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Dear Community Partner:

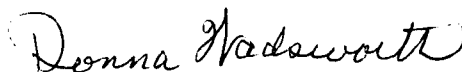
As a past recipient of an International Paper Foundation Grant, please accept our sincere appreciation for the work that your organization does in our community.

The financial turmoil of the past few months weighs heavily on our minds and our company and Foundation have not been immune to this challenging economy. Despite changes and economic uncertainty, I want to assure you that International Paper is committed to our community and to supporting the needs of our employees and neighbors.

With the new year comes a renewed focus and commitment by the company. With limited funds, we are looking to increase our impact in our focus areas of literacy and environmental education. We will continue to support organizations where our employees actively volunteer, but special consideration and funding will be given in our priority areas.

To manage an increasing workload with a smaller staff, we are shifting the International Paper Foundation grant process to an online grant application. You can learn more about this process by visiting, www.ipgiving.com and clicking on "Apply for a Grant". We will still accept grant applications quarterly on February 1, May 1, August 1 and November 1, but only through this on-line application. If you have questions, please contact me at (518) 585-5460.

Thanks again for all you do and warmest wishes for a holiday season blessed with family, friends and those things you hold most dear.



Donna Wadsworth
Manager - Communications

Organization Information

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City Ticonderoga

State New York

Zip 12883

Country United States

Telephone 585-647-2514 / 518-597-3618

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Website Address Eaglelake1.org

Mission Statement Established in 1907, and incorporated in 1993, ELPOI is a not-for-profit organization that serves to protect the mutual interests of its property owners, and to maintain the environmental and recreational quality of Eagle Lake.

Key Programs The organization continues to meet and maintain the same objectives as established by its founders:

- The re-stocking of Eagle Lake from state and local hatcheries.
- The regulation and control of a uniform lake level.
- The prevention of pollution of Eagle Lakes waters.
- The protection of spawning beds.
- The protection of the mutual interest and property of its members

Fiscal Conduit

Fiscal Conduit Tax ID

**Fiscal Conduit Organization
Name**

Fiscal Conduit Address

Fiscal Conduit City

Fiscal Conduit State

**Name of Contact for Fiscal
Conduit**

**Telephone Number of the
Fiscal Conduit Contact**

**Email Address of Contact at
Fiscal Conduit**

Proposal

Request Owner Jane Kuhl
Request Source External (Submitted 04/30/09)
Proposal Type Cash Grant
Nearest IP Facility Ticonderoga, NY
Request Type

Funding Principle

Instructions: If you fund this proposal, enter a concise phrase beginning with "to ..." in the "Grant Approved For:" field. For example: "to purchase educational materials for the mentor program. Funds cannot be used for salaries."

Grant Approved For

International Paper Employee Name (if applicable) Todd Condon

Project Title 2009 Milfoil Eradication/ lake monitoring/ member communications

Requested Cash Amount \$885.00

Request Date 01/31/09

Project Start Date 07/01/09

Project End Date 06/30/10

Proposal Summary This grant application seeks funding to help support ELPOIs ongoing public outreach education for lake issues and for continuing efforts in monitoring, documenting and maintaining the water quality of Eagle Lake, which is located in the Towns of Ticonderoga and Crown Point.

Proposal Detail

1. To help ELPOI cover the cost that has been imposed upon them for the continued test monitoring of Eagle Lake waters in conjunction with the NYS CSLAP and NYS FOLA. This is a volunteer program in which lay citizens perform the collection of lake water samples over a 12-week summer period for the testing, analysis and reporting at NYS DEC facilities. In prior years, this program was offered at no charge. Due to budget constraints at the NYS DEC, continued participation in this program requires a cost deferral payment. The members of ELPOI complete supplemental water testing for Fecal and chemical analysis not covered in the CSLAP testing program.
2. To help cover the ongoing mailing, phone and web page hosting costs for educational communications with the members of ELPOI and the various local, state and national agencies that help with the management of Eagle Lake. Approximately 50% of the ELPOI membership has access to the Internet, and ELPOI maintains an active and up-to-date e-mail list of these people. In addition, all of the people that work at the local, state and national agencies have e-mail. In the fall of 2000, ELPOI established a web page at www.eaglelake1.org to better inform people of the actions that the corporation is involved in regarding lake management. Extensive updates have been made to this site so that additional information related to the EL milfoil project could be found and reviewed by all interested parties.

