

NAR Sustainability Grant

Example Application Questions

- 1. Describe how your Association will use an NAR Sustainability Grant.
- 2. How will you measure the success of your Sustainability Grant project? How many members will be able to participate in or benefit from your initiative? How will you measure a return on investment with this idea?
- **3.** Provide a specific, realistic budget and timeline for your Sustainability Grant project. Include the resources your association plans to contribute to the implementation of the initiative, both financial and staffing (in kind) resources.
 - It is important to be as realistic as possible about your expected vendor costs, retrofit plans, speaker fees, etc. that may impact the success of your project.
- **4.** Do you anticipate involving other REALTOR® Associations and/or entities in your Sustainability Grant project? If so, how? If not, how is your Sustainability Grant project adaptable by other REALTOR® Associations?

PRO TIPS:

- Incorporate the <u>4 Pillars of the NAR Sustainability & Resilience Plan</u>
 (Environmental, Social, Governance, and Resilience) as much as
 possible. Proposals that demonstrate alignment with multiple aspects
 of sustainability will help to communicate a well-rounded, impactful
 project proposal.
- Attention to detail is crucial. Judges appreciate a well-thought-out, actionable activity that benefits most members, and demonstrate the submitter took the time to complete the application form.
- Read each question thoroughly and proofread your responses for accuracy and clarity.
- Highlight any unique or innovative aspect of your proposed activity that make it stand out.