

Getting to Fundseeker Portal

- Can be located from SFC website.
 - Click on "online portal" hyperlinks.
- Direct Fundseeker Portal Link:
 https://baltimorespromise.my.site.com/fundseekerportal/s/login/?ec=302&startURL=
 %2Ffundseekerportal%2Fs%2F

Request for Proposals (RFP)

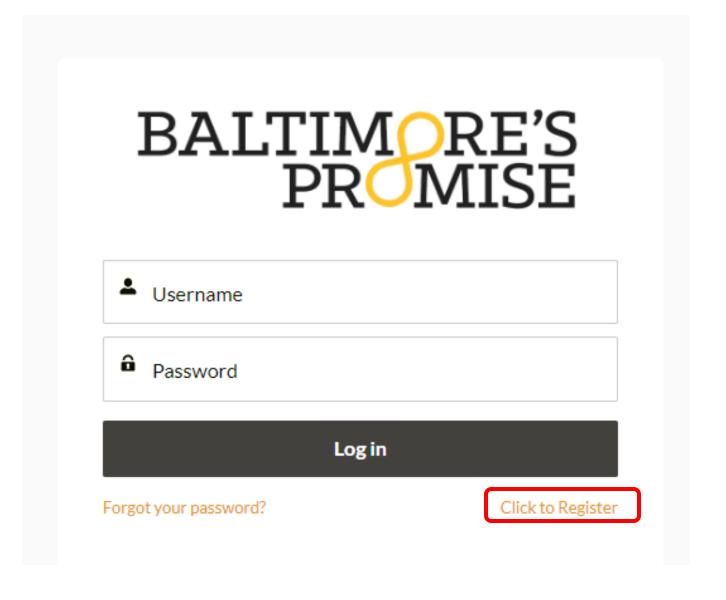
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Fundseeker Portal Site





Register-1

1

Register

- If error message saying user already exists, it means you already have an account.
 - Use the "Forgot Password" function to reset password for existing account.
 - Confirmation email sent to inbox
 - Or Spam folder
 - Ensure these email addresses are not flagged in your inbox.
 - <u>summer@baltimorespromise.org</u>
 - <u>info@baltimorespromise.org</u>



Contact Information First Name * Michael Last Name* Scoffield Phone * 2404695388 Email Address* ofosu.scott.1020@gmail.com Organization Information Organization Name * Prison Architecture Education Street * 111 Panama St. City* Baltimore State * Maryland Zip Code* 21230 Sign Up

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NOW, CHECK YOUR EMAIL

Check the email account associated with your user name for instructions on resetting your password. Remember to look in your spam folder, where automated messages sometimes filter. If you still can't log in, contact your administrator.

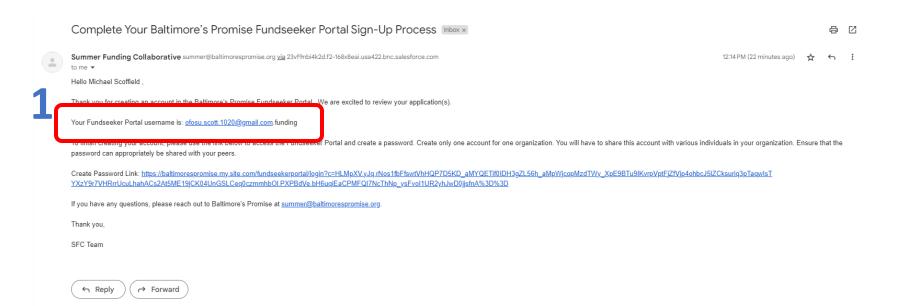
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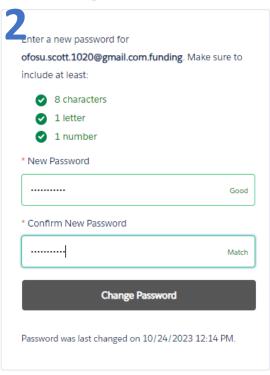
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- **Username**: Email + ".funding"
 - Example: adjoa@baltimorespromise.org.funding 1
- Click "Create Password Link" and create password.



