

**Broken Arrow Public Schools**  
**Application for Sanctioning**

This is a request for sanctioning by the Applicant to the Board of Education of the Broken Arrow Public Schools pursuant to which the funds collected by the Applicant are exempt from the statutory controls over school activity funds. The Applicant is a student achievement program or a parent-teacher association or organization.

Name of Applicant Group: Broken Arrow Band Booster Club

Applicant's Address: 1901 E Albany St, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma 74012

Applicant's Taxpayer I.D. No.: 83-4301300

Applicant's Representative from whom additional information may be obtained:

Jason Barnes

Applicant's Telephone Number: (918) 809-4173

Applicant's Purpose, Goals and Organizational Structure:

The general purposes for which this Organization has been established are as follows:

- a) To arouse and maintain an enthusiastic interest in all phases of the Broken Arrow Public Schools (BAPS) Band Program (Band Program).
- b) To help support the band program's financial needs as determined by the Director of Bands.
- c) To support the Band Program and the BAPS in building and maintaining the highest quality instrumental music program possible.
- d) To enable parents and booster club members to support with time and money in an organized fashion that will benefit the students and the Band Program as a whole.

Describe how the School District and its Students will benefit if the Applicant is Sanctioned:

This Organization will be formed for the purpose of performing all things incidental to, or appropriate in, the foregoing specific and primary purposes for the Band Program. The organization would conduct various fundraising activities generating funds to support student activities. Removing the financial restrictions of the BA school district policy would allow parent volunteers more flexibility in choosing activities and vendors. This flexibility would result in a faster respond to the needs of the BA Bands organization, and a more efficient use of funds raised by volunteers. The ability to tap into new resources from a 501C3 non -profit Organization opportunity is exciting and opens many doors. As a whole the focus for sanctioning is to help better effect the student's ability to perform and learn without district boundaries inhibiting them.

Attach the most recent financial audit report, if any, for the Applicant issued by an independent accounting firm.

Applicant certifies that it does not and will not discriminate with respect to its benefits,

membership, programs, operation, or organization on the basis of race, color, sex, national origin, religion, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, age, or genetic information.

Applicant acknowledges that the Board of Education has the discretion to sanction or decline to sanction the Applicant, and the decision of the Board of Education is final and non-appealable. Applicant further acknowledges that (a) the Board of Education may, at any time, request the records maintained by the Applicant, which records Applicant will promptly make available, and (b) the Board of Education may, at any time it believes it is in the best interest of the School District to do so, withdraw sanctioning, and the decision of the Board of Education is final and non-appealable.

Applicant also acknowledges that, for the School District to consider whether to maintain the sanctioning action of Applicant, Applicant shall provide to the Board of Education, upon request, on an annual basis, by August 1 of each year, the audit report, if any, for Applicant's recently ended fiscal year, prepared by an independent accounting firm.

Instructions to Applicant:

1. Complete this application. Please print or type.  
**If necessary, please use additional sheets of paper.**
2. Attach Applicant's most recent financial audit report, if any. N/A
3. Sign and date this application.
4. Deliver this application to:

Natalie Eneff, Chief Financial Officer  
701 S. Main Street  
Broken Arrow, OK 74012

Jason Lee Barnes  
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(Print Name of Representative of Applicant)

8/13/21  
(Date)

  
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Signature of Representative

**Please submit application to CFO by the October 15th deadline.**