

Top 50 Montana Foundations by Assets, circa 2006

Foundation Name	Foundation Type ¹	Assets	Fiscal Date
1. The Bair Ranch Foundation	IN	\$82,679,195	12/31/2005
2. Charles M. Bair Memorial Trust	IN	55,903,558	1/31/2007
3. Montana Community Foundation	CM	55,706,983	6/30/2006
4. Dennis & Phyllis Washington Foundation, Inc.	CS	23,157,548	12/31/2006
5. Haynes Foundation	IN	18,548,663	3/31/2007
6. O. P. and W. E. Edwards Foundation, Inc.	IN	16,807,431	8/31/2006
7. Gianforte Family Charitable Trust	IN	16,584,036	12/31/2006
8. Browning-Kimball Foundation	IN	14,612,756	12/31/2006
9. Jack Creek Preserve Foundation, Inc.	OP	12,798,542	9/30/2006
10. Town Pump Charitable Foundation	IN	11,210,686	12/31/2006
11. The Cinnabar Foundation	IN	10,083,027	12/31/2006
12. Oro y Plata Foundation	IN	7,643,557	12/31/2006
13. Elizabeth A. Lynn Foundation	IN	7,538,508	11/30/2006
14. The William H. and Margaret M. Wallace Foundation	IN	7,409,533	12/31/2006
15. Gallagher Western Montana Charitable Foundation	IN	7,012,477	12/31/2006
16. The Sample Foundation, Inc.	IN	6,910,081	10/31/2006
17. The Heisey Foundation	IN	6,611,413	12/31/2006
18. Lippard-Clawiter Foundation	IN	6,449,640	12/31/2006
19. Gilhousen Family Foundation	IN	6,234,498	12/31/2006
20. Tordik Wildlife Foundation, Inc.	IN	5,424,696	12/31/2006
21. Boe Brothers Foundation	IN	5,403,597	12/31/2006
22. Hawkins Scholarship Foundation	IN	4,158,997	12/31/2006
23. Marshall and Mary Brondum Special Assistance Foundation, Inc.	IN	3,981,080	3/31/2007
24. Paul J. McCann Foundation, Inc.	IN	3,966,589	12/31/2006
25. Max & Betty Swanson Foundation	IN	3,874,112	12/31/2006
26. Leaw Family Foundation, Inc.	IN	3,611,527	12/31/2006
27. Morris & Helen Silver Foundation	IN	3,269,103	12/31/2006
28. Broadbent Family Foundation, Inc.	IN	3,094,155	12/31/2006
29. Nibs and Edna Allen Foundation	IN	2,934,122	6/30/2006
30. Sands Memorial Foundation, Inc.	IN	2,803,454	12/31/2006
31. Treacy Company	IN	2,648,262	12/31/2006
32. Lloyd D. Sweet Educational Foundation	IN	2,475,283	12/31/2006
33. Rudy Suden Scholarship Trust Fund	IN	2,279,306	3/31/2007
34. James & Wanda Hollensteiner Foundation	IN	2,180,808	12/31/2006
35. Bigfork Community Development	IN	2,174,139	12/31/2006
36. William and Lorene Nefsy Foundation	IN	2,070,059	10/31/2006
37. McCrum Fund, Inc.	IN	2,039,445	12/31/2006
38. Lower Flathead Valley Community Foundation, Inc.	CM	2,002,148	12/31/2006
39. Cobb Foundation	IN	1,869,048	10/31/2006
40. Rob and Terry Ryan Foundation, Inc.	IN	1,748,640	12/31/2006
41. Rapp Family Foundation, Inc.	IN	1,738,114	12/31/2006
42. First Interstate BancSystem Foundation, Inc.	CS	1,733,867	12/31/2006
43. Cora Foundation, Inc.	IN	1,642,273	12/31/2006
44. Davidson Family Foundation	IN	1,604,898	12/31/2006
45. Arthur P. and Jean G. Jensen Foundation	IN	1,586,566	6/30/2007
46. Carl Carbon, Jr. Charitable Trust	IN	1,567,207	12/31/2006
47. Oscar Kenck Charitable Trust	IN	1,559,880	12/31/2006
48. Routson Family Foundation	IN	1,551,819	12/31/2006
49. Bibler Foundation	IN	1,507,212	8/31/2006
50. Gardner C. Waite Foundation	IN	1,425,240	6/30/2006

Source: The Foundation Center, 2008.

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

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