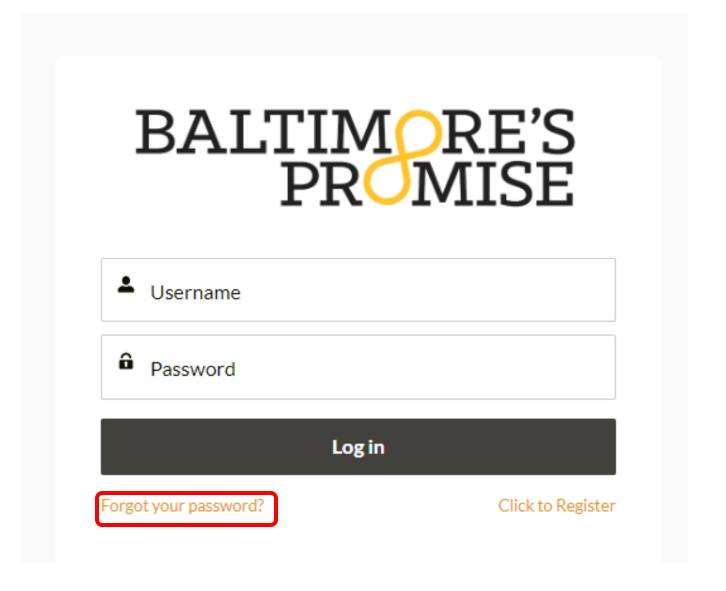


Change Your Password





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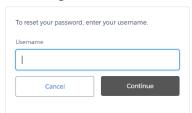




Forgot Password-1

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Forgot Your Password



Click "Forgot Password" and then "Reset Password"

- Username is email + ".funding"
 - Example: adjoa@baltimorespromise.org.funding
- Confirmation of Email
 - Check spam folder as well
- Click hyperlink and change password

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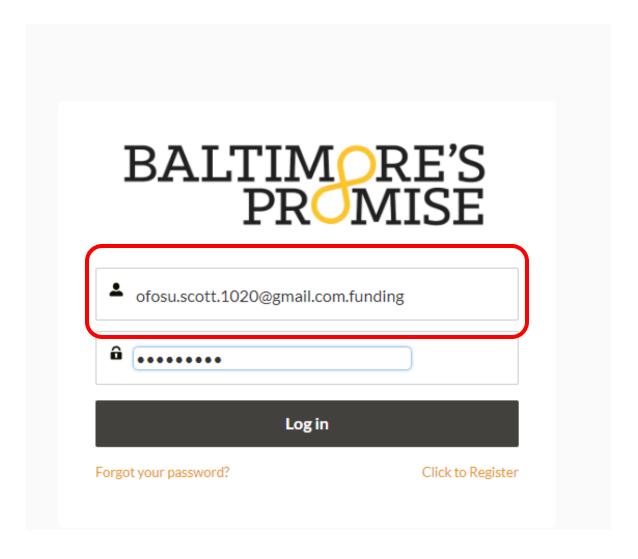
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Fundseeker Portal Site-Log In





Navigation Bar – Application Information



Navigation Bar

- Application Information.
- All programmatic questions will be answered here.

2024 SFC Grantee Information

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WHO MAY APPLY

The SFC funds summer programs that:

- 1. Are operated by organizations with 501(c)(3) or 509(a) status, or a current fiscal sponsor.
- 2. Serve children and youth (ages 0-24) from families with low-incomes living in Baltimore City.
- Programs may take place outside of Baltimore City as long as SFC funding supports program participants that are Baltimore City residents
- Programs may include participants that are not Baltimore City residents and/or do not come from families with low-incomes, as long as SFC funding is used to support program participants that are Baltimore City residents and who come from families with low-incomes

3. Are accessible to participants:

- The SFC funds programs that primarily serve youth from families with low incomes in Baltimore City to increase access to quality summer opportunities for all young people. Most SFC programs do not charge any fees to participants. If your program charges a fee, you MUST provide an accommodation for participants who cannot pay the fee.
- Programs should provide healthy meals and snacks to participants. Programs that run in-person for four or more hours each day must serve meals. The SFC encourages all programs to provide participants with healthy meals and snacks throughout the summer.
- Programs must have a plan in place to ensure that participants are able to arrive and leave from the program safely.
- Where applicable, programs should welcome and include students of all abilities.

