



VILLAGE GROVE APARTMENTS SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Applicant:	Wasatch Properties
Action:	Initial Resolution
Amount:	\$20,000,000 (Not to Exceed)
Purpose:	Finance Affordable Multi-Family Rental Housing Project Located in the City of Escondido, San Diego County, California
Activity:	Affordable Housing
Meeting:	May 18, 2012

Background:

Wasatch Properties' mission is to acquire undervalued properties, add value through rehabilitation and improvements and provide exemplary service to their residents, coworkers, business partners, suppliers and lenders. CEO, Dell Loy Hansen states, "Our business of caring for our fellow beings housing and security needs, performed with great respect, will leave a lasting mark on the communities and people we touch." This approach is carried over to their residential buildings. All of their apartments are dedicated to providing an environmentally friendly community which results in a lower impact on the environment. Their energy saving building materials and construction methods result in long term cost saving benefits to their residents.

Wasatch Properties currently has 60 plus apartment communities with over 15,000 units under management. Their properties are spread throughout California, Utah, Arizona, Colorado, and Washington. This is our second transaction with Wasatch Properties.

The Project:

The Village Grove Apartment project is an Acquisition/Rehabilitation of a multi-family housing development located in the City of Escondido. The proposed project was built 30 years ago. The project consists of 163 units of 2 story garden style apartment homes. Each unit consists of one

bedroom, one bath and a private patio/balcony. The scope of rehabilitation work includes kitchen and bath remodeling for all units, new roof/stucco/siding, site-work upgrades, and community room addition/remodeling. This financing will create 163 units of affordable housing, from market rate housing in the city of Escondido for 55 years.

The County of San Diego:

The County of San Diego is a member of the CMFA and will need to hold a TEFRA hearing. Upon closing, the County is expected to receive approximately \$10,625 as part of CMFA's sharing of Issuance Fees.

Proposed Construction Financing:

Sources of Funds

Tax-Exempt Bond:	\$17,000,000
Tax Credit Equity:	\$ 6,597,426
Deferred Developer Fee:	<u>\$ 1,091,741</u>
Total Sources:	\$24,689,167

Uses of Funds:

Building Acquisition:	\$15,750,000
Rehabilitation:	\$ 4,293,520
Architectural & Engineering:	\$ 20,000
Financings/ Soft Costs/ COI:	\$ 644,894
Reserves:	\$ 706,860
Developer Fee:	\$ 2,500,000
Contingency:	<u>\$ 773,893</u>
Total Uses:	\$24,689,167

Terms of Transaction:

Amount:	\$20,000,000 (Not to Exceed)
Maturity:	17 years
Collateral:	Deed of Trust on property.
Offering:	Private Placement.
Estimated Closing:	October 2012

Public Benefit:

A total of 163 families will continue to enjoy high quality, independent, affordable housing in the City of Escondido. Services at the complexes will include a community room, lounge, and outdoor space for seating and relaxing. The financing of this project will create new affordable housing from an existing market rate complex. The acquisition and rehabilitation of this project will provide affordable living in the City of Escondido for another 55 years.

Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 100%
11% (17 Units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households; and
89% (146 Units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.
Unit Mix: Studio, one and two bedroom
Term of Restriction: 55 years

Finance Team:

Lender:	Citi Community Capital
Bond Counsel:	Quint & Thimmig LLP
Issuer Counsel:	Squire Sanders LLP
Lender Counsel:	TBD
Borrower Counsel:	Chernove & Associates

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the CMFA Board of Directors approve an Initial Resolution of \$20,000,000 for the Village Grove Apartments affordable housing project located in the City of Escondido, San Diego County, California.

Note: This transaction is subject to review and final approval at the Final Resolution.



MCCARTY MANOR APARTMENTS SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Applicant:	Rural Communities Housing Development Corp.
Action:	Final Resolution
Amount:	\$3,400,000
Purpose:	Finance Affordable Housing Located in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, California
Activity:	Affordable Housing
Meeting:	May 18, 2012

Background:

Rural Communities Housing Development Corporation ("RCHDC") was officially incorporated as a charitable non-profit corporation in November 1975. Initially, RCHDC was involved in developing housing projects involving low-income families, and low income elderly. It has expanded into operating a self-help housing program serving Lake, Mendocino, and Humboldt Counties. It also has developed a property management capability within the organization.

RCHDC's mission is to "provide decent, affordable housing to low and moderate income persons." RCHDC's success in carrying out its mission is evidenced by the following:

- It has built over 300 self-help homes under its home ownership program.
- It has developed and built over 600 units of multi-family low-income housing for elderly and families.
- It manages over 800 units of multi-family low-income housing for both elderly and families.
- It has another 105 units of affordable housing in construction or in the development phase.
- It has another 160 units of affordable housing that it is currently acquiring and rehabbing to maintain as affordable for the long term.

The agency has an extensive history of developing and managing housing projects. Besides developing the units referred to above, it contracts with other non-profits in developing housing projects, and provides supportive services to its elderly projects.

The agency has established fiscal and personnel management systems in place. There is an annual audit done on all of the projects operated by RCHDC. Reports are submitted to the RCHDC Board and all of the financing entities.

The Project:

The McCarty Manor Apartments is a 40 unit affordable multi-family development currently owned and managed by Rural Communities Housing Development Corporation (RCHDC). The Project consists of 8 two-story buildings with 8 one-bedroom, 12 two-bedroom and 20 three-bedroom units. There is uncovered parking for all the tenants. The landscaped areas have numerous oak trees, other trees, lawn and shrubs. There is a tot lot and playground on site. The tenants will enjoy a community building that houses the management offices, computer center, community room, and laundry facilities.

The project is funded with a USDA-RD 515 loan and includes project based Section 8 rental assistance contract for all 40 units. In order to complete the needed rehabilitation on the project, RCHADC proposes to sell the development to a limited partnership. RCHDC will serve as the project developer, and RCHDC's non-profit affiliate, Pine Gardens I, Inc., will serve as the managing general partner of the limited partnership. This multi-family complex is an At-Risk 515 USDA Rural Project. The financing will ensure that the project will stay affordable for another 55 years.

The City of Ukiah:

The City of Ukiah became a member of the CMFA and held a TEFRA hearing on November 2, 2011. Upon closing, the City is expected to receive up to \$2,125 as part of the CMFA's sharing of Issuance Fees.

Project Financing:

Sources of Funds:	<u>Construction</u>	<u>Permanent</u>
Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds:	\$3,400,000	\$1,850,000
Deferred Developer Fee:	\$ 0	\$ 371,925
LIH Tax Credit Equity:	\$ 475,000	\$1,958,920
Direct & Indirect Public Funds (AHP):	\$1,127,819	\$1,527,819
Other (Carry-Back Loan Seller):	\$ 800,000	\$ 800,000
Other (Reserves):	\$ 95,821	\$ 95,821
Other (Post Construction Sources):	<u>\$ 705,872</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total Sources:	\$6,604,512	\$6,604,512

Uses of Funds:

Land Purchase:	\$3,440,000
On & Off Site Costs:	\$ 96,960
Hard Construction Costs:	\$1,103,021
Architect & Engineering Fees:	\$ 63,000
Contractor Overhead & Profit:	\$ 125,998

Developer Fee:	\$ 777,536
Relocation:	\$ 70,000
Cost of Issuance:	\$ 45,000
Capitalized Interest:	\$ 142,000
Other Soft Costs:	<u>\$ 740,197</u>
Total Sources:	\$6,604,512

Terms of Transaction:

Amount:	\$3,400,000
Maturity:	17 years.
Collateral:	Deed of Trust on property.
Bond Purchasers:	Private Placement.
Estimated Closing:	May 2012.

Public Benefit:

The McCarty Manor Apartments will continue to provide 40 affordable apartments for low-income and very low income households. Ukiah's low-income community has a serious need for affordable housing. This project will help continue to supply the area with affordable housing for 55 years.

Percent of Restricted Rental Units in the Project: 100%
60% (24 units) restricted to 50% or less of area median income households; and
40% (16 units) restricted to 60% or less of area median income households.
Unit Mix: 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms
Term of Restrictions: 55 years

Finance Team:

Lender:	Savings Bank of Mendocino County
Bond Counsel:	Quint & Thimmig
Issuer Counsel:	Squire Sanders LLP
Lender Counsel:	Law Firm of Kathleen Johnson
Borrower Counsel:	Goldfarb & Lipman LLP
Borrower Consultant:	Fred Consulting Associates

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the CMFA Board of Directors approve a Final Resolution of \$3,400,000 for the McCarty Manor affordable housing facility located in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino, California.



LYCEE INTERNATIONAL DE LOS ANGELES SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Applicant:	Lycee International De Los Angeles
Action:	Final Resolution
Amount:	\$12,000,000
Purpose:	Finance the Acquisition, Improvement, Renovation, Remodeling, Furnishing and Equipping of Educational Campus for Lycee International de Los Angeles located in the City of Burbank, Los Angeles County, California.
Activity:	Private School
Meeting:	May 18, 2012

Background:

Lycee International de Los Angeles bases its curriculum on and embraces the philosophies of the French educational system. Combined with this is the heart of the American system which values nurturing the individual. Through the cultures of these two countries, students learn about the world at large.