Eagle Lake Property Owners, Inc.

Organization ID: 2961464

2009 Milfoil Eradication/ lake monitoring/ member communications

Request ID: 2971870

Proposal (continued)

Grant Usage Line 1- NYS Federation of Lakes (FOLA), grant funding for this is to cover the cost associated with this lake monitoring organization being the clearinghouse for all lake water testing under the CSLAP program. It is with their effort that a state wide basic lake water-monitoring program can and does take place.

Line 2 Costs associated with water testing and monitoring are to be covered. Citizen State Lake Assessment Program (CSLAP) is a NYS DEC program joint program that utilizes volunteer lake residents to collect water samples and DEC staff to analysis and tabulate reports for lake water samples. Reports of this data show current conditions and comparisons to previous history. An in house ELPOI site-specific water analysis cost provides data on lake health from the standpoint of fecal analysis and chemistry specific to point and non-point pollution from road run off or potential for failing septic systems.

Line 3 Costs associated with direct mailing and phone call communications with Eagle Lake property owners/members as well as local, state and national officials are to be covered. Costs for this are based on historic data from previous years budgets. The ELPOI typically generates sends two to four newsletter/mailling per year to its membership and lake property owners.

Line 4 Grant funding will be used to offset the costs for WEB hosting, 50% of the cost for this is covered by ELPOI the other 50% is covered by a donation from an ELPOI member.

Expected Outcomes

1. Water testing under FOLA, CSLAP and ELPOIs in house direction provide test analysis for a good picture of the current health of the lake and will hopefully provide advance warning to problems before they become major items.
2. ELPOI communicates regularly with its membership and all interested agency members about the happenings with regards to lake monitoring, etc. This is done both through snail mail and by referring folks to pertinent web links. Eaglelake1.org gets regular hits both regionally and nationally as several of the pictures showing milfoils unchecked growth were taken by local lake resident Janie Stevens on Eagle Lake. The pictures are the poster child for showing what mature milfoil beds look like at many conferences.
The recently published copy of the April 2009 EL Newsletter was just sent to lake residents with a copy also posted on web page.

Evaluation Data from current and previous water testing is in house reviewed and posted to the ELPOI web page this along with the historical review and comparison that is done by the DEC of the CSLAP data provides the ELPOI with a yearly report of the health of the lake.

The membership of the ELPOI meet once each year to openly discuss the issues facing Eagle Lake, feedback from this meeting and as well feedback from the local, state and national agencies that the ELPOI is involved with provide direction as to which method and amount of communications is providing the most comprehensive information to the receiver of the message.

Proposal Budget 2009 Proposal budget IP Grant from IP.doc (32 K)

Previous International	\$800.00	2008
Paper Foundation Grants	\$600.00	2007
	\$605.00	2006
	\$2,005.00	Total Amount

Previous Grant Summary Funding from the 2008 IP grant helped the ELPOI in continuing to meet its stated goals and objectives. To this end some of the major issues that ELPOI is involved in presently are: the monitoring of the environmental quality of the lake through participation in the Citizens State Lake Assessment Program (CSLAP), including milfoil management and fecal coliform analysis; working with the towns of Crown Point and Ticonderoga in implementing a 50/50 DEC/Town-ELPOI funded 3 year milfoil eradication project, working in cooperation with the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation and the Essex County Fish Hatchery in maintaining and restocking healthy populations of native fish in the lake; the ongoing efforts of an Adopt-A-Highway Program to keep Route 74 and areas around the lake trash free; the monitoring and adjustment of Eagle Lakes water level, as covered under the NYS DEC's Adopt-A-Natural Resource Program; and the educating of ELPOI members and guests to the lake in regards to NYS Boating Rules and Regulations. Additional information and reports detailing the

Proposal (continued)

Previous Grant Summary outcomes of many of these objectives can be found at eaglelake1.org

**Financial Information /
Corporate Officials**

**Contributions to the
Organization** 10% Foundation
90% Individual

Current Funders Funding for this project, if not for the generosity for the previous donations and the request for continued support of International Paper, would be born by the dues collected from the ELPOI membership. The ELPOI has an ongoing member fundraising effort for milfoil eradication and is supporting the Towns of Ticonderoga and Crown Point in raising matching funds to cover their required 50% of a 2008 \$55,000 NYS DEC Invasives Species Eradication Grant.

