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Eligibility - Community First Grant: TM Nomination Form

Are you a Whole Foods Market Team Member in good standing? *

- Yes
- No

Do you have support from your Store Team Leader, and does your STL know to submit a Support Form by June 12 (link provided below)? *

- Yes
- No

Your STL can complete the Leadership Support Form on our website: [Community First Grant Leadership Support Form](#).

- If you work in an office, please ask your TL to complete the form.
- If you work in a facility, please ask your FTL to complete the form.
- If you are an STL who is submitting a nomination, you do not need to complete the form.

Are you and other Team Members in your store willing to volunteer with your community partner in your personal time (outside of working hours at WFM) at least once per quarter from August 2024 through July 2025? *

- Yes

Part of the CFG program is to volunteer with your community partner at least once per quarter.

Are you willing to complete a mid-year update of your experience volunteering with your community partner? *

- Yes
- No

The mid-year update is a required component of the CFG program.

US: Is the community partner you're nominating a 501(c)(3) nonprofit or are they partnered with a 501(c)(3) nonprofit?
Canada: Is the community partner you're nominating a Registered Charity or are they partnered with a Registered Charity? *

- Yes
- No

US- You can verify an organization's 501(c)(3) nonprofit status [here](#).

Canada- You can verify an organization's Registered Charity status [here](#).

Is the community partner you are nominating focused on expanding long-term fresh, healthy food access or nutrition education? *

- Yes
- No

Whole Cities uses the term "food access" to mean increasing fresh, healthy food options in a local community. We DO NOT fund FOOD DONATION or FOOD REDISTRIBUTION programs (ex: food banks or food pantries).

Is the community partner you are nominating primarily focused on serving adults and/ or older youth (ages 16-22)? *

- Yes
- No

We DO NOT fund programs primarily focused on children or based in schools. [Whole Kids offers](#) a variety of grant programs that might be a better fit.

If your nomination is selected, is the community partner you are nominating willing to complete an online Community First Grant application? *

- Yes
- No

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If the organization you are nominating is determined to be eligible, they will be invited to apply for the Community First Grant. The application will include questions regarding the organization's work, leadership, impact, community engagement, long-term plans, and finances.

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