

## Top 50 Recipients of Foundation Grants in the State of Mississippi, circa 2007

Recipient Organization	City	State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Mississippi Center for Education Innovation	Jackson	MS	\$ 16,286,790	1
2. University of Mississippi	University	MS	6,058,046	10
3. B. B. King Museum and Delta Interpretive Center	Indianola	MS	3,115,000	5
4. Enterprise Corporation of the Delta	Jackson	MS	2,850,000	6
5. Gulf Coast Business Council	Gulfport	MS	2,778,000	2
6. Boys and Girls Club of Kosciusko and Attala County, Oprah Winfrey	Kosciusko	MS	2,693,551	2
7. University of Mississippi Foundation	University	MS	2,604,761	8
8. Gulf Coast Renaissance Corporation	Gulfport	MS	2,138,411	3
9. University of Southern Mississippi Foundation	Hattiesburg	MS	2,090,378	5
10. Mississippi Department of Education	Jackson	MS	1,982,696	13
11. Millsaps College	Jackson	MS	1,880,493	10
12. University of Southern Mississippi	Hattiesburg	MS	1,747,493	10
13. Mississippi State University Foundation	Mississippi State	MS	1,686,681	14
14. Rust College	Holly Springs	MS	1,550,000	2
15. Saint James Episcopal Church	Jackson	MS	1,527,500	1
16. Mississippi State University	Mississippi State	MS	1,510,952	9
17. University of Mississippi Medical Center	Jackson	MS	1,496,693	4
18. Jackson Medical Mall Foundation	Jackson	MS	1,495,839	1
19. Southern Echo	Jackson	MS	1,226,000	5
20. Center for Mississippi Health Policy	Jackson	MS	1,076,943	1
21. Jackson State University Foundation	Jackson	MS	1,000,000	1
22. Mississippi Childrens Museum	Jackson	MS	947,500	6
23. Boys and Girls Club of North Mississippi	Tupelo	MS	842,500	1
24. Parents for Public Schools	Jackson	MS	635,000	3
25. Community Policy, Research and Training Institute	Jackson	MS	600,000	1
26. Southern Rural Black Womens Initiative	Jackson	MS	600,000	1
27. Mississippi Action for Community Education	Greenville	MS	595,000	2
28. Quitman County Development Organization	Marks	MS	595,000	3
29. Jackson State University	Jackson	MS	580,577	5
30. Mississippi Workers Center for Human Rights	Greenville	MS	575,000	5
31. Ohr-O'Keefe Museum of Art	Biloxi	MS	570,450	6
32. Blaire E. Batson Childrens Hospital	Jackson	MS	513,686	1
33. Harrison County School District	Gulfport	MS	511,150	8
34. Magnolia Speech School for the Deaf	Jackson	MS	479,160	5
35. Delta State University	Cleveland	MS	420,460	4
36. Mississippi Museum of Art	Jackson	MS	410,000	6
37. American Family Association	Tupelo	MS	375,000	6
38. Mississippi College	Clinton	MS	345,000	3
39. Poplarville Special Municipal Separate School District	Poplarville	MS	329,000	2
40. Piney Woods School	Piney Woods	MS	315,200	7
41. French Camp Academy	French Camp	MS	305,000	6
42. William Carey College	Hattiesburg	MS	300,000	2
43. Hollandale Economic and Community Development Foundation	Hollandale	MS	300,000	1
44. Salvation Army Divisional Headquarters	Jackson	MS	297,000	4
45. Ocean Springs, City of	Ocean Springs	MS	286,000	1
46. YMCA of the Mississippi Gulf Coast	Ocean Springs	MS	284,000	3
47. Belhaven College	Jackson	MS	261,000	2
48. University of Mississippi	Oxford	MS	250,000	2
49. Hattiesburg Dixie Youth Baseball	Hattiesburg	MS	250,000	1
50. Saint Columbs Episcopal Church	Ridgeland	MS	250,000	1
<b>Total</b>			<b>\$ 71,818,910</b>	<b>211</b>

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 by smaller local foundations are not represented.