

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of North Dakota, circa 2007

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Otto Bremer Foundation	MN	IN	\$ 4,229,258	97
2. Northwest Area Foundation	MN	IN	3,840,058	6
3. Bush Foundation	MN	IN	3,363,994	17
4. The Barry Foundation	ND	IN	1,290,000	5
5. Fargo-Moorhead Area Foundation	ND	CM	883,044	23
6. The Kresge Foundation	MI	IN	830,000	2
7. MDU Resources Foundation	ND	CS	522,000	23
8. Tom and Frances Leach Foundation, Inc.	ND	IN	409,500	11
9. Alex Stern Family Foundation	ND	IN	337,422	13
10. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	299,584	1
11. North Dakota Community Foundation	ND	CM	269,000	12
12. Dakota Foundation	ND	IN	230,000	2
13. Wells Fargo Foundation	CA	CS	155,670	9
14. The Hearst Foundation, Inc.	NY	IN	150,000	2
15. Lumina Foundation for Education, Inc.	IN	IN	150,000	1
16. Myra Foundation	ND	IN	133,160	10
17. Theodore R. & Vivian M. Johnson Scholarship Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	126,076	4
18. General Motors Foundation, Inc.	MI	CS	110,000	1
19. U.S. Bancorp Foundation, Inc.	MN	CS	101,500	3
20. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	101,000	2
21. BNSF Foundation	TX	CS	90,000	3
22. North Dakota Natural Resources Trust, Inc.	ND	IN	87,015	5
23. Xcel Energy Foundation	MN	CS	85,200	6
24. Community Foundation of Greater Memphis	TN	CM	85,000	3
25. Qwest Foundation	CO	CS	81,000	6
26. John L. McCormick Memorial Trust	ND	IN	80,000	7
27. The Annenberg Foundation	CA	IN	75,000	1
28. Noel and Judith Fedje Foundation	ND	IN	65,000	4
29. Turner Foundation, Inc.	GA	IN	60,000	1
30. The Charlotte W. Newcombe Foundation	NJ	IN	50,000	1
31. Community Foundation of Grand Forks, East Grand Forks and Region	ND	CM	45,147	1
32. The Blandin Foundation	MN	IN	44,000	1
33. Tom and Danielle Aman Foundation	SD	IN	38,941	1
34. Devils Lake Area Foundation	ND	CM	37,275	2
35. Caterpillar Foundation	IL	CS	37,000	2
36. Koch Foundation, Inc.	FL	IN	35,000	2
37. NCC Charitable Foundation	OH	CS	35,000	1
38. Comer Science & Education Foundation	IL	IN	28,360	1
39. The McKnight Foundation	MN	IN	25,000	1
40. ConocoPhillips Foundation	OK	CS	20,000	1
41. L. W. Huncke Foundation	ND	IN	20,000	1
42. The R. B. Nordick Foundation	ND	IN	20,000	1
43. Raskob Foundation for Catholic Activities, Inc.	DE	IN	15,000	1
44. Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan	MI	CM	10,500	1
45. Engelstad Family Foundation	NV	IN	10,000	1
46. General Mills Foundation	MN	CS	10,000	1
47. Greater Houston Community Foundation	TX	CM	10,000	1
48. The J. M. Kaplan Fund, Inc.	NY	IN	10,000	1
49. Lakeside Foundation	CA	IN	10,000	1
50. The M.A.C. AIDS Fund	NY	IN	10,000	1
Total			\$ 18,760,704	304

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,339 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.

¹IN=Independent Foundation; CM=Community Foundation; CS=Corporate Foundation; OP=Operating Foundation.