

Governance **National Standards**

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National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations Board Resolution

Passed November 20, 2018

Resolution Regarding Accreditation and Re-Accreditation with National Standards for U.S. Community **Foundations for the Quad Cities Community Foundation**

WHEREAS, the Council on Foundations' Community Foundations Leadership Team first adopted National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations in June 2000, the community foundation field approved the National Standards in September 2000, and the Community Foundations Leadership Team released revisions to the National Standards in March 2009 and March 2014;

WHEREAS, the applicant Community Foundation's Board of Directors has approved this application and authorized Cory Sellers to act as the primary point of contact with the Community Foundations National Standards Board;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the applicant Community Foundation's Board of Directors certifies that the applicant Community Foundation has:

- Approved the submission process;
- Certified that all documents and information provided in this application are true and correct;
- Authorized the above referenced individual to act as the primary point of contact; and
- Agreed to abide by the Internal Revenue Service definition as well as the National Standards definition of a Community Foundation as set forth in National Standard 1.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a complete record of submission materials shall continue to be maintained and updated to reflect any changes and shall be made available for audit or review by the Community Foundations National Standards Board or its designee(s) upon request.

Jill McLaughlin	Date
Board Chair	
Sherry Ristau	Date
President/CEO	