

## **Distribution of Handicapable Funds**

Since it is difficult for Handicapable clubs to know exactly how many of their members will be attending until the convention actually occurs, the allotment of funds will be addressed in the following manner.

The application for registration reimbursement must be received by July 31<sup>st</sup> indicating the number of Handicapable dancers in attendance at the National Square Dance Convention® just past.

The amount of reimbursement could be anywhere from partial registration reimbursement to full registration reimbursement. The total per Handicapable dancer will not exceed the full registration fee.

The amount of reimbursement depends on available funds and the number of requests. The amount of funds available will be determined at the USDA annual meeting. The funds available will be divided equally among those submitting applications.

Once all applications are received by the cut-off date of July 31<sup>st</sup>, the Handicapable Committee will review all forms for completeness and then send them on to the Treasurer for reimbursement. A check will be sent to the contact person in the club's name.

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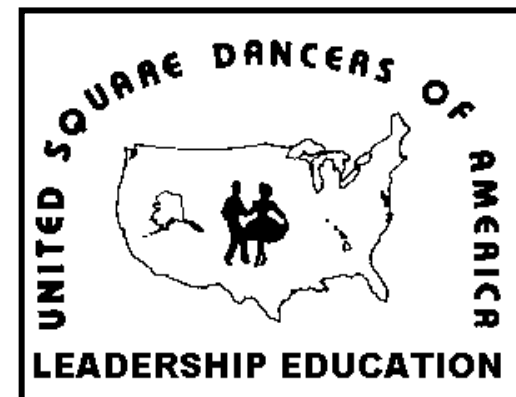
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## **USDA HANDICAPABLE PROGRAM**



This information sheet was developed by the Handicapable Committee of the UNITED SQUARE DANCERS OF AMERICA, INC. and will provide information on a part of the Handicapable Program supported by USDA.

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## Explanation of Program

The USDA Handicapable program is monetary in nature. It consists of allocating monies toward the registration fee for eligible Handicapable dancers to attend the National Square Dance Convention®, that is held yearly.

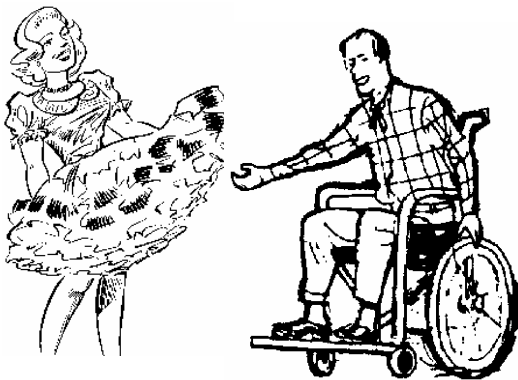
## Eligibility

The only requirement to be eligible is to be a Handicapable dancer in a Handicapable club. Any Handicapable club in the United States may apply for these funds.

## How to Apply

In order to apply for funds, a club contact person must fill out the application form in this pamphlet and send the form to the USDA Handicapable Committee chairperson –

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904 S ST. MARY'S  
SIOUX CITY, IA 51106  
(712) 2761862  
E-mail: usda.handicapable.dancers@usda.org



## Application Form

Name of Handicapable Club \_\_\_\_\_

USDA Affiliate Organization (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person for the Club:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_ Total Number of Handicapable members  
requesting registration fee reimbursement

**Please attach a separate sheet with names, address and NSDC Registration numbers of those members included in the above total.**

Return this form to:

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