

## **Tennis Grant FAQs**

### **What are the priority funding areas for 2026?**

Our funding priorities are based on our strategic plan to promote and develop the growth of tennis. Emphasis and preference are given to requests that bring new players to the game, support diversity, build alliances and partnerships, and have a plan and/or track record of sustainability.

**Do I need to be a nonprofit organization to receive funding?** No. Nonprofit organizations, tennis professionals, LLC's and small businesses are eligible to apply. Please consult with your tax advisor to fully understand tax implications if awarded a grant.

### **What is the maximum grant amount that can be awarded?**

There is no maximum. We will evaluate each request based on the impact the proposal will make towards our mission. Please consider your plan for sustainability when submitting your application.

### **Can the grant cover participation fees for my proposed tennis program?**

Participant fees should be charged according to your market. Applicants must show a plan for financial sustainability in future years (i.e. gradual increase of participant fees).

### **How do I apply?**

Grant applications and required documents must be submitted online. You will need to upload a copy of your current liability insurance, W9, submit your organization's operating budget and a program budget along with a detailed description of your funding proposal.

### **What is the application deadline?**

To give each application thoughtful consideration, please submit your application at least a week before the committee meets - the committee meets on the second Wednesday of each month.

### **When will notification of a grant award be made?**

The grantee will be contacted within two weeks of review. If approved, the Grant award will then be distributed within fourteen (14) business days of grantee

notification.

**Is an organization only allowed to be awarded a grant once a year?**

No. There is no limit.

**Are matching funds required?**

Matching funds may be requested if applying for a facilities grant.