

**Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for Community Improvement and Development, circa 2001\***

<b>Foundation Name</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Dollar Amount</b>	<b>No. of Grants</b>
1. The Ford Foundation	NY	\$90,658,539	397
2. Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation	MO	52,634,659	54
3. Baton Rouge Area Foundation	LA	43,569,703	13
4. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	30,687,000	15
5. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	29,901,771	110
6. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	28,028,395	175
7. The James Irvine Foundation	CA	22,460,250	80
8. Howard Heinz Endowment	PA	21,674,000	45
9. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	21,621,530	17
10. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	21,044,599	179
11. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	20,673,567	119
12. The Packard Humanities Institute	CA	19,672,667	1
13. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	16,953,100	65
14. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	15,729,460	68
15. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	15,587,903	31
16. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	13,695,000	56
17. Fannie Mae Foundation	DC	12,304,025	225
18. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	12,009,250	29
19. The California Endowment	CA	11,991,996	54
20. The Kresge Foundation	MI	11,305,000	8
21. The California Wellness Foundation	CA	10,846,500	27
22. The McKnight Foundation	MN	10,751,000	74
23. Surdna Foundation, Inc.	NY	10,232,000	77
24. The William Penn Foundation	PA	10,192,658	45
25. Peter Kiewit Foundation	NE	10,135,000	5
26. The Cleveland Foundation	OH	9,657,042	47
27. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	9,048,300	37
28. SBC Foundation	TX	8,317,764	115
29. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	8,103,747	17
30. The F. B. Heron Foundation	NY	7,315,000	75
31. The New York Community Trust	NY	7,308,100	96
32. Citigroup Foundation	NY	7,148,833	181
33. McCune Foundation	PA	6,290,941	38
34. The Seattle Foundation	WA	6,175,330	56
35. The Greater Kansas City Community Foundation and Affiliated Trusts	MO	5,617,161	27
36. Bank of America Foundation, Inc.	NC	5,483,267	195
37. The J. P. Morgan Chase Foundation	NY	5,148,300	192
38. Jacobs Family Foundation, Inc.	CA	4,981,702	3
39. Washington Mutual Foundation	WA	4,511,500	104
40. Peninsula Community Foundation	CA	4,425,301	62
41. Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	4,382,173	26
42. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	4,240,030	16
43. The Danforth Foundation	MO	4,194,334	8
44. The George Gund Foundation	OH	4,130,000	34
45. Claude Worthington Benedum Foundation	PA	4,107,105	52
46. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	4,069,250	48
47. The Edna McConnell Clark Foundation	NY	4,065,000	12
48. The Pittsburgh Foundation	PA	4,050,518	42
49. The Skillman Foundation	MI	3,968,000	13
50. Open Society Institute	NY	3,934,802	52
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$705,033,072</b>	<b>3,517</b>

Source: The Foundation Center.

\*Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,007 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 all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.