

Mobility Scooter Program



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Mobility Scooter Funding Support Program

This program provides **funding assistance of up to \$5,000** toward the purchase of a mobility scooter for eligible individuals.

Eligibility Requirements:

- **WeWaikai Registered Members** only.
- Must have a long-term **life-changing illness** or long-term **significant mobility. impairment** that affects daily living, that requires a mobility scooter to complete daily living tasks.
- Must submit a **doctor's note or medical documentation** confirming the condition and the medical need for a mobility scooter.
- Must complete and submit the **program application form for approval**.

Funding Details:

- **Maximum funding amount:** up to \$5,000*.
- **Funding is available once every five (5) years.**
- Funds may be used **only toward the purchase** of a mobility scooter; accessories and all other upgrades may not be included in program coverage.
- **Repairs, replacement parts, and future upgrades are not covered.**
- **Lost or stolen scooters will not be covered for replacement through this program until the funding 5 year cycle ends.**
- ***Funding Disclosure:** Funds are provided by own source and government funding programs, that may change and are not guaranteed. Funding is at the discretion of the WeWaikai Nation.

Payment Process:

Funding will be issued **either directly to the chosen vendor** or **reimbursed to the applicant** upon submission of valid proof of purchase. All purchases must receive **prior approval** from the program to qualify for reimbursement.

Liability Disclaimer:

- Use of the mobility scooter is at the user's own risk.
- **All liability rests solely with the user.**
- The program and its administrators assume **no responsibility** for injuries, accidents, damages, or losses resulting from the use of the mobility scooter.

Completed Applications:

All completed applications must be submitted to the Director Community Services

Email: Communityservices@wewaikai.com

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Application Form

Section 1: Applicant Information

- Full Name: _____
- Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY): _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Email Address: _____
- Residential Address: _____
- Band Registration Number: _____

Section 2: Medical Information

- Primary Medical Condition or Diagnosis:

- How does this condition affect your mobility?

- Do you currently use a mobility aid (e.g., cane, walker, wheelchair)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

- Attach a doctor's note or medical letter confirming:

- Diagnosis or condition
- The impact on your mobility
- Recommendation for a mobility scooter

Section 3: Scooter Details

- Preferred Vendor (if known): _____

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- **Estimated Cost of Scooter:** \$ _____
- **Have you already purchased the scooter?**
☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please attach a **copy of the receipt or invoice**.

Section 4: Funding Request

- **Total amount of funding requested (up to \$5,000):**
 \$ _____
- **How would you like the funding to be issued?**
☐ Paid directly to vendor ☐ Reimbursement to applicant

Section 5: Declaration and Acknowledgment

By signing below, I confirm that the information provided is true and complete. I understand that:

- This program provides one-time funding assistance up to \$5,000 every five (5) years.
- Repairs, replacement parts, and future upgrades are not covered.
- All liability related to the use of the scooter is solely my responsibility.
- Funding will be subject to approval and availability.

Signature: _____ **Name (please print):** _____

Date: _____

Checklist of Required Documents:

- Completed application form
- Doctor's note or medical letter
- Invoice or receipt (if applying for reimbursement)

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