Lycee International de Los Angeles strives to allow children to grow in a happy environment where they will acquire a healthy desire for knowledge. The principle anchors of our program are:

- Developing communication skills through language (speech and comprehension) and through behavior in a social context.
- Developing body and mind through physical education and artistic activities (dancing, singing, drawing, etc.).

Using varied pedagogical methods, children learn from field trips which enhance interest and natural curiosity, hands on projects that integrate the different areas of the curriculum, and group work to develop social and linguistic integration.

The school opened in a small house in Van Nuys with only seven students. Some 35 years later, the school has grown to four campuses with more than 900 students and has earned an enviable reputation with its placement of graduates in French universities, grandes écoles and within the American university system. Their Los Felix location currently offers pre-school through 12th grade education. This site has experienced serious overcrowding. The Burbank facility will allow the Los Felix location to retain the younger students and reduce overcrowding; while the Burbank site will be dedicated to educating students in 6th grade and beyond.

The Project:

Lycee International School Burbank Campus will be located at 1105 Riverside Drive, Burbank, CA and will enroll 350 students. This project will use the proceeds of the loan to: (i) finance the cost of acquiring, improving, renovating, remodeling, furnishing and equipping a new educational campus for the Corporation located at 1105 Riverside Drive, Burbank, California 91506 (the "Facilities"), and (ii) pay certain costs of issuing the Loan. Proceeds from the loan will be used to remodel the interiors of the existing buildings for classrooms and related uses to accommodate a private school with a maximum of 350 students, serving grades 6 through 12. The land surrounding the existing buildings will be developed with athletic fields, athletic courts, a central quad area, parking and queuing areas for buses and student drop off and pick-up.

The City of Burbank:

The City of Burbank will need to hold a TEFRA hearing and become a member, which is scheduled for May 22, 2012. Upon closing, the City will receive approximately \$7,333 as part of CMFA's sharing of Issuance Fees.

Proposed Financing:

Sources of Funds:

Tax-Exempt Bond Proceeds:	<u>\$ 12,000,000</u>
Total Sources:	<u>\$ 12,000,000</u>

Uses of Funds:

Building Acquisition:	\$ 8,800,000
New Construction:	<u>\$ 3,200,000</u>
Total Uses:	<u>\$ 12,000,000</u>

Terms of Transaction:

Amount:	\$12,000,000
Maturity:	June 2042
Collateral:	Deed of Trust
Bond Purchasers:	Private Placement
Estimated Closing:	June 2012

Public Benefit:

Lycee International de Los Angeles is a private, coeducational school for students in preschool through 12th grade. The school is dedicated to bilingual and bicultural education. In addition, Lycee offers numerous before and after school programs as well as summer camps and vacation camps available.

Founded in 1978, the school currently operates a total of four campuses and educates approximately 900 students. The proposed Burbank location will be an offshoot of their Los Felix location. At the completion of the construction, the Burbank campus will take the entire 6th grade through 12th grade student population. The expansion will allow Lycee to expand the number of classes at both campuses and reduce waiting lists for new enrollees. The expansion will result in 10 new employment positions between both the Los Felix and Burbank campuses over the next two years.

Finance Team:

Direct Purchase Bank:	First Republic Bank
Direct Purchase Counsel:	Kutak Rock, LLP
Issuer Counsel:	Squire Sanders LLP
Borrower Counsel:	Lewitt, Hackman, Shapiro, Marshall & Harlan

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the CMFA Board of Directors adopt a Final Resolution authorizing the issuance, sale and delivery of up to \$ 12,000,000 of tax-exempt bonds to finance the acquisition, improvement, renovation, remodeling, furnishing and equipping of educational campus for Lycee International De Los Angeles, located in the City of Burbank, Los Angeles County, California.



SANITARY DISTRICT NO. 1 OF MARIN COUNTY SUMMARY AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Applicant:	Sanitary District No. 1 of Marin County (Ross Valley Sanitary District)
Action:	Approve JPA Creation & Membership
Amount:	\$50,000,000
Purpose:	To Create a New JPA creating the Ross Valley Public Financing Authority
Activity:	Creating JPA
Meeting:	May 18, 2012

Background:

Sanitary District No. 1 of Marin County (also known as Ross Valley Sanitary District) (the "District") provides wastewater collection services to over 55,000 customers in the Marin County communities of Fairfax, San Anselmo, Ross, Larkspur, Bon Air, Sleepy Hollow, Kentfield, Kent Woodlands, Oak Manor and Greenbrae. The District transports approximately three million gallons of wastewater per day to Central Marin Sanitation Agency for treatment in accordance with State and Federal Regulations.

The CMFA has been requested by the District to join it in creating a new Joint Powers Authority to be called the Ross Valley Public Financing Authority ("new JPA"). The new JPA would be a single purpose entity controlled by the District with the sole purpose of issuing bonds for the benefit of the District. The initial and immediate purpose of the JPA is to facilitate the issuance by the new JPA of the District's upcoming sewer revenue bonds in order to finance improvements to its wastewater collection system. Recent changes in the municipal market have resulted in an interest rate premium being charged to certificates of participation (as opposed to lease revenue bonds). Accordingly, with CMFA's assistance the District desires to form the new JPA in order to issue revenue bonds in order to finance these improvements at the most cost-effective rate.

Substantively there is no difference between a revenue-secured COP and a revenue bond; the security for both forms of debt is identical. But because COPs are also used for lease-backed debt of

cities, counties and school districts, and these are subject to annual appropriation, lease abatement, and other risks, there is some widespread market confusion. This confusion has been exacerbated by the demise of the bond insurance companies, which previously shielded investors from such complexity. Despite the fact that “revenue bonds” and “revenue COPs” are substantially the same, primary and secondary markets have widened the pricing between the two instruments to anywhere from 5 to 50 basis points.

The new JPA will be governed by a five-member Board which will consist of all members of the District’s Board of Directors. The officers of the new JPA will be staff members of the District. The CMFA and the District will be the only members and the new JPA will be limited to issuing bonds only for the District.

The Project:

The revenue bonds will finance needed improvements to the District’s wastewater collection system, which has been subject to numerous failures in recent years.

Liability Issues for CMFA:

By approving this transaction, CMFA will become a member of the new JPA, but will have no role in the proposed bond transaction. CMFA has no liability of any kind for the obligations of the new JPA. CMFA will have no ongoing responsibilities for the administration or operation of the new JPA or maintenance of the bonds. CMFA counsel fees, as well as a transaction fee, will be paid from proceeds of the bond financing.

The firm of Jones Hall will serve as bond counsel and disclosure counsel for the transaction and is representing the District in the formation of the new JPA.

Terms of Transaction:

Amount:	\$50,000,000
Estimated Closing:	June 2012.

Public Benefit:

The improvements consist of necessary upgrades to the District’s wastewater collection system designed to ensure continued system reliability and meet current regulatory requirements and enforcement actions.

Finance Team:

District:	Sanitary District No. 1 of Marin County
District General Counsel:	Berliner Cohen
Underwriter:	TBD
Bond Counsel:	Jones Hall
Issuer Counsel:	Squire Sanders LLP

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the CMFA Board of Directors adopt a Resolution authorizing the execution of a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement by and between the California Municipal Finance Authority and the Sanitary District No. 1 of Marin County for the purpose of forming the new joint powers authority to be known as the Ross Valley Public Financing Authority.



