

To Whom It May Concern:

I am with the Cedar City Children's Musical Theatre (CCCMT), and we need your help. CCCMT is a 501 (c) non-profit volunteer group of parents and grandparents who give their time (over 20,500 combined hours a year), talents, and resources to ensure that all children of the Iron County area, ages 5-19 are offered the opportunity to gain musical theatre experience, to excel in singing, dancing, and acting, and to gain confidence, self-discipline, and pride in a job well done. No child is turned away from CCCMT, regardless of ability level, income status, ethnic/social group, or special needs.

We have served the children of Iron County (about 2500 total) for over ten years and have continued to consistently grow each year from just over 20 children in our first summer show to up to 240, and from about 210 children in our first season of Mini-Musicals (7 repeated sessions) to over 400 (9 sessions). Our volunteer base has also grown from 12 to over 200. In addition to our shows, we also offer theatre workshops and teen training, adult shows, and many other activities for both youth and adults. Over 6500 patrons attend our shows and activities every year. Our organization was honored by the Cedar City Chamber of Commerce as the Organization of the Year. (Please see link to the presentation video. <https://youtu.be/kiuMql4zMqE>)

Our extreme growth has presented a need for a larger, year-round rehearsal space. We are in need of finding a location that will continue to provide the needs of the organization. We need at least 3000 sq. feet open area to just rehearse with 200 kids, and additional space for costumes, props, and set construction. As of today, we have 3 options that we need, skipping options is possible.

- Option A: Use of 3000 sq. ft. or larger open area for 4 months (May-August).
- Option B: Use of 4000 square-foot or larger open area for a 2-year lease.
- Option C: Purchasing affordable property with existing building, or property on which to build. (Plans and rendering on new build available)

These options all need help financially. We cannot continue to do this alone. We are willing to donate the time, but we must have help with low cost rental or purchase options. We simply do not have the finances to pay for current market value as all money made allows us to continue the program as is. If you, or someone you know, can help provide assistance, please have them contact us. Please consider donating to our organization. Your financial, skills, or materials donation will help to continue building the children of Iron County, one child at a time.

Other ways to donate are: Volunteer Time, Fabric, Lumber and Materials, Professional Services (plumbing, electrical, legal, accounting, IT, engineers, contractors, etc.) or Property (for financial collateral or place to build) You can contact Bruce Anderson at 435-979-1432 or by email at [bruceanderson@cccmt.org](mailto:bruceanderson@cccmt.org).

For more information or to donate go to our website at [www.cccmt.org](http://www.cccmt.org) or find out more about us with a video link to explain our need and show what we are about. <https://youtu.be/W9LQCGQtebs>. Letters of support for the organization are available upon request.

Thank you for time and consideration in helping,

Bruce Anderson  
Cedar City Children's Musical Theatre