

**FISCAL YEAR 2024-25**  
**COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM ALLOCATIONS**

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1	Metropolitan Area Advisory Committee of Anti-Poverty of San Diego County, Inc.	MAAC's mission is maximizing self-sufficiency with families and individuals through high -quality programs and advocacy in our communities. The funds will be used to cover park permits, stage, and event printing materials such as banners, t-shirts, and flyers for the Lincoln Acres 100-year celebration. Funding is in the public interest because it enriches the community's culture and history and supports local small business, economy, and community.	\$11,000	7/24/2024 (1)
1	San Diego Tijuana World Design Capital 2024	The San Diego Tijuana World Design Capital 2024's mission is to promote and encourage the use of design to further the economic, social, cultural, and environmental development of the world's cities. The funds will be used to cover salaries for the Community Program Director, the Community Engagement Manager, the Program Manager, and the Executive Coordinator to support their Community Catalyst Team during their 2024 projects. Funding is in the public interest because it enhances community involvement and exploration of pressing issues through design to improve overall quality of life for the whole community.	\$100,000	7/24/2024 (2)
1	American Academy of Pediatrics, California Chapter 3	The American Academy of Pediatrics California Chapter 3 provides support for children and families in need throughout San Diego County. Funding will be used to cover staff salaries to train clinics to start the Reach Out and Read program at birth and to purchase children's books for low-income community clinics. This funding is in the public interest as it promotes early education and relational health by encouraging parents to read aloud to their children from birth.	\$9,000	10/23/2024 (1)
1	The Bonita Historical Society	The Bonita Historical Society is dedicated to preserving, for public education and enjoyment, the culture, history, arts, crafts, and aesthetic facets of the region, specifically El Rancho de la Nación in South San Diego County. The funding will be used to cover salaries for staff that oversee organization and activities for the museum, history archives and basic maintenance expenses of the Public Safety Center; insurance for general liability, museum collection coverage-fine art comprehensive, participant activity coverage; support for exhibitions and programming, including, support of twelve annual exhibition and public event supporting including "Gathering of Nations" in November of every year. Funds will be in the public interest because it will foster community through the education of culture, history, arts, and crafts.	\$60,000	10/23/2024 (2)
1	Business for Good aka Business for Good San Diego	Business For Good San Diego is a nonprofit on a mission to unite local business owners to drive policy that improves our community. Funds will cover staff salaries spent on organizing, coordinating, and managing conference events. Additionally, funding will cover the following expenses related to 3rd annual (Doing) Business For Good Summit conference: venue costs, audio and visual rentals, emcee, DJ, swag, speaker fees, tables, chairs, tablecloths, cutlery, cups, trash/recycling/composting, miscellaneous supplies (sign holders, markers, tape, pens, and paper), printing, videographers, stage rental costs, marketing, PR, social media, website, and advertising contractors and expenses.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (3)

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1	CafeJ	Community Alliance for Family & Justice Education offers a multidisciplinary approach to neighborhood-based education that emphasizes family relationships, equity and human rights to influence generational attitudes and behaviors that enrich communities and society. Funds will be used to cover salaries for speakers, education directors for planning, and registering, and overseeing the event, Café J Talks: Good Grief. Additionally, marketing materials such as, handouts and to hire social media and marketing person. Funding will be in the public interest because it brings together community and emphasizes equity and human rights to future generations through educational means.	\$6,000	10/23/2024 (4)
1	Chicano Federation of San Diego County	Chicano Federation's mission is to cultivate opportunities and advocate for families and individuals for a more equitable comunidad. Funds will cover services expenses of expert consultants, guest presenters, supplies, facilities, and travel, for LTI training for employment and career advancement, social justice community organizing, capstone projects to impact San Diego County, alumni engagement and mentorship opportunities, and financial wellness and home ownership. Funding will be in the public interest because it increases equity in the community and advocates for underserved families.	\$100,000	10/23/2024 (5)
1	Chicano Federation of San Diego County	Chicano Federation's mission is to cultivate opportunities and advocate for families and individuals for a more equitable comunidad. Funds will go toward supporting 6th annual Zapaton holiday event and purchases of shoes, toys, blankets, personal and household items, diapers, feminine products, books, storage, transportation, equipment rental, and other logistic costs and provisions for staff and volunteers. Funding will be in the public interest because it increases equity in the community, advocates for underserved families.	\$50,000	10/23/2024 (6)
1	Climate Action Campaign	Climate Action Campaign's mission is to reduce climate pollution and accelerate the transition to clean energy and a sustainable society in ways that support justice, jobs, improved health and quality of life for all. Funding will be used to cover salaries for personnel and overhead expenses which will enhance their communication efforts. Funding is in the public interest because it enhances quality of life and better health for the community.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (7)
1	Coastal Roots Farm	Coastal Roots Farm cultivates healthy, connected communities by integrating sustainable agriculture, food justice, and ancient Jewish wisdom. Funding will be used to support farm staffing, scholarships, and bus transportation costs to provide students in District 1 with barrier-free, no cost opportunities to visit the Farm for environmental science, nutrition, and career pathway experiences. Funding will be in the public interest because it will enhance and provide for the community through agricultural sustainability and food justice for all.	\$3,000	10/23/2024 (8)

