

GOSCHENHOPPEN MEADOWS FUND

Each year the Goschenhoppen Meadows Fund supports Ministry, Mission, and Maintenance projects above and beyond the annual budget. A total of 4% of the Meadows Fund Investment account will be distributed to proposals submitted by the congregation (1.333% to each category): Ministry, Mission, and Maintenance. Ministry covers what we can do for the sake of the Gospel. Mission is financial support for the spread of the Good News and Christian acts of love in places beyond our local church. Maintenance covers short and long-term improvements at our church campus.

Applications and details on the submittal process are available on the New Goschenhoppen website at:

www.newgoshucc.org/mission-outreach

Scroll down to the bottom of the Mission and Outreach web page and click on one of the three application links under the Meadows Fund: Ministry Application, Mission Application, and Maintenance Application. Applications may also be obtained by contacting the Church Office directly.

- 1) Proposals by members and friends of New Goschenhoppen Church are due in the Church Office by **August 31**.
- 2) All proposals are screened by the Consistory Vice-President and the Senior Pastor to ensure sufficient information is included. Proposal authors are contacted as necessary.
- 3) Proposals are distributed to the appropriate committees for review and disposition.
 - Ministry proposals – Church and Ministry Committee
 - Mission proposals – Deacons' Committee
 - Maintenance proposals – Property, Park, and Cemetery Committees
- 4) Committee recommendations are submitted to Consistory for approval at their October meeting.
- 5) Approved projects are shared at the November Congregational Meeting.

Please contact the President or Vice-President of Consistory with any questions regarding the proposal application process. As with previous years, the individuals submitting proposals will remain anonymous throughout the proposal review process.