



Bush Foundation

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Geographic Scope:

Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and the 23 Native nations that share that geography

Type of Organization: Foundation, Fund, or Trust

Bridge Number:
5920070577

Total Annual Giving: \$55,100,000

EIN: 41-6017815

Eligibility Requirements:

Nonprofit organizations, government entities, educational institutions, and individuals

Application Deadlines:

Varies by program

Areas of Interest:

The mission of the Bush Foundation is to be a catalyst for the courageous leadership necessary to create sustainable solutions to tough public problems and ensure community vitality. The Foundation works in communities across Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and the 23 Native nations that share the same geography.

The Foundation offers the following funding opportunities:

Community Trust Funds to Address Racial Wealth Gaps

The Bush Foundation is committing \$100 million to seed two community trust funds that will address wealth disparities caused by historic racial injustice. These trust funds will directly invest in Black and Native American communities across our region through grants to individuals. The goal of these grants is to build stability and generational wealth by improving access to opportunities such as education, homeownership and entrepreneurship. The Foundation is currently seeking one or two steward organizations that will oversee the community trust funds and design and administer the grant programs, including selecting individuals and distributing grants.

Community Innovation Grants

These grants help communities use problem-solving processes that lead to more effective, equitable, and sustainable solutions. A community could be a geographic community (e.g., a neighborhood, town, state, or Native nation) or it could be a community of common interest or racial/cultural identity.

The Foundation is committed to addressing racial and economic disparities. At least 50% of Community Innovation grants are made toward projects that address these disparities.

Grants range from \$10,000 to \$200,000. (Grants of \$500 to \$20,000 are available from the Foundation's intermediary partner organizations.)

Nonprofit organizations and government entities (including schools) are eligible to apply.

Bush Prize for Community Innovation

This program honors and supports innovative organizations with a track record of making great ideas happen. Support is provided for an array of issue areas.

At least 50% of Prize winners are organizations that address racial and economic disparities, such as organizations that seek to actively reduce structural or systemic gaps in access, outcomes, opportunities, or treatment based on race/ethnicity or economic standing.

Prize winners receive promotion and recognition, along with a flexible grant of 25% of the organization's last fiscal year budget, up to a \$500,000 grant.

At least one Bush Prize is awarded annually in each of three areas the Foundation serves: Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and the 23 Native nations that share the same geography. (Note: This program has been cancelled for 2021, and the Foundation is currently considering whether it will be offered in the future.)

President's Innovation and Partnership Fund

This fund provides short-term grants that support opportunities to increase innovation and leverage significant partnerships with other public and philanthropic organizations.

Bush Fellowship Program

This program provides individuals with opportunities to increase their understanding of, capacity for, and practice of leadership to work with others to improve the quality of life in their community. Fellows are allowed to articulate what they need to become a better leader, whether through a self-designed learning experience or an academic program. Awards range up to \$100,000.

Application Procedures:

Application guidelines are available on the Foundation's website. Applications must be submitted online.

Annual Report:

<https://www.bushfoundation.org/publication-archive#annual-reports>



Chautauqua Region Community Foundation

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Geographic Scope:

New York

Geographic Focus:

Southern Chautauqua County

Type of Organization: Community Foundation

Total Annual Giving: \$3,300,000

Bridge Number:

4878997980

EIN: 16-1116837

Eligibility Requirements:

Nonprofit organizations, government agencies, and school districts, and religious organizations

Application Deadlines:

Varies by program

Areas of Interest:

The Chautauqua Region Community Foundation is dedicated to enriching the quality of life in the southern Chautauqua County, NY, region.

The Foundation offers support to a wide range of nonprofit organizations, government agencies, and school districts, and religious organizations in the southern Chautauqua region.

The Foundation's areas of interest include:

- education;
- arts and culture;
- social services;
- youth services;
- senior services;
- healthcare;
- the environment;
- workforce development;
- community and economic development; and,
- housing.

The General grant process occurs every other month and provides the most flexible funding opportunities. It is intended to assist with emerging needs or one-time costs. Requests could include, but are not limited to program enhancement, communications or marketing, upgrades to technology or equipment, and modest capital improvements.

The Community Service grant process hosts two cycles per year and is intended to support larger programming, capital, and technology needs. Requests could include, but are not limited to ongoing programming, upgrades to technology or systems, and larger capital improvements.

The Strategic Project grant process hosts two cycles per year and is intended to fund larger initiatives with wide-reaching and longer-term community impact. Requests could include, but are not limited to, new and highly collaborative approaches to addressing significant community needs, projects that provide a significant economic impact on the region, and large-scale capital improvements.

Note: The Foundation administers a number of scholarship programs for area residents.

Application Procedures:

Application guidelines are available on the Foundation's website. Applications must be submitted online.

Annual Report:

<https://crcfonline.org/publications/>



David Bohnett Foundation

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Geographic Scope: USA

Total Annual Giving: \$4,328,000

Eligibility Requirements: Nonprofit organizations

Areas of Interest:

The mission of the David Bohnett Foundation is to improve society through social activism. The Foundation pursues its mission by providing funding, state-of-the-art technology, and technical support to innovative organizations and institutions that share the Foundation's vision.

The Foundation provides support in the following areas:

- **LGBT Community**
The focus is on national and Southern California organizations that provide equal rights and protections for all LGBT people.
- **CyberCenters**
The focus is on creating computer labs at LGBT community centers.

- **Gun Violence Prevention**
The focus is on ending the scourge of gun violence through research, advocacy, and community empowerment.
- **Fund for Los Angeles**
The focus is on supporting organizations that make Los Angeles a cultural and creative place to live, learn, and thrive.
- **Leadership Initiatives**
The focus is on developing the next generation of municipal leaders.
- **Animal Language**
The focus is on the health and well being of all of our animal friends and to better appreciating and understanding great apes and chimps through animal language research.

The Foundation does not fund:

- individuals;
- videos or other film productions; or,
- organizations outside the U.S.

Application Procedures:

The Foundation does not accept unsolicited grant requests.