

# Water Quality Funding Sources for Schools



**A Resource for  
K-12 Schools  
and Child Care  
Facilities**

## Introduction

The US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) developed this guide to help schools and child care providers identify potential funding sources for water quality related projects. In addition to water quality projects, this guide can also be used to identify potential funding sources for a variety of programs related to children's health and environment.

## Background

EPA is concerned about the potential for elevated lead levels in the drinking water in schools and child care facilities. In response to this concern, EPA created a suite of materials<sup>1</sup> to help schools and child care facilities implement programs and policies to reduce children's exposure to lead in drinking water. However, implementing a drinking water quality program that includes testing, remediation, and outreach activities can be costly. This guide provides potential funding resources to help school and child care facilities implement drinking water quality programs.

## The Benefit of This Guide

To help schools and child care facilities with the grantseeking process, EPA has compiled information on 65 funding sources that support schools and child care initiatives related to the environment and public health. This resource includes information on organizations with a history of supporting school activities, environmental programs, and children's health protection initiatives.

## How This Information Was Compiled

This guide provides the most current and accurate information available at the time of publication. This information was compiled through extensive research and analysis of funding information collected from philanthropists with relevant funding priorities. Potential donors were identified primarily through Internet searches of funding directories and information published by foundations, non-profit organizations, and corporations. The researchers systematically excluded donors that did not support schools or child care facilities as well as donors without funding priorities related to water quality programs. Organizations were selected for this guide based only on the criteria described above. **This guide is not a comprehensive list of funding opportunities for environmental initiatives and inclusion in this guide does not constitute endorsement by EPA.**

## How to Use This Guide

This guide includes information on the funding priorities, grant-making history, available funding, eligibility criteria, and geographic focus of each donor. For each listing, grantseekers will find information on whether a particular donor has a state-specific or national focus under National/State Focus. If the donor focuses on a specific county or metropolitan region, this information will be listed under Regional Focus. Information about specific school districts or types of schools emphasized by a donor can be found under School Focus. The index contains a list of national funding sources (p. 71) and a listing of funding sources by state (p. 72). Schools and child care facilities should review the funding sources listed under their state as well as the national funders to identify potential sources of support for their programs. Because information on funding priorities and contact information may change frequently, it is important for schools and child care providers to confirm the information provided when they seek funding.

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<sup>1</sup> For more information on EPA's 3Ts for Reducing Lead in Drinking Water in Schools and Child Care Facilities suite of materials please visit [www.epa.gov/safewater/schools](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/schools).

### What are the Funding Sources in This Guide?

The majority of funding sources listed in this guide are foundations that provide support to a specific community, state, or region. These foundations have a history of awarding grants to schools and child care programs and many of them focus on environmental and health issues in their grant-making priorities. Some of the foundations have programs explicitly focused on water quality projects in schools. For example, The Virginia Environmental Endowment (p. 65) has a mini-grant program to help public schools in Virginia implement water quality testing, monitoring, and awareness-building activities. Most of the organizations listed here do not have specific grant programs for water quality projects. They were included in this guide because of their focus on improving school facilities or reducing environmental toxins in places where children spend their time. For example, the Peninsula Community Foundation (p. 36) in San Mateo, California has made numerous grants to schools in Northern California for building renovation projects. Such organizations may support water quality programs in schools and child care facilities.

### Lead in Drinking Water at Schools and Child Care Facilities

School officials and child care providers need to know if the drinking water that children, teachers, and staff consume contains elevated levels of lead. Exposure to lead can cause serious health problems, particularly for young children. EPA has developed guidance documents to help schools and child care facilities implement simple strategies for managing the risks of lead in their drinking water including:

- Identifying potential sources of lead in their facilities.
- Monitoring their drinking water for elevated lead levels.
- Resolving problems if elevated lead levels are found.
- Communicating about their lead control programs

You can find *The 3Ts For Reducing Lead In Schools: Revised Technical Guidance*, and *The 3Ts For Reducing Lead In Child Care Facilities: Revised Technical Guidance* at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/schools/guidance.html>

This guide also provides information on national foundations and corporations that have a strong commitment to supporting school and child care improvement initiatives. The national organizations listed here provide funding for environmental health, children's health, and environmental education projects. In addition, these organizations are committed to serving the local communities where their employees and customers live and work. For example, The Home Depot (p. 57) funds school building and refurbishment projects and supports programs that encourage community involvement and volunteering.

### Other Funding Sources

EPA has compiled this guide as a helpful tool for schools and child care facilities to find potential donors but it is not an exhaustive listing of funding opportunities. There are other resources available to help identify non-profit, private, and local government funding opportunities not listed in this guide. For example, because there are numerous local government funding sources in each state, it is not possible to list them all here. EPA encourages schools and child care facilities, particularly those that do not find a funding match in this guide, to contact their state and local water authorities and departments of health and education to inquire about technical assistance and funding for water quality programs and other activities.

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# Summary of Funding Sources

Donor	National/State Focus	Use of Funds	Grant Minimum	Grant Maximum	Page
3M Community Giving	Alabama; Arkansas; Arizona; California; Connecticut; Georgia; Hawaii; Illinois; Indiana; Iowa; Kentucky; Massachusetts; Michigan; Minnesota; Montana; Nebraska; New Jersey; New York; Ohio; South Carolina; South Dakota; Texas; Utah; Wisconsin	Health; Environment			Page 6
Ahmanson Foundation	California	Equipment; Building Renovation; Health	\$1,000	\$7,500,000	Page 7
Alcoa Foundation	California; Ohio; Pennsylvania; Iowa; Indiana; Tennessee; Texas; Wyoming	Building Renovation; Health	\$1,000	\$250,000	Page 8
American Honda Foundation	National Funder	Health; Environment	\$10,000	\$99,000	Page 9
Arizona Community Foundation	Arizona	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Environment	\$10,000	\$800,000	Page 10
Beazley Foundation, Inc.	Virginia	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Environmental Health	\$1,000	\$315,000	Page 11
Boettcher Foundation	Colorado	Building Renovation; Health	\$25,000	\$500,000	Page 12
Captain Planet Foundation	National Funder	Environment; Toxics Reduction; Water Quality; Equipment Purchases; Awareness Raising	\$250	\$2,500	Page 13
Carlisle Foundation	Maine; Massachusetts; Connecticut; New Hampshire; Vermont; Rhode Island	Building Renovation; General Support	\$18,000	\$40,000	Page 14
Central Indiana Community Foundation: The Indianapolis Foundation	Indiana	Health; Environment	\$10,000	\$333,000	Page 15
Citigroup Foundation	National Funder	Health; Toxics Reduction	\$1,000	\$1,150,000	Page 16
Communities Foundation of Texas	Texas	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases	\$10,000	\$6,300,000	Page 17

