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North Dakota Community Innovation Grant Program
Round #1, 2014
Grantee Information & Awards

Heart River Lutheran Church: \$10,000

C/O Heart River Bridges of Hope
701 16th Ave. SW
Mandan, ND 58554

"A project to develop a mentoring system – Heart River Bridges of Hope – for youth being released from correctional facilities, including the Youth Correctional Center (YCC), to assist them in a successful transition to community life."

North Dakota Department of Health/Creating a Hunger Free ND: \$10,000

600 East Boulevard Ave.
Department 301
Bismarck, ND 58505-0200

"A project to support an educational convening – summit – for the Creating a Hunger-Free North Dakota Coalition to identify and address the unmet food and hunger needs and their underlying causes."

Theatre B: \$10,000

716 Main Avenue
Fargo, ND 58103

"A project to implement WIT – Theatre as a Tool to Teach Medical Humanities – into medical and educational settings to address the need for relational training and thereby helping medical providers develop empathy which improves patient care."

Great Plains Institute for Sustainable Development: \$8,000

2801 21st Avenue South, Suite 220
Minneapolis, MN 55407

"A project to engage American Indian public input into crafting recommendations for use of North Dakota Legacy Fund resources into the future."

Grand Forks Community Land Trust: \$10,000

1405 1st Avenue North
Grand Forks, ND 58203

A project to provide perpetually affordable home ownership opportunities for low- and moderate-income people."

African Initiative for Progress: \$9,000

C/O Cultural Diversity Resources
112 University Drive North, Suite 306
Fargo, ND 58102

“A project to improve the education and behavior of youth in the immigrant community and to provide social and community education to parents focused heavily on abstinence and counseling through the support of other local community groups.”

Charles Hall Youth Services: \$9,500

513 Bismarck Expressway
Bismarck, ND 58504

“A project to develop an after school academic tutoring program for at-risk girls residing in CHYS group foster care to increase educational outcomes and self-sufficiency skills.”

SUMMARY of Grant Round 1:
7 Grants for a total of \$66,500

**North Dakota Community Innovation Grant Program
Round #2, 2014
Grantee Information & Awards**

Abused Adult Resource Center: \$10,000

PO Box 5003
Bismarck, ND 58502

"Funding to develop the 'Coaching Boys Into Men' program in the Bismarck, ND (secondary) school system – a (nationally based) violence prevention program that teaches young, male athletes how to respect and behave toward women and girls."

Sacred Pipe Resource Center: \$10,000

424 Ashwood Avenue
Bismarck, ND 58504

"Funding to support Project BUILD (Building Urban Indian Longitudinal Data), particularly in educational supplies, personnel resources and information technology supports to create and sustain a 'cyber' Indian center."

The Arc of Cass County: \$10,000

215 University Drive
Fargo, ND 58102

"Funding to support a needs assessment, in partnership with the Center for Social Research at NDSU, to determine the most needed services for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities in the area and to direct future programming for the Arc."

Family Voices of ND: \$10,000

PO Box 163
312 2nd Avenue West
Edgeley, ND 58433

"Funding to support Family Voices of ND Caregiver Café, to increase advocacy, capacity building and systemic changes for families of children and youth with special healthcare needs and disabilities, in the Bismarck and Standing Rock Sioux Tribal areas of ND."

North Dakota Women's Network: \$10,000

1120 College Drive, Suite #100
Bismarck, ND 58503

"Funding for a feasibility study for 'A Women's Foundation in North Dakota: A Philanthropic Strategy for Women and Girls' and preparation for development of a 5-year strategic plan."

North Dakota Disabilities Advocacy Consortium: \$10,000

PO Box 7472
Bismarck, ND 58502

"Funding to support planning and convening of the Legislative Training Institute, a learn-by-doing government simulation for self-advocates, family members and others."

The Arts Partnership: \$10,000

1104 2nd Avenue South, Suite 315
Fargo, ND 58103

“Funding to support ‘Invited to the Table,’ an initiative focused on getting the Fargo-area arts community involved in community capacity building.”

North Dakota Association of Nonprofit Organizations: \$3,500

PO Box 1091
Bismarck, ND 58502

“Funding to support policy convening’s across the state to bring legislators and nonprofit organizations together to discuss upcoming legislation and issues of importance to the nonprofit sector.”

SUMMARY of Grant Round 2:

8 Grants for a total of \$73,500

**North Dakota Community Innovation Grant Program
Round #3, 2014
Grantee Information & Awards**

Central Dakota Forensic Nurse Examiner Program: \$10,000

PO Box 1512
Bismarck, ND 58502

"A project to train nurses and develop a collaborative community response in the Dickinson region for victims of sexual assault."

Native American Development Center: \$5,000

513 E Bismarck Expressway, Suite 22
Bismarck, ND 58504

"A project to support social change through collection and broadcasting of Native American Stories of Resilience."

Global Friends Coalition: \$9,985

600 DeMers Avenue, Suite 406A
Grand Forks, ND 58201

"A project to improve transportation through community outreach and advocacy for New Americans in the Grand Forks region."

Marketplace of Ideas: Marketplace for Kids: \$5,000

210 N 4th Street
Bismarck, ND 58501

"A project to provide support for homeless students in Williston through after school and weekend project space and assistance, and to provide similar services in the Tate Topa Elementary School in Ft. Totten."

Welcome House, Inc.: \$10,000

1406 2nd Street NW, Suite 2
Mandan, ND 58554

"A project to use technology and life-skills education for people who are homeless and for at-risk families."

SUMMARY of Grant Round 3:

5 Grants for a total of \$39,985

SUMMARY of 2014 grants:

20 Grants for a total of \$179,985