

# **Bamford Foundation Grants ~ 2012**

*Grants of \$10,000 or more are indicated in bold type*

## **Basic Needs (Food, Shelter, Health Care)**

### **All As One, Sierra Leone**

*Provide program support for orphanage school and scholarships for secondary education.  
Provide capacity building grant for rental van.*

Associated Ministries, Tacoma, WA  
*Support Access point 4 Housing Program*

At The Crossroads, San Francisco, CA  
*Support Outreach and Counseling Programs for Homeless Youth*

### **Community Health Care, Tacoma, WA**

*Support Patient Care Fund and the capital campaign for the Hilltop Regional Health care center*

Emergency Food Network, Lakewood, WA  
*Support EFN's Mother Earth Farm, Repack Project and Cannery Project which benefit individuals and families throughout Pierce County*

Greater Tacoma Community Foundation, Tacoma, WA  
*General support of the capacity of GTCF to convene potential funders and provide education on critical issues in our city and county*

Gilda's Club of Seattle, Seattle, WA  
*Support Pierce county program providing resources and support to families coping with cancer*

### **Hopesparks, Tacoma WA**

*Support building of Basic Needs Bank for families served by the center through the Relatives Raising Children program.*

FISH Food Banks of Pierce County, WA  
*Support food distribution to individuals and families throughout Pierce County*

Mary Bridge Children's Hospital Foundation  
*General Support*

Neighborhood Clinic, Tacoma, WA  
*Support free medical urgent care to patients who cannot afford or access health care.*

**Northwest Furniture Bank, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support operations and capacity building, providing access to furniture for individuals and families in transition.*

**Oasis Youth Center, Pierce County AIDS Foundation**

Support operations and expansion of programs to provide resources, services and leadership training to LGBTQ youth and young adults in Tacoma and Pierce county.

Pierce County Juvenile Court, CASA program  
Support appreciation luncheon honoring volunteer child advocates.

**United Way of Pierce County, Pierce County, WA**

*Support Community Solutions Fund*

Rescue Mission, Tacoma, WA  
*General Support of human service programs*

Saint.Leo's Food Connection, Tacoma, WA  
*Support Children's Food Programs, including the Backpack Project program*

Tacoma Community House, Tacoma, WA  
*Support Opportunity Fund*

**WorldVision, Federal Way, WA**

Support the teacher resource center providing free classroom resources and supplies to teachers in Tacoma and Pierce county.

YMCA of Kitsap and Pierce County, WA  
*Support Strong Kids Campaign*

**YWCA, Tacoma-Pierce County, WA**

*Support the expansion of Children's Programs Area*

**Early Childhood Education and Parent Support**

**A Step Ahead in Pierce County, Tacoma, WA**

*Support BOOST collaborative project to improve system of early intervention services for young children in foster care*

**Arts Impact/Puget Sound Educational Service District, Renton, WA**

*Support Pilot program of Arts and Early Learning Project (providing specialized training and mentoring in the arts to teachers) at the Multicultural Child Family Hope Center in Tacoma*

**Child Care Resource and Referral Network of Washington, Tacoma, WA**

*Support a pilot project in Pierce and 2 other counties that will help establish professional development frameworks for early care providers and their trainers on a statewide level*

Child Care Resource and Referral Network of Washington, Tacoma, WA

*Support Washington state scholarships for Early Childhood Teacher Training*

**Children’s Museum of Tacoma, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support the We Play capital campaign for the new downtown museum, and support the sustaining of the museum’s “pay as you will” admission, Play to Learn and other outreach Programs for young children and their families in Pierce county*

Foundation for Early Learning, Seattle, WA  
*General Support of programs and partnerships to support early learning in Washington state.*

**Innovative Educational Opportunities for K-12 (For communities and youth, access to and involvement in expanded learning opportunities, including the arts, cultural and civic education, science and environmental education, and learning support opportunities)**

**Annie Wright School, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support resources and materials to support and expand learning skills program in all divisions*

ARK Institute of Learning, Tacoma, WA  
*Support scholarship fund for access to educational therapy services for young people with learning difficulties*

**Arts Impact and Puget Sound ESD, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support a pilot of the Early Learning and the Arts program at the Multicultural Child Family Hope Center in*

*Tacoma, WA, providing training and mentoring by artists in arts-infused curriculum to PreK teachers and family educators at the center.*

