

State of Maryland

2006 Bond Bill Fact Sheet

1. Senate		House		2. Name of Project
LR #	Bill #	LR #	Bill #	
	SB1004	1056	HB1316	Creation of a State Debt – Montgomery County- Great Strides
3. Senate Bill Sponsors				House Bill Sponsors
Senator Kramer				Del. Taylor, et. al
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)				5. Requested Amount
Montgomery County				\$103,500
6. Purpose of Bill				
Authorizing the creation of a State Debt to be used as a grant to the Board of Directors of Great Strides Therapeutic Riding, Inc. for the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, and capital equipping of run-in sheds, round pens, an outdoor arena, and other capital improvements at Great Strides Therapeutic Riding, Inc.				
7. Matching Fund Requirements				
The grantee shall provide and expend a matching fund. No part of the matching fund may consist of real property. The fund may consist of in kind contributions or funds expended prior to the effective date of the Act.				
8. Special Provisions				
None.				
9. Description and Purpose of Grantee Organization (3000 characters maximum)				
To promote emotional healing and growth in partnership with horses. Great Strides offers equine facilitated psychotherapy and therapeutic horsemanship. Through specially designed interactive experiences that promote emotional healing, we build confidence, improve social skills, and help clients make positive changes in their lives. Our farm environment provides a unique setting enabling clients to address treatment issues on many different experiential levels that they might not ordinarily access in a therapist's office.				
10. Description and Purpose of Project (3000 characters maximum)				
This project will enhance the physical plant environs of the program to enable Great Strides to serve more clients, more efficiently, safely and with better facilities.				
<i>Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 11 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 12 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.</i>				
11. Estimated Capital Costs				
Acquisition				
Design				
Construction				\$313,000
Equipment				
Total				\$313,000
12. Proposed Funding Sources – (List all funding sources and amounts.)				
Source			Amount	
Maryland State Bond Bill			\$103,000	
Private Fund Raising			\$210,000	

B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?			N/A
C. Does the grantee intend to lease any portion of the property to others?			N/A
D. If property is owned by grantee and any space is to be leased, provide the following:			
Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease	Square Footage Leased
N/A			
E. If property is leased by grantee – Provide the following:			
Name of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew	
Lewis BTF, LLC.	Ten Years	Annually	
26. Building Square Footage:			
Current Space GSF	NA		
Space to Be Renovated GSF	NA		
New GSF	NA		
27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion			
28. Comments: (3000 characters maximum)			