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If you would like to apply for a grant, please complete the following questionnaire.

Q1. Are you a business located in Cumberland, Wisconsin, or the surrounding area?

Yes

Q2. Are you the owner or authorized representative for the company?

Yes

Please enter the following information about the business

Q3. Business Name

Goose Aviation LLC

Q4.

Field label	Response
Address1	2204 19 7/8 ave
Address2	
City	Rice Lake
Zip Code	54868
State	wi
Phone	715-931-8482
Email	gooseaviationllc@gmail.com

Q5. Website

Facebook goose aviation llc

Please enter the following applicant information

Q6.

Field label	Response
First Name	Buck
Last Name	Richie

Q7. Phone Number

7159318482

Q8. Please enter your email if different from business email

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Q9. Please tell us about your business. Please be as specific as possible. If the form does not have enough space, please email additional pages to info@50peoplewhocare.org

Please include things like; type of business, number of employees, local suppliers used, what makes you unique or essential to our community.

Buck Richie
Owner and Operator
Goose Aviation LLC
Cumberland, WI

5/07/24

50 People Who Care Foundation
Cumberland, WI

Dear 50 People Who Care

I am thrilled to submit an application for the "50 People Who Care" grant on behalf of Goose Aviation LLC, a rapidly growing and successful flight school located at the Cumberland municipal airport in Wisconsin.

At Goose Aviation, our mission is to provide the highest quality aviation flight training with a focus on career pathways while prioritizing safety. With over 30 students pursuing their aviation careers, including many local youth from the Cumberland community, we are dedicated to fostering the next generation of pilots and aviation professionals.

As a business with long-term commitments and aspirations to the Cumberland community, we are in need of support to further our growth and provide enhanced opportunities for our students. The grant funding would greatly assist us in acquiring a second aircraft, specifically a Cessna 150 training aircraft, to meet the increasing demand for our flight training programs.

Additionally, the funding would be utilized for energy-efficient upgrades to our facilities, including professional insulation and steel siding for our hangar. This improvement is crucial to reduce our energy costs during the winter months when the hangar serves as the classroom training space for our students.

With a team of highly licensed pilots and a commitment to safety and excellence, Goose Aviation is dedicated to providing a premier aviation education experience. We are confident that the grant support from "50 People Who Care" would enable us to continue our mission and expand our impact within the Cumberland community.

Thank you for considering Goose Aviation LLC for this grant opportunity. We assure you that the funds will be utilized wisely to benefit our students, employees, and the overall growth of our flight school.

Sincerely,
Buck Richie
Owner and Operator
Goose Aviation LLC

Q10. What is the plan for using the grant money (How will it be used)?

The grant money from the "50 People Who Care" Foundation will be used by Goose Aviation LLC for the following purposes:

1. Acquisition of a Cessna 150 Training Aircraft: A portion of the grant funds will be allocated towards the purchase of a Cessna 150 training aircraft. This additional aircraft is essential to meet the growing demand for flight training programs at Goose Aviation and accommodate the increasing number of students pursuing their aviation careers.

2. Energy-Efficient Upgrades for Hangar: Another portion of the grant funds will be utilized for energy-efficient upgrades to the hangar facilities at Goose Aviation. This includes professional insulation and installation of steel siding to improve energy efficiency and reduce heating costs during the winter months. The upgraded facilities will provide a more comfortable and sustainable environment for students to engage in classroom training sessions.

By strategically allocating the grant money towards these initiatives, Goose Aviation aims to enhance its training capabilities, improve operational efficiency, and create a conducive learning environment for its students. These investments will not only benefit the business but also contribute to the long-term growth and success of the flight school within the Cumberland community.

Q11. Projected benefit of plan execution (e.g. viability of business, growth/expansion of business, impact on the community, etc...)

Executing the plan outlined for the utilization of the grant money at Goose Aviation LLC is projected to yield several significant benefits, including:

1. **Viability of Business Growth:** Acquiring a second aircraft, such as the Cessna 150 training aircraft, will enhance the flight training capacity of Goose Aviation. By expanding the fleet, the flight school can accommodate more students, offer additional training programs, and increase revenue streams. This growth strategy will contribute to the long-term viability and sustainability of the business.

2. **Expansion of Business Impact:** The acquisition of the Cessna 150 training aircraft will enable Goose Aviation to expand its services and reach a broader audience of aspiring pilots. With a larger fleet, the flight school can attract more students, offer specialized training courses, and cater to the diverse needs of the aviation community. This expansion will position Goose Aviation as a premier flight training institution in the Cumberland area.

3. **Community Impact:** The growth and success of Goose Aviation LLC will have a positive impact on the Cumberland community in several ways. By providing high-quality aviation education and training programs, the flight school will contribute to the development of skilled pilots and aviation professionals in the region. This, in turn, can stimulate economic growth, create job opportunities, and enhance the local aviation industry. Additionally, Goose Aviation's commitment to safety, excellence, and community engagement will foster a culture of aviation awareness and appreciation among residents of Cumberland.

Overall, the execution of the plan to use the grant money at Goose Aviation is expected to drive business growth, expand the flight school's impact, and make a meaningful contribution to the Cumberland community by nurturing talent, promoting aviation education, and fostering economic development.