

**APPLICATION for HELP THROUGH THE BANK OF TALENTS**

**“CHURCHES HELPING CHURCHES”**

***The Baptist Fund of Rhode Island (BFRI)***

**Purpose:** to assist American Baptist churches who are in need of assistance in leadership, education, volunteers or seed money to start a new local outreach ministry or make major improvements to an existing ministry.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

1. Church Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Pastor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Person completing this application: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please attach supporting information to this application if additional space is necessary)

2. What type of assistance is needed? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Expected schedule for this new ministry to start? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Expected duration of (length of) this ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Will this be an ongoing ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Who would benefit from this local ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

7. Who will be doing the 'follow through' of this ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

8. What is or would be the purpose of this ministry? Whom will it serve?

9. How did you determine there was or is a need for this local mission?

10. How will this ministry bring glory to God and how will it spread the "Good News"?

11. Share some thoughts about your church's desire to partner with ABCORI through this ministry.

12. Please share any details you believe would be helpful to the BFRI Committee as it considers ways in which we can be "CHURCHES HELPING CHURCHES".

Please mail this application to:

ABCORI - Attention BFRI:

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