



SAVE OUR LAKES ALLIANCE3

Application for the SOLA3 2019 Lakes Improvement Matching Grant

Please complete the following application and send it along with supporting materials to SOLA3 Award, PO Box 1504, Rehoboth Beach, DE, 19971. Or via email to saveourlakes3@aol.com. Deadline for the 2019 application is September 30, 2019.

Name _____ Phone No. _____

Permanent Address _____

Application relates to improvements at (address): _____

Email _____

Calendar of critical dates for 2019: applications must be received by SOLA3 no later than September 30; applicants will be notified by SOLA3 if they have been selected within 30 days of receiving an application and supporting documents. Upon successful completion of the awarded project no later than December 31, 2019, SOLA3's matching grant will be awarded to the property owner.

On a separate page, provide a project description that includes the following information:

1. Describe the overall objective of the proposed project, including information on the site of the project and the expected benefits to the lake if the project is completed.
2. Indicate whether you expect to use outside professionals to assist in completing the project (environmental companies, landscaping design companies, etc.).
3. If available, describe and/or include any supportive material on the overall design of the lakes improvement project.
4. Provide the estimated date of the project's completion.
5. Provide an itemized estimate of the expected total cost, or specific costs, of the project and the amount of the 50% matching award that you are applying for. Upon successful completion of the awarded projects, receipts will be required for the actual costs

SOLA3 will pay 50% of the total cost for awarded projects. For example, if the total cost of the project is \$6,000 or more, SOLA3 will award \$3,000; or if the total cost of the project is \$1,500, SOLA3 will award \$750. The maximum amount of all awards granted by SOLA3 in 2019 will not exceed \$3000.

The fine print: Potential winning applicants will be contacted within 30 days receipt of the application with information describing the amount and details of SOLA3's proposed support. Applicants may accept or decline the award at that time and are also free to abandon the project at any time for whatever reason. However, payment of SOLA3 matching funds are contingent on successful completion of the project, according to the **criteria (see Guidelines)**, by December 31, 2019. SOLA3 will, at its discretion, have no obligation to provide any funds for projects that are not successfully completed by that date.

As part of the award process, the property owner agrees to an on-site inspection of the project by SOLA3 and its environmental expert.

I have read, understand and agree to the requirements for making application for SOLA3's 2019 Lakes' Improvement Matching Grant:

Printed name _____

Signature _____ Date _____