<b>Donor</b>	<b>National/State Focus</b>	<b>Use of Funds</b>	<b>Grant Minimum</b>	<b>Grant Maximum</b>	<b>Page</b>
Community Action for a Renewed Environment (CARE)	National Funder	Environment; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction	\$75,000	\$300,000	Page 18
Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties	Florida	Environment; Health			Page 19
Corning Incorporated Foundation	National Funder	Health; Building Renovation			Page 20
Educational Foundation of America	National Funder	Environment; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction	\$10,000	\$280,000	Page 21
Freddie Mac Foundation	National Funder; Maryland; Washington DC; Virginia	Building Renovation; Health; Awareness Raising			Page 22
GE Foundation	National Funder	General Support	\$2,000	\$5,000,000	Page 23
Grand Victoria Foundation	Illinois	Building Renovation; Environment; Equipment Purchases	\$1,000	\$263,000	Page 24
Greater Milwaukee Foundation	Wisconsin	Building Renovation; Health; Equipment; Environment; Toxics Reduction	\$5,000	\$2,800,000	Page 25
Greening Schools	Illinois	Environmental Health; Equipment Purchases; Health	\$500	\$2,500	Page 26
Hugh J. Andersen Foundation	Minnesota; Wisconsin	Building Renovation; Environment; Health	\$1,000	\$250,000	Page 27
International Paper Company Foundation	California; Florida; Indiana	Building Renovation; General Support; Environment; Health	\$1,000	\$500,000	Page 28
Jessie B. Cox Charitable Trust	Maine; Connecticut; Vermont; New Hampshire; Rhode Island; Massachusetts	Environmental Health; Environment; Health	\$25,000	\$75,000	Page 29
KnowledgeWorks Foundation	Ohio	Environmental Health; Building Renovation			Page 30
Mardag Foundation	Minnesota	Building Renovation	\$3,000	\$100,000	Page 31
McGregor Fund	Michigan	Building Renovation; Health; Equipment Purchases	\$1,000	\$2,500,000	Page 32



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New Hampshire Charitable Foundation	New Hampshire	Health; Environment			Page 34
New York Community Trust	New York	Health; Environment; General Support	\$5,000	\$50,000	Page 35
Parkersburg Area Community Foundation	Ohio; West Virginia	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health	\$1,000	\$10,000	Page 36
Peninsula Community Foundation	California	Building Renovation; Health; Environment	\$10,000	\$1,500,000	Page 37
RGK Foundation	National Funder; Texas; California	Environment; Health; Environmental Health	\$1,000	\$1,000,000	Page 38
Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund	California	Environmental Health; Environment			Page 39
S.H. Cowell Foundation	California	Building Renovation; Equipment; General Support	\$1,000	\$500,000	Page 40
San Diego Foundation	California	Environmental Health; Environment			Page 41
SC Johnson Fund, Inc.	Wisconsin	Building Renovation; Health; Environment	\$1,750	\$1,250,000	Page 42
The Abell Foundation	Maryland	Building Renovation; Toxics Reduction; Equipment Purchases	\$773	\$500,000	Page 43
The Boeing Company	Alabama; Arizona; Arkansas; California; Colorado; Washington DC; Florida; Georgia; Illinois; Kansas; Maryland; Mississippi; Missouri; New Mexico; Ohio; Oregon; Pennsylvania; South Carolina; Tennessee; Texas; Utah; Virginia; Washington	Health; Environment			Page 44
The California Endowment	California	Health; Environmental Health; Equipment Purchases	\$10,000	\$8,000,000	Page 45
The California Wellness Foundation	California	Toxics Reduction; Environmental Health; Health	\$1,000	\$4,400,000	Page 46

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The Chicago Community Trust	Illinois	Environmental Health; Health; Environment; Equipment Purchases	\$1,000	\$2,500,000	Page 47
The Cleveland Foundation	Ohio	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; General Support	\$1,000	\$3,500,000	Page 48
The Clorox Company Foundation	California	Building Renovation; General Support	\$1,000	\$1,120,000	Page 49
The Columbus Foundation and Affiliated Organizations	Ohio	Building Renovation; Health; Environment	\$1,000	\$3,000,000	Page 50
The Cullen Foundation	Texas	Building Renovation; Health	\$25,000	\$3,000,000	Page 52
The Dallas Foundation	Texas	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health	\$1,000	\$4,300,000	Page 53
The Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation	Maryland; Virginia; Washington DC	Building Renovation; Health	\$1,000	\$350,000	Page 54
The Faye McBeath Foundation	Wisconsin	Health; General Support	\$2,000	\$200,000	Page 55
The George Gund Foundation	Ohio	Health; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction; Environment	\$1,000	\$2,000,000	Page 56
The Home Depot	National Funder	Building Renovation; Environmental Health		\$3,000	Page 58
The Meadows Foundation, Inc.	Texas	Building Renovation; Environment	\$1,000	\$2,764,000	Page 59
The Moody Foundation	Texas	Environment; Health; Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases	\$1,500	\$6,639,000	Page 60
The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation	Maryland; Washington DC	Building Renovation; Health	\$100	\$1,000,000	Page 61
The Rockefeller Foundation	National Funder	Building Renovation; Environment; Health	\$10,000	\$15,000,000	Page 62
The Saint Paul Foundation	Minnesota	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases	\$1,000	\$2,000,000	Page 63
The San Francisco Foundation	California	Environmental Health; Health; Environment	\$10,000	\$8,704,000	Page 64

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The William Bingham Foundation	National Funder; South Carolina	Building Renovation; Health; Environment	\$5,000	\$99,000	Page 65
Virginia Environmental Endowment	Virginia	Awareness Raising; Environment; Water Quality	\$300	\$600,000	Page 66
W.M. Keck Foundation	California	Health; General Support	\$10,000	\$40,345,000	Page 67
Wachovia Foundation, Inc.	Florida; Georgia; North Carolina; Virginia; South Carolina	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health	\$1,000	\$250,000	Page 68
Walter and Elise Haas Fund	California	Building Renovation; Environment	\$135	\$625,000	Page 69
Weingart Foundation	California	Building Renovation; Equipment; Environment; Health	\$5,000	\$1,000,000	Page 70
William Penn Foundation	Pennsylvania	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases	\$10,000	\$7,000,000	Page 71

### 3M Community Giving

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3M Center  
St. Paul, MN 55144-1000

<b>Website</b>	www.3m.com
<b>Contact Name</b>	
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(888) 364-3577
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Rolling deadlines
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Alabama; Arkansas; Arizona; California; Connecticut; Georgia; Hawaii; Illinois; Indiana; Iowa; Kentucky; Massachusetts; Michigan; Minnesota; Montana; Nebraska; New Jersey; New York; Ohio; South Carolina; South Dakota; Texas; Utah; Wisconsin
<b>Regional Focus</b>	States where 3M has a presence
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>3M will not fund individual schools but has a history of giving to public school districts. From time to time, special opportunities are offered to schools. The web site provides an eligibility quiz.</p> <p>The Foundation funds health programs that enrich the lives of youth and strengthen families. Applicants may have a better chance of gaining funding if proposals focus on children's health and benefits to the local community.</p>

**Ahmanson Foundation**

9215 Wilshire Boulevard  
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

<b>Website</b>	www.theahmansonfoundation.org
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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(310) 278-0770
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets four times per year; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$7,500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$832,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$32,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Equipment; Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Los Angeles County
<b>School Focus</b>	Los Angeles Unified, Long Beach Unified
<b>Special Notes</b>	Primarily interested in Los Angeles County Public Schools but will consider other districts in Southern California. Grants made directly to public schools have varied from \$10,000 to \$50,000. The Foundation made a \$1.9 million grant to Los Angeles Educational Partnership on behalf of LA Unified School District (CA). The school superintendent must be involved and supportive of the request for funding.

