

Frequently Asked Questions

How are Grants approved?

The Grants Committee reviews and approves grant requests of less than \$5,000.00. Grants requests of \$5,000.00 or more must be approved by a majority of the Board.

Why does ECF make community grants in addition to assisting our employees?

Article I of the Foundation Bylaws, states "The specific purpose of El Caballero Foundation is to provide grants and other financial assistance to various individuals *and other public charities.*" The Foundation Board's guidelines call for at least 80% of all grants to be made for the benefit of El Cab employees and 20% or less to community projects. The diversity provided by our community grants reinforces our tax exempt status with the I.R.S. while enhancing the philanthropic reputation of El Caballero CC in the community.

Can I recommend a grant?

Yes. Any club member or employee can make a recommendation by email to elcaballerofoundation@gmail.com

Does ECF meet grant requests in full?

In most cases the Foundation and the recipient share the cost.

As a member of El Caballero Country Club am I required to make a contribution to El Caballero Foundation?

There is no such requirement. El Caballero Foundation would appreciate your support but we recognize that El Cab members are very generous people who continue to support many other fine causes.