Presbytery Grant Application for Ministry

Project Title: _	
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Ministry or Church Name:_____

Amount Requested:

Summary of project (100 words or less)

1. Does your ministry have a vision/mission statement? How does this project advance that statement?

2. Describe the process that led to the development of this request.

3. The presbytery is committed to the Seven Marks of Vital Congregations. How does this project connect and foster one or more of these marks? Be specific about which marks and why.

- Lifelong Discipleship Formation (vs. Complacent "Christian Piety, simply teaching good morals, or offering the latest programs.)
- Intentional Authentic Evangelism (vs. "Jesus freaks"; "Christian" Hypocrisy; a Committee)
- Outward Incarnational Focus (vs. Inward Institutional Survival; Closed communities of assimilation/exclusion)
- Empower Servant Leadership (vs. the Pastor's job; monopolized leadership; hiring the young energetic pastor; burning out good volunteers)
- Spirit-Inspired Worship (vs. Self-gratifying worship, stale ritual divorced of meaning, or consumer entertainment worship)
- Caring Relationships (vs. Any other Social Club; facades, hypocrisy, and judgment of "church" and "religion")
- Ecclesial Health (vs. Unhealthy dysfunction; toxic environments; obsolete and irrelevant buildings)

(More information about these marks of Vital Congregations is available on the denomination's website, presbyterianmission.org.

4. Please provide the budget and timeline for the project.

5. Is this a continuing project or a new project? If it is continuing, please provide a detailed report about what has happened with this ministry and how funding has been used.

Primary Contact Person:	Phone:	
Email:		
Alternate Contact Person:	Phone:	_
Email:		

Session or governing body endorsement date:_____

Applications should be submitted to the chair. CCV may request further information or have suggestions on how to proceed. CCV may send a representative to meet with the ministry and may also request presence at a meeting (by phone, computer or in person.)