4. Embody the six priority areas identified by youth and families as essential for quality summer programs:

- · Relevant knowledge and skill-building
- Accessibility
- Youth Centered
- Exposure and Diverse Experiences
- Engaged and Professional Staff
- Safe Mental and Physical Spaces



Start A New Application-1

Resources

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- To Start:
 - "Click Here To Apply"

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Submit the online application AND all required documents by 5:00 PM on Wednesday, November 15, 2023.

To ensure that your application is submitted on time, we suggest submitting at least a week prior to the due date. There are no exceptions for late applications due to technical issues or unanswered questions. Please take advantage of several technical assistance opportunities and support materials to ensure your on-time submission.

Click Here To Apply

Resume My Application(s)



Start A New Application-2

Click "Start New Application"



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To apply for funding, click Start New Application.

Start New Application



Start A New Application-3

- Application
 - 7 pages
- Click "Save & Next" to move forward.

FYI: Only prior page information saved.

Example: If you answered all Page 1 questions, moved on to Page 2 but exited the website,

- All information in Page 1 will be saved.
- Any information in Page 2 will **NOT** be saved.

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Page 1 - Organization Contact Information & Background				
Please provide the following information about your organization.				
*1. Did you apply for funding from the Summer Funding Collaborative in a previous year?				
*Required				
○ Yes				
○ No				
*2. Organization Name:				
Prison Architecture Education				
*3. Program Name:				
*Required				
* 4. Address of Organization:				
111 Panama St., Baltimore, Maryland 21230				
Use a different address				
*5. Organizational Leader First & Last Name: (Executive Director, CEO, President, etc) *6. Organizational Leader's Title: (Executive Director, CEO, President, etc)				





Questions to Highlight

General

- All email addresses need to be a valid input. (error message if incorrect)
- **ONLY** numbers for Phone. *No (), or spaces*
- Currency. ONLY number. Do not but "\$"
- Character Count. Very strict. Use Word Document.

Page 1 – Organization Contact Information & Background

• Question 8 = Organization Leader (one person); Question 9 = Senior Leadership Staff (will be multiple people)

Page 2 – Program Information

Individual Youth Served Questions (Q17a-e) = Q18. Total Youth Served

Page 3 – Program Description

• If program charge fees and give no accommodations for fees, application will stop.

Page 4 – Budget

- Each of the 19 Budget Line Items need a number and a description
 - 0, N/A if budget is not used.
- Total of ALL 19 Budget Line Items = Question 45

Page 5 – Fiscal Sponsor Information

• You may enter your own information again if you do not have a fiscal sponsor

Page 6

• ONLY considered for BCYF or WBRF funding if program qualifies.

Page 7 (Not required)



After Answering Application Questions

After Page 7...

APPLICATION HAVE NOT BEEN SUBMITTED

- Need to upload Required Documents
- Click "Go to My Application(s)"

Thank you for completing the initial application questions.

