

**Top U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of North Dakota, circa 2004\***

<b>Foundation Name</b>	<b>Foundation State</b>	<b>Foundation Type<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total Dollars Awarded</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. Otto Bremer Foundation	MN	IN	\$2,275,718	67
2. Bush Foundation	MN	IN	1,497,826	10
3. Northwest Area Foundation	MN	IN	1,395,000	7
4. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	505,000	4
5. Tom and Frances Leach Foundation, Inc.	ND	IN	417,250	14
6. North Dakota Community Foundation	ND	CM	360,639	9
7. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	200,000	1
8. Alex Stern Family Foundation	ND	IN	187,858	14
9. MDU Resources Foundation	ND	CS	143,000	9
10. Theodore R. & Vivian M. Johnson Scholarship Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	138,533	4
11. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	128,000	1
12. The J. M. Kaplan Fund, Inc.	NY	IN	100,000	1
13. North Dakota Natural Resources Trust, Inc.	ND	IN	87,349	5
14. Energy Foundation	CA	IN	75,000	1
15. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	75,000	1
16. The Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	CS	73,500	6
17. The McKnight Foundation	MN	IN	70,000	2
18. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	CM	65,000	1
19. U.S. Bancorp Foundation, Inc.	MN	CS	60,500	2
20. Noel and Judith Fedje Foundation	ND	IN	60,000	2
21. The Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts	NY	IN	60,000	1
22. Qwest Foundation	CO	CS	55,583	4
23. Xcel Energy Foundation	MN	CS	47,502	3
24. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	44,972	1
25. Caterpillar Foundation	IL	CS	35,000	2
26. John Deere Foundation	IL	CS	35,000	2
27. Koch Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	35,000	2
28. L. W. Huncke Foundation	ND	IN	35,000	2
29. Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	MO	IN	32,000	2
30. McKesson Foundation, Inc.	CA	CS	30,000	1
31. American Express Foundation	NY	CS	25,000	1
32. Northwestern Mutual Foundation	WI	CS	20,000	2
33. The Wolf Creek Charitable Foundation	WY	IN	20,000	2
34. Messengers of Healing Winds Foundation	NM	IN	16,000	1
35. Rockwell Collins Charitable Corporation	IA	CS	16,000	1
36. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	CS	13,494	1
37. 3M Foundation	MN	CS	12,500	1
38. The R. B. Nordick Foundation	ND	IN	11,000	1
39. PPG Industries Foundation	PA	CS	10,200	1
40. Lakeside Foundation	CA	IN	10,000	1
41. Max Kade Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	10,000	1
42. Mustard Seed Foundation, Inc.	VA	IN	10,000	1
43. The Jeld-Wen Foundation	OR	CS	10,000	1
44. The Minneapolis Foundation	MN	CM	10,000	1
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$8,435,724</b>	<b>189</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,172 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. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the state. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

<sup>1</sup>IN = Independent Foundation; CM = Community Foundation; CS = Corporate Foundation.

Note: The above list includes all foundations in the sample giving to the state.

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