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SPENCER CULTURAL COUNCIL SEEKS FUNDING PROPOSALS

Proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs are due October 17th. Organizations, schools, and individuals may apply for grants that support cultural activities in the community. These grants can support a variety of artistic projects and activities in Spencer -- including exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies, or performances in schools, workshops, and lectures.

The council is pleased to announce that the application process has moved online. Applicants may access the online application beginning September 1 at www.mass-culture.org/. For more information about the new online process, please visit www.mass-culture.org for resources.

The Spencer Cultural Council is currently seeking new members. We are a small group that meets three or four times a year to review grant applications and allocate funds. To volunteer, please contact the Town Clerk. For more information about the Spencer Cultural Council, contact Rachel Faugno at 774-479-8797.

The Spencer Cultural Council is part of a network of 329 Local Cultural Councils serving all 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth. The LCC Program is the largest grassroots cultural funding network in the nation, supporting thousands of community-based projects in the arts, sciences and humanities every year. The state legislature provides an annual appropriation to the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency, which then allocates funds to each community.

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