



Aikido Institute of Philadelphia

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We want to thank each and every one of you for the ways in which you have supported Aikido Institute of Philadelphia since our launch. To those who have given to the campaign so far, we have raised \$4,040 to date, and we couldn't have done it without you! We are grateful to those who have supported us through social media; your shares and likes have helped keep the campaign trending and broadened our reach.

Updates:

- Sensei has been meeting regularly with a small committee of students to develop an operating structure and business plan.
- We are expanding the website to include Sensei's bio as well as his seminar calendar, so you can stay up to date on when and where you can catch a seminar with him.
- Sensei recently met with the building manager of our prospective dojo space and is in possession of the floor plans. We can now begin planning the construction of the mat space and basic amenities.

Your continued support, by sharing the GoFundMe with your fellow aikidoka, friends, and networks, will help us secure the funds necessary to begin construction on the dojo space.

We are excited about the progress we have made with your help. We will be in touch again soon with more updates.

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P.S. Please continue to like, repost, and follow us on social media.