## Alcoa Foundation

Alcoa Corporate Center  
201 Isabella Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15212-5858

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.alcoa.com/global/en/community/foundation.asp">www.alcoa.com/global/en/community/foundation.asp</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	Velma Monterio-Tribble, Program Officer
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(412) 553-2348
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(412) 553-4532
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	<a href="mailto:alcoa.foundation@alcoa.com">alcoa.foundation@alcoa.com</a>
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets monthly; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$250,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$411,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$23,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California; Ohio; Pennsylvania; Iowa; Indiana; Tennessee; Texas; Wyoming
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Select cities in Indiana, Iowa, Tennessee, Texas, and Wyoming
<b>School Focus</b>	School Districts where company has employee presence
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has provided numerous grants to public school districts ranging from \$10,000 to \$100,000 in areas where the company has significant employee presence. Requests should be directed to the local company office.

## American Honda Foundation

1919 Torrance Boulevard, M.S. 100-1W-5A  
Torrance, CA 90501-2746

<b>Website</b>	www.corporate.honda.com/america
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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	kathryn_carey@ahm.honda.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets January, April, July, October. Deadlines are February 1, May 1, August 1, November 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$99,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$24,750,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$958,700
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation provides support for various school initiatives. Emphasis is on education but they are open to a variety of projects with innovative approaches. Proposals should emphasize educational components of a water quality project.

## Arizona Community Foundation

2201 East Camelback Rd., Suite 202

Phoenix, AZ 85016

<b>Website</b>	www.azfoundation.org
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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(602) 381-1575
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	jblair@azfoundation.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets semi-annually; deadlines April 1 and October 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$800,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$315,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$19,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Arizona
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Arizona
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools and School Districts
<b>Special Notes</b>	This Foundation has given numerous grants to public schools. Grants normally range from \$10,000 to \$35,000. There is a strong emphasis on environmental grants. Projects with clearly defined positive and measurable outcomes will be strongly considered.



**Beazley Foundation, Inc.**

3720 Brighton Street  
Portsmouth, VA 23707-1788

<b>Website</b>	www.beazleyfoundation.org/index.html
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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(757) 393-1605
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(757) 393-4708
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	beazley@norfolk.infi.net
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets January, April, July, October; deadlines are March 1, June 1, September 1, January 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$315,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$55,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$2,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Environmental Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Virginia
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Norfolk and Virginia Beach
<b>School Focus</b>	Portsmouth City Public Schools, Norfolk Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Provided grants to Portsmouth Public Schools of \$140,000. A \$37,500 grant was made to Chesapeake Bay Foundation for curriculum development in water resources and marine science. The Foundation funded the American Lung Association for its Open Airways for Schools program benefiting students with asthma.

## Boettcher Foundation

600 Seventeenth Street, Suite 2210 South  
Denver, CO 80202-5422

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	grants@BoettcherFoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Rolling deadlines
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$25,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$236,027,570
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$19,293,742
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Colorado
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Educational grants made by the Boettcher Foundation are for capital projects--typically building construction or remodeling and improvements. The Foundation has funded school renovations. They prefer to make grants of a significant size. Large, well-conceived projects will have a better chance of gaining funds.

## Captain Planet Foundation

133 Luckie Street, 2nd Floor  
Atlanta, GA 30303

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	Taryn@captainplanet.fdn.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$250
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,500
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$540,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$131,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environment; Toxics Reduction; Water Quality; Equipment Purchases; Awareness Raising
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Regions
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation funds hands-on environmental projects for children and youth. They will fund projects that encourage students individually and collectively to solve environmental problems in their neighborhoods and communities. In the past, they have supported school water quality monitoring initiatives including purchase of water testing equipment.

## Carlisle Foundation

PO Box 2464  
Framingham, MA 01701

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	The Foundation requires schools and child care facilities to submit a concept paper online. There is no timeline or deadline for concept papers. After approval, applicants will receive proposal guidelines including submission deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$18,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$40,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Maine; Massachusetts; Connecticut; New Hampshire; Vermont; Rhode Island
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Grants are available to schools from the six New England states. Through 2004, approximately 50% of Carlisle grants have supported projects within greater Boston and its suburbs. An additional 30% have supported projects throughout the remainder of Massachusetts with 20% supporting projects in the other five New England states.
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Carlisle Foundation has made grants to Framingham Public Schools for a variety of programs. One of the Foundation's priority areas is children, youth, and families. They prefer to fund projects that are new, innovative, creative and/or demonstrate promise as models which might be replicated in other sites. The Foundation does not typically fund child care programs.

## Central Indiana Community Foundation: The Indianapolis Foundation

615 North Alabama Street  
Suite 119  
Indianapolis, IN 46204

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(317) 634-2423
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(317) 684-0943
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	program@cicf.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, May, June, September, and November. Consult program staff for deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$333,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$419,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$13,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Indiana
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Indianapolis and Marion County
<b>School Focus</b>	Indianapolis Public School
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has provided grants to Indianapolis Public Schools for \$783,000. Grants range from \$18,000 to \$250,000. Requests for water quality projects should be part of a community-wide strategy that will make an impact on the entire school system.

## Citigroup Foundation

850 3rd Avenue, 13th Floor  
New York, NY 10043

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.citigroup.com/citigroup/corporate/foundation">www.citigroup.com/citigroup/corporate/foundation</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	Daria Sheehan, Program Officer for K-12 Education
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(212) 559-9163
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(212) 793-5944
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	<a href="mailto:citigroupfoundation@citigroup.com">citigroupfoundation@citigroup.com</a>
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	No deadlines
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,150,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$140,400,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$56,800,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Toxics Reduction
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Regions
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Citigroup directly funds both public school districts and intermediary non-profit organizations that help public schools. Applicants are required to have local partners that contribute funding to proposed projects. The Education Program is interested in science education. They have funded health-related projects. The Foundation granted \$25,000 for the Healthy Schools Web site run by the Natural Resources Defense Council with a focus on toxics reduction. The Foundation generally solicits proposals from pre-selected organizations and relatively few unsolicited grants are considered for funding.

## Communities Foundation of Texas

5500 Caruth Haven Lane  
Dallas, TX 75225

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(214) 750-4222
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(214) 750-4210
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	jcook@cftexas.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	The Board reviews grants in the spring and the fall. Deadlines are January 16 and September 15.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$6,300,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$562,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$67,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Texas
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Dallas/Ft. Worth
<b>School Focus</b>	Dallas Independent School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has provided numerous grants to public school districts in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area. The grants range from \$15,000 to \$508,000.

## Community Action for a Renewed Environment (CARE)

Mailcode 8001A, EPA  
1200 Pennsylvania Ave, NW  
Washington, DC 20460

**Website** <http://cfpub.epa.gov/care/index.cfm?fuseaction=Home.showHome>

**Contact Name**

**Contact Phone** (877) 227-3909

**Contact Fax**

**Contact E-mail**

**Funding Cycle** Application deadlines are in April.

**Low Grant Range** \$75,000

**High Grant Range** \$300,000

**Estimated Fund Assets**

**Estimated Yearly Funding** \$2,700,000

**Use of Funds** Environment; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction

**National/State Focus** National Funder

**Regional Focus**

**School Focus**

**Special Notes** The Community Action for a Renewed Environment (CARE) program is a competitive grant program that offers an innovative way for communities to help communities work at the local level to address the risks from multiple sources of toxics in their environment. Schools can partner with other local organizations and apply for grants.