CMFA Financings Enabled the Following Charitable Donations through the CFSC (2004-2012)

A Community of Friends -	\$ 10,000	Chapman College AmVet's Legal Clinic -	\$ 15,000
A Place Called Home -	\$ 20,000	Charles Drew University -	\$ 20,000
A Safe Place -	\$ 20,000	Child Net -	\$ 30,000
ADONAI -	\$ 20,000	Children's Day School -	\$ 6,333
Alameda County -	\$ 8,503	Children's Institute -	\$ 10,000
All Peoples Christian Center -	\$ 10,000	Chinatown Service Center -	\$ 5,000
Alpha House -	\$ 10,000	City of Commerce Scholarship Program -	\$ 6,250
America Cares Foster Family Agency -	\$ 10,000	Clearwater Residential -	\$ 7,500
America River Grange -	\$ 1,251	Clinicas de Salud del Pueblo, Inc. -	\$ 15,000
Anaheim Community Foundation -	\$ 3,198	Coalition for Responsible Comm. Dev. -	\$ 15,000
Anaheim Interfaith Shelter -	\$ 15,000	Coastside Hope -	\$ 15,000
Angel Flight Shelter -	\$ 30,000	Comfort for Kids / Hospice of the East Bay -	\$ 20,000
Arts Orange County -	\$ 10,000	Community Catalysts of California -	\$ 10,000
Asian Pacific Community Fund -	\$ 15,000	Community Gate Path -	\$ 12,796
Asian Pacific Dispute & Resolution Center -	\$ 5,000	Concept 7 -	\$ 10,000
Asian Pacific Women's Center -	\$ 17,000	Contra Costa Food Bank -	\$ 13,707
Asian Women's Shelter -	\$ 10,000	Courage To Be You -	\$ 25,000
Bay Area Outreach & Recreation Program -	\$ 15,000	Courageous Connections -	\$ 10,000
Barrio Logan College Institute	\$ 25,000	Court Appointed Special Advocates of OC -	\$ 10,000
Bayfront Youth -	\$ 10,000	Dana Point 5th Marine Regiment Group -	\$ 5,000
Bill Wilson Center -	\$ 20,000	Daniel Hernandez Youth -	\$ 20,000
Borrego Community Health Foundation -	\$ 5,000	Desert AIDS Project -	\$ 20,000
Boys & Girls Club of Coachella -	\$ 20,000	Desert ARC -	\$ 25,000
Boys & Girls Club of Redlands -	\$ 10,000	Desert Cancer Foundation -	\$ 20,000
Boys & Girls Club of San Francisco -	\$ 15,000	Desert Samaritans -	\$ 10,000
Boys & Girls Club of South Coast Area -	\$ 10,000	Doors to Hope -	\$ 10,000
Bridge Housing -	\$ 15,578	East Bay Children's Theater -	\$ 15,000
Building Blocks for Kids -	\$ 15,000	East Bay Zoological Society -	\$ 5,127
Cabrillo Economic Development Corporation -	\$ 15,000	Eden Youth and Family Center -	\$ 2,778
California Family Life Center -	\$ 10,000	Eggelston Youth Center -	\$ 10,000
California Youth Connection -	\$ 25,000	Eisenhower Medical Center	\$ 23,445
Cameron House -	\$ 25,000	Elevate Your Game -	\$ 20,000
Camp Harmony -	\$ 20,000	Elmhurst Food Pantry -	\$ 2,778
Cancer Angeles of San Diego -	\$ 30,000	EPIC -	\$ 5,000
Canyon Acres Children & Family Services -	\$ 10,000	Esalen -	\$ 10,000
Casa Cornelia Law Center -	\$ 10,000	Family Crossroads -	\$ 15,000
Casa Romantica -	\$ 5,000	Festival of Arts -	\$ 10,000
Center for Land Based Learning -	\$ 10,000	Fish Food Bank -	\$ 10,000
Center for the Pacific Asian Family -	\$ 1,000	Fisher House -	\$ 35,000
Chabad of California -	\$ 10,000	Food Bank of Contra Costa & Solano County -	\$ 15,000

Total Donations 2004 - 2012: \$3,688,891



CMFA Financings Enabled the Following Charitable Donations through the CFSC (2004-2012)

Food Bank of Monterey County -	\$ 10,000	Kennedy Commission -	\$ 5,000
Food in Need of Distribution -	\$ 10,000	Kern Bridges Youth Homes -	\$ 10,000
Foundation at Fairplex (Big Yellow Bus) -	\$ 10,000	Kern River Valley Senior Citizens -	\$ 10,000
Foundation for CSU San Bernardino -	\$ 8,521	Kettleman City Foundation -	\$ 4,253
Foundation for Children's Dental Health -	\$ 3,061	Kids for the Bay -	\$ 10,000
Freedom Station -	\$ 15,000	Kids Konected -	\$ 10,000
Fresno County Economic Development Corp -	\$ 130	Kids Turn -	\$ 10,000
Friends of Tulare County -	\$ 7,188	Kidsworks -	\$ 20,000
Deaf Seniors Foundation -	\$ 5,000	Korean Health Edu Info & Resources Center -	\$ 20,000
Furnishing Hope of Orange County -	\$ 25,000	Koreatown Youth & Community Center -	\$ 5,000
Gary Center -	\$ 20,000	Laborers of the Harvest -	\$ 9,000
Gathering Inn -	\$ 10,000	Laura's House -	\$ 20,000
George Mark House -	\$ 30,000	Lazarus Project -	\$ 15,000
Get on the Bus -	\$ 10,000	Leukemia Lymphoma Society -	\$ 35,000
Girl Scouts of Northern California -	\$ 10,000	Liberty Hill -	\$ 25,000
Good Sheppard -	\$ 20,000	LifeSTEPS -	\$ 15,000
Grace Land -	\$ 20,000	Lincoln Child Center -	\$ 10,000
Great Northern Corporation -	\$ 5,000	Lodi House -	\$ 10,000
Greater Stockton Foundation -	\$ 796	Long Beach Museum of Art -	\$ 30,000
Guardian Scholars -	\$ 20,000	Los Angeles Arts High Foundation -	\$ 15,000
Harbor House -	\$ 10,000	Los Angeles Food Bank -	\$ 5,000
Harold Pump Foundation -	\$ 25,000	Los Angeles Police Memorial Foundation -	\$ 15,000
Healthy Neighborhoods Venture Fund -	\$ 27,712	Los Angeles Regional Food Bank -	\$ 10,885
High Sierra Resource Conservation & Developm	\$ 25,000	Maitri -	\$ 25,000
Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Edu. Fund -	\$ 10,000	Make A Wish Foundation of LA -	\$ 30,000
HOMES -	\$ 10,000	Manzanita Services	\$ 5,000
Homefront San Diego -	\$ 10,000	Mar Vista Family Center -	\$ 10,000
Hope Through Housing Foundation -	\$ 10,000	Marjorie Mason Center -	\$ 15,000
Hope University -	\$ 25,000	Martha's Village and Kitchen -	\$ 15,000
Housing California -	\$ 20,000	Mary Graham Children's Shelter Foundation -	\$ 2,589
ICEC Kids -	\$ 15,000	Meals on Wheels -	\$ 2,500
Illumination Foundation -	\$ 15,000	Micke Grove Zoological Society -	\$ 2,589
Imagine LA -	\$ 2,500	Moral Values Program -	\$ 25,000
Industry Sheriffs Station YAL -	\$ 6,250	Moss Beach Homes -	\$ 10,000
Inspire Life Skills Training, Inc. -	\$ 3,750	Muzeo Foundation -	\$ 6,889
Iraq Star -	\$ 20,000	National CORE -	\$ 7,937
IV Parks -	\$ 3,570	Napethian Homes -	\$ 10,000
Jai Lao -	\$ 10,000	Naval Special Warfare Family Foundation -	\$ 20,000
John Tracy Clinic -	\$ 10,000	Navy League of the U.S. San Diego Council -	\$ 65,000
Joy Center -	\$ 40,000	Navy Seal Foundation -	\$ 30,000

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CMFA Financings Enabled the Following Charitable Donations through the CFSC (2004-2012)

New Day for Children -	\$ 30,000	Search to Involve Pilipino Americans -	\$ 5,000
New Image Emergency Shelter for Homeless -	\$ 15,000	Senior Nutrition Services -	\$ 15,000
Niroga -	\$ 15,000	Serene Haven -	\$ 25,000
North Peninsula Food Pantry -	\$ 9,453	SF Made -	\$ 5,000
Nor Cal Vet Cemetery Endowment Fund -	\$ 1,913	Shelter From the Storm -	\$ 10,000
Oak Grove -	\$ 10,000	Sierra Child & Family Services -	\$ 10,000
Oak View Park & Resource Center -	\$ 945	Sky High Training -	\$ 15,000
Olive Crest -	\$ 35,000	Society for the Blind	\$ 15,000
Olive Crest Academy -	\$ 20,000	Solano Community Foundation -	\$ 5,432
Olive Crest Scholarship Fund -	\$ 20,000	Solano Economic Development Corporation -	\$ 4,953
Opera Noir -	\$ 10,000	Someone Cares Soup Kitchen -	\$ 10,000
Operation Gratitude -	\$ 20,000	Sonrisas Community Dental Center -	\$ 35,000
Operation Homefront -	\$ 20,000	Sound Body Sound Mind -	\$ 10,000
Operation Mend -	\$ 75,000	South Bay Children's Health Center -	\$ 70,000
Operation Safehouse -	\$ 30,000	South Bay Youth -	\$ 12,437
Oscar De La Hoya Foundation -	\$ 10,000	Southeast Asian Community Alliance -	\$ 5,000
Pacific American Volunteer Association -	\$ 20,000	Southern California Indian Center -	\$ 10,000
Pacific Institute -	\$ 1,866	SOVA -	\$ 25,000
Pasadena Senior Center	\$ 15,000	SPARK -	\$ 40,000
People Who Care -	\$ 5,000	SPUR -	\$ 4,623
Permission to Dream -	\$ 10,000	St. Barnabas Senior Services -	\$ 15,000
Picture Me Happy -	\$ 5,000	St. Johns Child & Family Development Center -	\$ 23,000
Pilipino Workers Center -	\$ 5,000	St. Joseph's -	\$ 10,000
Poverello House -	\$ 3,063	Stable Hands -	\$ 12,500
Rainbow Family -	\$ 50,000	Stand Down 08 -	\$ 10,000
Ramona Animal Shelter -	\$ 2,344	Stanislaus Foundation -	\$ 5,063
Restart Center -	\$ 10,000	Stanton Little League -	\$ 5,000
Retirement Housing Foundation -	\$ 15,000	Step Up on Second -	\$ 10,000
Richard Prado Senior Center -	\$ 10,000	Susan G Komen Cure Foundation -	\$ 10,736
Rob Dyrdek Foundation -	\$ 25,000	Swords into Plowshares -	\$ 30,000
Rose Center Theater -	\$ 10,000	Teen Project -	\$ 15,000
Rosemary Children -	\$ 10,000	Tender Loving Canines -	\$ 20,000
ROWW -	\$ 5,000	Thai Community Development Center -	\$ 10,000
Rural Communities Housing Dvlpmnt Corp -	\$ 15,000	Ties for Adoption (Regents of UofC) -	\$ 18,500
Rural Community Assistance Corporation -	\$ 15,000	Torrance Cultural Arts Center Foundation -	\$ 15,626
Sabin Children -	\$ 15,000	Tri-County Independent Living -	\$ 10,000
Sacramento Child Advocates -	\$ 15,000	UC Riverside Pathways to Success -	\$ 20,000
San Francisco Food Bank -	\$ 10,000	UCLA Entrepreneurship Boot Camp -	\$ 20,000
San Lorenzo Help Center -	\$ 2,779	UCLA Medical Student's Scholarship Fund -	\$ 10,000
San Pasqual Academy -	\$ 20,857	Unicorn Garden -	\$ 10,000

