

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Minnesota, circa 2003*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Scholarship America	Saint Peter	MN	\$43,789,354	78
2. United Way, Greater Twin Cities	Minneapolis	MN	14,637,737	84
3. University of Minnesota	Minneapolis	MN	12,007,916	56
4. Minneapolis Jewish Federation	Minnetonka	MN	11,036,682	5
5. Greater Minnesota Housing Fund	Saint Paul	MN	11,025,000	4
6. Mayo Foundation	Rochester	MN	10,508,647	27
7. Special School District No. 1	Minneapolis	MN	6,200,000	1
8. Public Radio International (PRI)	Minneapolis	MN	5,048,750	20
9. K T C A/K T C I Twin Cities Public Television	Saint Paul	MN	5,020,713	23
10. Guthrie Theater Foundation	Minneapolis	MN	5,003,317	28
11. Habitat for Humanity, Twin Cities	Minneapolis	MN	4,145,070	21
12. University of Minnesota Foundation	Minneapolis	MN	3,957,900	50
13. Walker Art Center	Minneapolis	MN	3,921,050	28
14. Minnesota Public Radio	Saint Paul	MN	3,656,770	19
15. University of Minnesota Foundation	Saint Paul	MN	2,599,333	1
16. Achieve Minneapolis	Minneapolis	MN	2,083,100	8
17. Nature Conservancy	Minneapolis	MN	2,025,000	2
18. Minneapolis Institute of Arts	Minneapolis	MN	1,876,000	16
19. Childrens Theater Company and School	Minneapolis	MN	1,766,500	21
20. Saint Paul Riverfront Corporation	Saint Paul	MN	1,710,000	6
21. Project for Pride in Living	Minneapolis	MN	1,643,000	26
22. Minnesota Childrens Museum	Saint Paul	MN	1,600,500	21
23. Macalester College	Saint Paul	MN	1,597,673	11
24. University of Saint Thomas	Saint Paul	MN	1,561,234	12
25. Science Museum of Minnesota	Saint Paul	MN	1,517,815	18
26. Croixdale	Bayport	MN	1,500,000	1
27. American Composers Forum	Saint Paul	MN	1,422,219	14
28. FamilyMeans	Stillwater	MN	1,385,500	9
29. Minnesota Orchestral Association	Minneapolis	MN	1,361,500	18
30. Como Zoo and Conservatory Society	Saint Paul	MN	1,305,000	8
31. Institute for Agriculture and Trade Policy	Minneapolis	MN	1,257,500	14
32. Minnesota Medical Foundation	Minneapolis	MN	1,233,000	13
33. Carleton College	Northfield	MN	1,172,734	12
34. Minnesota Private College Fund	Saint Paul	MN	1,097,850	11
35. Minnesota Environmental Partnership	Saint Paul	MN	1,070,000	3
36. Amherst H. Wilder Foundation	Saint Paul	MN	1,061,078	15
37. Gillette Childrens Specialty Healthcare	Saint Paul	MN	1,060,000	1
38. Guthrie Theater	Minneapolis	MN	1,055,618	6
39. United Way of Austin	Austin	MN	1,000,000	1
40. Trust for Public Land	Saint Paul	MN	1,000,000	1
41. Northern Itasca Health Care Center	Bigfork	MN	1,000,000	1
42. Richfield Kids Technology Initiative	Richfield	MN	1,000,000	1
43. College of Saint Scholastica	Duluth	MN	997,686	6
44. College of Saint Catherine	Saint Paul	MN	972,960	10
45. Goodwill Industries Easter Seal Society of Minnesota	Saint Paul	MN	965,000	15
46. Mayo Clinic	Rochester	MN	938,900	3
47. Minnesota State Colleges and Universities	Saint Paul	MN	930,056	3
48. Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra Society	Saint Paul	MN	914,000	18
49. Neighborhood Involvement Program	Minneapolis	MN	903,874	5
50. Intermedia Arts of Minnesota	Minneapolis	MN	899,000	10
Total			\$187,442,536	785

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,010 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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