## PENNSYLVANIA GRAZING LANDS COALITION (PA GLC) GRAZING EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM APPLICATION

Grants through PA GLC are available for Field Days/Pasture Walks, Trainings, Conferences and other activities that include grazing as a main topic and that reach grazing practitioners. Funding can be used to help offset any expenses needed to hold the conference or event (except food!). Applications are accepted year-round; please see the page 2 for program criteria and further details.

(Form to be filled out completely – Use Back If Necessary)

Application Date: Name of Group or Sponsoring Agency(s):		
Address:	City:	State/Zip:
Name of Primary Contact Person:		Position:
Email Address:	Phone Nu	ımber:
Grant type (Mini, Regional or State- see P.2):; Amount requested: \$		
Event Name:	Location (Site/County): _	Event Date/s:
What specific item/s will GLC funds cover?		
What "special topic" will be on the agenda (e.g. Equine Pasture Management, Fencing/watering systems, Pasture Soil Health, etc.)?		
What is the target audience(s) and geographic region/s for the event?		
How will the event be publicized?		
How will GLC be recognized in this project?		
Anticipated completion date:	(report wi	ll be due within 30 days of completion)
Date Prepared: Signature of Preparer/Contact:		
Other Items of Note for Grant Project Consideration (please add here if needed):		

## \*Please direct questions and send completed form, with "PA GLC Mini-grant application" in the subject line, by email to events@paglc.org

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## PA GLC Grant Program Criteria

- 1. Grants are offered for grazing functions that reach producers:
  - a. Field Days
  - b. Conferences
  - c. Pasture Walks
  - d. Trainings, etc.
- 2. Topics/concepts to be considered:
  - a. Pasture Soil Health
  - b. Extending the Grazing Season Year Round Grazing
  - c. Enhancing Grazing System Intensity/Rotation
  - d. Conversion of Cropland to Pasture
  - e. Grass Fed Meats/products
  - f. Nutrient Management
  - g. Equine Pasture Management
  - h. Wildlife and grazing
  - i. Renewable Energy/Carbon Savings (solar, ram pumps, nose pumps, etc.)
- 3. Levels of Grants for pasture walks, field days, conferences, etc. (*Please note that funding level for any application is under consideration and discretion of the grants committee.*)
  - a. Mini Grants, for a small or single county function; \$200 maximum per event.
  - b. Regional Grants, for multi-county functions; \$500 maximum per event.
  - c. Statewide Grants, for PA or multi-state functions; \$1,000 maximum per event.
- 4. How do I apply?
  - a. Fill out an application detailing your project request.
  - b. Send completed form by email to: PA GLC Grants Committee at events@paglc.org.
  - c. Food items are NOT eligible to be covered under reimbursement requests.
  - d. Travel expenses, lodging, honorariums, facility rentals, printing costs, etc. are examples of eligible expenses. Please list items for which you are seeking reimbursement.
  - e. Each project is expected to commit "in-kind" support (of at least the amount of the grant) through the local sponsor which can be staff time, facilities, food costs, etc.
- 5. Once the grant has been approved by the PA GLC Grants committee, which meets at least quarterly, notification will be sent to the applicant with approval to proceed. *PA GLC must be listed as an event sponsor on any brochures, agendas, etc.*
- 6. Once the event has been held, a completion report must be submitted *within 30 days along with receipts of expenses, matching/in-kind project documentation, as well as any brochures, press releases, etc.*
- 7. After the completed activity report has been reviewed, reimbursement will be sent on behalf of the PA GLC treasurer.