Total Donations 2004 - 2012: \$3,688,891



**CMFA Financings Enabled the Following
Charitable Donations through the CFSC (2004-2012)**

Union of Pan Asian Communities -	\$ 10,000
United Way of Central County -	\$ 2,344
United Way of Kern County Literacy Program -	\$ 9,000
United Way of San Joaquin -	\$ 1,678
Unity Counsel -	\$ 5,000
USO Northern California -	\$ 5,000
VCA Charities -	\$ 5,000
Venice Community Housing -	\$ 10,000
Vernon Rotary Club -	\$ 6,250
Vista Del Mar -	\$ 20,000
Volunteer Center of Orange County -	\$ 20,000
WEAVE -	\$ 10,000
West Marin Senior Services -	\$ 10,000
West Side Children's Center -	\$ 35,500
Wise and Healthy Aging -	\$ 15,000
Women's Center of San Joaquin County -	\$ 10,000
Woman Haven -	\$ 10,000
Wonder Inc. -	\$ 10,000
YMCA San Diego Armed Services -	\$ 10,000
YMCA San Francisco -	\$ 5,666
YMCA Youth & Community Outreach -	\$ 5,000
YMCA Montebello (Dinner at the Cannon)-	\$ 10,000

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Beauty Bus Foundation - 11/4/2011
Beyond Shelter – 1/13/2012
Breathe California – 8/12/2011
California State Parks Foundation – 4/6/2012
California State University Philanthropic Foundation - 12/9/2011
Canyon Acres – 4/27/12/
CASA For Children – 5/18/12
Center of Domestic Peace – 5/18/12
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CHARITABLE GRANT GUIDELINES

Recipient: Board Members of the California Foundation for Stronger Communities

Purpose: To Provide an Outline of Charitable Grant Guidelines

CHARITABLE GUIDELINES:

1. Ensure charitable donations are directed towards organizations that:
 - a. Are in California communities.
 - b. Find it difficult to receive funding through other sources.
 - c. Have not received a charitable donation in the last three years. This is not meant to include those organizations that have enjoyed a fee reduction through a CMFA financing.
 - d. Do not require compliance monitoring by the CMFA or CFSC.
 - e. Are not in a category listed below:
 - i. Individuals, including scholarship or fellowship assistance
 - ii. For-profit entities, including start-up businesses
 - iii. Political, labor, religious, or fraternal activities
 - iv. Endowments
 - v. Film or video projects, including documentaries
 - vi. Travel, including student trips or tours
 - vii. Promotional merchandise
 - viii. Organizations other than IRS 501(c)(3), 501(c)(6), governmental, or tribal entities
2. A staff report must be provided to the Board at least 24 hours before donations are recommended or approved. Funds will not be dispersed on a cash advance basis.
3. Coordinate donation with municipal staff, elected officials, recipient and press to ensure everyone on the team benefits from our partnership and unique give back. Furthermore, the widest dissemination of the donation will further the goals of the CMFA, and provide the greatest chance for leveraging these funds by inducing other donations.
4. Suggested categories the CMFA through the CFSC could direct funds are:
 - a. Health Care
 - b. Education
 - c. Human Services
 - d. Affordable Housing
 - e. Cultural
 - f. Subcategories:
 - i. Youth
 - ii. Seniors
 - iii. Low/Moderate Income Individuals
5. Staff will distribute and process all charitable grants.

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **BEAUTY BUS FOUNDATION** (11/4//2011)
Location: 11301 Olympic Blvd 303, Los Angeles, CA 90064
Purpose: Grooming services to the terminally ill
Website: www.beautybus.org
Revenue: \$131,103

MISSION/VISION:

Beauty Bus Foundation delivers dignity, hope and respite to chronically or terminally ill men, women and children and their caregivers through beauty and grooming services and pampering products.

BACKGROUND:

The Beauty Bus Foundation was founded in loving memory of Melissa Marantz Nealy who lost her battle with a degenerative neuromuscular disease at the age of 28. When her ability to leave the home became compromised, Co-Founder Alicia Marantz Liotta, Melissa's cousin, was able to schedule in-home beauty services through her connections within the beauty industry. Witnessing the hope, happiness and respite these services brought to Melissa, Alicia and Co-Founder Wendy Marantz Levine, Melissa's sister, were inspired to launch Beauty Bus Foundation to bring the same lift and gift of beauty to others.

Beauty Bus accomplishes our mission through:

- In-Home Beauty and Grooming Services: Beauty Bus' core program provides in-home beauty and grooming services, free of charge, to patients whose illness or condition prevents them from accessing a salon or spa and their caregivers.
- Pop-Up Salons: Beauty Bus creates Pop-Up Salons where patients and caregivers receive a variety of complimentary beauty and grooming services in a setting that promotes support and serenity.
- Bag of Beauty Program: Beauty Bus gives complimentary Bags of Beauty filled with pampering products to remind patients and caregivers that they deserve to look and feel beautiful.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to the programs that are offered.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Alicia Marantz Liotta
Wendy Marantz Levine
Ann Mincey
Richard Salkow
Lisa Sigell
Kathy Vincent

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **BEYOND SHELTER** (1/13/2012)

Location: 205 South Broadway, Suite 608, Los Angeles, CA 90012

Purpose: Provides Help to Families that are Homeless.

Website: www.beyondshelter.org

Revenue: \$3,300,000

MISSION/VISION:

The mission of Beyond Shelter Housing Development Corporation is to expand opportunities available to low-income persons to obtain affordable, decent, safe and sanitary housing and to support the functions of Beyond Shelter, a California nonprofit benefit corporation. This mission will be accomplished through the development of affordable housing and mixed-use developments.

BACKGROUND:

Beyond Shelter is a non-profit organization founded in 1988 in response to increasing numbers of homeless families in Los Angeles and the need for a more comprehensive approach to serving them. Today, the mission of the agency is to develop systemic approaches to combat poverty and homelessness among families with children, and to enhance family economic security and well-being.

In 1988, Beyond Shelter introduced an innovation in the field at the time - "Housing First" for homeless families, which has since helped to transform both public policy and practice on a national scale. Through this new approach, rather than remain in shelters and transitional housing for months and sometimes years at a time, homeless families are assisted in (1) moving back into permanent housing as quickly as possible, and (2) then provided six months to one full year of individualized case management support to help them rebuild their lives.

The methodology is based largely on the belief that vulnerable and at-risk homeless families are more responsive to interventions and social services support after they are in their own housing rather than still living in emergency shelters or transitional housing. It is also premised on the belief that housing is a basic human right. Over the past twenty years, more than 4,300 homeless families have participated successfully in the program in Los Angeles.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to the programs that are offered for homeless families.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **BREATHE CALIFORNIA** (8/12/2011)

Location: 1469 Park Avenue, San Jose, CA 95126

Purpose: Provides primary and preventive health programs to low income families.

Website: www.borregomedical.org

Revenue: \$598,720

MISSION/VISION:

As the local lung health leader, Breathe California of the Bay Area fights lung disease in all its forms and works with its communities to promote lung health.

