

Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Alabama, circa 2004*

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Chattahoochee Valley Educational Foundation	Lanett	AL	\$7,422,328	1
2. University of Alabama	Birmingham	AL	3,032,739	19
3. Indian Springs School	Indian Springs	AL	2,000,000	1
4. University of Alabama	Tuscaloosa	AL	1,906,793	12
5. United Way of Central Alabama	Birmingham	AL	1,607,990	21
6. McWane Center	Birmingham	AL	1,069,000	3
7. Tuskegee University	Tuskegee	AL	1,049,178	19
8. YMCA of Metropolitan Birmingham	Birmingham	AL	950,000	6
9. Birmingham Zoo	Birmingham	AL	850,000	6
10. Alabama Primary Health Care Association	Montgomery	AL	667,555	1
11. Center for the Living Arts	Mobile	AL	575,000	2
12. Southern Organizing Cooperative	Birmingham	AL	550,000	2
13. Russell County Historical Commission	Phenix City	AL	528,413	3
14. Southern Poverty Law Center	Montgomery	AL	506,250	6
15. Alabama Veterinary Medical Association	Montgomery	AL	504,212	1
16. Alabama Department of Public Health	Montgomery	AL	492,336	1
17. Birmingham-Southern College	Birmingham	AL	454,000	14
18. Alabama Shakespeare Festival	Montgomery	AL	440,000	8
19. Auburn University	Auburn	AL	436,859	9
20. Birmingham Urban Revitalization Partnership	Birmingham	AL	414,227	2
21. University of South Alabama	Mobile	AL	408,842	7
22. Auburn University Foundation	Auburn	AL	392,400	11
23. Birmingham Museum of Art	Birmingham	AL	367,500	8
24. Alabama Public Library Service	Montgomery	AL	338,000	1
25. Sixteenth Street Foundation	Birmingham	AL	335,000	4
26. Entrepreneurial Center	Birmingham	AL	335,000	5
27. American Village Citizenship Trust	Montevallo	AL	325,000	3
28. Saint Pauls Episcopal School	Mobile	AL	300,000	1
29. Metropolitan Arts Council	Birmingham	AL	257,500	5
30. Alabama Department of Senior Services	Montgomery	AL	250,000	1
31. Vulcan Park Foundation	Birmingham	AL	240,000	7
32. Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Mobile Area	Mobile	AL	235,000	2
33. Big Oak Ranch	Springville	AL	221,666	4
34. Equal Justice Initiative of Alabama	Montgomery	AL	210,000	2
35. Nonprofit Resource Center of Alabama	Birmingham	AL	205,000	4
36. United Way of Southwest Alabama	Mobile	AL	202,873	4
37. Arise Citizens Policy Project	Montgomery	AL	200,019	4
38. Greenville Butler County Public Library	Greenville	AL	200,000	1
39. Alabama Childrens Hospital Foundation	Birmingham	AL	200,000	2
40. Salvation Army of Birmingham	Birmingham	AL	200,000	5
41. Partners in Neighborhood Growth	Birmingham	AL	198,250	7
42. Better Basics	Birmingham	AL	190,000	6
43. MLK Avenue Redevelopment Corporation	Mobile	AL	185,000	3
44. Boy Scouts of America	Birmingham	AL	185,000	4
45. Alabama Symphony Association	Birmingham	AL	185,000	4
46. United Way of Madison County	Huntsville	AL	180,900	4
47. Operation Compassion	Alabaster	AL	180,000	1
48. Regional Cultural Alliance of Greater Birmingham	Birmingham	AL	180,000	3
49. University of Mobile	Mobile	AL	170,000	1
50. Mobile Museum of Art	Mobile	AL	169,970	3
Total			\$32,704,800	254

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. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented.

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