



Application for Support

Name:

Address:

City:

State

Zip

Phone:

Email:

Date of submission:

Please carefully answer the following questions and return your answers, along with any additional material you feel might be helpful for the Community Development Committee.

- 1) Are you now, or have you ever been, a communing member of Southwood Presbyterian? If so, for how many years?
- 2) Church where you are currently a communing member (if not Southwood):
- 3) Total amount of financial support needed:
- 4) Briefly share your testimony:
- 5) Please share one particular way you have seen the Lord work in your heart and life in the last 3 months:
- 6) Describe the ministry opportunity for which you are applying for support:
- 7) Briefly describe your choice to pursue this particular opportunity:
- 8) Southwood is committed to pursuing missions and poverty alleviation efforts in a biblically developmental manor - meaning we seek to avoid paternalism, support indigenous leadership, and empower individuals and communities rather than creating dependency. How do you feel that your role in this ministry will help foster these developmental values? (To learn more about what we mean by "biblically developmental" ministry, we encourage you to read *When Helping Hurts* by Steve Corbett and Brian Fikkert.)
- 9) Please list three references, making sure to include at least one individual with whom you have served in ministry in the last 3 years.

You may mail a hard copy to the church, or send an electronic email to missions@southwood.org. If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Niemitz at the office (256) 882-3085 x 119, or email her at missions@southwood.org.

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