United Way Funding \$0.00

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Top 3 Paid Staff none

Form 990 2009-5 form 990 letter of under \$25,000.pdf (11.34 K)

Operating Budget 2007-July 1 to June 30_2008 Fin Statement.pdf (7.88 K)

Approval

Requested Amount \$885.

Recommended Amount

Prior Approved Grants to help fund ongoing mailing education communicati -\$474.00 - 2001
to provide funds for an environmental education ne -\$605.00 - 2006
to purchase water testing equipment to improve teh -\$750.00 - 2007

Request Status External

Contact

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Project Budget Breakdown

A budget acts as a financial plan and communicates your goals for this programs and the communities you hope to serve. This form is intended to help you communicate both the resources and expenses for this project.

1. Save this form locally on your computer.
2. Populate the table below with a detailed breakdown of your **project budget**. Enter all appropriate line items that correspond to aspects of your project.
3. After you complete/save the form, return to the application and log in.
4. Click the "Continue" link next to the Project Title on the Welcome Page.
5. Locate the Project Budget field
6. Click the "Upload" button.
7. Attach the template to your application.

Program Income Section for 6-30-2008 to 7-1-2009 actual operating budget	\$\$
Individual Contributions	\$1,370.00
Community Charities	
Government Funding	
United Way Funding	
Sponsorships	
Fundraisers	\$1,511.00
Foundations/Corporations Funding IP Grant	\$ 800.00
Total Income	\$3681.00
Expense Section (only detail expenses related to specific program requesting funding that are applicable)	
NYS FOLA membership/ water testing	\$ 35.00
Educational Mailing and phone usage costs	\$ 200.00
CSLAP and ELPOI water testing program	\$ 475.00
Temporary Labor	
Materials and Supplies	
Printing/Publication Costs	
Project Management Fees	
Technology (hardware & software)	
Web Hosting (development is donated labor)	\$ 175.00
Training Costs	
Scholarships	
Consulting Fees	
Research Costs	
Legal Services	
Facility Costs (include utility costs)	
Advertising/Public Relations Fees	
Fringe Benefits	
Other Costs Specific to Project	
Total Program Expense	\$ 885.00

Eagle Lake Property Owners, Inc.

c/o 11 Deepwood Drive, Ticonderoga, NY 12883

A 501 (c)(3) not-for-profit organization

On the web @ www.eaglelake1.org



Officers;

President – Rin Fraize
Vice President – Steve Stubing
Secretary – Mary Loose
Treasurer – Bill Armeno

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April 29, 2009

The following is written to satisfy the requirement of the IP grant application for May 2009.

As a 501 (c) (3) corporation that has an annual operating income under \$25,000, we are not required to complete a Form 990.

A copy of our current operating budget is attached.

A copy of our 501 (c) (3) letter is attached

Rin Fraize
ELPOI President

Eagle Lake Property Owners, Inc.
Receipts and Disbursements
For Twelve Months ended June 30, 2008

Receipts:	Actuals	Plan	Actual Better/(Worse) Than Plan	Proposed 2008/9 Plan
Dues	\$ 1,370	\$ 1,260	\$ 110	\$ 1,260
Contributions				
Restricted for Milfoil Project	7,206	500	6,706	3,000
IP Contribution	800		800	800
Unrestricted	1,098	100	998	500
Total Contributions	<u>9,104</u>	<u>600</u>	<u>8,504</u>	<u>4,300</u>
Picnic, net of expenses	121	150	(29)	150
Interest, CD	637	125	512	-
Fund Rasing Projects, Net	753	-	753	300
Total receipts	<u>11,985</u>	<u>2,135</u>	<u>9,850</u>	<u>450</u>
Disbursements:				
Dues FOLA	35	35	-	35
Gifts to Local Service Groups	550	550	-	550
Communications				
Phone and postage	184	150	(34)	200
Web Site	120	120	-	120
Water testing, beavers and buoys	475	350	(125)	475
Eurasian Milfoil Project	20,134	200	(19,934)	3,000
Liability Insurance	-		-	-
Conferences	-	250	250	250
Miscellaneous	172	50	(122)	50
Total Disbursements	<u>21,670</u>	<u>1,705</u>	<u>(19,965)</u>	<u>10,690</u>
Receipts Higher/(Lower) than Disbursements	<u>\$ (9,685)</u>	<u>\$ 430</u>	<u>\$(10,115)</u>	<u>\$ 450</u>

