

## Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants for the Environment, circa 2008

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1 The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	\$538,114,703	114
2 The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	142,287,483	246
3 Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	CA	117,706,628	118
4 Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	51,661,014	10
5 Foundation for the Carolinas	NC	40,045,305	71
6 The Ford Foundation	NY	33,025,528	163
7 Walton Family Foundation, Inc.	AR	29,941,133	20
8 The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation	NY	27,601,600	81
9 The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	24,497,837	38
10 The Kendeda Fund	DE	24,336,668	77
11 Robert W. Woodruff Foundation, Inc.	GA	23,950,000	9
12 The Kresge Foundation	MI	22,912,500	61
13 Eugene B. Casey Foundation	MD	22,490,000	2
14 John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	21,642,000	61
15 Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	20,984,900	27
16 Longwood Foundation, Inc.	DE	20,850,000	5
17 The Robert W. Wilson Charitable Trust	NY	19,058,625	4
18 Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	18,764,240	19
19 Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund	CA	16,642,000	135
20 The Heinz Endowments	PA	15,294,137	70
21 The Lincy Foundation	CA	15,000,000	1
22 The William Penn Foundation	PA	14,781,450	49
23 Howard G. Buffett Foundation	IL	14,541,321	6
24 The McKnight Foundation	MN	14,182,000	63
25 The Skoll Foundation	CA	13,890,000	7
26 The Marisla Foundation	CA	13,769,000	142
27 Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	13,756,000	89
28 Silicon Valley Community Foundation	CA	12,978,451	184
29 Tosa Foundation	CA	11,068,414	5
30 Mount Cuba Center, Inc.	DE	10,933,000	2
31 Greater Kansas City Community Foundation	MO	9,723,803	37
32 The Wyss Foundation	DC	9,668,050	51
33 Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Inc.	NY	9,563,950	68
34 Blue Moon Fund, Inc.	VA	8,861,579	67
35 Robertson Foundation	NY	8,638,332	11
36 Grand Victoria Foundation	IL	8,491,150	29
37 The Joyce Foundation	IL	8,363,451	30
38 The Wilburforce Foundation	WA	8,117,551	131
39 W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	7,290,191	14
40 The New York Community Trust	NY	7,105,700	136
41 Sea Change Foundation	CA	6,485,000	9
42 The Meijer Foundation	MI	6,206,508	20
43 Marin Community Foundation	CA	6,006,951	61
44 The Keith Campbell Foundation for the Environment, Inc.	CA	5,817,120	113
45 The Oak Foundation U.S.A.	ME	5,669,294	38
46 The San Francisco Foundation	CA	5,494,569	138
47 Barr Foundation	MA	5,399,456	38
48 Houston Endowment Inc.	TX	5,395,000	17
49 The Seattle Foundation	WA	5,273,798	134
50 Surdna Foundation, Inc.	NY	5,251,375	41
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$1,509,528,765</b>	<b>3,062</b>

Source: The Foundation Center, 2010. Based on all grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,490 larger U.S. foundations (including 800 of the 1,000 largest ranked by total giving). For community foundations, only discretionary grants are included. Grants to individuals are not included in the file. The search set includes all grants to recipient organizations classified in this topic area and grants to other recipient types for activities classified in this topic area. Grants may therefore be included in more than one topic table, e.g., a grant to a university for its arts program is included in Education, Higher Education, and Arts.