

Top 50 North Dakota Foundations by Assets, circa 2005

Foundation Name	Foundation Type ¹	Assets	Fiscal Date
1. Fargo-Moorhead Area Foundation	CM	\$41,619,487	12/31/2005
2. North Dakota Community Foundation	CM	27,291,653	12/31/2005
3. The R. B. Nordick Foundation	IN	21,018,700	12/31/2004
4. North Dakota Natural Resources Trust, Inc.	IN	16,947,251	12/31/2005
5. Tom and Frances Leach Foundation, Inc.	IN	11,949,286	12/31/2005
6. Alex Stern Family Foundation	IN	9,496,191	12/31/2005
7. L. W. Huncke Foundation	IN	9,407,471	9/30/2004
8. Dakota Foundation	IN	7,180,080	12/31/2005
9. Fred and Clara Eckert Foundation for Children	OP	4,944,195	12/31/2005
10. Myra Foundation	IN	4,538,770	12/31/2005
11. Noel and Judith Fedje Foundation	IN	4,294,160	12/31/2005
12. Community Foundation of Grand Forks, East Grand Forks and Region	CM	3,483,468	12/31/2004
13. Devils Lake Area Foundation	CM	3,241,881	11/30/2005
14. MDU Resources Foundation	CS	3,163,300	12/31/2005
15. North Dakota Masonic Foundation	IN	1,891,945	6/30/2006
16. John L. McCormick Memorial Trust	IN	1,888,075	12/31/2005
17. Forum Communications Foundation	IN	1,739,530	7/31/2005
18. Ralph Boone Charitable Foundation	IN	1,647,913	12/31/2005
19. Plains Art Museum Foundation	IN	1,183,630	6/30/2005
20. Dr. Henry Hobert Ruger Trust	IN	1,152,242	12/31/2005
21. Elmer & Kaya Berg Foundation No. 2	IN	1,000,947	12/31/2005
22. Roy and Yvonne McNeil Scholarship Fund	OP	996,523	12/31/2005
23. C. F. Martell Memorial Foundation	IN	964,685	7/31/2006
24. Ward Charitable Trust	IN	930,397	11/30/2005
25. Theodore H. Sedler Scholarship Fund	IN	898,778	12/31/2005
26. Minot Elks Lodge No. 1089 Charitable Foundation, Inc.	OP	678,220	3/31/2003
27. Leland Stenehjem Family Foundation	IN	657,401	12/31/2005
28. Lakota Community Foundation	IN	645,412	12/31/2005
29. United Telephone Educational Foundation, Inc.	CS	621,003	12/31/2005
30. Vera Ellsworth & Bea Cox Charitable Trust	IN	538,825	12/31/2005
31. The Leonard Rydell Foundation	CS	534,735	12/31/2005
32. John A. Kozel Charitable Trust	IN	460,789	12/31/2005
33. Frank A. & M. Esther Wenstrom Foundation	OP	426,340	9/30/2004
34. Vickers Foundation	IN	400,097	12/31/2005
35. Maude M. Schuetze Foundation	OP	337,454	4/30/2005
36. Olger B. & Zoe E. Burtness Trust B	IN	280,918	3/31/2006
37. Harold & Dorothy Madson Foundation	IN	276,825	12/31/2005
38. Lucille Coghlan McCormick Memorial Trust	IN	258,709	12/31/2005
39. The Clairmont Family Foundation	IN	226,533	12/31/2005
40. Edmund E. Toutges Trust	IN	226,016	12/31/2005
41. Vincent Gaffney Foundation	IN	212,479	6/30/2006
42. Sheridan County Memorial Educational Trust	IN	205,557	12/31/2005
43. Walter and Barbara E. Reishus Pedersen Lutheran Foundation	IN	205,394	12/31/2005
44. McKenzie County Education Trust	IN	198,539	12/31/2005
45. Jamestown Medical Foundation	OP	192,868	9/30/2004
46. Minot Rotary Scholarship Foundation	IN	187,507	12/31/2005
47. Muriel & Svend Andersen Larimore Scholarship Trust	IN	174,931	12/31/2005
48. Frank Julyn Charitable Trust	IN	165,998	12/31/2005
49. Urdahl, Inc.	IN	160,433	3/31/2006
50. Knute & Blenda Hagen Scholarship Trust	IN	157,682	12/31/2005

Source: The Foundation Center, 2007.

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

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