

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Nebraska, circa 2002*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. University of Nebraska Foundation	Lincoln	NE	\$11,967,979	17
2. Creighton University	Omaha	NE	5,901,756	18
3. Omaha, City of	Omaha	NE	5,667,810	6
4. Omaha Zoological Society	Omaha	NE	2,724,400	5
5. Catholic Bishop of Lincoln	Lincoln	NE	2,663,837	12
6. IIT Foundation	Omaha	NE	2,500,000	1
7. Hastings College	Hastings	NE	2,410,837	5
8. United Way of the Midlands	Omaha	NE	2,151,625	14
9. Nebraska Game and Parks Foundation	Omaha	NE	1,939,408	2
10. Community Alliance Foundation	Omaha	NE	1,500,000	1
11. University of Nebraska	Lincoln	NE	1,377,612	11
12. Bellevue University	Bellevue	NE	1,180,000	7
13. Neighborhoods, Inc.	Lincoln	NE	1,025,000	2
14. Omaha Hearing School	Omaha	NE	930,458	7
15. Dana College	Blair	NE	805,000	7
16. Educare of Omaha	Omaha	NE	800,000	1
17. Voices for Children in Nebraska	Omaha	NE	775,000	2
18. Nature Conservancy	Omaha	NE	750,000	1
19. Joslyn Art Museum	Omaha	NE	677,575	10
20. Lincoln Children's Museum	Lincoln	NE	666,667	1
21. Girls Inc. of Omaha	Omaha	NE	609,607	4
22. Children's Hospital Foundation	Omaha	NE	597,500	5
23. Wayne State College Foundation	Wayne	NE	547,000	1
24. Community Alliance	Omaha	NE	525,000	2
25. College of Saint Mary	Omaha	NE	505,000	7
26. YMCA of Lincoln	Lincoln	NE	500,000	1
27. Omaha Zoo Foundation	Omaha	NE	459,000	4
28. Bellevue University Foundation	Bellevue	NE	435,025	4
29. Center for Rural Affairs	Walthill	NE	390,000	6
30. Nebraska Methodist Hospital Foundation	Omaha	NE	379,000	2
31. YMCA, Blair Family	Blair	NE	325,000	2
32. University of Nebraska Foundation	Omaha	NE	320,850	6
33. Nebraska Trails Foundation	Lincoln	NE	300,000	2
34. Omaha Community Playhouse	Omaha	NE	295,425	6
35. York College	York	NE	283,000	1
36. Western Heritage Museum	Omaha	NE	273,413	5
37. Heartland Center for Leadership Development	Lincoln	NE	272,375	2
38. Lincoln Action Program	Lincoln	NE	272,300	4
39. Omaha Symphony	Omaha	NE	260,525	3
40. Omaha Children's Museum	Omaha	NE	252,300	3
41. Nebraska, State of	Lincoln	NE	250,000	1
42. Omaha Development Foundation	Omaha	NE	250,000	1
43. Omaha Performing Arts Society	Omaha	NE	250,000	1
44. Child Guidance Center	Lincoln	NE	250,000	2
45. Opera Omaha	Omaha	NE	231,950	5
46. Nebraska City, City of	Nebraska City	NE	225,000	1
47. Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Midlands	Omaha	NE	225,000	3
48. Barth Syndrome Foundation	Lincoln	NE	200,000	1
49. Humane Society of Nebraska	Omaha	NE	200,000	4
50. Doane College	Crete	NE	198,000	4
Total			\$58,497,234	223

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.

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