

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the Kansas City, MO, Metropolitan Area, circa 2002*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Nelson Gallery Foundation	Kansas City	MO	\$12,564,006	12
2. Kauffman Center for Entrepreneurial Leadership	Kansas City	MO	10,449,557	1
3. University of Missouri	Kansas City	MO	6,097,574	28
4. Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art	Kansas City	MO	5,764,047	7
5. Union Station Kansas City	Kansas City	MO	5,530,738	6
6. United Way, Heart of America	Kansas City	MO	5,267,014	30
7. Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Kansas City	Kansas City	MO	4,296,917	13
8. Kansas City Symphony	Kansas City	MO	3,186,486	11
9. Midwest Research Institute	Kansas City	MO	3,050,000	2
10. Kansas City Art Institute	Kansas City	MO	2,813,450	7
11. Children's Mercy Hospital	Kansas City	MO	2,695,934	8
12. KCPT-Kansas City Public Television Channel 19	Kansas City	MO	2,380,513	21
13. State Ballet of Missouri	Kansas City	MO	2,246,923	9
14. Kansas City Public Library	Kansas City	MO	2,197,222	5
15. Downtown Kansas City Public Library Fund	Kansas City	MO	2,000,000	2
16. Unified School District No. 500	Kansas City	KS	1,956,460	3
17. Friends of the Zoo	Kansas City	MO	1,934,539	4
18. Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)	Kansas City	MO	1,775,000	6
19. Harvesters-The Community Food Network	Kansas City	MO	1,725,050	6
20. City of Fountains Foundation	Kansas City	MO	1,724,732	4
21. Rockhurst University	Kansas City	MO	1,682,748	6
22. Girl Scouts of the U.S.A.	Kansas City	MO	1,585,300	4
23. Lyric Opera of Kansas City	Kansas City	MO	1,570,750	13
24. YMCA of Greater Kansas City	Kansas City	MO	1,423,500	8
25. Learning Exchange	Kansas City	MO	1,400,000	10
26. Mid-America Regional Council	Kansas City	MO	1,318,666	9
27. Kansas City Area Life Sciences Institute	Kansas City	MO	1,300,000	2
28. Saint Paul School of Theology	Kansas City	MO	1,110,458	2
29. Operation Breakthrough	Kansas City	MO	1,089,633	2
30. Missouri Repertory Theater	Kansas City	MO	1,067,195	8
31. Guadalupe Center	Kansas City	MO	1,061,608	7
32. KCMC Child Development Corporation	Kansas City	MO	1,051,534	3
33. Metropolitan Community Colleges Foundation	Kansas City	MO	1,041,411	1
34. Francis Child Development Institute	Kansas City	MO	976,002	1
35. Metropolitan Kansas City Performing Arts Center	Kansas City	MO	970,931	5
36. Heart of America Family Services	Kansas City	KS	925,191	11
37. Camp Fire USA	Kansas City	MO	872,704	5
38. Cabot Westside Clinic	Kansas City	MO	861,000	6
39. University of Kansas Medical Center Research Institute	Kansas City	KS	797,243	5
40. American Red Cross	Leavenworth	KS	791,916	5
41. Westside Agency Collaborative	Kansas City	MO	775,000	2
42. Association of Unity Churches	Lees Summit	MO	767,987	5
43. William Jewell College	Liberty	MO	737,125	7
44. Landmark Legal Foundation	Kansas City	MO	730,000	8
45. Pembroke Hill School	Kansas City	MO	701,637	4
46. R. A. Bloch Cancer Foundation	Kansas City	MO	657,396	1
47. Alphapointe Association for the Blind	Kansas City	MO	657,250	5
48. University of Health Sciences	Kansas City	MO	628,729	3
49. Wayside Waifs	Kansas City	MO	606,820	4
50. TNC Community	Kansas City	MO	600,000	1
Total			\$109,415,896	338

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,005 larger U.S. foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving). For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).