

**COALITION OF LARGE OHIO URBAN TOWNSHIPS**  
**Litigation Fund**

The Coalition for Large Ohio Urban Townships (“CLOUT”) is a group of large, urban townships in Ohio that has formed a committee for the purpose of providing its members with a forum for the exchange of ideas and solutions for problems and issues related specifically to the governance of large, urban townships. In support of CLOUT’s mission, members voted to dedicate a large portion of the monies collected from dues toward the creation and support of a litigation fund. CLOUT members as well as non-member townships, cities, counties, and other political jurisdictions faced with issues that impact CLOUT townships may make a formal, written request for funding assistance.

This application as well as supporting documentation including background information should be submitted to the Ohio Township Association (“OTA”) where staff members will review each request prior to forwarding it to the CLOUT Executive Committee (“Committee”). The Committee, comprised of nine (9) members from each of three (3) regions of the State of Ohio, will vote on each application and notify the OTA and applicant of its decision in a timely manner. Litigation funds are typically awarded in a manner which allows CLOUT to join as amicus curiae in support of a requesting political jurisdiction. However, other funding requests will be considered.

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**Application for Amicus Support or Litigation Fund Assistance**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Representing: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Township / City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No: \_\_\_\_\_

Court: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Case Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Case No.: \_\_\_\_\_

