Release God’s Power Fund

American Baptist Churches of Pennsylvania and Delaware

# Grant Request Form

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Date:

Group Submitting Request:

Address:

Amount Requested:

Contact Person:

Address:

Telephone # & E-mail Address:

Pastor’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(if Pastor is not submitting the grant request)

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Please **TYPE** ALL Answers. Please forward this request to the Regional Pastor in your corridor. Please use an additional sheet if necessary

Nature and purpose of the grant request: *Approx. 1,125 characters*

Time Frame and Total Projected Cost: *Approx. 585 characters*

Other Sources of Funding: *Approx. 425 characters*

Evidence of long-range, cooperative planning and buy-in from large portion of the congregation *(550)*:

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Did your church financially support ABCOPAD’s Partners in Ministry Offering for the last two years?

 YES NO

If your congregation has not supported Partners in Ministry for the last two years, what plans does your church have for a new or renewed commitment to financial partnership with the region? *(410)*

Has your church submitted the Cooperative Church Annual Report this year?

 YES NO

If approved, do you agree to submit a typewritten report (form available through Regional Pastors) , upon completion of the purpose of this grant to the Mission Allocation Committee, relating to program outcomes and the funds expended?

Do you agree to return an unexpended portion of the grant to the ABCOPAD Treasurer, so that it might be returned to the fund it is from, for future grants?

The following areas of partnership between ABCOPAD, churches and pastors will be considered for approval of each grant. Please mark any or all that your pastor or church is participating in:

1. Pastor is a part of an LLC
2. Pastoral or lay congregants attend the Biennial Leadership Conference
3. Participation in online ACTS classes
4. New pastoral leadership participation in an ABCOPAD orientation
5. ABCOPAD ABW Ministries or AB Men’s Group
6. Association ties (please note, how and when)

What is the long-term viability of your congregation?