

Top 50 Minnesota Foundations by Total Giving, circa 2007

Foundation Name	Foundation Type ¹	Total Giving ²	Fiscal Date
1. The McKnight Foundation	IN	\$ 93,643,806	12/31/2007
2. The Minneapolis Foundation	CM	49,540,078	3/31/2008
3. The Saint Paul Foundation	CM	42,422,608	12/31/2007
4. Bush Foundation	IN	38,567,884	12/31/2007
5. Fred C. and Katherine B. Andersen Foundation	IN	36,479,528	12/31/2007
6. Otto Bremer Foundation	IN	28,981,712	12/31/2007
7. The Medtronic Foundation	CS	23,392,823	4/30/2008
8. 3M Foundation	CS	21,012,195	12/31/2007
9. U.S. Bancorp Foundation, Inc.	CS	20,051,456	12/31/2007
10. General Mills Foundation	CS	20,039,354	5/31/2007
11. Minnesota Community Foundation	CM	17,951,877	12/31/2007
12. The Blandin Foundation	IN	17,077,344	12/31/2007
13. Northwest Area Foundation	IN	16,324,573	3/31/2007
14. Best Buy Children's Foundation	CS	13,398,805	2/28/2008
15. The Cargill Foundation	CS	10,741,541	12/31/2007
16. Target Foundation	CS	9,750,000	2/2/2008 1
17. The Jay and Rose Phillips Family Foundation	IN	9,481,645	12/31/2007
18. United Health Foundation	CS	8,790,548	12/31/2006
19. Travelers Foundation	CS	8,065,291	12/31/2007
20. James Ford Bell Foundation	IN	8,046,445	12/31/2007
21. Carl and Eloise Pohlad Family Foundation	IN	7,727,589	12/31/2007
22. F. R. Bigelow Foundation	IN	7,306,568	12/31/2007
23. St. Jude Medical Foundation	CS	6,628,035	12/31/2007
24. WEM Foundation	IN	6,528,409	12/31/2007
25. Xcel Energy Foundation	CS	6,288,131	12/31/2007
26. Central Minnesota Community Foundation	CM	6,005,620	6/30/2007
27. L. & N. Andreas Foundation	IN	5,338,935	12/31/2007
28. Richard M. Schulze Family Foundation	IN	5,250,495	12/31/2007
29. Ecolab Foundation	CS	5,223,695	12/31/2007
30. Alliss Educational Foundation	IN	4,900,000	12/31/2006
31. Hugh J. Andersen Foundation	IN	4,475,907	2/29/2008
32. Pax Christi Foundation	IN	4,366,000	6/30/2007
33. Robina Foundation	IN	4,280,000	12/31/2007
34. The McKnight Endowment Fund for Neuroscience	IN	4,100,000	12/31/2006
35. I. A. O'Shaughnessy Foundation, Inc.	IN	4,017,982	12/31/2006
36. Hardenbergh Foundation	IN	3,898,000	12/31/2007
37. Rochester Area Foundation	CM	3,700,140	12/31/2007
38. Cloverfields Foundation	IN	3,695,633	12/31/2007
39. Healthier Minnesota Community Clinic Fund	CS	3,656,921	12/31/2007
40. Jerome Foundation	IN	3,596,993	4/30/2007
41. The Curtis L. Carlson Foundation	IN	3,572,359	12/31/2006
42. Thomas J. Petters Family Foundation	IN	3,351,750	12/31/2006
43. The Pentair Foundation	CS	3,321,209	12/31/2007
44. RBC Dain Rauscher Foundation	CS	3,050,919	10/31/2007
45. Patrick and Aimee Butler Family Foundation	IN	3,028,255	12/31/2007
46. George Family Foundation	IN	2,951,046	12/31/2007
47. The Graco Foundation	CS	2,863,189	12/31/2007
48. Opus Foundation	CS	2,860,417	12/31/2007
49. HRK Foundation	IN	2,746,356	12/31/2007
50. Mithun Family Foundation	IN	2,697,000	12/31/2007

Source: The Foundation Center, 2009.

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

²Includes grants, scholarships, and employee matching gifts; excludes set-asides, loans, PRIs, and program expenses.