



### State of South Carolina Request for Contribution Distribution

This form is designed to collect the information required by South Carolina in accordance with Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act of 2022 and Executive Order 2022-19. This form must be submitted to the state agency that is providing the contribution for the designated organization. The state agency providing the contribution should use this form to collect information from the designated organization. The information must be collected from the designated organization before the funds can be disbursed.

#### Contribution Information

Amount	State Agency Providing the Contribution	Purpose
\$1,250,000.00	H030 - Commission on Higher Education	HEEEP

#### Organization Information

Entity Name	Converse University
Address	580 E. Main Street
City/State/Zip	Spartanburg, SC 29302
Website	www.converse.edu
Tax ID#	57-0314380
Entity Type	Nonprofit Organization

#### Organization Contact Information

Contact Name	Dianne Crocker
Position/Title	VP for Finance & Business
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#### Plan/Accounting of how these funds will be spent:

Description	Budget	Explanation
Converse College for Women	\$34,699.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
Writing Center	\$50,095.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
Education Department	\$630,217.00	Enhancing a program of teacher edu designed to qualify students to teach
Academic Services	\$27,215.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
Wellness Center	\$128,165.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
Counseling Services	\$9,402.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
First Year Experience & New Student Orientation	\$40,236.00	Tutoring counseling & student service programs to improve academic success
Library	\$329,971.00	Purchase of books, periodicals, and other educational materials
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$1,250,000.00</b>	

#### Please explain how these funds will be used to provide a public benefit:

Converse University is a historically single gender women's institution of traditional students, as evidenced by ninety percent or more of full-time female undergraduates under twenty-five years of age for the four consecutive years immediately preceding the current year and offers a substantial public benefit to the state of South Carolina by enabling its students to become well-educated, to move into the workforce and to improve the quality of life in South Carolina. Through the Higher Education Excellence Enhancement Program (HEEEP), South Carolina enables Converse to effectively partner with the federal government to ensure continued existence in this State.

*Dianne Crocker*

#### Organization Certifications

1) Organization hereby gives assurance that no person shall, upon the grounds of race, creed, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefit of, or be

- otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which this organization is responsible.
- 2) Organization certifies that it will provide quarterly spending reports to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
  - 3) Organization certifies that it will provide an accounting at the end of the fiscal year to the Agency Providing Contribution listed above.
  - 4) Organization certifies that it will allow the State Auditor to audit or cause to be audited the contributed funds.

*Dianne Crocker*  
Organization Signature

VP for Finance & Business  
Title

Dianne Crocker  
Printed Name

1/3/2023  
Date

#### Certifications of State Agency Providing Contribution

- 1) State Agency certifies that the planned expenditure aligns with the Agency's mission and/or the purpose specified in the appropriations act of 2022.
- 2) State Agency certifies that the Organization has set forth a public purpose to be served through receipt of the expenditure.
- 3) State Agency certifies that it will make distributions directly to the organization.
- 4) State Agency certifies that it will provide the quarterly spending reports and accounting received from the organization to the Senate Finance Committee, House Ways and Means Committee, and the Executive Budget Office by June 30, 2023.
- 5) State Agency certifies that it will publish on their website any and all reports, accountings, forms, updates, communications, or other materials required by Proviso 117.21 of the appropriations act of 2022.
- 6) State Agency will certify to the Office of the Governor that it has complied with the requirements of Executive Order 2022-19 by June 30, 2023.

*Rusty Monhollon*  
Agency Head Signature  
Rusty Monhollon

1-6-23  
Date

Printed Name