



# FRIENDS of Sax-Zim Bog

## SAX-ZIM BOG GOOD NEIGHBOR FUND

### APPLICATION

The Friends of Sax-Zim Bog are pleased to announce a major new program: The Sax-Zim Bog Good Neighbor Fund is established via a major gift in honor of Dr. Dwight and Janet Hoeg of Duluth. Dwight and Janet's sons, Will and Rich and their spouses, desired to recognize their parents with this fitting memorial which helps others enjoy the beauty of the Northland in a manner similar to their parents.

#### Grant Guidelines

##### Who is Eligible?

Applicants applying for projects on private property (feeders, ponds, trails) must be seasonal or year-round residents of the Sax-Zim Bog area. All projects must be implemented in the Sax-Zim Bog area (including but not limited to Meadowlands, Cotton, Toivola and Zim). There is no location restriction for schools applying for field trips.

##### Determination and Approval

All applications, once received, will be reviewed by the FOSZB Good Neighbor Grant Committee and voted on for approval. Applicants will be notified by email, phone, or mail if their application has been funded. Checks will be sent out in a timely manner.

**Grant Amounts:** \$25 to \$1000

**Deadline:** Grants will be accepted year-round

**Reporting:** Successful applicants will be required to submit a report on the results of their project.

##### What types of Projects are Eligible?

- purchasing bird feed for established WINTER bird feeding stations (Must be open to viewing by the public)
- purchasing new bird feeders for WINTER bird feeding station (Must be open to viewing by the public)
- creating photography and bird watching blinds (Sharp-tailed Grouse lek?, pond, etc.)
- boardwalks and trails open to the public for birding and photography
- school field trips to the Welcome Center with interpretive program by FOSZB Naturalist
- butterfly garden (for observation and photography)
- dragonfly or wildlife pond (for observation and photography)
- visit to your school by FOSZB naturalist to give an educational program
- community field trips to the Friends of Sax-Zim Bog Welcome Center with interpretive program by FOSZB Naturalist
- other projects that encourage local participation and education centered around the Sax-Zim Bog

APPLICATIONS FOR BIRD FEEDERS, BIRD SEED, TRAILS, BOARDWALKS, PHOTO BLINDS, PONDS, GARDENS, ETC...MUST BE OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AT ALL TIMES (BOTH LOCALS AND VISITING BIRDERS) EVEN IF ON PRIVATE PROPERTY

##### How to Apply

After filling out the questions below, print this page out and either scan and email to [info@saxzim.org](mailto:info@saxzim.org) or mail to FOSZB, PO Box 3585, Duluth, MN 55803



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### APPLICATION

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NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ORGANIZATION (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT OF GRANT REQUESTED: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION OF PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIPTION OF PROJECT/REQUEST: \_\_\_\_\_

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