Note: In case of any discrepancies or disagreements between the English and Dutch versions of this document, the Dutch version shall prevail.

General Terms and Conditions

Eindhoven Pride Fund 2025 - 2026

Article 1 – Definitions

- 1. **Pride Week Eindhoven:** the annual period of nine days, beginning on the second Saturday of June and ending on the Sunday of the following week.
- Queer perspective: an approach, programming, or execution explicitly aimed at the visibility, representation, inclusion, or emancipation of the queer community. Projects may focus on a specific target group within the queer community.
- 3. **Project costs:** costs that are directly necessary for the execution of the project, including personnel hours, activity costs, (venue) rental, promotion, and marketing. Permanent investments in, among others, inventory and real estate are not considered eligible for subsidy.
- 4. **Applicant:** any natural person or organization submitting a subsidy application to the Eindhoven Pride Fund.

Article 2 – Purpose and Scope

- 1. The purpose of the Eindhoven Pride Fund is to support activities that take place during Pride Week Eindhoven.
- 2. Subsidies are granted exclusively to projects with a queer perspective that are non-profit and carried out in a municipality that receives subsidy from Stichting Eindhoven Pride.

Article 3 – Application and Allocation

- 1. Applications must be submitted using the application form provided by Eindhoven Pride.
- 2. Applications submitted before January 31, 2026, will be reviewed at the beginning of February 2026. Applicants will be informed about the progress no later than February 15,

2026.

- 3. If, after January 31, 2026, the fund has not been exhausted, applications will be accepted until the Pride Fund is depleted or until registration for the Pride Week Agenda closes.
- 4. Each application must include a budget prepared in the format provided by Eindhoven Pride
- 5. Applicants may submit multiple projects.
- Project selection is carried out by the board of Stichting Eindhoven Pride. The board has discretionary authority; rejections do not need to be justified, except upon request from funds that contribute to the Pride Fund.
- 7. The minimum subsidy per project is €200; the maximum subsidy is €2,000.

Article 4 – Financial Provisions

- 1. The fund grants a targeted subsidy of up to **80%** of the project costs.
- 2. If desired, the applicant will receive **90%** of the grant as an advance payment.
- 3. The remaining 10% will be paid after receipt of the realization, evaluation, and visual materials.
- 4. If the evaluation is insufficient or not submitted on time, the remaining amount may be forfeited. In case of non-compliance with the conditions, Eindhoven Pride may reclaim amounts already paid, in full or in part.
- 5. Double financing through Eindhoven Pride is permitted. Funders who also contribute to the Eindhoven Pride Fund determine their own position in this regard.

Article 5 – Criteria and Obligations

- 1. Recipients may not aim to make a profit from the project.
- 2. The applicant, as an organization, may not exclude (any part of) the queer community. A project may, however, focus on a specific segment of the queer community.

- 3. The project must take place during Pride Week Eindhoven, and Eindhoven Pride must be granted access at all times for inspection.
- 4. Substantial changes in content, target group, or location must be approved in writing in advance.
- 5. Before June 30, the recipient must submit the realization in the same file as the original budget, along with a substantive evaluation and, if available, royalty-free visual materials.

Article 6 - Inspection and Reclaiming

- 1. Eindhoven Pride reserves the right to carry out inspections without prior notice.
- 2. If the project does not take place, is not executed according to the application, or the subsidy is misused, Eindhoven Pride may reclaim the subsidy in full or in part.

Article 7 – Transparency and Liability

- 1. The board of Eindhoven Pride decides on selection and allocation.
- 2. Eindhoven Pride is not liable for damage, injury, or costs arising from the projects; this is the responsibility of the recipient.
- 3. The applicant is responsible for any required insurance and permits.

Article 8 – Communication and Marketing

- 1. Recipients are encouraged to mention the Eindhoven Pride Fund in their communications, but this is not mandatory.
- 2. All publicly accessible projects receiving a contribution from the Pride Fund will be included in the Pride Week Agenda.
- 3. Eindhoven Pride may use visual materials and project information for promotion and reporting purposes.

Article 9 - Termination of the Fund

- 1. The fund opens in November 2025 and closes on April 30, 2026.
- 2. Eindhoven Pride may suspend ongoing applications or terminate the fund entirely in the event of unforeseen circumstances.

Article 10 – Privacy

- 1. Personal data are processed in accordance with the GDPR and used solely for the application procedure and communication about future editions.
- 2. The organization's name, amount granted, and activity will be included in the annual report and/or the Pride Week Agenda.

Article 11 – Final Provision

- 1. In cases not covered by these terms and conditions, the board of Stichting Eindhoven Pride will decide.
- 2. By submitting an application, the applicant declares agreement with these general terms and conditions.