



2025 GREEN GRANT AGREEMENT
(completed by Meridian Township pending grant award)

THIS GRANT AGREEMENT (this "Agreement"), effective as of _____ (the "Effective Date"), is between Meridian Charter Township (the "Grantor"), 5151 Marsh Road, Okemos, MI 48864, and _____ (the "Grantee"), whose address is _____. As used in this Agreement, the Grantor and the Grantee are, individually, a "Party" and, collectively, the "Parties".

Meridian Environmental Commission and Board of Trustees established the Green Grant Program to provide funding for green infrastructure projects including rain gardens, pollinator gardens, and related ecological and educational landscaping initiatives. The Grantee has applied to Grantor to receive a grant award, and Grantor has approved a grant award in the amount of \$_____ "Grant Funds").

The Parties agree:

1. **Grant.** Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and in reliance upon the Grantee affirmations set forth below, the Grantor agrees to make available, and the Grantee agrees to accept, the Grant Funds. Assuming successful progress, project completion, and submission of an invoice from the Grantee, Grant Funds will be reimbursed as soon as possible.
2. **Grantee Affirmations:**
 - a) Grantee affirms all of its representations in the application for assistance and request for Grant Funds submitted to Grantor.
 - b) Grantee affirms that the Grant Funds shall be used for the project specified in this agreement only.
 - c) Grantees are encouraged to promote their projects and provide status reports, pictures, tracking of expenditures, and a final report and presentation to the Environmental Commission and/or Township Board.
3. **Repayment/Remedies.** Grantee is subject to repayment to the Grantor of an amount equal to the Grant Funds received by Grantee in the event Grantee has made material misrepresentations to the Grantor in its Application, or the Grantee fails to otherwise comply with the requirements of this Agreement. Grantor further retains all rights and remedies allowed in law or equity, including seeking payment of its reasonable costs and expenses incurred enforcing its rights and remedies. A suggested payment schedule is 50% upon acceptance and 50% upon completion. Grantees may make changes to their budgets as long as the original intent is maintained. Projects should be completed in 2025.
4. **Assignment.** Grantee may not assign any of its rights or obligations this Agreement to any person or entity.
5. **Counterparts/Facsimile/Pdf signatures.** This Agreement may be signed in counterparts and delivered by fax or other electronic formats and shall be considered one document and an original for all purposes.

GRANTOR: Meridian Township

Date: _____
By: Dan Opsommer
Its: Deputy Township Manager

GRANTEE: _____

Date: _____
By: _____
Its: _____