

Top 50 U.S. Foundations Awarding Grants in the State of Maryland, circa 2006

Foundation Name	Foundation State	Foundation Type ¹	Total Dollars Awarded	No. of Grants
1. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	IN	\$86,886,178	17
2. The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	30,756,956	143
3. The Annie E. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	14,818,408	158
4. The Community Foundation for the National Capital Region	DC	CM	13,541,314	208
5. France-Merrick Foundation	MD	IN	10,203,717	114
6. Avon Foundation	NY	CS	8,932,475	7
7. The Abell Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	8,069,919	112
8. Charles E. Smith Family Foundation	VA	IN	8,025,750	9
9. The Starr Foundation	NY	IN	6,500,000	7
10. The Ford Foundation	NY	IN	6,221,280	32
11. The Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.	NC	CS	5,496,253	83
12. Eugene B. Casey Foundation	MD	IN	5,060,000	13
13. W. K. Kellogg Foundation	MI	IN	4,730,467	14
14. John S. and James L. Knight Foundation	FL	IN	4,630,000	4
15. Robert M. Fisher Memorial Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	4,500,000	2
16. Open Society Institute	NY	OP	4,279,600	61
17. Theodore & Vada Stanley Foundation	CT	IN	4,250,000	2
18. The Morris and Gwendolyn Cafritz Foundation	DC	IN	4,152,500	42
19. The David and Lucile Packard Foundation	CA	IN	3,704,263	16
20. The Keith Campbell Foundation for the Environment, Inc.	MD	IN	3,479,639	43
21. The MBNA Foundation	DE	CS	3,458,000	21
22. The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	NJ	IN	3,365,241	16
23. The Jacob and Hilda Blaustein Foundation, Inc.	MD	IN	3,298,333	53
24. Freddie Mac Foundation	VA	CS	3,160,000	40
25. Doris Duke Charitable Foundation	NY	IN	3,066,500	6
26. Howard G. Buffett Foundation	IL	IN	2,836,316	4
27. The Lincy Foundation	CA	IN	2,425,000	3
28. The J. Willard and Alice S. Marriott Foundation	DC	IN	2,007,000	26
29. The George Gund Foundation	OH	IN	2,000,000	1
30. The Sol Goldman Charitable Trust	NY	IN	2,000,000	1
31. The M & T Charitable Foundation	NY	CS	1,938,916	61
32. The Rockefeller Foundation	NY	IN	1,699,980	4
33. Verizon Foundation	NJ	CS	1,685,682	56
34. Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies Contribution Fund	NJ	CS	1,682,053	14
35. Charles Stewart Mott Foundation	MI	IN	1,619,892	10
36. The William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	CA	IN	1,591,000	8
37. Citi Foundation	NY	OP	1,507,500	53
38. Richard King Mellon Foundation	PA	IN	1,500,000	1
39. ExxonMobil Foundation	TX	CS	1,498,000	11
40. Alcatel-Lucent Foundation	NJ	CS	1,428,268	2
41. GE Foundation	CT	CS	1,421,354	8
42. Eagle Foundation	NE	IN	1,384,000	1
43. Carnegie Corporation of New York	NY	IN	1,357,000	9
44. Burroughs Wellcome Fund	NC	IN	1,307,500	9
45. Clark-Winchcole Foundation	MD	IN	1,238,700	30
46. AEGON Transamerica Foundation	IA	CS	1,223,476	32
47. Eugene and Agnes E. Meyer Foundation	DC	IN	1,069,025	38
48. Community Foundation for Southeast Michigan	MI	CM	1,062,000	5
49. Jessie Ball duPont Fund	FL	IN	1,032,464	9
50. The Heinz Endowments	PA	IN	1,014,918	4
Total			\$294,116,837	1,623

Source: The Foundation Center, 2008. Due to rounding, figures may not add up. Based on grants of \$10,000 or more awarded by a national sample of 1,263 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.

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

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