## Community Foundation for Palm Beach and Martin Counties

700 South Dixie Highway, Suit 200

West Palm Beach, FL 33401

<b>Website</b>	www.yourcommunityfoundation.org
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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(561) 659-5800
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	lraybin@cfpbmc.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$112,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Florida
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Palm Beach, Martin County
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	This Foundation has made grants to public schools for approximately \$1,000,000. There is an emphasis on projects that build communities-- especially those that would involve the school community in a new way. Martin County School District received a grant for \$24,886 for their Environmental Studies Center.

## Corning Incorporated Foundation

MP-BH-07

Corning, NY 14831

<b>Website</b>	www.corning.com
<b>Contact Name</b>	Ms. Karen C. Martin, Associate Director (contact at address above)
<b>Contact Phone</b>	
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Rolling deadlines. Grant seekers are advised to mail a two to three page letter of inquiry before completing an application.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$100,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Building Renovation
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Corning consistently makes contributions to public school districts for various projects including facility improvements. Proposals may have a good chance of gaining funds if they emphasize health and educational benefits for students.

## Educational Foundation of America

35 Church Lane  
Westport, CT 06880-3515

<b>Website</b>	www.efaw.org
<b>Contact Name</b>	Diane Allison, Executive Director
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(203) 226-6498
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	efa@efaw.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meeting dates vary; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$280,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$171,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$11,400,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environment; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Regions
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>In 1999, the Foundation awarded a \$40,000 grant to a non-profit organization in New York state for pesticide-free schools program. In 1998, they awarded \$100,000 to a non-profit in Virginia called the Center for Health, Environment and Justice, an organization for children's health. They are interested in pilot projects that, if successful, could be replicated.</p> <p>Limited history of funding public school districts (e.g., funded NYC and Norwalk public school districts for dance and scholarships), but a major sources of funding for environmental projects, toxics reduction, sustainable energy, and sustainable community development. Applicants must craft a well-planned proposal prior to solicitation.</p>

## Freddie Mac Foundation

8250 Jones Branch Drive  
Mailstop A40  
McLean, VA 22102

<b>Website</b>	www.freddiemacfoundation.org
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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(703) 918-8888
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	freddiemac_foundation@freddiemac.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Application deadlines are in March and September.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$225,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$16,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Awareness Raising
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder; Maryland; Washington DC; Virginia
<b>Regional Focus</b>	<p>The Foundation primarily serves the metropolitan Washington, DC area: Virginia counties of Arlington, Fairfax, Loudoun and Prince William and the cities of Alexandria, Falls Church, Manassas Park, and Leesburg; Maryland counties of Charles, Frederick, Howard, Montgomery, and Prince George's.</p> <p>Funding is also available for statewide initiatives in Maryland and Virginia and programs that are national in scope.</p>
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>Freddie Mac has supported community organizing to improve school facilities in the District of Columbia Public Schools.</p> <p>One of Freddie Mac's signature programs is a business-school partnership with J.C. Nalle Elementary School, a pre-Kindergarten through 5th Grade school in the Marshall Heights neighborhood in Washington, D.C. They have funded an array of support services to the children and families of J.C. Nalle, transforming it into a full-service community school that has become the hub of the neighborhood.</p>

**GE Foundation**

3135 Easton Turnpike  
Fairfield, CT 06431

<b>Website</b>	www.ge.com/foundation
<b>Contact Name</b>	Robert Corcoran, President
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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(203) 373-3029
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	gefoundation@corporate.ge.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets quarterly; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$2,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$5,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$11,450,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$46,350,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Gives primarily where the company has a significant presence. See Web site for more information on specific locations.
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Grant making is restricted to company locations nationally. Applicants should not contact the GE Foundation directly, but rather work through employee partners volunteering in their local areas. GE employees involved should contact their local GE community relations teams and/or communicate the idea to their business' lead communicator. GE relies on local branches to be their eyes and ears and to ensure that projects brought to the national fund are in line with larger fund initiatives. The Foundation has funded dozens of public school district projects throughout the U.S. Grant awards for public school districts range from \$20,000 to \$200,000. The Foundation Web site provides an excellent screening tool that a district can use to assess if they are likely to receive funding before calling a local GE manager.

**Grand Victoria Foundation**

230 W. Monroe St., Ste. 2530  
Elgin, IL 60120

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<b>Contact Name</b>	Nancy Fishman, Executive Director
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(312) 609-0200
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(312) 658-0738
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@grandvictoriafdn.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets quarterly. Deadline is two months prior to board meetings.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$263,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$73,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$4,100,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Illinois
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Cook County
<b>School Focus</b>	City of Chicago School District 299
<b>Special Notes</b>	Their Chicago grants program is called the Core Program. The Foundation has funded several school district projects in the \$20,000 to \$30,000 range.

## Greater Milwaukee Foundation

1020 North Broadway  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

<b>Website</b>	www.greatermilwaukeeefoundation.org
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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(414) 272-6235
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@greatermilwaukeeefoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets March, June, September, and December. Deadlines are January 2, April 1, July 1, and October 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$5,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,800,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$280,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$21,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Equipment; Environment; Toxics Reduction
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Wisconsin
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Milwaukee County
<b>School Focus</b>	Milwaukee Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation is interested in nurturing partnerships between intermediaries and public schools to strengthen the effectiveness of public school reform. Their work with public schools has included partnerships with the City of Milwaukee Health Department and the 16th Street Community Health Center. School building maintenance and safety are a priority. Direct grants to public school districts have been in the \$20,000 to \$30,000 range. The Foundation has made significant environmental grants including environmental education and clean-up funding.

## Greening Schools

P.O. Box 19276  
Springfield, IL 62794-9276

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.greeningschools.org/resources/funding_opportunities.cfm">www.greeningschools.org/resources/funding_opportunities.cfm</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	Becky Lockhart
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(217) 782-8700
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	For 2005, the deadline for submitting grants was December, 31, 2005. Grants are processed as they are received.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$500
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,500
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Equipment Purchases; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Illinois
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All counties
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	As part of the Illinois' Safe and Healthy Schools Initiative, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency created the Greening Schools Grant Program to fund environmental improvement projects and activities at K-12 schools in Illinois. Funding was available in 2005 for reimbursement of purchases including products and equipment that improve environmental health. See the Web site to learn about new funding opportunities.



## Hugh J. Andersen Foundation

White Pine Building  
342 Fifth Avenue North  
Bayport, MN 55003-1201

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(651) 439-1557
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(651) 439-9480
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	contact@srinc.biz
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, May, September, November. Deadlines November 15, March 15, June 15, September 15.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$250,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$50,100,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$2,045,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Minnesota; Wisconsin
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Washington County in Minnesota and Pierce, Polk and St. Croix Counties in Wisconsin. Secondly, there is an interest in St. Paul, Minnesota.  From time to time the Foundation may consider programs in other parts of the Metro Area and Greater Minnesota.
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	In 2005, the Foundation made \$165,330 in grants to schools and other educational programs. The Foundation also provides funding for community health and environmental programs.

