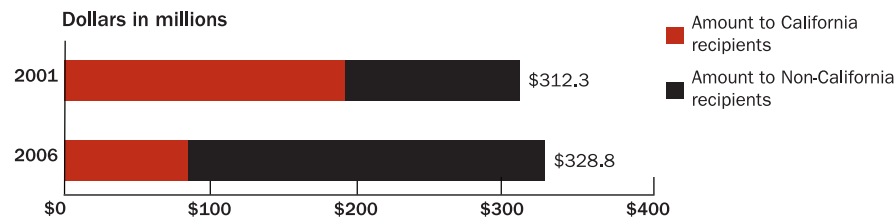


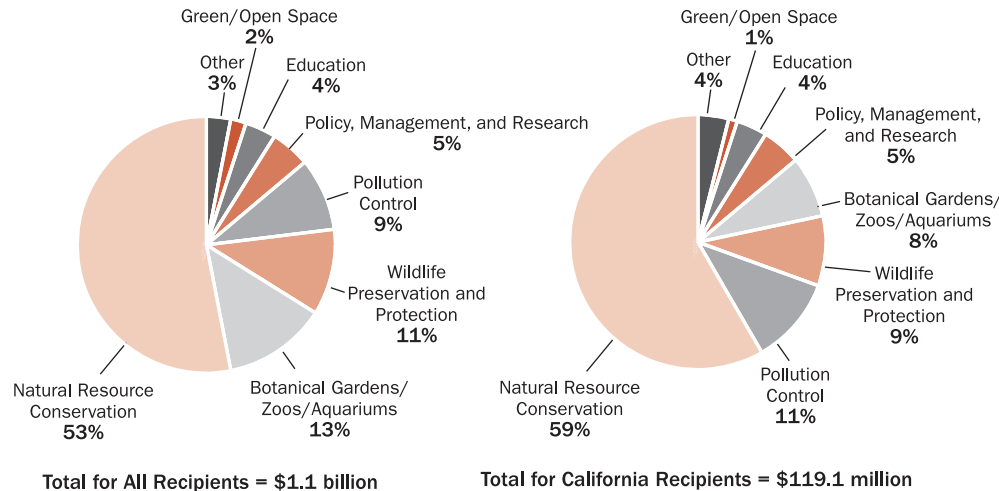
SPOTLIGHT ON FUNDING FOR ENVIRONMENT AND ANIMALS IN CALIFORNIA

California foundation giving for environment and animals grew 5 percent between 2001 and 2006



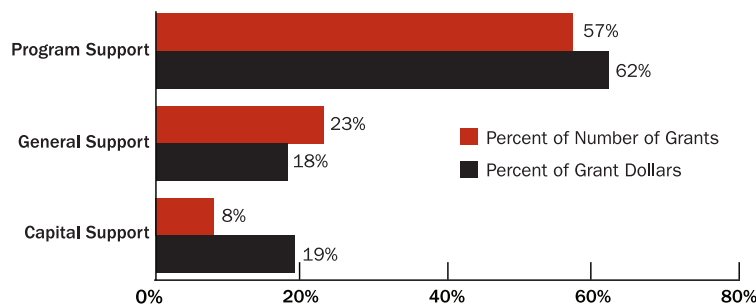
Note: In 2001 Foundation for Deep Ecology awarded more than \$100 million for the Environment including more than \$70 million to California recipients. In 2006 because overall giving totaled less than \$600,000 Foundation for Deep Ecology was not included in the sample. Based on grants awarded by 86 larger foundations.

Distribution of Larger Foundation Giving for Environment and Animals, 2006



Note: Based on grants awarded by 1,263 larger U.S. foundations.

Larger U.S. Foundation Giving for Environment and Animals in California by Types of Support in 2006



Note: Capital support includes endowment funds. Percentages may not add up to 100. Some grants may be for multiple types of support, so they would be counted more than once. Based on grants awarded by 1,263 larger U.S. foundations.

