

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the Washington, DC, Metropolitan Area, circa 2002*

Foundation Name	State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	\$228,798,975	38
2. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	90,454,944	267
3. Eugene B. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	52,357,000	21
4. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	47,655,437	128
5. The Pew Charitable Trusts	PA	IN	46,280,000	29
6. Turner Foundation, Inc.	GA	IN	45,355,105	131
7. W. M. Keck Foundation	CA	IN	40,344,896	1
8. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	39,733,541	135
9. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	38,812,500	82
10. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	31,686,333	74
11. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	31,631,308	243
12. The Annenberg Foundation	PA	IN	30,692,141	23
13. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	CM	28,766,386	518
14. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	27,657,616	82
15. Freedom Forum, Inc.	VA	OP	27,641,539	33
16. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	26,631,068	129
17. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	26,008,200	67
18. Lilly Endowment Inc.	IN	IN	22,698,820	31
19. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	20,353,450	150
20. Ford Motor Company Fund	MI	CS	19,221,949	117
21. Avon Foundation, Inc.	NY	CS	18,904,840	11
22. The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation	DC	IN	16,644,616	359
23. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	14,602,739	83
24. The UPS Foundation	GA	CS	14,364,911	88
25. Fannie Mae Foundation	DC	CS	13,977,946	255
26. Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	CA	IN	13,291,100	5
27. Bank of America Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	13,002,975	84
28. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	12,776,000	33
29. Wal-Mart Foundation	AR	CS	11,573,517	55
30. General Motors Foundation, Inc.	MI	CS	11,033,100	51
31. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	10,210,100	32
32. Theodore & Vada Stanley Foundation	CT	IN	10,128,254	1
33. Freddie Mac Foundation	VA	CS	9,652,920	206
34. J. Roderick MacArthur Foundation	IL	IN	9,560,037	4
35. Citigroup Foundation	NY	CS	9,046,350	217
36. The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	IN	8,533,000	33
37. The Lynde and Harry Bradley Foundation, Inc.	WI	IN	7,903,630	76
38. Lumina Foundation for Education, Inc.	IN	IN	7,899,400	10
39. Sarah Scaife Foundation, Inc.	PA	IN	7,620,000	47
40. The New York Community Trust	NY	CM	7,103,095	97
41. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	7,032,294	85
42. The Merck Company Foundation	NJ	CS	7,007,580	43
43. John Templeton Foundation	PA	IN	6,921,908	22
44. Alfred P. Sloan Foundation	NY	IN	6,763,747	37
45. Richard & Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	IN	6,175,000	58
46. AT&T Foundation	NY	CS	6,104,656	108
47. The J. Willard and Alice S. Marriott Foundation	DC	IN	5,782,000	53
48. Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation	DC	IN	5,772,456	217
49. Verizon Foundation	NY	CS	5,419,721	106
50. Energy Foundation	CA	IN	5,341,700	38
Total			\$1,212,930,800	4,813

Source: The Foundation Center.

*Based on a national sample of 1,005 U.S. larger private and community foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving), grants of \$10,000 or more. For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes only the largest U.S. foundations awarding grants in the metropolitan area. Grants by smaller local foundations are not represented. Metropolitan areas are designated by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

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