BACKGROUND:

Since 1911, their grassroots non-profit organization has dedicated itself to helping all local residents breathe easier. Originally founded as the Tuberculosis Society and later working under three other names (including the American Lung Association of Santa Clara-San Benito Counties, 1970-2005), they have offered a wide array of services that address the most pressing lung health issues of our time. This includes programs to:

- teach kids how to manage their asthma;
- prevent teens from using tobacco;
- assist smokers who want to quit;
- offer support to local COPD & lung cancer patients;
- advocate for clean air policies; and
- support innovative lung disease research.

They believe the most significant impact on people's lives takes place through local interaction. Through education, political advocacy, cutting-edge research and patient services, we use a comprehensive approach to promote healthy lifestyles and reduce the impact of lung disease. With a committed core of volunteers and staff who hold hope, determination, action and vigilance as the cornerstones to creating change, they will continue their drive to ensure we can all breathe easier.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to fighting lung disease.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **CALIFORNIA STATE PARK FOUNDATION** (4/6/2012)

Location: 50 Francisco St. Ste. 110, San Francisco, CA 94133

Purpose: Provides Maintenance, Improvements and Preservation of State Parks.

Website: www.calparks.org

Revenue: \$12,761,000

MISSION/VISION:

To Improve and Maintain California State Parks

BACKGROUND:

The California State Parks Foundation (CSPF) was founded in 1969 by William Penn Mott, Jr., former director of both California's Department of Parks and Recreation and the National Park Service. With their 130,000 members, CSPF is the only statewide independent nonprofit organization dedicated to protecting, enhancing and advocating for California's magnificent state parks. Since 1969, CSPF has raised more than \$186 million to benefit state parks. CSPF is committed to improving the quality of life for all Californians by expanding access to the natural beauty, rich culture and history, and recreational and educational opportunities offered by California's 278 state parks—the largest state park system in the United States.

Some of the major areas of work for the CSPF include:

- Serving as the independent voice for state parks by facilitating capital improvements, advocating for adequate funding and sound policies for state parks, including deferred maintenance support, and funding educational programs, habitat restoration and land acquisition.
- Cultivating stewardship of state parks by hosting annual Earth Day Restoration and Cleanup programs and supporting Volunteer Enhancement programs.
- Encouraging environmental education and visitation of state parks by supporting programs such as Coast Alive!, FamCamp, Bay Youth for the Environment, Junior Rangers and Junior Lifeguards.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to the operations of the organization.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

John Harrington
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Pamela Bass
Diana Evans
Michael Brill

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY PHILANTHROPIC
FOUNDATION** (12/9/2011)

Location: 5500 University Parkway, San Bernardino, CA92407

Purpose: To Provide Educational Opportunities

Website: www.csubfoundation.csusb.edu

Revenue: \$

MISSION/VISION:

The CSUSB Philanthropic Foundation is a non-profit corporation chartered solely to support, benefit and advance the mission of California State University, San Bernardino.

The Foundation will actively pursue opportunities to promote the University, support fund-raising, and build strong community relationships. The Foundation will encourage gifts and financial support while creating learning opportunities for students, alumni, and the community that complement the University's teaching, research and public service goals driven by intellectual interaction and creativity.

BACKGROUND:

California State University, San Bernardino offers a challenging and innovative academic environment. The university seeks to provide a supportive and welcoming social and physical setting where students, faculty and staff feel they belong and can excel. The university provides students the opportunity to engage in the life of the campus, interact with others of diverse backgrounds and cultures, as well as participate in activities that encourage growth, curiosity and scholarly fulfillment. Through its branch campus in Palm Desert, the university mission extends to the Coachella Valley.

The CSUSB Philanthropic Foundation was created in 2011 as the charitable successor to The Foundation for California State University, San Bernardino. The prior foundation was established in 1995 and served as the primary auxiliary to the university, promoting charitable giving and supporting the enterprise operations.

The Foundation board is comprised of a volunteer board of directors, including community members and university leadership. The directors provide Cal State San Bernardino with expertise, regional knowledge, fiduciary oversight and advocacy focused on enhancing the role of private giving in achieving the mission of the university.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to programs or scholarships to students. The money would not go towards paying salaries.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **CANYON ACRES CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES**
(4/27/12) *previously donated to (3/20/09)

Location: P.O. Box 68021 (#4600), Anaheim CA 92817

Purpose: Provides Housing and Treatment to Abused Children and Their Families.

Website: www.canyonacres.org

Revenue: \$2,263,625

MISSION/VISION:

Canyon Acres is committed to providing homes, care, treatment and supportive services for abused, neglected and emotionally troubled children and their families.

BACKGROUND:

Founded in 1980 on a ranch in Anaheim Hills, Canyon Acres has grown to become a leader in the treatment of child abuse. For over 25 years, Canyon Acres has provided dedicated, quality services to thousands of abused and neglected children and their families.

The goal for all of Canyon Acres' programs is to help stabilize children mentally and emotionally, providing the possibility that one day they might move to a less-restrictive level of care. Ultimately, it is our goal to get all children into strengthened, permanent families – whether those families are biological families or adoptive families. Canyon Acres' ability to move children into less and less restrictive environments as their functioning levels improve is seen as a model for agencies in the area. Canyon Acres provides real hope for kids – the hope for a permanent, loving family.

On March 1, 2012 Canyon Acres united with Kinship Center and Seneca Center to continue to champion the most vulnerable children and families in Orange County. This merger of three highly respected child and family agencies promises to strengthen the regional programs and services that uniquely cater to children with past trauma who need safe, permanent families and expert help to heal and grow to healthy adulthood.

The joining of Canyon Acres with Kinship Center and Seneca Center creates integrated programs that will ensure the strongest possible future for services to children, for the Canyon Acres Ranch, and for the children and families who depend on us to meet their needs.

FISCAL IMPACT:

A donation goes to provide additional therapeutic care, special activities, educational programs and staff support that each child needs to succeed

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **CASA (COURT APOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES) FOR CHILDREN (5/18/2012)**

Location: 201 Centre Plaza Drive, Suite 1100, Monterey Park, CA 91754

Purpose: Civil Rights, Social Action, Advocacy for Children

Website: www.casala.org

Revenue: \$983,945

MISSION/VISION:

Each month in Los Angeles County, more than 800 hurt, frightened and confused children enter the Dependency Court, or foster care, system. These are children who have been removed from their parent's custody because of severe abuse, neglect or abandonment.

A judge must make all of the important decisions about each foster child's life, such as where the child lives, goes to school, whom the child may see, and what health care, therapy and educational services should be provided for the child.

With almost 25,000 children under court jurisdiction, this is an awesome task!

BACKGROUND:

CASA of Los Angeles supports volunteers who help abused and neglected foster children in court and the community. A CASA, or Court Appointed Special Advocate, is a trained and supervised volunteer, appointed by a judge to advocate for a foster child – a child who is under the court's protection because of abuse or neglect.

A CASA volunteer provides an independent investigation of the child's circumstances for the judge. The CASA gathers information, writes reports, and makes recommendations to the judge in the child's best interests. CASA volunteers advocate for what they believe to be in the child's best interests and are responsible for:

CASA volunteers maintain regular visits with the children they serve, getting to know the child as an individual, not just a case. CASA volunteers make a difference in the lives of foster children, one child at a time, by ensuring they receive the support and help they deserve. Studies have shown that children with CASAs receive more assistance and support than children without. When a foster child has a CASA, that child has a consistent adult guaranteeing that the child's needs are heard and addressed in court.

The CASA volunteer is often the most stable presence in a foster child's life and for many foster children, the CASA volunteer is the only person who is not paid to care for

them. CASA volunteers bring the voice of the community into a child welfare system that is often overly bureaucratic and legalistic.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help fund the services provided to help care for foster children. This group receives no public funds. \$2,500 will help care for one child per year.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Jeff Biederman
Steve Bloom
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Jacquie Dolan
Sue Marshall
Dily Garcia
David Melendez

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **CENTER OF DOMESTIC PEACE** (5/18/2012)
Location: 734 A Street, San Rafael, CA 94901
Purpose: Provides assistance to those individuals escaping domestic violence.
Website: www.maws.org
Revenue: \$3,510,119

MISSION/VISION:

Center for Domestic Peace mobilizes individuals and communities to transform our world so domestic violence no longer exists, creating great safety, justice and equality.

BACKGROUND:

Center for Domestic Peace was founded in 1977 by a group of visionary women operating under the name Marin Abused Women's Services (MAWS). Since then, they have helped thousands of women, children, and men to end the violence and to achieve safe, productive lives.