2006 at a Glance

\$1.1 billion

Amount given by all larger U.S. foundations for environment and animals

\$328.8 million

Amount given by larger California-based foundations for environment and animals

29%

California foundations' share of all U.S. foundation giving for environment and animals

\$98.9 million

Amount given by all larger U.S. foundations to California recipients for environment and animals

Natural Resource Conservation

Top priority for foundations funding for the environment in California

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Top California-based Funders of Environment and Animals, 2006

Foundation Name	City	Amount	No. of Grants	Environment and Animals Focus Areas
1. Gordon and Betty Moore Foundation	San Francisco	\$120,488,875	135	Seeks to preserve the Amazon Basin, protect North Pacific salmon ecosystems, and improve marine management resources of coastal oceans.
2. William and Flora Hewlett Foundation	Menlo Park	49,992,200	131	Supports programs to save the great landscapes of the North American West; to help build stronger constituencies for environmental protection in California; and to reduce the environmental impacts of fossil-fuel energy systems.
3. David and Lucile Packard Foundation	Los Altos	49,397,819	176	Focuses on the challenge of sustainability through support for public policy reforms and changes in private sector practices; also supports scientific activities to develop essential knowledge and tools for addressing current and future priorities.
4. Energy Foundation	San Francisco	26,468,229	288	Seeks to assist in a transition to a sustainable future by promoting energy efficiency and renewability.
5. Marisla Foundation	Laguna Beach	13,028,700	155	Primarily supports marine resources conservation with a geographic focus on the western United States, Baja California, Chile, and the Western Pacific; also supports the search for solutions to health threats caused by toxic chemicals.
6. Richard and Rhoda Goldman Fund	San Francisco	10,706,000	85	Supports three goals: 1) protect and restore California's environment; 2) reduce impact of industry on the environment in California, nationally, and internationally; and 3) protect threatened habitat internationally.
7. Peninsula Community Foundation*	San Mateo	9,598,793	101	Discretionary funding is provided to programs in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. Environment grants also come from donor-advised funds and supporting organizations of the foundation.
8. Marin Community Foundation	Novato	3,609,114	48	Seeks to stimulate environmental awareness and knowledge, and to support conservation of the natural environment of the community.
9. San Francisco Foundation	San Francisco	3,582,635	128	Supports improving environmental quality for those most in need; adopting and implementing sound public environmental policy; and maintaining a healthy San Francisco Bay/Delta ecosystem.
10. Community Foundation Silicon Valley*	San Jose	3,558,436	72	Discretionary funding is provided to programs in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. Environment grants also come from donor-advised funds and supporting organizations of the foundation.

*In 2007, the Peninsula Community Foundation and the Community Foundation Silicon Valley merged to form the Silicon Valley Community Foundation. The new community foundation is in the process of developing its approach to grantmaking. The above figures represent grants awarded by the foundations prior to the merger.

Top 10 Non-California Funders of the Environment and Animals in California, 2006

Foundation Name	State	Amount	No. of Grants
1. Annenberg Foundation	PA	\$3,502,555	13
2. NoVo Foundation	NY	3,000,000	1
3. Ford Foundation	NY	2,786,648	14
4. Rockefeller Brothers Fund	NY	2,475,000	9
5. Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	WA	2,104,007	2
6. Offield Family Foundation	IL	1,510,000	5
7. John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation	IL	1,155,000	6
8. Beldon Fund	NY	1,015,000	7
9. Gordon and Llura Gund Foundation	NJ	995,720	1
10. John Merck Fund	MA	796,000	7

Top 10 California Recipients of Foundation Funding for the Environment and Animals, 2006

Recipient Name	City	Amount	No. of Grants
1. Resources Legacy Fund	Sacramento	\$12,868,234	11
2. University of California	Multiple locations	5,771,270	36
3. Big Sur Land Trust	Carmel	5,059,500	4
4. Tides Foundation	San Francisco	4,435,000	10
5. Natural Resources Defense Council	San Francisco	3,354,000	10
6. Trust for Public Land	Los Angeles, San Francisco	3,156,200	27
7. Zoological Society of San Diego	San Diego	2,185,350	22
8. Earthjustice	Oakland	2,100,720	15
9. Huntington Library, Art Collections, and Botanical Gardens	San Marino	2,000,000	1
10. Pacific Environment	San Francisco	1,943,572	9

Source for all data: The Foundation Center. The Foundation Center indexes all of the grants of \$10,000 and more awarded by close to 1,200 of the nation's largest private and community foundations. This report is based on the Center's most recent (2006) sample, which includes 140,484 grants totaling \$19.1 billion. This report analyzes environment and animal welfare grants made to California recipients by 206 foundations, 86 that are based in California and 120 that are based outside of California, totaling \$98.9 million.

Spotlight on Funding for Environment and Animals in California is available at: foundationcenter.org/gainknowledge.

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