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1	Cygnnet Theatre Company	Cygnnet Theatre Company is dedicated to using live theatre to explore and celebrate the human story, ignite debate, and embrace community diversity. The funds will be used to cover tickets, stipends for workshop teaching artists, and printing of study guides for free student matinees. Funding will also cover stipends for teaching artists and transportation costs for free 45-minute musical presentations for their From the Page to the Stage program. Finally, funding will cover stipends and transportation costs for the artists, judges, and workshop presenters for the Cygnnet Scholarship Program. This funding is in the public interest as it ensures accessibility to the arts and supports youth pursuing further studies in musical theatre and enhancing cultural education in the community.	\$5,000	10/23/2024 (9)
1	Emilio Nares Foundation	The Emilio Nares Foundation helps families navigate through their child's journey with cancer and other life-threatening diseases. Funding will be used to cover costs for transportation, bilingual support, nutritional assistance, and end-of-life services to help families navigate their child's cancer as part of their Comprehensive Care Initiatives. Funding is in the public interest because it builds community between families who are struggling with life-threatening diseases.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (10)
1	The Grandparents' Connection, Inc.	Their mission is to support grandparents and caregivers raising their family members' children due to absent or displaced parents. The requested funds will cover expenses for the annual Grandparents and Grandkids Picnic, including permits, rentals, equipment, entertainment, and activities. This funding is in the public interest as it strengthens generational bonds, promotes health awareness, and provides community support.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (11)
1	The House of Mexico	House of Mexico's mission is to promote the rich cultural traditions of Mexico, including its arts, music, dance, gastronomy, and history. Funds will go toward operational support expenditures such as, storage rental, property insurance, accountant, web designer, IT services, Zoom contract, utility expenses, maintenance. Funding will be in the public interest because it fosters community and education of history through cultural arts, music, dance, and gastronomy.	\$9,000	10/23/2024 (12)
1	Mama's Kitchen	Mama's Kitchen believes that everyone is entitled to the necessity of life - nutritious food. Services improve the health and well-being of individuals and families vulnerable to malnutrition due to critical illness. Funding will be used for salaries and purchasing of meal ingredients and containers and support their Medically Tailored Meal Service for critically ill residents in District 1. Funding will be in the public interest because it will provide the community equal opportunities to nutritious food.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (13)

