**Application for Quaker Activity AssistanceBoulder Friends Meeting**

**Purpose**Quaker Activity Assistance helps individuals and families attend regional, state, and other Quaker-sponsored gatherings, so that no member or attender is excluded for financial reasons. Examples include Intermountain Yearly Meeting (IMYM), Colorado Regional Meeting, and Quaker Women’s Retreat.**Guidelines**

Due to limited funds and high demand, an annual limit is now in place: $500 for the first adult individual or adult family member plus $150 for each additional family member. An adult applicant should be someone who attends Meeting regularly.

**Procedure**The Quaker Activity Assistance Committee, operating on the principle of unity, uses the Application for Quaker Activity Assistance to reach decisions about assistance awards. The Committee’s desire is to meet all appropriate requests subject to available funds. If requests exceed Meeting’s resources, awards will be proportionally decreased among those applications still pending. All assistance award checks are written, on your behalf, directly to the Quaker organization sponsoring the event you wish to attend. Award recipients are asked to respond to a query about their experience.

In addition to the applicant, any other family member age 16 or over should also complete the “Summary of Expectations” section of the form as well as answering the query.

**Confidentiality**The Quaker Activity Assistance Committee will treat your application with confidentiality. Only total amounts allocated—not personal information or names of recipients—will be provided to Meeting for purposes of periodic reporting. Minutes kept in the Committee’s open access file will have all confidential information redacted.

**Instructions**Please complete the application and submit your request for assistance using one of the following methods:

1. Send it to Quaker Activity Assistance, 1825 Upland Ave., Boulder, CO 80304.

2. Place it in the Quaker Activity Assistance box in the Meeting House library. To protect confidentiality, please put it in a sealed envelope.

3. Scan a copy and send to George Banks at: banksg333@gmail.com

Please put “QAAC” (without quotes) in the subject line or body of any email.

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**Today’s Date** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Name and date of activity or event** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Name of applicant** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Budget and request:**

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| Names (applicant first, then other family members if any) | Total cost  (A) | Your contribution  (B)  (IMYM requests $65 from participants) | Balance requested from Meeting  (A)- (B) |
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| Total amounts |  |  |  |

**Please describe** your current financial constraints that have led you to apply for assistance:

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**Summary of expectations:** How do you expect that participating in this event will be beneficial to you, to the Meeting as a whole, or to the event itself?

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