## **ABCUSA MATTHEW 25 GRANT APPLICATION**

1. Name of Ministry: HighWay Ministries

Region:	American Baptist Churches of Los Angeles, Hawaii, the		
	Southwest		
Address:	HighWay Ministries		
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Contact:	Rev. Jini Kilgore Cockroft		

- 2. Mission Statement and Financial Statement
- 3. <u>How do you plan to use the requested funds</u>? We plan to use the requested funds to buy food for distribution to the poor, which is our largest direct ministry expense and a centerpiece of our ministry. We feed the poor in three ways: (1) Sunday free hot breakfast for our community; (2) bimonthly (or as often as needed) purchase from the food bank to help assist the people who live in our group home (HighWay House); (3) purchase of "emergency food" that we keep on hand for persons who drop by often and ask for something to eat.
- 4. How will the funds assist individuals battling poverty and its effects? The funds will help prevent hunger and starvation, as well as promote better health. Every Sunday we feed approximately 12-20 homeless and/or impoverished men, women, and children—families—a hot, nutritious breakfast consisting of fresh eggs, meat, grits or potatoes, biscuits, juice, coffee, water, and fruit. Additionally, throughout the week, people stop by the ministry for food, so we keep frozen, nutritious sandwiches that can be microwaved. Lastly, for the nine residents of our group home, HighWay House, we buy 200 lbs. of food from the food bank as needed.
- 5. <u>Total cost of the project:</u> **\$2,500**
- 6. <u>Amount requested from ABCUSA Matthew 25 Grant</u>: \$2,500.

Application submitted by: Rev. Jini K. Cockroft

February 17, 2016

### HIGHWAY MINISTRIES MISSION STATEMENT

It is the mission of HighWay Ministries (a non-profit 501 c.3. public benefit corporation) to present the Gospel of Salvation in Jesus Christ to all of those with whom we come in contact in our neighborhood and beyond. We seek to minister to the needs of the whole person by the preaching and teaching of the Gospel, holding prayer services, and by providing food, clothing, housing, counsel, cash loans, and transportation. Our ministries include a weekly worship service (Sunday) and Bible study and prayer meeting (Wednesday); free breakfast (Sunday); a monthly clothing giveaway; small cash loans and gifts to assist people with immediate and emergency needs; and van transportation to and from the ministry on Sundays and at other designated times. In addition, HighWay Ministries includes HighWay House, an affordable boarding home for low-income men and women who are committed to sober living.

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## HIGHWAY MINISTRIES (A CALIFORNIA NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION) STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES-MODIFIED CASH BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2014

# CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - UNRESTRICTED

REVENUE: Rents Offering	\$	42,183 22,681
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$	64,864
Disbursements:	¢	7 096
Payroll	\$	7,985 1,085
Payroll Taxes		1,300
Equipment Rental		24,038
Rent Honoraria		210
Worship And Gifts		1,162
Recreational Expenses		116
Anniversary Expenses		727
Auto Expenses		1,407
Christian Education & Worship Expenses		259
Food And Food Supplies		2,014
Miscellaneous Expenses		2.909
Office Supplies		163
Clothing		63 228
Refunds		2.064
Repairs And Maintenance		2,438
Stipend		208
Postage		415
Telephone Service		18,250
Transfer from Savings Taxes And Licenses		820
Taxes And Licenses		
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$	67,861
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS		(2,997)
NET ASSETS - UNRESTRICTED - 01/01/14		18,251
NET ASSETS - UNRESTRICTED - 12/31/14	\$	15,254

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