

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Los Angeles, CA, Metropolitan Area, circa 1999*

Foundation Name	State	Foundation	Total Dollars	No. of Grants
		Type ¹	Awarded	
1. The Ahmanson Foundation	CA	IN	\$46,079,247	323
2. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	33,900,000	12
3. The Ralph M. Parsons Foundation	CA	IN	15,748,178	177
4. The Milken Family Foundation	CA	IN	14,022,546	45
5. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	13,290,000	33
6. Weingart Foundation	CA	IN	11,686,925	189
7. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	IN	11,625,622	45
8. Skirball Foundation	NY	IN	10,894,955	11
9. The California Endowment	CA	IN	10,175,530	45
10. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	IN	9,783,000	47
11. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	9,104,441	15
12. Carrie Estelle Doheny Foundation	CA	IN	6,759,099	123
13. The Kenneth T. and Eileen L. Norris Foundation	CA	IN	6,428,554	124
14. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	6,387,184	25
15. Fritz B. Burns Foundation	CA	IN	6,212,000	71
16. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	6,163,000	3
17. The Fletcher Jones Foundation	CA	IN	6,117,968	25
18. ARCO Foundation	CA	CS	5,991,250	88
19. California Community Foundation	CA	CM	5,767,557	81
20. Henry L. Guenther Foundation	CA	IN	5,594,000	25
21. H. N. & Frances C. Berger Foundation	CA	IN	5,551,741	23
22. Conrad N. Hilton Foundation	NV	IN	5,478,780	36
23. Autry Foundation	CA	IN	5,204,100	3
24. The Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	CS	4,959,091	123
25. Wasserman Foundation	CA	IN	4,494,900	45
26. S. Mark Taper Foundation	CA	IN	4,217,000	24
27. The Lincy Foundation	CA	IN	4,158,923	22
28. Thomas and Dorothy Leavey Foundation	CA	IN	4,125,648	36
29. L. K. Whittier Foundation	CA	IN	3,903,500	9
30. Lund Foundation	CA	IN	3,871,275	48
31. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	3,830,500	16
32. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	3,638,500	39
33. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	3,270,000	15
34. Irving I. Moskowitz Foundation	CA	IN	3,007,952	8
35. The David Geffen Foundation	CA	IN	2,809,491	20
36. The Charles Lee Powell Foundation	CA	IN	2,782,188	2
37. Chartwell Foundation	CA	IN	2,740,000	36
38. Burton G. Bettingen Corporation	CA	IN	2,680,065	26
39. Dan Murphy Foundation	CA	IN	2,359,000	25
40. The Walt Disney Company Foundation	CA	CS	2,261,967	46
41. Revlon Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	2,250,000	5
42. The Amateur Athletic Foundation of Los Angeles	CA	IN	2,221,535	36
43. The Times Mirror Foundation	CA	CS	2,195,807	44
44. John Stauffer Charitable Trust	CA	IN	2,144,000	6
45. Joseph Drown Foundation	CA	IN	2,137,500	64
46. The Ralphs-Food 4 Less Foundation	CA	CS	2,077,000	42
47. AT&T Foundation	NY	CS	2,066,925	45
48. Ted Mann Foundation	CA	IN	2,051,535	19
49. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	2,050,000	4
50. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	IN	2,024,000	4
Total			\$338,293,979	2,378

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,016 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

¹IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation; OP = Operating Foundation.