

## **East Portland Neighborhood Office Community Activities Fund Request Form**

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**Date of Request 3.1.17**

**Contact Name, phone, and email [DELETED FOR PRIVACY]**

**Group/Organization name (may leave blank, it not relevant) Informal group**

**Additional members of your team and partners [FOR PRIVACY DELETED LIST OF OTHER COMMUNITY LEADERS]**

**Activity or project title - Myanmar Sports Tournament**

**Activity or project location - Lents Park**

**Expected date(s) of activity or project- First Saturday of September, 2017**

**Expected number of participants 70-80 (players) + entire families so expect a total of about 500 people**

**Amount requested \$500**

### **Briefly describe your project or activity.**

Last year was our first year with this event. We want to continue this event every year. It is an annual sports event for all the nationalities from Myanmar. Many of us were in refugee camps in neighboring countries and did not have the opportunity to work together and did not have harmony. A main goal is to bring our different ethnic communities together to strengthen unity and build a sense of togetherness and harmony. The planning team is people from different ethnic groups which gives us the opportunity to work on a project together. On the day of event, not just the players but their entire family comes out for the event. It is like a family picnic day. All the families from the different ethnic groups can meet together on that day and build a sense of shared communities.

### **Describe use of requested funds.**

Neutral referees, food, transportation, first aid equipment

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