Eagle Lake Property Owners, Inc.
Consolidated Balance Sheet
For the year ending June 30,

Assets	2008	2007
Cash on Hand	\$ -	\$ -
Checking Account	6,011	2,399
Certificates of Deposit	-	13,403
Total Assets	<u>\$ 6,011</u>	<u>\$ 15,802</u>
Liabilities and Members' Equity		
Accounts Payable	\$ -	\$ 390
Deferred receipts - Dues, Picnic and Gifts	1160	876
Restricted for Eurasian Milfoil Treatment	(9,852)	10,282
Unrestricted Equity	<u>14,703</u>	<u>4,254</u>
Total Liabilities and Members' Equity	<u>\$ 6,011</u>	<u>\$ 15,802</u>

IP Giving

>Apply For A Grant

- International Paper Foundation
- Employee Relief Fund
- Community Giving
- Coins 4 Kids
- National Geographic Explorer Magazine

IP GIVING RESOURCES

- Monthly Newsletter
- 2007 IP Giving Report

OUR COMPANY RESOURCES

- Board of Directors
- Senior Management
- The IP Way
- IP Giving
- Learning Center
- EEO Policy Statement

Grant Application

Registration Information

Instructions:

If you are registering a **501(c)3 organization**, please enter your **501(c)3 Tax ID**.

If you are using a **fiscal conduit**, please enter your organization name and ZIP code and the fiscal conduit's **501(c)3 Tax ID**.

If you are registering a **private school**, please enter your **501(c)3 Tax ID** only.

If you are registering a **public school**, please enter your **School District and School ID information** only.

*First Name:	<input type="text" value="Rolf"/>	Enter your first name.
*Last Name:	<input type="text" value="Tiedemann"/>	Enter your last name.
*Telephone:	<input type="text" value="505-647-2514/518-597-3"/>	Enter your telephone number.
*E-mail Address:	<input type="text" value="Camptouchstone@yahoo"/>	Enter your e-mail address. You will need your e-mail address to log in.
*Password:	<input type="password" value="*****"/>	The password must be between 6 and 16 characters long and consist of letters, numbers or any of the following special characters: '@!#\$-_'
*Confirm Password:	<input type="password" value="*****"/>	
*Organization / School Name:	<input type="text" value="Eagle Lake Property Owr"/>	Enter the legal name of the organization for which you are applying.
*Zip / Postal Code:	<input type="text" value="12883"/>	Enter the organization's Zip/Postal Code.

IRS AND/OR NCES Information

Tax ID (if applicable):	<input type="text" value="14-1761650"/>	Enter the nine digit US Tax ID of the 501(c)(3) non-profit organization for which you are applying. If you do not know the organization's Tax ID, please contact the business office of the organization or call the IRS toll-free at 1-877-829-5500. If your organization is not located in the United States or otherwise does not have a US Tax ID number then leave this field empty.
School District ID (K-12 public schools and public school districts only):	<input type="text"/>	For public schools, the District ID should be the first 7 digits of a 12 digit National Center for Education Statistics School ID. If you do not know the school's NCES information, please visit the NCES website.
School ID (K-12 public and private schools only):	<input type="text"/>	For public schools, the School ID should be the last 5 digits of a 12 digit National Center for Education Statistics School ID. For private schools, the School ID should be the 8 digit NCES School ID. If you do not know the school's NCES information, please visit the NCES website.

* denotes a required field

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Proposal Narrative



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Proposal Summary (required)
Please provide a **2 paragraph** summary of your proposal. List the top 2 objectives or goals and describe why these objectives or goals are important to the community.

750 character maximum

Proposal Detail (required)
Please provide a detailed description of the proposal. Include phases and timelines.

2000 character maximum

Expected Outcomes (required)
List the outcomes (2 or 3) that you expect from this proposal.

2000 character maximum

Evaluation (required)
Please describe how you plan to evaluate the effectiveness of your proposal.

2000 character maximum

Current Funders (required)
Please list the current funders of this proposal and indicate the amount committed by the funder.

2000 character maximum

Grant Usage (required)
If you receive a grant from the International Paper Foundation, please describe which line item in your project budget the grant will be used and how the grant will be used for that line item.

2000 character maximum

Proposal Budget (required) [Upload File](#) (Click for instructions)