Classis of North Grand Rapids 1460 Banbury Drive Grand Rapids MI 49505 statedclerk@northgr.org

Resource Assistance Request Form

The following lists the procedures for submitting a request and the responsible process participants.

- Request received by Stated Clerk
- Forwarded to appropriate Committee depending on the form section filled out.
- Recommendation to Executive Committee or Classis depending on timing of request.
- Responding Committee advises the requestor of the decision.
- The Process can take up to 90 days for completion.

Items marked with a * must be completed for the request to be considered.

Requestor Information

Today's Date*

Church or Ministry or Self (Enter Name)*

Submitted By*

Church Cons	sistory
-------------	---------

Ministry Board of Directors

Classis Committee, Standing or Ad Hoc

If Classis Committee, please list:

Your Name

Your Email Address

Best Contact Phone Number

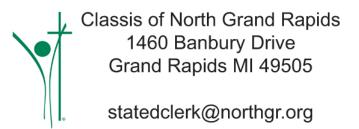
Address to Mail Check

Funding

- Strengthen a Church
- Leadership Development

Discipleship Initiative

- Strengthening a Ministry
- Multiplication/Church Planting



Pastoral Assistance

Other, please identify

Amount Requested in Whole Dollars

Whole Amount at Once

Amount Spread Out Over Time; Length of Time

Date Needed

Project Description

Describe the nature of and reason for the request, and how the request aligns with our classis mission and/or vision and/or values *

Please explain how the funding request amount was derived (how you arrived at a specific dollar amount) *

Requests for Strengthening Churches or Ministries (Skip if not Applicable)



Is your church or ministry willing to provide a strategic plan, or be willing to work on establishing a plan within a specific timeframe? (NOTE: the classis is willing to work with leaders to assist in this regard)?

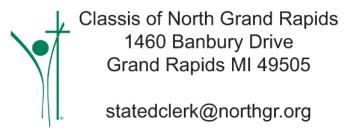
Yes
No
Unsure

Is your church or ministry willing to discern and take a "next right step" (examples – Learning Community, Faith-Based Planning, Congregational Vitality Pathways, etc.)?

Yes
No
Unsure

Requests for Leadership Development (Skip if not Applicable)

It is required that the person you are making a request on behalf of is willing to meet with our Classis Student Care Committee (if a seminary student under our care); or Classis Commissioned Pastor Team (if a commissioned pastor



candidate under our care); or Specialized Ministry Committee (if a specialized minister who is part of our classis); or Pastoral Care Committee (if a parish minister).

☐ I/we understand and agree to meet with the appropriate Committee/Team

Requests for Multiplication / Church Planting (Skip if not Applicable)

For proposed church plants, is the parent church/s willing to provide a New Congregation Plan (NCP)?

Yes
No
Unsure

For proposed missional communities, is the sponsoring church willing to provide a strategic plan?

Yes
No
Unsure

It is required that a pastor or senior leader of your church or ministry be willing to meet with our Classis Congregational Care to discuss your request firsthand.

☐ I/we understand and agree to meet with the Revitalization Team

Requests for Pastoral Assistance (Skip if not Applicable)

It is required that a senior leader of your church, and/or the pastor you are making a request on behalf of, be willing to meet with our Classis Pastoral Care Committee to discuss your request firsthand.

Email completed form to statedclerk@northgr.com