

UNITED STATES DISABLED GOLF ASSOCIATION



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Request for Proposal/ Bid Package

Bid Year: 2021, 2022

United States Disabled Open

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United States Disabled Golf Association Mission

To provide people with physical, sensory, and intellectual disabilities a opportunity to showcase his or her ability in a golf championship at the highest level in the USA.

About the United States Disabled Open

The Golf Association was founded by Jason Faircloth, a golfer with Cerebral Palsy who played in the Disabled British Open in 2011 and 2012. The Organization hosted its inaugural Championship in Orlando Florida in 2018 with 48 golfers from 8 countries in 2018 and at Independence Golf Club in Richmond Virginia with 74 golfers from 8 countries in 2019.

The Inclusive event is open to players with physical and intellectual impairments. The event will be flighted into a couple of divisions and awards will be giving in each. Golfers with Various impairments such as amputations, blindness, Cerebral Palsy, MS and more will compete.

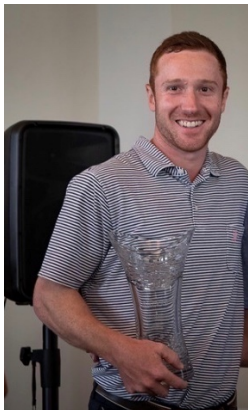
About this RFP

The USDGA is please to invite your Organization to bid on its most prestigious annual tournament the United States Disabled Open Golf Championships

The USDGA would like to establish a relationship with an outstanding city and organizing committee. We will review bids for the years 2021 and 2022 only. However we will consider returning to your destination in future years.

The enclose Package outlines the requirements of the host city. Your bid will be reviewed by the advisers and founder who will make the recommendations to the board of directors for final decision.

Thank you for your interest in hosting the Golf Championship, Please contact Jason Faircloth 910 214 5983 or info@usdga.net with any questions you may have.



What others are saying

The 2019 Open was an overwhelming success for the entire Richmond Region. It was exciting to see so many community partners support the efforts of Jason and his Team at the USDGA to bring the Nations top adaptive golfers to Independence Golf Club. We highly encourage other destinations from around the country to consider partnering with the USDGA to bring a tournament to your area. We promise that your entire community- from the media to volunteers to businesses to golfers-will find value in supporting one of the most exciting events to visit the Richmond Region in Many years

-J.C. Poma, Sports Development Manager at Richmond Region Tourism

“Working together with Jason and helping him bring his dream to fruition and brought over 70 golfers from around the world with different disabilities together on one course. The community support he was able to garner far surpasses a lot of people’s expectations and I know he will be able to carry this success into future tournaments.”

Danish Saadat, Sports Services Manager @Richmond Region Tourism





Dates

May 2021 and May 2022 (May is a Must)

Event Fee and other Support

\$5000 host fee annually: any combination of other cash/VIK (budget relieving)

Commitment to solicit other local sponsors to the tune of \$20,000 annually is crucial for success

Expenses paid site visit for Founder to review course and amenities

Support of Player Opening Ceremony on night before event

Bid Deadline

June 31st 2020

Participants

60-100 Golfers +1 support/caddie

Length of Event:

4 days

Competition 3 competition days (54 holes) with 1 and 10 tee start plus Practice Rounds

Tear Down Post event

Please note that many players will come to your destination early to play the course; Please provide discounted green fees to practice rounds

Course/Venue Requirements:

Championship (Famous) Caliber Course with discounted Green Fees

Flat course preferred

Bunkers should be accessible for carts

Soloriders, Paragolfers permitted on greens (doesn't tear up)

60 golf carts

Space for Opening, Closing Ceremony

Space for players meals after each competition rounds (include in price)

Host Hotel should be close to the course

International Airport should be close

LOC Responsibilities

- Provide Director of Golf
- On- Site Rules Director
- Scoring Director

Sponsorship and in-kind item solicitation

- Water/Gatorade

- Volunteer meals

- Players meals

- On course signage

Coordinated Discount green fees

Volunteer recruitment and volunteer coordination (60 to 100 Volunteers)

- 1 Scoring volunteer per group

- 1 spotters on holes

- Caddies to help some players

- Other volunteers where needed

Solicit a headquarter hotel

- Low rates

- \$10 rebate

- Breakfast included

- 2 upfront complimentary rooms

- 30 rooms per night

Coordinate Opening and awards ceremony

Coordinate Ceremonial First Tee shot

- Local Officials

- Sponsor Recognition

- Media interviews

- National Anthem

Entertainment

Sound System on 1 and 10th tee for player intro

Marketing, public relation and social media support

Special event Logo

Interview Coordination

