

AAA Traffic Safety Grant Application

OVERVIEW

The grant application process allows us to evaluate requests based on several criteria to assure the most effective distribution of funds.

This is an **equipment-specific** grant program. Granted funds must be used for the purchase of equipment outlined in this application. Examples of the types of traffic safety equipment we will consider are listed below. (Please note that consideration will also be given to other items if they are traffic safety related.)

- Extrication equipment and/or accessories (cribbing and strut kits, etc.)
- Heavy lift bags
- Radar speed trailers or radar speed signs
- Traffic Incident Management (TIM) equipment

AAA Traffic Safety Grant awards will be:

- Limited to a maximum of \$15,000.
- Given greater consideration if tied to collaborative fundraising efforts that support the purchase of the equipment listed in the grant application.

SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION

Please provide the information requested on this form. If necessary, you may attach additional sheets (for answers presented on separate pages, include the item number along with your response). Supplying relevant, detailed information will aid in the review and evaluation process and assist us in determining the areas of greatest need.

When completing your application, please include photos of the equipment and a current quote from the vendor.

Applications must be submitted by March 31, 2022 to <u>TrafficSafetyGrants@acg.aaa.com.</u>

For questions regarding the application process or to request additional information, please contact Gary Bubar at <u>gtbubar@acg.aaa.com</u> or (313) 336-0974.



AAA Traffic Safety Grant Application Form

A. ORGANIZATION INFORMATION				
	DATE OF REQUEST:			
	NAME OF THE REQUESTING ORGANIZATION:			
	Address:			
	Contact Person:			
	Title:			
	Email Address:			
	Contact Number:			
	Cell:	between	a.m. and	p.m.
	Work:	between	a.m. and	p.m.

B. EQUIPMENT REQUEST DETAILS

ITEM 1: Please describe the traffic safety equipment you are requesting, and the amount you wish to receive.

ITEM 2: What is the current size of your agency (number of firefighters or sworn officers)? How many of these personnel are certified (if necessary) on the specialized traffic safety equipment you are requesting?

ITEM 3: Please specify, in detail, how this equipment will be used.

If you're applying for extrication equipment, indicate the number of requests your agency typically handles per year. In addition, list the number of mutual aid requests for extrication your agency handles annually.

ITEM 4: Does your agency currently have, or have they ever had, equipment similar to what you are requesting? If so, is it still in use and how old is it?

For extrication requests: If you have no current equipment, how close in miles/time is the nearest equipment available to provide mutual aid?

ITEM 5: Please describe what, if any, internal efforts have been made to secure funds for this equipment.

ITEM 6: Please include any additional information you think may be relevant to your request.

C. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

ITEM 7: We recognize the vital importance of collaboration and teamwork. Therefore, we promote local coalition building and encourage you to attach letters of support from community partners, such as government officials, healthcare facilities, law enforcement agencies and public safety organizations.

Is this your first request to AAA for a grant to purchase traffic safety equipment?

YES NO If no, indicate the year(s) of previously submitted requests.

Are you willing to assist us in tracking the utilization of the specific safety equipment you purchase with this grant?

YES NO

The grant offered for the purchase of this equipment is intended for the agency listed on this application. If after obtaining this equipment, you find that you do not have an ongoing need for it, are you willing to assist us in locating another agency to which the equipment may be donated?

YES NO

Are you or any relative/close associate a current employee of AAA Michigan?

YES NO If yes, please indicate the nature of the relationship.