THIS IS NOT RECIEPT OF APPLICATION SUBMISSION

Next Steps After Completing Full Application:

- · Do not forget to upload supplemental materials to the Requirements section for your program application.
 - To get to this section, click the "Go to My Application(s)" button below or click the "Resume My Applications(s)" button above.
 - o On the right hand side of that page, you will see the list of requirements.
- · You may upload documents as MS Word documents or PDFs. We recommend PDF files when possible.
 - Make sure the file name indicates your organization and the document type (e.g., "Organization Name 501c3 Tax Status.pdf").
 - You will need to upload as many documents listed below as necessary. Read the RFP to understand which documents your program is required to upload. Minimum document upload = 1

List of Requirement Documents:

- · Certificate of Good Standing
- Confirmation of 501(c)(3) or 509(a) tax status
- Proof of fiscal sponsorship, if applicable, such as a copy of a current contract or MOU with your fiscal or a current letter from your fiscal confirming the partnership and its duration (please see Funder Requirements document for more information)
- · Financial Review, if applicable (please see RFP document for more information)
- Form 990
- W9
- Most recent financial audit, if applicable (please see RFP document for more information)
- Management letter, if applicable
- Optional: Upload a sample weekly or monthly activities calendar that you give out to students and families/caregivers. You may use an actual calendar or program schedule from a past year
 or provide a mock-up of your Summer 2023-2024 calendar or program schedule.

YOUR APPLICATION IS NOT CONSIDERED COMPLETE UNTIL YOU HAVE UPLOADED ALL THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS IN THE REQUIREMENTS SECTION.

APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED BEFORE THE DEADLINE WILL BE REJECTED IF THE APPROPRIATE DOCUMENTS ARE NOT UPLOADED.

Go to My Application(s)



Application Full View-1

- Application Full View
 - Submit Application Button
 - Printable View Button



Full Application View

Instructions:

In Progress

- Each section corresponds to the pages on the application when you initially started filling it out. Use the help icon (hover on "i" icon), for the question wording.
- You may edit specific fields by clicking the pencil icon next to the field. Make sure to save all changes after edits.

No files have been uploaded with application.

• The Submit button has validations and will ONLY work after satisfying the following issues:

Validation 1: Answering all questions on Page 1 to Page 6 (Page 7 is optional).

Use the "Page # Complete" checkbox fields to confirm if the required questions are answered. If they are checked, it means you have answered all required fields for that page/section. If they are not checked, you have not answered the required questions on that page.

Validation 2: Uploaded atleast one Requirement document.

- You will have to upload atleast one document in the requirement section as well as any accompanying documents (revisit RFP to understand required documents).
- . To upload documents, use the list view on the right hand side and upload documents under the appropriate requirement name.
- . After uploading atleast one document, the "Atleast one file has been uploaded" field will change to a "Yes, atleast one file has been uploaded with application"

Validation 3: Ready to Submit Button has changed from No to Yes

• The "Ready to Submit" field will change from No to Yes after satisfying the two validations above.

THE SUBMIT BUTTON WILL ONLY WORK AFTER SATISFYING ALL THREE VALIDATIONS ABOVE. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO SUBMIT, PLEASE LOOK UP THE STATUSES OF THE THREE OBLIGATIONS INDICATED AND UPDATE YOUR APPLICATION ACCORDINGLY.



Application Full View-2

- Application Full view
- Edit ALL application questions using pencil icon
 - Make sure to click "Save" to save edits.
- Add Required Documents here

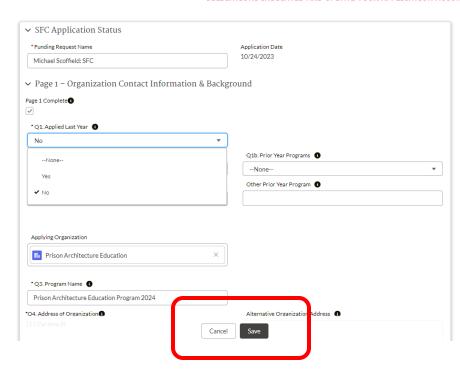
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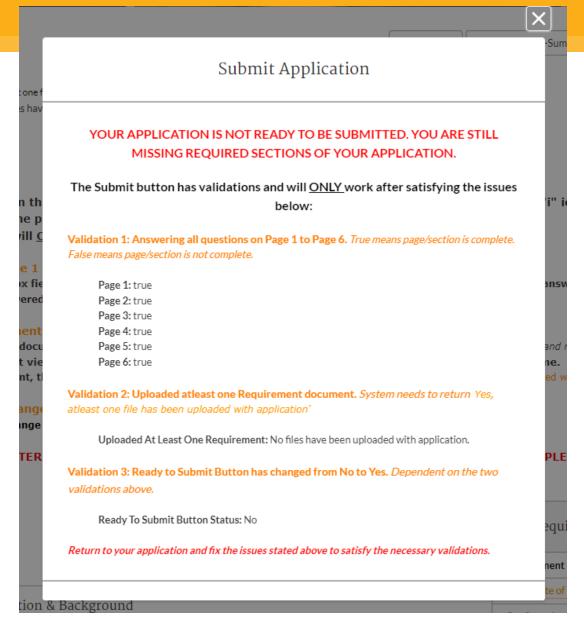
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Unsatisfied validation message:





