



California- Nevada Annual Conference  
The United Methodist Church

**BOARD OF MISSIONS**

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**PATTON FUND APPLICATION Amount Requested \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**For Mission**

Project Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Check will be sent from the Trust Office of the UM Foundation to:

Conditions:

Provide documentation showing the nature of this project and the source of all funds and projections of expenditures and income.

Who will benefit by this grant?

At the completion of this grant period, the project shall submit a report, which outlines the successes or failures of the project.

As a representative of the project/sponsoring organization, I have read this form and agree to comply with the terms and conditions of this grant.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

If you have questions about this grant, please contact:

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**Requirements:**

It has been amended that each year on 12/31 the Foundation take 5% of a three year rolling average of the market value of the Patton Fund for grants. The terms of this fund require then that it be divided 20% for BOOM scholarships, 40% for “mission” and 40% for “church extension”. The Foundation will inform BOOM and the board of Missions how much is available for the calendar year, and each can take steps to make gifts and awards.

1. Either the Board of Ordained Ministry of the Board of Missions must recommend all requests for funds. Such requests must be supported by a proper application form, and, for mission and church extension grants, documentation showing the nature of the project, the source of all fund and projections of expenditures and income.
2. The purpose of the Patton Fund’s grants is to provide “seed money” for projects that are innovative and pioneering, rather than ongoing projects. Usually, no project will be funded for more than two years. Further, the funds will not be granted for the purposes of ongoing staff support.
3. Each group or agency receiving a grant from the Patton Fund will be asked to make an annual report which outlines the successes or failures of the project, important lessons learned and other information of an evaluative nature.
4. The Gifts and Awards committee will continue to monitor the awarding of grants, and will not normally be asked to intervene in the awarding process. The committee will however, maintain the right to withhold a grant if it believes that the provisions of the above policies are not being honored.

**-Reviewed by Board of Missions  
January 30, 2004**

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