

State Of Maryland

2022 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

1. Name Of Project		
The Miracle League Baseball Field		
2. Senate Sponsor	3. House Sponsor	
Gallion	Griffith	
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)	5. Requested Amount	
Harford County	\$100,000	
6. Purpose of Bond Initiative		
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of the Miracle League Baseball Field		
7. Matching Fund		
Requirements:	Type:	
Grant		
8. Special Provisions		
<input type="checkbox"/> Historical Easement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-Sectarian	
9. Contact Name and Title	Contact Ph#	Email Address
Delegate Mike Griffith		mike.griffith@house.state.md.us
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)		
<p>The Miracle League of Harford County is a special designed ballfield for individuals with special needs and disabilities. The field is a special surface to allow individuals with all types of challenges to have the opportunity to play ball. The surface is totally flat without obstructions that could cause tripping. The dugout entrances are made on the same level as the field to allow easy access in and out of the dugout.</p>		

11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)

We would like to have lights installed on the field so the ball players could play in the evenings after parents get off from work. Currently the players come to the field on Saturday mornings. Not all players can make it on Saturday due to other programs or other family commitments. Having the lights on the field would allow them to play later in the summer with the evenings being cooler than the daylight hours. The plans are to install 4 light poles with 6 to 8 lights per pole, located around the field. The poles would be 30 foot high and the lights would be LED for energy savings.

Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.

12. Estimated Capital Costs

Acquisition	
Design	
Construction	\$25,000
Equipment	\$75,000
Total	\$100,000

13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)

State Grant	\$100,000
Total	\$100,000

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)			
Begin Design	Complete Design	Begin Construction	Complete Construction
TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised	16. Current Number of People Served Annually at Project Site	17. Number of People to be Served Annually After the Project is Complete	
	120	150-175	
18. Other State Capital Grants to Recipients in the Past 15 Years			
Legislative Session	Amount	Purpose	
N/A			
19. Legal Name and Address of Grantee		Project Address (If Different)	
The Miracle League of Harford County Inc 2202 Byton Court Forest Hill, MD 21050		301 Schucks Road Bel Air, MD 21015	
20. Legislative District in Which Project is Located	35B - Cecil and Harford Counties		
21. Legal Status of Grantee (Please Check One)			
Local Govt.	For Profit	Non Profit	Federal
[]	[]	[X]	[]
22. Grantee Legal Representative		23. If Match Includes Real Property:	
Name:	Thomas Walls	Has An Appraisal Been Done?	Yes/No
Phone:	14108088846		No
Address:		If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value	
2202 Byton Court Forest Hill, MD 21050			

24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site			
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Current Operating Budget	Projected Operating Budget
n/a	n/a	20000.00	20000.00
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)			
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?			Lease
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			No
D. If property is owned by grantee any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
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26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF			
Space to be Renovated GSF			
New GSF			

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion	
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28. Comments

This will create an opportunity for challenged individuals to play ball under lights. This would be a different experience playing versus playing in the daylight. These individuals have not had the opportunity to play organized ball on a field that is designed and built for them exclusively. The first year of play, we had many individuals that had never caught a ball or stood at a baseball plate and swing a bat at the ball being pitched to them.