MAWS started as a volunteer effort with women being sent to private homes for safety. Over the years, we have grown to provide a wide array of services, which include:

- 24/7 English & Spanish hotlines
- Safety planning
- Emergency shelter
- Transitional housing
- Drop-in support groups
- Domestic violence response teams
- Information and referrals
- Advocacy, court accompaniment, and referrals
- Classes and training for men and women to learn how to stop their violence
- Community education and prevention programs for youth and adults
- Technical assistance and training for local, state, and national groups
- Policy development

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help fund the services provided and increases opportunities, build futures, and creates independence

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **COMMUNITES ADVOCATING FOR RESIDENT
EMPOWERMENT** (1/13/12)

Location: 531 Encinitas Blvd, Suite 206, Encinitas, CA 92024

Purpose: To Provide Educational Opportunities

Website: www.go2care.org

Revenue: \$ 298,552

MISSION/VISION:

Communities Advocating for Resident Empowerment (C.A.R.E.) is a California non-profit charitable corporation dedicated to providing comprehensive human services to low and moderate income residents living at affordable housing communities. This 501 (c) 3 organization was created to provide high-quality and consistent critical social services, educational programs, advocacy and training for children, youth, families and seniors living in affordable housing communities. We seek to create multi-faceted, sustainable models of service that are replicable and will reinforce self-empowerment, foster economic independence and encourage community involvement in all communities in which we serve.

BACKGROUND:

Communities Advocating for Resident Empowerment (C.A.R.E.) was created to provide children, youth, families and seniors living in affordable housing communities with critical social services and programs that reinforce self-empowerment, foster economic independence and encourage community involvement.

C.A.R.E. was formed through an association with Las Palmas Foundation, a real estate development company specializing in the development and long-term ownership of affordable rental housing. In providing solutions to the affordable housing challenge, the principals of Las Palmas recognized that besides building safe, secure neighborhoods, that enhancing the lives of residents through social service programming is essential.

They are proud to say in five years they have increased resources and services to 26 affordable housing communities across California (serving more than 4,000 residents).

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help provide support to programs that are offered.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Benji Philips
Sabrina Daneshvar
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Krista Weymouth
B William Navaja

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **COMMUNITY PARTNERS** (12/9/11)
Location: 1000 Alameda Street, Suite 240, Los Angeles, CA 90012
Purpose: Partnership for Non-Profits
Website: www.communitypartners.org
Revenue: \$14,897,338

MISSION/VISION:

Community Partners accelerates ideas into action to advance the public good.

BACKGROUND:

Community Partners was established in 1992 to meet a growing need experienced by civic and social entrepreneurs in Southern California for a structure that freed them from red tape while they pursued the cause that animated them. Conceived as a “foundation for emerging philanthropies”, our "incubator" has grown steadily to include roughly 110 projects led by people who reflect the scope and diversity of the Southern California region and over a dozen strategic initiatives in partnership with funders, networks and established organizations. From initial investments of \$250,000, we have grown into a solid institution managing more than \$10 million a year in revenue.

More than a dozen funders now partner with us on major local, statewide, and national initiatives to leverage grant dollars and strengthen grantees. We support our grantmaking allies through management of program offices and regranting initiatives, facilitation of peer-learning events and conferences, and by providing capacity-building services to grantees.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Charitable donations would go towards the specific programs that Community Partners promotes.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Perry Parks
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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **COMMUNITY SERVICES UNLIMITED** (11/4/11)
Location: 1344 ½ West Martin Luther King Blvd., Los Angeles, CA 90037
Purpose: To strengthen communities through activism
Website: www.csuinc.org
Revenue: \$302,000

MISSION/VISION:

Our mission is to foster the creation of communities actively working to address the inequalities and systemic barriers that make sustainable communities and self-reliant life-styles unattainable.

We are committed to supporting and creating justice-driven community-based programs and educational initiatives, which seek to foster dialogue, and create awareness and critical consciousness.

We envision equitable, healthful and sustainable communities that are self-reliant, inter-relating and where every individual has the support and resources needed to develop to their fullest capacity.

BACKGROUND:

Community Services Unlimited Inc. (CSU) is a 501c3 established in 1977 and head quartered in South Central Los Angeles. Since then it has created community programs and organizing campaigns like the early Safe Seniors to the more recent Free Medical Screening Program and the most recent From the Ground Up. CSU has also provided fiscal sponsorship and support for many grass roots organizing efforts ranging in diversity from Police Watch, Community in Support of the Gang Truce, and Food Forestry International.

The Community Food Village Project has been developed in direct response to the needs expressed by community members during the A.C.T.I.O.N. (Active Community to Improve Our Nutrition) community food assessment that was completed in January 2004. Together their programs work to create a sustainable local food system where food is grown, distributed and bought within their community, incorporating training and educational programs, the creation of jobs and entrepreneurial opportunities and supported by partnerships with regional farmers.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Charitable donations would go towards the specific programs that are offered.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Neelam Sharma
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Genethia Hudley-Hayes
Anjali Nath

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **FOSTER FAMILY SERVICE** (1/13/12)
Location: 2514 Cameo Dr. Suite B, Cameron Park, CA 95682
Purpose: Foster Family Service
Website: www.fosterfamilyservice.org
Revenue: \$994,714

MISSION/VISION:

Room for one more. In your heart and in your home.

BACKGROUND:

Since 1989 Foster Family Service has been certifying foster families to care for children in need of a safe, nurturing home. In their 21 year history they have placed thousands of children in both foster and adoptive homes. They serve nearly half of California's 58 counties, largely through the Central and Northern portions of the state.

- Their program is designed to provide quality foster and adoptive services for children who must live apart from their biological family.
- They accept children for placement through both short- and long-term care, who through no fault of their own, cannot safely live at home.
- The children in placement with our agency are age 0-18 years, most with a history of abuse, neglect and/or behavioral challenges. Some, however, are not victims of abuse, but have developmental disabilities that exceed their biological family's abilities.
- Their staff is master-degree trained, experienced and prepared to provide support and interventions 24/7.
- Each child referred to us for placement is evaluated based on all information available to us, so that the most appropriate match with one of our certified homes can be made.
- Through a combination of caring parents, well-trained and motivated social workers, and a network of community resources, we strive to see every child in our care return home or emancipate in a healthier conditions than when they came to us.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Charitable donations would go towards the specific programs that are offered.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Erica McCray
Kent Shingles
Janice Jensen
Jacob Write
Joseph Kamp

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **GARY SINISE FOUNDATION** (2/27/12)
Location: 12001 Ventura Pl, Suite 201, Studio City, CA 91604
Purpose: Honor and Defend Veterans, First Responders and their Families
Website: www.garysinisefoundation.org
Revenue: \$1,076,943

MISSION/VISION:

At the Gary Sinise Foundation, we serve our Nation by honoring our defenders, veterans, first responders, their families, and those in need.

We do this by creating and supporting unique programs designed to entertain, educate, inspire, strengthen, and build communities.

BACKGROUND:

The Gary Sinise Foundation was officially formed in 2010, and is dedicated to serving the Nation by honoring our defenders, veterans, first responders, their families, and those in need.

Gary Sinise's passion in this area was born from his family's deep roots in military service and from a desire to contribute following the attacks on September 11, 2001. His father served in the Navy in the early 1950's, two uncles served in WWII (one in the Navy in the Pacific, another on a B17 as a navigator flying 30 missions over Europe). He has three brothers-in-law who served in Vietnam: one was an Army helicopter pilot; one a West Point graduate who served two tours in Vietnam, wrote the Army's "Military Leadership" manual and rose quickly in the ranks to Lt. Colonel before passing away from cancer at age 39; one a medic with the 101st Airborne Division who later retired as a Physician's Assistant. One of his sisters-in-law, who married the Physician's Assistant, served for 10 years in the Army and was a Captain when she resigned her commission to raise their children. One of their sons, Gary's nephew, has served in Afghanistan with the 82nd Airborne and was recently accepted into Special Forces Training (Green Berets).

Under the umbrella of The Gary Sinise Foundation, one person is able to make a difference and join forces with a legion of supporters. "The Foundation is a strong, dependable resource to spread the 'give-back goodness'." That's what Gary Sinise wants his Foundation to do, "provide opportunities for people to give back."

FISCAL IMPACT:

Charitable donations would go towards the Building for America's Bravest program. This program helps build homes for Veterans and First Responders families.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

John Heubusch
Lt. Gen. Rick Lynch
David McIntyre
Captain Jim Palmersheim
Bob Pence
Anthony Saliba
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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **GRID ALTERNATIVES** (11/4/11)
Location: 1171 Ocean Avenue, Suite 200, Oakland, CA 94608
Purpose: Solar Powering Low-income Communities
Website: www.gridalternatives.org
Revenue: \$3,094,714

MISSION/VISION:

GRID Alternatives' mission is to empower communities in need by providing renewable energy and energy efficiency services, equipment and training. We believe making energy choices that are good for the environment can go hand-in-hand with improving the lives of those living in low-income communities. GRID Alternatives works collaboratively with communities and local organizations to identify specific needs and to develop renewable energy solutions that are environmentally, socially and economically sustainable.