## International Paper Company Foundation

400 Atlantic Street  
Stamford, CT 06921

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.internationalpaper.com/Our%20Company/Philanthropy/index.html">www.internationalpaper.com/Our%20Company/Philanthropy/index.html</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	Phyllis Epp, Executive Director
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(203) 541-8000
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(203) 541-8261
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	<a href="mailto:phyllis.epp@ipaper.com">phyllis.epp@ipaper.com</a>
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets in September; deadline varies among local facilities.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$38,750,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$7,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; General Support; Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California; Florida; Indiana
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Giving primarily in communities where company has significant operations. Los Angeles (CA), San Jose (CA), Miami (FL), Mobile (AL) Orlando (FL), Tampa (FL), Indianapolis (IN), Marion County (IN), Dade County (FL), Orange County (FL), Los Angeles County (CA), and Hillsborough County (FL).
<b>School Focus</b>	Indianapolis Public Schools, Dade County School District, Orange County School District, Long Beach Unified School District, Los Angeles Unified School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	Support for public schools is usually through employee involvement. Public school district grants generally range from \$10,000 to \$20,000. Inquiries should be directed to address of local company operation.

**Jessie B. Cox Charitable Trust**

60 State Street  
Boston, MA 02109

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.gcir.org/resources/funding_directory/jessie_b_cox.htm">www.gcir.org/resources/funding_directory/jessie_b_cox.htm</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	Susan M. Fish, Grants Administrator
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(617) 227-7940
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	<a href="mailto:sfish@hembar.com">sfish@hembar.com</a>
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$25,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$75,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Maine; Connecticut; Vermont; New Hampshire; Rhode Island; Massachusetts
<b>Regional Focus</b>	New England States Only
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Supports health, education, and environmental projects in New England. Funding for school projects is through non-profit partners.

## KnowledgeWorks Foundation

One West 4th Street, Suite 200  
Cincinnati, OH 45202

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	wuestc@kwfdn.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Inquiry letters with a description of the project should be sent to the organization.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Building Renovation
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Ohio
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All counties
<b>School Focus</b>	All public schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>The Foundation has a school facilities initiative to fund and work with school districts in Ohio. The Foundation aims to uncover the most effective ways to engage communities in school facility design and renovation.</p> <p>Grant awards for this initiative have already taken place primarily through Request for Proposal (RFP) processes. The Foundation funds a limited number of unsolicited proposals. Schools can check the Web site for updated information on new school initiatives or RFPs and detailed funding guidelines.</p>

## Mardag Foundation

55 5th Street East, Suite 600  
St. Paul, MN 55101-1797

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(651) 224-5463
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(651) 224-8123
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	inbox@mardag.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets April, August, and November. Deadlines approximately 3 months prior to board meetings.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$3,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$100,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$50,500,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Minnesota
<b>Regional Focus</b>	East Metro area of Dakota, Ramsey, and Washington counties and greater MN. No support to Minneapolis.
<b>School Focus</b>	St. Paul School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	Modest grant making to public school districts. Grants range from \$6,500 to \$25,000 for seed money to start new programs and for building renovation.

## McGregor Fund

333 West Fort Street, Suite 2090  
Detroit, MI 48226-3134

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(313) 963-3495
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(313) 963-3512
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@mcgregorfund.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets March, June, September, and December; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$154,490,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$7,757,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Michigan
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Wayne County
<b>School Focus</b>	Detroit City School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	This organization has provided direct support to Detroit public schools for building renovations. It has also funded over \$1 million in grants to Detroit Public Schools through Schools of the 21st Century Corporation.

## Milagro Foundation

PO Box 9125  
San Rafael, CA 94912-9125

<b>Website</b>	www.milagrofoundation.org
<b>Contact Name</b>	
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(415) 460-9939
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@milagrofoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	The Board makes decisions on grants three times a year: February, June, and October. Grant deadlines are usually at least two months prior to a board meeting. Email inquiries are invited at any time and will receive a prompt reply.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$2,500
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Building Renovation
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder; California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	The Milagro Foundation supports children and youth in the San Francisco Bay area and the United States.
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Milagro Foundation looks for projects that will have a lasting impact on the lives of underrepresented and underprivileged children. Priority areas include helping children and youth live healthy lives. The organization has made grants to schools and child care initiatives. Grant proposals should focus on long-term benefits for students and the school.

## New Hampshire Charitable Foundation

37 Pleasant Street  
Concord, NH 03301

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	rs@nhcf.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Grant deadlines are twice a year: March 1 and September 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$323,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$934,830
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	New Hampshire
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Lakes, Manchester, Monadnock, Nashua, North Country, Piscataqua, Upper Valley
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation is one of the country's largest community foundations with a collection of more than 1,400 funds established by donors for individualized charitable purposes. The special purpose grant program includes funding for education, health, and environmental projects. Schools and private child care facilities will need a non-profit partner to apply for funding opportunities.



## New York Community Trust

909 Third Avenue  
22nd Floor  
New York, NY 10022

<b>Website</b>	www.nycommunitytrust.org
<b>Contact Name</b>	
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(212) 686-0010
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@nycommunitytrust.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$5,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$50,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	New York
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Five boroughs, Long Island, Westchester
<b>School Focus</b>	Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Trust focuses on systemic improvement for NY City public schools. It does not provide direct funding to schools but makes grants to non-profit organizations that aim to strengthen public schools. The Trust emphasizes involvement of citizen groups, particularly parents working with schools, and building effective collaborations among all public education stakeholders. The Trust also funds health and environmental initiatives.

## Parkersburg Area Community Foundation

501 Avery Street  
P.O. Box 1762  
Parkersburg, WV 26102-1762

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@pacfww.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets January, March, May, September, and November; deadlines March 1 and September 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$9,200,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$600,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Ohio; West Virginia
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Giving limited to Calhoun, Doddridge, Gilmer, Wirt, Wood, Jackson, Pleasants, Ritchie, and Roane counties (WV) and Washington County (OH).
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	This Foundation accepts applications from public schools with grants averaging approximately \$2,300. Current focus areas include capital projects and equipment. Priority is given to unmet or emerging community needs and projects serving communities where PACF is the only community foundation in operation.

## Peninsula Community Foundation

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San Mateo, CA 94402-3049

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	inquiry@pcf.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets January, March, May, July, September, and November; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$435,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$64,500,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	San Mateo and Northern Santa Clara Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has a history of grants to public schools for building renovation. From 1999 to 2000, the Foundation provided funding of \$3.5 million to various public school districts. Grants range from \$10,000 to \$1.5 million. Some districts received significant grants for building expenses. South San Francisco Unified School District (CA) received multiple grants for \$200,000.

