

Summary and Conclusion

Developing a process for determining which applicants will receive funds for important programs is a tremendous responsibility. Applicants competing for grant funds not only have critical needs, but they also invest considerable effort and resources in planning for and constructing their proposals. It is essential that the competition for the grant funds be contested on an even playing field, according to clear, standardized and fair rules. It is essential that the individuals granted the responsibility of making funding recommendations make fully informed assessments based upon relevant criteria within a highly structured process.

We hope that the reader of this document concurs that the *BSCC Grant Proposal Evaluation Process* satisfies the above criteria and helps to ensure that the most meritorious grant proposals receive grant funds. Any feedback regarding *BSCC's Grant Proposal Evaluation Process* is appreciated.