BACKGROUND:

GRID Alternatives was founded during the 2001 California energy crisis by Erica Mackie, P.E., and Tim Sears, P.E., two engineering professionals who were implementing large-scale renewable energy and energy efficiency projects for the private sector. The vision that drove them was simple: why is free, clean electricity from the sun only available to big businesses and wealthy environmentalists, when it should be available to everybody? They wanted to develop a model to make this technology practical and accessible for low-income communities that need the savings the most, and where families often live in the shadow of polluting fossil-fuel power plants.

Every solar installation is a renewable energy “barn raising” that brings together environmental activists, advocates for low-income communities, green job trainees, community volunteers, and the homeowners themselves to participate in a fun, hands-on project that delivers immediate, tangible results: a fully installed solar electric system that provides immediate economic benefits to a local low-income family.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Charitable donations would go towards the specific programs that are offered.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Karen Decker
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Rick Lucien
Tim Sears
Erica Mackie
Kent Halliburton
Janice Jensen
Anup Jacob
Joseph Karp
Ian Thomson
Beth Trask

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **HOUSING WITH HEART** (4/6/2012)
Location: 2081 Business Center Dr, Ste 110, Irvine, CA 92612
Purpose: Provides services to low-income and very low-income families.
Website: www.homesinc.org
Revenue: \$1,288,000

MISSION/VISION:

Housing with HEART (Helping Educate, Activate, and Respond Together) responds to the current and future needs of JHC's very low- and low-income residents to improve their lives, break the poverty cycle, and move them toward non-subsidized self-sufficiency.

BACKGROUND:

Housing with HEART provides support services to over 5,000 low and very-low income families living in 40 affordable housing developments across California. In keeping with the broad community development mission of Jamboree Housing Corporation, Housing with HEART provides and coordinates a variety of on-site supportive services for our residents through three focused strategies: Community Building, Youth Academic Achievement, and Family Health & Wellness.

Each fall they hold a state-wide event known as Jam!boree Day that serves as the capstone event that celebrates the successes their residents have made in incorporating health and wellness goals into their daily lives. This day, in which over 1,000 residents of all ages (families and seniors) gather at locations throughout California wellness focuses on community building, health, nutrition, physical activity and fun.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This charitable donation would go towards the many programs that are provided. The contribution could help the celebration that the group throws for the less fortunate.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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Recipient: **JENESSE CENTER, INC.** (5/18/12)

Location: P.O Box 8476, Los Angeles, CA 90008

Purpose: Food Shelter for Women & Children

Website: www.jenesse.org

Revenue: \$3,019,553

MISSION/VISION:

Jenesse Center is the oldest domestic violence intervention program in South Central Los Angeles. The Center was founded in 1980 by five African American women who were survivors of domestic violence. Our mission is to provide victims of domestic violence with a comprehensive, centralized base of support to assist them in addressing their immediate crisis and changing the patterns of their lives.

BACKGROUND:

Their program philosophy is based on the following principles:

- Domestic violence is a family issue
- Women and children are our primary clients
- Clients should receive culturally sensitive and culturally competent services
- Children are equal victims of domestic violence
- Clients must receive more than shelter – they must receive life skills
- Services must transform victims into survivors
- Services must be provided to populations that are generally turned away elsewhere
- Public opinion and public policy must be impacted to combat domestic violence
- Men have to be a part of the conversation

FISCAL IMPACT:

This charitable donation would go towards the many programs that are provided. Jenesse serves thousands of families in need each year. This is a tremendous undertaking and support for the Jenesse Center would ensure that they are able to keep our shelter doors open and can continue to provide lifesaving programs and services to women, men and children in crisis.

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Recipient: **JEWISH FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES** (Marin)
(6/10/2011)

Location: 2150 Post Street, San Francisco, CA 94115

Purpose: To Strengthen Individuals, Families and Community

Website: www.jfcs.org

Revenue: \$776,752

MISSION/VISION:

Strengthening individuals. Strengthening families. Strengthening Community. That's what Jewish Family and Children's Services is all about.

BACKGROUND:

Jewish Family and Children's Services is one of the oldest and largest family service institutions in the United States, founded in 1850 by immigrant pioneers who arrived in California during the Gold Rush and created an extended family to care for each other.

Today, they continue to be that extended family, serving 65,000 people annually with the highest quality, research-based social services designed to strengthen individuals, strengthen families, and strengthen community.

As the problem-solving center for residents of San Francisco, Marin, Sonoma, Santa Clara, and San Mateo counties, they are a lifeline for children, families, and older adults facing life transitions and personal crises.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This charitable donation would go towards the many programs that are provided. This specific write up is towards the Marin group that focuses on children's needs.

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Recipient: **(KHEIR) KOREAN HEALTH EDUCATION INFORMATION AND RESEARCH CENTER (2/3/12)**

Location: 3727 w 6TH Street, Suite 210, Los Angeles, CA 90020

Purpose: Provides Health Care and Health Education Services.

Website: www.lakheir.org

Revenue: \$3,634,000

MISSION/VISION:

The KHEIR Center is committed to providing linguistically and culturally-sensitive quality primary healthcare and human services support to the underserved and uninsured residents of Southern California.

BACKGROUND:

The KHEIR Center was established in 1986 to serve as a bridge between the low-income, recently-immigrated, non-English speaking Korean community and the local health and social service providers. Today, KHEIR has evolved into a broad-based agency that provides services to the indigent population in four interrelated areas: Human Services, Senior Affordable Housing, Adult Day Health Care, and Healthcare Services.

In addition to the two adult day health care facilities and human services department, KHEIR currently operates the nation's only full-time community clinic with the Korean, Spanish and English language capabilities. In February 2006, the KHEIR Center opened the doors to its new home. Offering one-stop convenient service, the 2nd floor of the KOA Building at 3727 W. 6th Street is home to the consolidated Clinic, Human Services Department and the Administration. Primary goal for the KHEIR Community Clinic is to increase the public's access to quality healthcare by gradually growing its service capacity to 30,000 patient visits per year. Not only is KHEIR planning to increase capacity in order to expand access, we're also striving to fill the gap in specialty services as there is a paucity of such affordable services for our constituency.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help fund on-going programs and services.

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Recipient: **LA FAMILIA COUNSELING CENTER** (2/3/12)

Location: 5523 34th Street, Sacramento, CA 95820

Purpose: Supports Quality of Life for At-Risk Youth and Families

Website: www.lafcc.org

Revenue: \$3,103,093

MISSION/VISION:

To improve the quality of life for at-risk youth and families of diverse backgrounds by offering multi-cultural counseling, support and outreach services and programs to help families to overcome adversity, to become empowered, and to succeed in their lives.

BACKGROUND:

La Familia Counseling Center (LFCC) has been providing services to at-risk youth and families in the Sacramento region for over 38 years. Their counseling, support services and programs are designed to help families to first overcome adversity. Staff works to help their clients to empower themselves and succeed.

Their programs touch all aspects of family life. They include:

- Birth & Beyond – Helping at-risk families acclimate to a new baby; Effective Family and Parenting Classes and Crisis Intervention.
- One Stop Career Center – career counseling, job placement, job training, GED preparation and testing, etc.
- Mental Health Services – includes early screening, diagnosis & treatment; Counseling and redirecting anger issues and continuing support
- Project Reach – At-Risk youth program designed for youth considering pre-gang or with a gang affiliation or of dropping out of school. The program provides positive alternatives, counseling and other services.
- Universal Youth Specialist – A dedicated specialist is assigned to serve clients age 16-21. The Specialist works with teens helping them with career choices, higher education, GED preparation, vocational training and providing vocational opportunities.
- Family Resource Center – provides workshops on parenting, finance, budgeting, gang awareness; Play & Grow Groups, year-round youth activities.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Donations will help fund on-going programs and services to at-risk youths and their families.

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Recipient: **MARSOC FOUNDATION** (4/27/12)

Location: PO Box 2018, Temecula, CA 92593

Purpose: Supports MARSOC and their Families

Website: www.marsocfoundation.org

Revenue: New Organization

MISSION/VISION:

The MARSOC Foundation was established to provide benevolent support to active duty and medically retired MARSOC personnel and their families as well as to the families of Marines who have lost their lives in service to our Nation.

BACKGROUND:

Since the horrific events of 9/11, the demands on Special Operations Forces and their families have been unprecedented in our Nation's history.

Today, MARSOC is deployed in over 40 countries around the world. The average MARSOC Critical Skills Operator is away from home and family more than 50% of the time, either on deployment or out-of-area training. During their service to our country, they are often exposed to combat and other hazardous activities that can have immediate and lasting impacts. As demand grows for the unique services of MARSOC, so too does the need for benevolent support.

The Foundation aims to meet needs unmet by the government with an emphasis on building personal and family resiliency and supporting the full reintegration of MARSOC Marines and Sailors following wounds, injuries and extended deployments.