## RGK Foundation

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Austin, TX 78705-4236

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets bi-annually. Submit proposal before December; no set deadline.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$91,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$3,300,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environment; Health; Environmental Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder; Texas; California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>The majority of grants are awarded in Texas and California, but the Foundation will accept applications from anywhere in the U.S. Applicants should send an electronic letter of inquiry for which they will receive a response within 1 to 3 weeks. In 2000, the Foundation awarded \$192,000 to Detroit public schools for literacy programs and \$145,000 to a CA school district for teacher and curriculum development. The Foundation provided grant funding to Children's Environmental Health Institute in Austin (TX) to develop a strategic plan for minimizing children's exposure to adverse environmental conditions.</p> <p>RGK Foundation does not accept unsolicited grant proposals. All applicants must complete an electronic Letter of Inquiry from the Web site as the first step. RGK Foundation will entertain one electronic Letter of Inquiry (LOI) per organization in a twelve-month period.</p>

## Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund

The Presidio, 211 Lincoln Boulevard  
PO Box 29924  
San Francisco, CA 94129

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(415) 345-9686
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@goldmanfund.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Requests are accepted on an ongoing basis throughout the year; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$425,551,491
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Northern California with an emphasis on the Bay Area
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	This organization has funded school programs and non-profit partners. The Fund makes grants for projects that improve water and air quality, reduce exposure to toxics, and protect communities living with disproportionate levels of pollution.

**S.H. Cowell Foundation**

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San Francisco, CA 94104

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(415) 397-0285
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(415) 986-6786
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	vandiver@shcowell.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets monthly; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$135,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$6,570,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Northern Greater Bay Area
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has made more than 60 grants to public schools, ranging from \$10,000 to \$250,000, for an estimated \$2 million. The Cowell Foundation is focused on improving the quality of life in specific neighborhoods. If a water quality initiative in a public school were considered important by the community, the Foundation may consider applications. The Foundation would want to see a water quality project developed as part of a larger community-building effort because the Foundation does not give environmental-only grants. The guidelines change every year.

**San Diego Foundation**

1420 Kettner Boulevard, Ste. 500  
San Diego, CA 92101

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(619) 239-1710
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	<a href="mailto:eyoung@sdfoundation.org">eyoung@sdfoundation.org</a>
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	The deadline for Community Impact Grant cycle is in March.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The San Diego Foundation's Environment Working Group funds safe water projects. The Working Group will accept proposals requesting up to \$50,000, focusing on the Healthy Communities Initiative.

**SC Johnson Fund, Inc.**

1525 Howe Street  
Racine, WI 53403

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, June, and October; deadlines March 1, July 1, and November 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,750
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,250,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$5,990,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$9,533,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Wisconsin
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Racine
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Fund is interested in projects that are collaborative with and benefit recipients in Racine. It has funded Racine and Bay City Public School Districts for grants in the \$30,000 to \$72,000 range. The Fund has provided \$1.3 million in grants for Sustainable Racine and \$3 million for land conservation. It is best to write for grant requests as they do not typically accept phone calls.



## The Abell Foundation

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Baltimore, MD 21202-6174

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(410) 539-6579
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	abell@abell.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets bimonthly; deadlines January 1, March 1, May 1, August 1, September 1, and November 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$773
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$203,384,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$10,575,772
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Toxics Reduction; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Maryland
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Emphasis on Baltimore City, Baltimore County
<b>School Focus</b>	Baltimore City and Baltimore County Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has awarded millions of dollars to Baltimore Public Schools, including building renovation projects with grants ranging from \$10,000 to \$200,000. The Baltimore City Public School Pesticide Use Reduction Project received \$15,000 through an intermediary, the non-profit group Maryland Public Interest Research Group.

## The Boeing Company

100 North Riverside  
Chicago, IL 60606

<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.boeing.com/companyoffices/aboutus/community/charitable.htm">www.boeing.com/companyoffices/aboutus/community/charitable.htm</a>
<b>Contact Name</b>	
<b>Contact Phone</b>	(312) 544-2000
<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Rolling deadlines. Web site lists local contacts for community-specific application schedules or guidelines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$57,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Alabama; Arizona; Arkansas; California; Colorado; Washington DC; Florida; Georgia; Illinois; Kansas; Maryland; Mississippi; Missouri; New Mexico; Ohio; Oregon; Pennsylvania; South Carolina; Tennessee; Texas; Utah; Virginia; Washington
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Charitable giving priorities include health, education, and environmental issues. Boeing has provided substantial financial support to schools, mostly for education initiatives. The Company is most likely to fund proposals that place emphasis on supporting and improving the communities in which their employees live and work and where they do business. See the Web site for more details on Boeing locations.

## The California Endowment

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Woodland Hills, CA 91367

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(818) 703-4193
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	bmartin@calendow.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	No deadlines
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$8,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$2,763,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$153,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environmental Health; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Public schools or districts can apply directly for funding. Water quality projects should emphasize health benefits to the students, especially underserved children. The Endowment has funded various school districts in Anderson, Sacramento, Santa Monica, Stockton, and Los Angeles. Grants made directly to school districts range from \$20,000 to \$600,000. Many projects involve health-related services to public school children.

## The California Wellness Foundation

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 Woodland Hills, CA 91367-7111

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	tcwf@tcwf.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets quarterly; deadlines vary.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$4,400,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$968,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$40,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Toxics Reduction; Environmental Health; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Grants range from \$50,000 to \$150,000. The Foundation funds non-profit organizations that partner with public school districts. Over \$1 million given on behalf of public school districts. A \$60,000 grant was awarded to LA Safe Schools Coalition to reduce environmental toxics in LA Unified School District and a \$70,000 grant to a non-profit to benefit public schools to develop and disseminate books on environmental health issues. The Foundation provides grants for environmental health, screening, and testing for environmental health exposure. The Foundation's main focus is on improving the health of Californians.

## The Chicago Community Trust

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Chicago, IL 60601

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	sandy@cct.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets January, May, and September; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$1,200,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$52,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Health; Environment; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Illinois
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Cook County
<b>School Focus</b>	Chicago School District 299
<b>Special Notes</b>	Health programs within the Trust focus on dealing with environmental degradation. The Trust has made a \$500,000 direct grant to the Chicago Public School District; a \$50,000 grant for program development to implement integrated pest management programs for the Chicago Public Schools; and a \$25,000 grant to launch a pilot project on indoor air quality.

## The Cleveland Foundation

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Cleveland, OH 44115-2001

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	ldunford@clevefdn.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets in March, June, September, and December; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$3,500,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$1,520,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$76,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Ohio
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Supports programs in Cuyahoga, Lake, and Geauga counties or projects that will directly benefit Greater Cleveland residents.
<b>School Focus</b>	Cleveland Municipal School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has an initiative to improve public schools. The Foundation provided \$3 million in grants to the Cleveland School District and \$500,000 to non-profit organizations providing needed services to the school district. The Foundation also provided \$590,000 for a facilities assessment and \$250,000 to implement a comprehensive health plan in Cleveland Municipal School District.

## The Clorox Company Foundation

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 Frank Ogawa Plaza  
 Oakland, CA 94612

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, May, August, and November; deadlines January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,120,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$7,900,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$2,600,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Oakland
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation funded \$225,000 to benefit Oakland School District (CA). Funding is not available for individual school projects. Current Foundation priorities include education/youth development. The Foundation may shift funding priorities from year to year.

## The Columbus Foundation and Affiliated Organizations

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Columbus, OH 43205-1453

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, April, May, July, September, October, and December. Deadline for education grants is February and April for health grants. A Letter of Intent (LOI) is required as the first step in the application process.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$850,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$65,600,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Ohio
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Franklin County
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation provided \$1 million in grants (ranging from \$10,000 to \$150,000) to Columbus Public Schools and non-profit organizations that provide services to schools. It has also provided numerous grants to support public schools including \$66,000 to Oak Hill Union Local School District and \$28,200 to Columbus Public Schools for building renovation.