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1	The New Children's Museum	The New Children's Museum unlocks children's innate creativity by exposing them to art and the creative process. Funds will go toward purchasing art supplies, marketing materials, event photography, and mileage for staff for Mass Creativity event. Funding will be in the public interest because it fosters children's education through artistic means.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (14)
1	The Otay Mesa Chamber of Commerce	Otay Mesa Chamber of Commerce is the premier San Diego business organization providing its members with business resources and access to local and global markets. The funding will be used to cover salaries for staff that will be developing, programming, executing and promoting webinars and seminars for businesses and creating a weekly electronic newsletter with important information for businesses. Funding will be in the public interest because it provides the community with equal opportunities and access to local and global markets which will expand economic prosperity for businesses and communities.	\$30,000	10/23/2024 (15)
1	Outside the Lens	Outside the Lens has a mission to ignite confidence in young people to pursue creative pathways and drive social change through the transformative power of media arts. Funds will go toward salaries of media educator, communications specialist, and office administrator. Funding will be in the public interest because it enhances community within young people to drive social change through media arts.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (16)
1	Promises2Kids Foundation	Promises2Kids mission is to respond to the needs of foster children and provided support to children removed from their home due to abuse and neglect. Funds will go toward salaries for staff supporting efforts to provide ongoing services around mental health, childcare, mentoring, and housing assistance to youth. Funding will be in the public interest because it provides foster children access to resources and cater to their health and safety.	\$40,000	10/23/2024 (17)
1	Reading Legacies	Their mission is to facilitate supportive relationships for children through family and friends reading aloud with them. Funding will be used for staff, materials and children's books for the Book Bridges program; will support staff, materials, and children's books for the First Teachers program; will support volunteer management of our Youth Readers program; will support staff, materials, and children's books for our Storybook Inspirations program. Funding is in the public interest because it provides children with opportunities and increases their education for better future for all.	\$5,000	10/23/2024 (18)
1	The San Diego Art Institute	San Diego Art Institute's mission is to be a living laboratory for expanding the transformational power of contemporary art to build vibrant communities. Funding will cover costs of salaries of event staff planning and day of event staff, DJ/entertainment staff, advertisements, salary of marketing manager, guest speaker stipend, salary of education manager, salaries of learning & engagement activity planning time, and art supplies. Funding will be in the public interest because it will bring together community through art.	\$12,500	10/23/2024 (19)

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1	San Diego Chinese Historical Society & Museum	Their mission is to document the Chinese community's history and contributions. Funding will be used to develop an original exhibition that showcases stories of the Chinese diaspora in Baja California, specifically salaries for staff for education programs for schools, libraries, and community groups and will help launch a Community Research Access program, Funding will be in the public interest because it enhances education and highlights the contributions of the community's history and contributions.	\$25,000	10/23/2024 (20)
1	San Diego Diplomacy Council	The San Diego Diplomacy Council mission is to create inclusive professional, \$15,000 cultural, and educational experiences that connect local and global changemakers. Funds will cover salaries to implement international exchange programs; supporting salaries and event costs for community outreach events; and covering salaries, meeting space, and supplies for youth international workforce development initiatives. Funding will be in the public interest because it enhances inclusivity in the community through professional, cultural, and educational experiences.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (21)
1	The San Diego Fleet Week Foundation	The mission of Fleet Week San Diego is to honor, celebrate, and thank the men and women of the military through public events and alliances that increase public awareness of the many contributions made by the Military and the Defense Community to the San Diego Region. Funding will be used toward salaries for staff which produce events that honor and thank active-duty military members and veterans across San Diego County. Funding will be in the public interest because it will foster community through events honoring and celebrating those who have served in the military.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (22)
1	San Diego Food System Alliance	The San Diego Food System Alliance's mission is to cultivate a healthy, sustainable, and just food system in San Diego County. Funding will be used to covers staff salary and event coordinator contractor, venue rental, printing costs, musicians, and childcare costs for San Diego Country Food Vision 2030 4th Annual Gathering. Funding will be in the public interest because it benefits the community through providing healthy and sustainable for all.	\$30,000	10/23/2024 (23)
1	San Diego Mountain Biking Association	San Diego Mountain Biking Association's mission is to Improve Trail Access, Encourage Stewardship and Build Community. Funds will go toward staff salaries to allow for increased capacity. Funding will be in the public interest because it increases environmental awareness to the community and builds community through improving access to trails.	\$46,000	10/23/2024 (24)
1	San Diego Regional Economic Development Foundation aka San Diego Regional Economic Development Corporation	San Diego Regional Economic Development Corporation's mission is to maximize the San Diego region's economic prosperity and global competitiveness. Funding will be used to cover reimbursement of wages, in addition to cover nametag and venue fee costs for their Inclusive Growth Initiative presentations and manufacturing study. Funding is in the public interest because it will increase and maximize the community's economic prosperity.	\$80,000	10/23/2024 (25)