- Assist MARSOC personnel who are injured or wounded in combat, contingency operations, or training with special needs
- Assist the families of MARSOC personnel with health and welfare challenges
Funding for medical treatments not provided by the government
- Support memorials and services that commemorate fallen MARSOC personnel
- Support reintegration and transition assistance of MARSOC personnel

FISCAL IMPACT:

The donation will support the programs that MARSOC provides to active duty military and their families

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **MENDOCINO COMMUNITY HEALTH CLINIC, INC.**
(2/24/12)

Location: 333 Laws Avenue, Ukiah, CA 95482

Purpose: Providing quality health care in Lake and Mendocino Counties

Website: www.mhcinc.org

Revenue: \$ 19,625,976

MISSION/VISION:

Mendocino Community Health Clinic provides access to excellent healthcare services for the most vulnerable people in our community. We ensure that there are no closed doors for those seeking primary health care at MCHC in Lake and Mendocino Counties.

BACKGROUND:

Mendocino Community Health Clinic, Inc. is a locally governed nonprofit healthcare organization serving Lake County and Mendocino County from three community clinics: In Ukiah at Hillside Health Center; in Lakeport at Lakeside Health Center; in Willits, at Little Lake Health Center.

MCHC believes that quality health care is a right and a responsibility of the community. Staff delivers primary health care in a supportive, nonjudgmental manner. They believe that patient involvement is critical while at the same time providing the education and resources so that their patients can take charge of their own health.

President, Lin Hunter recently stated, “The health status of residents we serve is deteriorating when compared with other California counties, and children especially have an especially difficult time accessing appropriate and timely health care. Transportation has been a significant barrier to accessing care in our community”.

The rural areas that MCHC serve have been especially hard hit by the recession. The community’s primary economic base historically has been tourism, agriculture and logging. Humboldt State University’s California Center for Rural Policy states that the region has 15.9% of the population living below the Federal Poverty Level.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The donation will support quality health care to all residents regardless of their ability to pay.

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **MIRACLE LEAGUE OF NORTH ORANGE COUNTY (5/18/12)**

Location: 221 Fig Avenue, Brea, CA 92821

Purpose: To Provide Recreational Sports to the Developmentally Challenged

Website: www.miracleleague.net

Revenue: \$86,815

MISSION/VISION:

The Miracle League of North Orange County is based out of Placentia, California and is geared to those who want to play the great game of baseball. We are a nationwide non-profit organization that gives mentally and physically disabled children and adults the opportunity to play the great game of baseball. Our players will learn the basic fundamentals of baseball on a traditional baseball diamond. We welcome players who are 8 years old and up. There is no age limit and no player will be turned away because of lack of experience, disability or ability to pay. We use soft-core baseballs and will provide Buddy Assistance if needed.

BACKGROUND:

The Miracle League of North Orange County (MLNOC) was formed in 2009 by a group of parents with special needs “kids” whose children were too old to play baseball in special leagues in the area. MLNOC accepts people of all ages and levels. We encourage everyone to join.

Their league began with 6 teams and 79 players and has grown in the past few years to 10 teams with over 120 players ranging in age from 8 to 62 years old.

MLNOC Players:

Their players are the heart and soul of the MLNOC. They play at all levels and show great sportsmanship and respect to each other.

MLNOC Volunteers & Coaches:

Their volunteers and coaches are the backbone of the MLNOC. These are the key people that work tirelessly to ensure our players have the best baseball – and social -- experience possible.

MLNOC Families:

MLNOC families give their players overwhelming support and encouragement. It is amazing to see the look on our players’ faces as the families cheer them on as they get a hit, round the bases or make that great play. Even when they don’t make the plays, they are cheered and supported.

FISCAL IMPACT:

A charitable contribution would go towards funding the baseball program that Miracle League provides to the developmentally challenged.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **ORANGE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT CORP. (2/3/12)**

Location: 414 E. Chapman Avenue, Orange, CA 92866

Purpose: To Provide Programs to Those Living in Affordable Housing

Website: www.ohdcorp.com

Revenue: \$6,066,862

MISSION/VISION:

Orange Housing Development Corporation (OHDC) is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing secure, clean and attractive housing for people of low and moderate incomes.

BACKGROUND:

OHDC was founded in 1990, to increase the number of affordable housing units in California and to try to fill the void that cannot be filled by the private sector.

OHDC is committed to providing people with high quality, low-cost developments and responsive management services, while creating enjoyable and productive living environments. OHDC is committed to the enhancement of communities through the aesthetic value and economic vitality of the developments, and by our leadership and active participation in community affairs.

OHDC is committed to the long-term financial stability of every project. Decisions are guided by economics without compromising integrity. The goal is to utilize the funds available in the most responsible way possible and to leverage funds in order to obtain maximum quality production.

OHDC's ultimate goal is to help people. The corporation exists in order to improve quality of life by improving the environment.

FISCAL IMPACT:

A charitable contribution would go towards the programs that Orange Housing Development Corporation oversees.

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CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **RAICES** (2/24/12)

Location: PO Box 714, Coachella, CA 92236

Purpose: To provide a safe place for the youth of Coachella Valley to congregate and be nurtured

Website: www.raicesdevalle.org

Revenue: New Entity

MISSION/VISION:

Raices Mission is to create a space for artistic and cultural expression, to promote healthy communities, and to strengthen the voice of the Eastern Coachella Valley.

BACKGROUND:

The Raices group hosts monthly open art studios sessions at the Raices community space to bring Artists together, share ideas and nurture the local art scene. Lunchtime discussion are set a regular monthly date for creating art at the space and discuss ways how the space can be used to display and promote local talent. Other programs that are provided are Monthly Movie Night, Art Shows, and Community Activism.

The Youth are encouraged to reach out and participate with the community, government and employers on how to create a better society. These mentoring programs give the youth guidance and direction.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The donation will be used to fund operations of the new organization.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

CHARITABLE GRANT RECOMMENDATION

Recipient: **SJB CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS (8/12/2011)**

Location: 1400 Parkmoor Avenue, Ste. 220, San Jose, CA 95126

Purpose: Supports Child Care

Website: www.sjbcdc.org

Revenue: \$7,829,590

MISSION/VISION:

The mission of SJB Child Development Centers is to provide educational child care for children 0 to 12 years of age to strengthen and support families throughout Santa Clara County.

BACKGROUND:

Their mission stems from the vision of their organization's founders. Mr. Bill Williams, their former executive director, had a desire to help parents establish financial independence by creating a safe place where they could bring their children while they worked. He also set out to break the cycle of poverty by offering education-based child care so that the children at his center would have access to the same opportunities as those from more affluent families. San Juan Bautista Child Development Center was established with these goals in mind and quickly made a name for itself by being the first in Santa Clara County to offer toddler care, before and after school care and sick care services.

Today, SJB Child Development Centers is synonymous with excellence in child care and is the only provider in the county to hold all four licenses from California's Department of Social Services/Community Care Licensing (DSS/CCL) for Infant Care, Preschool, Extended Day Care and Sick Care. 95% of our clients are very low to moderate income and are served through 26 programs at 11 sites, all working to uphold Mr. Williams' vision of Building Better Tomorrows for Children and Families Today.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The donation will provide support to the specific programs that are offered.

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Recipient: SAN (SOUTH ASIAN NETWORK) (5/18/12)
Location: 18173 Pioneer Blvd, Suite I, Artesia, CA 90701
Purpose: Human Services
Website: www.southasiannetwork.org
Revenue: \$872,066

MISSION/VISION:

SAN believes in self-sustaining communities who actively raise their voices, take leadership and challenge social injustices, both within and beyond the South Asian community. Given the multiple identities of gender, sexuality, class, religion, ethnicity and language in the diverse South Asian communities, SAN commits to challenging multiple oppressions throughout all its efforts. Starting internally, SAN challenges biases within the South Asian community. Furthermore, SAN works externally to address broader social injustice and build alliances between South Asians and other communities in Southern California who struggle for long-term social change.

BACKGROUND:

South Asian Network was founded in 1990 to provide an open forum for people of South Asian origin to gather and discuss social, economic, and political issues affecting the community, with the goal of raising awareness, engagement and advocacy among community members leading to an empowered and active community.

As the South Asian American community continues to grow, SAN is committed to challenging systems of oppression and inequality, building solidarities with other communities, and achieving economic, political, and human rights of all communities.

SAN embraces the diversity of the South Asian American community as strength and builds unity among South Asian immigrants in Southern California that does not exist in South Asia itself. SAN strives to build alliances among the South Asian community, other immigrant communities, and communities of color in order to advance a shared progressive agenda for Southern California.

The board, staff and volunteers are the most diverse and representative of any South Asian organization. Comprised of a majority of women, the team includes persons of Bangladeshi, Indian, Nepalese, Pakistani and Sri Lankan origin from Buddhist, Hindu, Jain, Christian, Muslim and Sikh traditions; first generation immigrants and first generation U.S. born; speakers of Bengali, Fiji Hindi, Gujarati, Hindi, Nepali, Punjabi, Singhalese, Tamil and Urdu; and queer and straight members. Our internal diversity enables us reach our diverse communities.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The donation will provide support to the specific programs that are offered.

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