## The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region

1201 15th Street NW, Ste. 420

Washington, DC 20005

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets quarterly. Deadlines June 25 and December 10 for letter of inquiry; March 1 and September 1 for proposal, if invited.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$5,027,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$203,765,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$45,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Virginia; Washington DC
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Northern Virginia, Washington, DC
<b>School Focus</b>	Fairfax County Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation provided over \$500,000 in grants (ranging from \$10,000 to \$50,000 to various school districts in the U.S. Most grants were given through donor-advised funds managed by the Foundation. It also provided \$40,000 to Fairfax School District; \$50,000 to Jefferson County Public Schools (KY); and \$49,281 to Chandler Unified School District (AZ).

## The Cullen Foundation

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Houston, TX 77002

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets eight times a year and accepts grants throughout the year; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$25,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$3,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$248,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$12,500,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Texas
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Greater Houston metropolitan area. Will consider proposals from other districts.
<b>School Focus</b>	Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation provided \$50,000 for new school construction at SERN-Ninos Charter Elementary School, Houston (TX).

## The Dallas Foundation

900 Jackson Street, Suite 150  
Dallas, TX 75202

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets March, June, Sept, December. Deadlines: April 15 for field of interest funds; October 1 for unrestricted funds; June 15 for designated funds.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$4,300,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$71,900,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$16,400,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Texas
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Dallas County
<b>School Focus</b>	Dallas Independent School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation provided funding of \$350,000 to the Dallas Public School District for reading programs. The Foundation is open to being approached for different projects.

## The Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation

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Washington, DC 20036

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, April, June, October, and December. Applications considered at February, June, and October meetings.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$350,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$174,150,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$5,335,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Maryland; Virginia; Washington DC
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Metropolitan Washington, DC, suburban Maryland, Northern Virginia, Montgomery County (MD), Prince George's County (MD), Fairfax County (VA)
<b>School Focus</b>	Fairfax County Public Schools, Montgomery County Public Schools, Prince Georges County Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>The Foundation provides funding for health programs in schools. It primarily funds intermediary non-profit organizations that provide services to public schools, students, and teachers. Partnering with local non-profit organizations will increase chances for funding.</p> <p>The Foundation also provides funding for the 21st Century School Fund, a program committed to building public will and capacity to modernize urban public school facilities so that they support high quality education and community revitalization.</p>

## The Faye McBeath Foundation

1020 North Broadway, Ste. 112  
Milwaukee, WI 53202-3157

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@fayemcbeath.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February, May, September, and December. Deadlines are established upon discussion with Foundation staff.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$2,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$200,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$12,300,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$1,480,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Wisconsin
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Milwaukee County
<b>School Focus</b>	Milwaukee Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation likes to collaborate with public schools on health issues. The organization shares an office with the Greater Milwaukee Foundation. It awarded a \$25,000 grant to South Milwaukee Public Schools (WI).

## The George Gund Foundation

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Cleveland, OH 44115-1018

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets in March, June, September, and December. Deadlines are the 30th of each month that the Board has a meeting.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$397,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$19,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; Environmental Health; Toxics Reduction; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Ohio
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Cuyahoga County
<b>School Focus</b>	Cleveland Municipal School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation directly supports environmental and health programs in schools. It provided a \$110,000 grant for educating the Cleveland community on indoor health hazards and pesticides reduction. Numerous grants have been awarded for toxic cleanups, lead paint abatement, air quality studies, and citizen air monitoring projects. Giving is limited to Northeastern Ohio and greater Cleveland. The Foundation has a significant environmental grant program. Grants range from \$20,000 to \$209,328. Over \$1 million in grants were given directly to the Cleveland Municipal School District and \$250,000 was given through a non-profit for implementation of Cleveland Municipal School District comprehensive health plan.

## The Herbert H. and Grace A. Dow Foundation

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<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets bimonthly; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$388,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$20,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Michigan
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation primarily funds projects in Midland (MI) but will consider state-wide projects where there is a compelling need. It provided grants to Bullock Creek School District, Saginaw, and Traverse City school districts. Direct school grants range from \$10,000 to \$517,000 per district. A \$1 million grant was given to Western Michigan University for a Middle School math reform project and \$517,000 was given to Meridian Public Schools for a computer project.

**The Home Depot**

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	Community_Impact@homedepot.com
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Rolling deadlines. Notification of approval or decline of submitted request received within 6 to 8 weeks.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$3,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environmental Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Schools are eligible for CommUnity Impact Grants. The Home Depot has supported lead poisoning prevention and healthy building projects for children in the past. Preference will be given to requests that offer volunteerism opportunities, encourage civic engagement, and reflect and encourage inclusion of diverse communities. Home Depot's Web site provides an eligibility quiz.



**The Meadows Foundation, Inc.**

Wilson Historic District  
3003 Swiss Avenue  
Dallas, TX 75204-6090

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(214) 826-9434
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(214) 827-7042
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	grants@mfi.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Grants review committee meets monthly. Board meets 2-3 times per year; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,764,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$694,600,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$26,500,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Texas
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Each school or district may make only one request per year. The Foundation has provided several million dollars in grants to public schools. Granted \$691,000 to Dallas Independent School District.

**The Moody Foundation**

2302 Post Office Street, Suite 704  
Galveston, TX 77550

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(409) 763-5564
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets quarterly. Deadline six weeks prior to each board meeting.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,500
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$6,639,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$967,300,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$9,329,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environment; Health; Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Texas
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Galveston
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The majority of grants have benefited Galveston (TX) but the Foundation will fund Dallas and Austin (TX) on a limited basis. The Foundation will provide funds to Galveston School District if the project is done in partnership with a non-profit organization. The Foundation also funds research on water-related issues and environmental education.

## The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation

1825 K Street, N.W.  
Suite 1400  
Washington, DC 20006

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(202) 223-3100
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(202) 296-7567
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@cafritzfoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets 3 to 9 months after deadline dates. Deadlines: March 1, July 1, and November 1.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$100
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$346,900,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$16,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Maryland; Washington DC
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Baltimore City (MD), Baltimore County (MD), Montgomery County (MD), Prince George's County (MD)
<b>School Focus</b>	Baltimore City Public School System, Baltimore County Public Schools, Montgomery County Public Schools, Prince Georges County Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	Grants have supported work to improve school facilities in the District of Columbia Public Schools and to partner with the Senior High Alliance of Parents, Principals and Educators in support of the high school planning process.

## The Rockefeller Foundation

420 5th Avenue  
New York, NY 10018

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(212) 764-3468
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	ffrelow@rockfound.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets in April, August, and December; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$15,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$2,800,400,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$134,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation is exploring how school design relates to teaching and learning in public schools and may develop a program around building and renovation to address these issues. The Foundation has provided millions of dollars in grants directly to public schools including grants of over \$2.6 million to Flint (MI) Public School District and over \$600,000 to San Antonio (TX) Public School District.