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Status Ready to Submit In Progress No Atleast one file has been uploaded

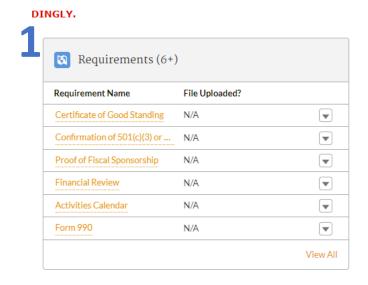
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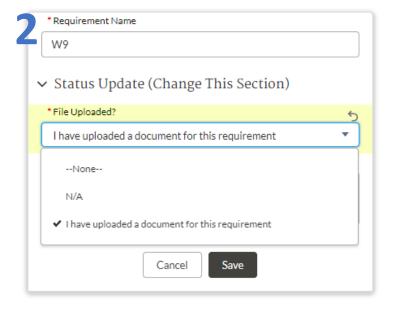


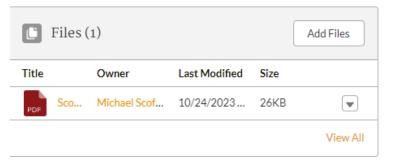
Uploading Required Documents



- Requirements located on the Full View of the application.
- 9 Documents
 - YOU DO NOT HAVE TO UPLOAD ALL NINE. ONLY UPLOAD DOCUMENTS
 - THAT ARE NECESSARY TO **ACCOMPANY THE APPLICATION** (revisit RFP)
- Click Requirement Name hyperlink.
- Upload file and then change 'File Uploaded' status from "N/A" to "I
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Resuming Incomplete Application-1

Need to first make it past Page 1 for a new application record to be created.

Tip: Complete first set of questions on Page 1, then click "Save & Next" to continue to Page 2. You can exit this page. You now have an application record that can be returned to and edited at anytime.

To Resume an incomplete application....

- Click "My Application(s)" from Navigation Bar
- Or "Resume My Application(s)" button under the apply button.

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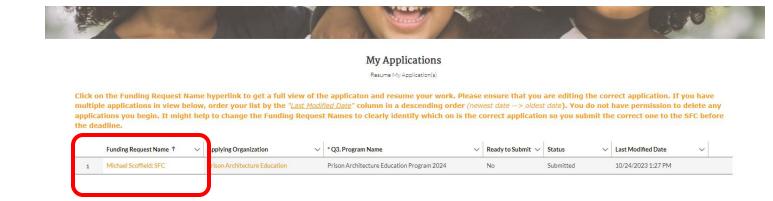
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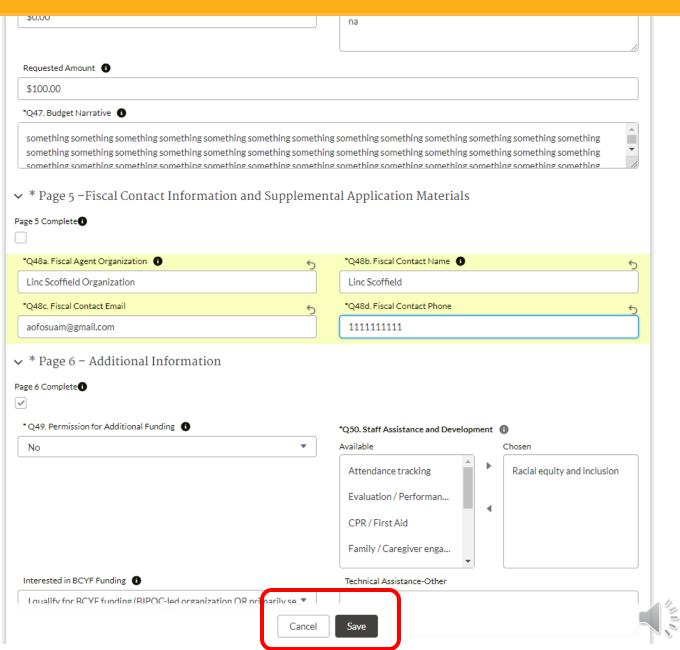
- List view of all present and past applications.
 - Ensure you are editing the correct application.
- Click Funding Request Name hyperlink





