u>Tina.Turner@abc-usa.org</u>. Only electronic submissions will be accepted.

See the following information and inst uctions for more details.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THIS MINISTRY

For this Needy Ministry Education, we are projecting to have a place to settle equipment, tables, chairs, overhead projector.

We are planning to purchase:

Books and supplies for ESL students and people of other needs. We will teach people to learn English as a second language and will teach others how to read also. It will be a real challenge. There are a lot of people asking for this service. Materials cost will rise around \$3.5k

We will also provide computer training. Cost of 6 computers and printers are estimating about \$10k.

WE HAVE OVER HEAD COST AROUND \$4K. (Cover light, heat, rent and more)

We will feed the hungry. This action will cost about \$2.5k to continue on the year.

3.5 + 10.00 + 4.00 + 2.5 = \$18.00k

I requested more specific budget details.

NEW BIRTH BAPTIST CHURCH

Mission and Statement of faith

Rev. Dr. Jean Nesly Chery

Mission:

- 1. To worship God, who is worthy of all praise and glory.
- 2. To serve God locally, nationally, and internationally by fulfilling the Great Commission of Jesus Christ as set forth in Matthew 28:19-20.
- 3. To minister to the needs of the members and others as the church is able to do so.
- 4. To do any and all things related to and in connection with the carrying out of the purposes of a New Testament Church.