Broadway Center for the Performing Arts, Tacoma, WA  
*Support education and outreach programs to Tacoma schools and the greater Tacoma community*

CASTINGS, Tacoma, WA  
*Support Hilltop Garden Explorers Summer program for school-age youth, Tacoma, WA*

Charles Wright Academy, Tacoma, WA  
*Support education fund*

DASH Center for the Arts, Tacoma, WA  
*Support dance, music and acting programs that empower Tacoma youth, and that showcase minority artists to showcase their works.*

**Foss Waterway Seaport Museum, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support museum’s college marine science educational programs, and also support capital campaign for new museum building.*

**Foundation for Tacoma Schools, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support operations and capacity building of new organization serving as catalyst for community collective*

*impact to support Tacoma student achievement from cradle to career.*

Hilltop Glass Artists, Tacoma, WA  
*Support scholarships for access to after-school hot shop program at Jason Lee Middle School.*

**Grand Cinema, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support the theater's digital capital campaign, including a challenge grant to encourage individual donors*

Job Carr Museum, Tacoma, WA  
*Support local historical educational outreach programs for Tacoma schoolchildren*

**LeMay Museum, Tacoma, WA**  
*Support capital campaign to open the new museum and history/science/technology educational resource in Tacoma community.*

Museum of Glass, Tacoma, WA  
*Support museum exhibits and programs*

**My Peace Out**, University Place, WA  
*Support programs engaging middle and high school youth in civic engagement and philanthropy in Pierce county.*

Peace Community Center, Tacoma, WA

**Point Defiance Zoological Society, Tacoma, WA**

*Support completion of Vision for the Future campaign and Cats of the Canopy Exhibit*

**Safe Streets**, Tacoma, WA  
*Support Youth Leading Change program for high school youth regarding school engagement and leadership training*

Skate Like A Girl, Seattle, WA  
*Support program for youth in civic engagement and skateboarding, and outreach to Tacoma area.*

Tacoma Art Museum, Tacoma, WA  
*Support museum exhibits and educational programs*

Tacoma Symphony Orchestra, Tacoma, WA  
*Support youth and family education and outreach through family music series*

Trinity Presbyterian Church, Tacoma, WA  
*Support education center, afterschool program and other outreach programs for neighborhood children and youth*

Washington State Historical Society, Tacoma, WA  
*Support the "In the Spirit" exhibit and community festival celebrating Northwest native arts.*

**YMCA Camp Seymour**, Key Peninsula, WA  
*Support the construction of a new dining hall and gathering place at Camp Seymour, often used by youth, families and schools from Pierce County*

**Zina Linnik Project, Greater Metro Parks Foundation,** Tacoma, WA

*Support the work of schools (especially the McCarver students) and community partnerships that have resulted in upgrades to McCarver and Wright Parks, ensuring safe play spaces and the development of school and community gardens (Zina Linnik Project).*

### **Access to Higher Education and Job Training Opportunities**

**Act Six, Northwest Leadership Foundation,** Tacoma, WA

*Support leadership training, college preparation and college completion for underrepresented young adults in Tacoma-Pierce County.*

**Boys and Girls Clubs of South Puget Sound,** Tacoma, WA

*Support Great Futures Fund providing internships for college-level students to mentor youth at local Boys and Girls Club Centers while earning college tuition money.*

Child Care Resource and Referral Network of Washington, Tacoma, WA

*Support the Washington Scholarships Program for child care professionals pursuing early childhood education credentials in order to improve their practice.*

**Goodwill Foundation, Tacoma Goodwill,** Tacoma, WA  
*Support Key To Change Financial Literacy classes and also scholarships for specialized job training opportunities at Tacoma Goodwill Work Opportunity Center.*

L'Arche Tahoma Hope, Tacoma, WA  
*Support services and job training for individuals with disabilities in the greater Tacoma area*

**Northwest Leadership Foundation, Act Six Program**  
*Support leadership and scholarship initiative of Act Six, providing training and cohort support for high school and college students to achieve and lead in our community.*

**Pierce College, Veteran Support Center**  
*Support Pierce College Center of Excellence for Veteran Student Success, providing support and resources to veteran students and their families.*

**University of Washington-Tacoma,** Tacoma, WA  
*Support Bamford Family Endowed Scholarship and Compact for Student Success Scholarships for students attending University of Washington-Tacoma.*

**University of Washington-Tacoma Milgard School of Business,** Tacoma, WA  
*Support the school through the Business Excellence Fund.*