Resuming Incomplete Application-3

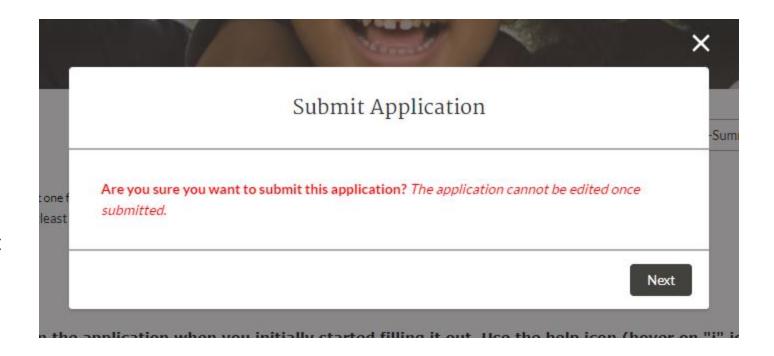
- Will be redirected to application full view
- Use pencil icon to edit ALL application questions.
- Click "Save" to ensure all new information is saved.
- You may return to this page as often as necessary.



Application Can be Submitted

- All three validations are satisfied.
- Click "Next" then "Finish"

- Warning Message!
 - Do not submit if you will return and edit application later.





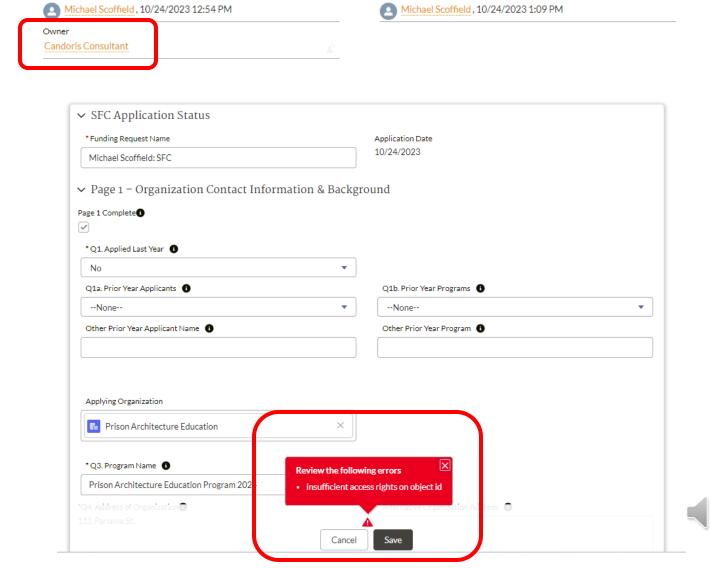
Submitted Application-Owner Change

→ System Information

Created By

- Before Submission
 - Application Owner = Proposal Contact
- After Submission
 - Application Owner = System

NO EDITS SAVED. ERROR MESSAGE.



Last Modified By

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