## The Saint Paul Foundation

600 5th Street Center  
55 5th Street East  
St. Paul, MN 55101-1797

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(651) 224-8123
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	cjs@saintpaulfoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets April, August, and November. Deadlines approximately 3 months prior to board meetings.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$2,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$472,650,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$27,500,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Minnesota
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Metropolitan St. Paul, East Metro area of Ramsey, Washington and Dakota counties
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation has provided an estimated \$1 million for public school districts. The Foundation awarded \$50,000 to the Red Wing Environmental Center for Independent School District #256. The Foundation is interested in promoting a safer and cleaner environment.

## The San Francisco Foundation

225 Bush Street, 5th Floor  
San Francisco, CA 94104-4224

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	srh@sff.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets monthly except April and August; deadlines March and September.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$8,704,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$664,500,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$59,700,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Environmental Health; Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, San Francisco, San Mateo Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	San Francisco Unified School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Foundation supports programs that address environmental health risks and involve residents in creating safe, healthy neighborhoods. The Foundation gave \$2 million in grants to public school districts or non-profit partners providing services for schools. The grants ranged from \$10,000 to \$1.2 million. The Foundation funded Oakland elementary schools for asthma education and interventions, and made grants for environmental education projects including integrated pest management within the San Francisco Unified School District. The Foundation awards funds on a district-wide basis and will not fund individual schools. Schools will increase their chance of funding if proposals include partnerships with non-profit groups.

## The William Bingham Foundation

20325 Center Ridge Road, Suite 629

Rocky River, OH 44116

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@WBinghamFoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets February and August; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$5,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$99,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$20,830,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$693,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Health; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	National Funder; South Carolina
<b>Regional Focus</b>	
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>The Foundation has funded school projects in the past including a \$30,000 grant to a Rhode Island public school for building renovations.</p> <p>Grant making priorities change each year. In 2006, the Foundation will accept unsolicited proposals for projects related to environmental protection in South Carolina. Check the Web site for current funding priorities.</p>

## Virginia Environmental Endowment

P.O. Box 790  
Richmond, VA 23218

<b>Website</b>	www.vee.org
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<b>Contact Fax</b>	
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@vee.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets March, June, and November; deadlines March 15, August 1, and December 1 (March only for Kanawha and Ohio River Valleys Program).
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$300
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$600,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$13,285,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$721,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Awareness Raising; Environment; Water Quality
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Virginia
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	All Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Endowment has a mini-grant program for public schools focusing on environmental education and water quality projects with awards of up to \$5,000. The Endowment's focus is on increasing public involvement in the restoration and protection of Virginia's water resources through water quality testing and monitoring, pollution prevention, and public education. The Endowment also encourages schools to apply for larger amounts.



**W.M. Keck Foundation**

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Los Angeles, CA 90071

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<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@wmkeck.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets in June and December. Deadlines May 15 and November 15 for letter of inquiry; March 15 and September 15 for complete proposal.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$40,345,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$1,270,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$48,800,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Health; General Support
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Southern California
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	Public school districts must establish eligibility, as the Foundation only funds public school districts with a 501c3 partner and would only consider district-wide projects that are able to make a case for a need for funding. The Foundation has an interest in health and K-12 education and has provided grants to intermediary non-profits to benefit the Los Angeles Public School District. Public schools may be eligible for grant funding under the Foundation's Southern California Grant Program or the Early Learning Program.

**Wachovia Foundation, Inc.**

c/o Wachovia Corporation  
 301 South College Street, NC  
 0143  
 Charlotte, NC 28288-0143

<b>Website</b>	www.wachovia.com/wachoviafoundation
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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(704) 374-4085
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(704) 374-2484
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets semi-annually; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$1,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$250,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$5,180,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$19,310,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment Purchases; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Florida; Georgia; North Carolina; Virginia; South Carolina
<b>Regional Focus</b>	All Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	Public Schools
<b>Special Notes</b>	<p>The Foundation made grants to Atlanta Public Schools (GA) through an intermediary non-profit organization. Contact should be made by the highest level school district official, the superintendent or business manager, to request funding. The Foundation receives additional annual funding from the parent company. Requests in areas of company operations will be favored.</p> <p>Contacts:                      Florida - Connie Smith (904) 489-3268 connie.e.smith@wachovia.com                      Georgia - Ben Boswell (404) 332-6074 bennie.boswell@wachovia.com                      North Carolina - Robby Russell (704) 374-4912 robbyrussell@wachovia.com                      Virginia - Anita Wynn (804) 697-7231 anita.wynn@wachovia.com</p>

## Walter and Elise Haas Fund

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San Francisco, CA 94111-1130

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<b>Contact Phone</b>	(415) 398-4474
<b>Contact Fax</b>	(415) 986-4779
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	Brendan@haassr.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets four times per year; no deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$135
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$625,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$208,900,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$9,595,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	San Francisco and Alameda Counties
<b>School Focus</b>	San Francisco Unified School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Fund focuses on San Francisco and Oakland Unified School Districts. Grants ranging from \$10,000 to \$260,000 have been awarded to public school districts. The Fund is particularly interested in projects with heavy parental involvement and is looking to fund district-wide efforts, not individual schools. The Fund also has an interest in environmental education.

## Weingart Foundation

1055 W. 7th Street Suite 3050  
Los Angeles, CA 90017

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(213) 688-1515
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	info@weingartfnd.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets bimonthly except July and August; no deadlines. Accepts and reviews letters of inquiry throughout the year. After receiving an invitation, an applicant has six months to submit application.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$5,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$1,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$770,000,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$33,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Equipment; Environment; Health
<b>National/State Focus</b>	California
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Preference is given to organizations providing services in the following seven Southern California counties: Los Angeles, Kern, Orange, Santa Barbara, Riverside, San Bernardino, and Ventura.
<b>School Focus</b>	
<b>Special Notes</b>	In 2006, the Foundation made grants to numerous California schools for a variety of projects including renovations and equipment. In the past, the Foundation provided over \$1 million in grants to public school districts including a \$786,000 grant to the Lennox School District for building renovations. There is an emphasis on programs for children and youth.

## William Penn Foundation

2 Logan Square, 11th Floor  
 100 North 18th Street  
 Philadelphia, PA 19103-2757

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<b>Contact Fax</b>	(215) 988-1823
<b>Contact E-mail</b>	moreinfo@williampenfoundation.org
<b>Funding Cycle</b>	Board meets four times per year. No deadlines.
<b>Low Grant Range</b>	\$10,000
<b>High Grant Range</b>	\$7,000,000
<b>Estimated Fund Assets</b>	\$1,123,350,000
<b>Estimated Yearly Funding</b>	\$60,000,000
<b>Use of Funds</b>	Building Renovation; Environment; Health; Equipment Purchases
<b>National/State Focus</b>	Pennsylvania
<b>Regional Focus</b>	Philadelphia County
<b>School Focus</b>	Philadelphia City School District
<b>Special Notes</b>	The Penn Foundation awards 26 percent of its funding to environment and community programs and 46 percent to children, youth, and family programs. The Foundation gave \$78,600 to Alliance to Save Energy to expand the Philadelphia Green Schools Program into new schools. Grants to the Philadelphia School District have exceeded \$200,000. Grant awards to intermediary non-profits (which provide services or information to the Philadelphia School District and other public schools) have been several million dollars in the past. The Foundation provides grants to select portions of Delaware, Maryland, and New Jersey.

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