



application form corporate giving direct effect awards

Please fill out the following application and submit with your written entry for the CHFA Corporate Giving Direct Effect Awards. The application must be included with your written submission to be considered for an award. In addition, please include a copy of the organization’s IRS exemption letter demonstrating proof of the organization’s nonprofit status or a state charter, articles of incorporation, or other establishing documents designating the organization as a nonprofit or not-for-profit entity under the laws of Colorado, and the Colorado Secretary of State’s Certificate of Good Standing.

nonprofit information

Organization Name		
Contact Person		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone	Email	
Website		

what is your direct effect?

To be eligible, nonprofits must have a mission that aligns with CHFA. Please select the following ways in which your organization serves Colorado. Select all that apply:

- Help low and moderate income Coloradans achieve or sustain affordable homeownership
- Revitalize one or more Colorado communities through the development, preservation, or ongoing operation of affordable rental housing for low and moderate income Coloradans
- Provide new or enhance existing support services or amenities for residents living in existing affordable rental housing Provide emergency shelter, rental or energy assistance, and/or other resources for youth, families, or individuals who are homeless, transitionally homeless, at-risk of eviction, or seeking affordable rental housing
- Support business growth and development in Colorado through mentoring, professional education, business recruitment, or other economic development activities
- Contribute to and guide Colorado residents to enter into a cycle of economic opportunity and financial independence
- Other: Is there a different way that your organization meets our broad mission of affordable housing and economic development? If so, please describe.

Please note if your work is aligned with the following CHFA priorities, if applicable. Please check all that apply.

- Supporting rural communities
- Serving special needs populations such as homeless, veterans, seniors, or the disabled
- Advancing innovation in construction practices, service delivery, community collaboration and partnerships, or other kinds of change-making endeavors that support housing stability and economic prosperity.

2020 David W. Herlinger Golf Tournament

- I would like our application to be considered as a beneficiary candidate for the 2020 David W. Herlinger Golf Tournament. I understand that selection requires nonprofit support in soliciting event sponsors, volunteers, and donation items for the event which will be held at the Fossil Trace Golf Course in Golden, Colorado in July 2020.

written entry

On a separate document, please tell us how your nonprofit organization has supported the Colorado community in the past, and how you would use the award to further your mission by answering the following questions.

1. Describe, in 300 words or less, how your organization has made the state stronger by helping Coloradans access affordable housing and/or by furthering economic development.
2. Describe, in 500 words or less, how a \$10,000 or \$25,000 award could allow you to make a direct effect with your work in Colorado.

submission information

Please submit this application form, the IRS exemption letter demonstrating proof of the organization's nonprofit status, Colorado Secretary of State Certificate of Good Standing, and your written entry to: (please check mail or email)

- Mail (must be postmarked by December 7, 2019):**
CHFA, Attn: Direct Effect Awards, PO Box 60, Denver, Colorado 80201
- Email (must be received by 11:59pm MST on December 7, 2019):**
directeffect@chfainfo.com

additional eligibility criteria

Eligible nonprofit and not-for-profit organizations include public housing authorities, cities, counties, and local municipalities.

The Colorado Housing and Finance Authority's contribution is restricted to supporting the general operations and programs of the organization and may not be used to support any activity proscribed by Section 1-45-117 of the Colorado Fair Campaign Practices Act or advocacy in support or opposition to any state, federal, or local legislation.

use of entrants' and winner's entries and privacy consent and release

All entries submitted in connection with the Awards shall become the sole property of CHFA and may be used for purposes related to CHFA's mission, including art, publicity, marketing, trade, and promotion of CHFA and its various programs without compensation to Award entrants. Submitted entries may be copied and distributed by means of various media, including video presentations, television, radio, news bulletins, mail-outs, billboards or signs, brochures, placement on CHFA websites, other electronic delivery or publications, as well as other social media, such as Facebook and Twitter, and use of submitted entries will be further subject to the user agreements for those media applications. Award entrants waive any and all rights to inspect or approve the finished product, any accompanying text, or any material in which CHFA may eventually use the submitted entries. By submitting an entry for these Awards, entrants relinquish and give CHFA all rights, title, and interests in and to the submitted entries, including any copyright. This consent and release shall be binding on the entrants' heirs, successors, assigns and legal representatives. Award entrants may only revoke this consent in writing and only with respect to the future use of submitted entries by CHFA after the date CHFA receives written notice of entrants' or winner's request of revocation of consent pursuant to this section.

CHFA will use the submitted entries in accordance with these Official Rules and with standards of good judgment; however, CHFA does not warrant or guarantee that any further dissemination of submitted entries will be subject to CHFA's supervision or control. Additionally, please note that records held by CHFA may be subject to the Colorado Open Records Act (CORA), C.R.S. 24-72-201, et seq. By submitting an entry in these Awards, entrants release CHFA and its directors, members, officers, agents, employees, personnel, successors, and assigns from any and all liability related to the dissemination of the submitted entries, reproduction, distribution, and display of the submitted entries in print or any and all other media, and any alteration, blurring, use in composite form, distortion, or illusionary effect, whether intentional or otherwise, that may be produced in taking, processing, reduction, or production of the finished product, its publication, or distribution.

The Award winner must agree to be interviewed and featured in communication pieces related to CHFA's mission, including art, publicity, marketing, trade, and promotion of CHFA and its various programs without compensation to the Awardee.