

**QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER WHEN REVIEWING GRANTS
FOR THE
DISTRICT CONVENTION BALLOT**

1. Is the concept firmly established?
2. Does it have the backing of LCMS?
3. What are the other sources of funds?
4. Will it operate without LWML funds?
5. Is the grant “mission” in emphasis: Does it enable God’s Word to be spread?
6. Read beyond the words expressed in the concept paper:
 - A. Do you have records of current operating expenses?
 - B. Where are facilities located?
 - C. Is there a list of the Board of Directors?
 - D. Are there names of references to contact?
7. Check the District of origin or Synodical counterpart for additional information in questionable grants.
8. Scrutinize grants coming from other organizations that often blanket LWML Districts. They have been requested not to do this.