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1	Spring Valley Chamber of Commerce	The Chamber helps its members stay informed of local governmental activities on issues affecting the community. Funds will go toward staff salaries that help in revitalizing businesses and residents to continue to live and work in Spring Valley. Funding will be in the public interest because it will promote awareness of issues affecting the community and further develop community infrastructure.	\$52,000	10/23/2024 (26)
1	United Way of San Diego County	United Way of San Diego County has a mission to provide community action that elevates every child and family toward a brighter future. \$20,000 Funds will cover staff time and program implementation and materials for United for Literacy initiative; support staff time and program implementation for SparkPoint program. Funding will be in the public interest because it will increase community and betterment of future generations through social change and actions.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (27)
1	Voices for Children	Voices for Children's mission is to transform the lives of abused, abandoned, or neglected children by providing them with trained, volunteer Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASAs). Funds will go toward expenses for video production and recruitment video, Spanish and English digital, print, and radio advertising, and street banner costs. Funding will be in the public interest because it provides children with equal opportunities to support for a better future.	\$8,000	10/23/2024 (28)
1	Vanguard Culture	Vanguard Culture provides award-winning arts journalism, cutting edge events, and professional development that create arts jobs, bring diverse communities together and inspire collaboration among the visual, performing, and culinary arts. Funds will cover costs of artist stipends, outreach and marketing, event staff salaries, insurance, security, signage, portable toilets, clean-up, and printing & copying for ENVZN24 Urban Art Takeover event. Funding will be in the public interest because it provides equal opportunities to jobs, increases diversity, and brings communities together to showcase community talent.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (29)
1	<b>BLK Box Gallery &amp; Creative Center (Rescinded)</b>	<b>Rescinded Award</b>	<b>(\$10,000)</b>	<b>3/14/2023 (15)* 10/23/2024</b>
1	Bonitafest Melodrama/Teatro Pastorela	The Bonitafest Melodrama/Teatro Pastorela event highlights the region's equestrian heritage, featuring local talent.  Funding will be used for the 47th annual Bonitafest Melodrama so that there are no participation fees and ticket prices are subsidized; to fund free tickets of La Pastorela; to cover the costs of admission to the 52nd annual Bonitafest; would support a community celebration of the relocation of the Bonita glarfs.  Funding will be in the public interest because it highlights history and enhances culture within the community.	\$15,000	11/20/2024 (1)

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1	San Ysidro Women's Club California Federation of Womens Clubs	<p>San Ysidro Women's Club's mission is to promote the welfare and educational needs of San Ysidro students through scholarships, incentives awards, and community projects.</p> <p>Funds will cover costs of teddy bears, certificates, holiday decorations for Teddy Bear 4 Kids event. Additionally, funds will cover costs of teddy bears, banners, books, blankets, candy canes, certificates/flyers, amenities, and holiday decorations for the Teddy Bear 4 Kids event and to pay for certificates for the San Ysidro High School.</p> <p>Funding will be in the public interest because it will promote the welfare and educational needs of San Ysidro students by offering financial resources.</p>	\$30,000	11/20/2024 (2)
1	Central San Diego Black Chamber of Commerce Education Foundation	<p>Central San Diego Black Chamber of Commerce Education Foundation's mission is to create generational wealth through business enterprise, education, employment, and investment.</p> <p>Funding will cover personnel salaries and event costs which would include vendor invoices for expenses associated with events for the UBRC programs, such as photography, videography, DJ/music, marketing/PR, venue costs, decorations, supplies, and speaker fees.</p> <p>Funding will be in the public interest because it will economically support the community through providing resources and networking to businesses.</p>	\$50,000	11/20/2024 (3)
1	Logan Heights Community Development Corporation	<p>The mission of Logan Heights CDC is to strengthen individuals, families, and businesses in Greater Logan Heights neighborhoods through community empowerment, education, economic growth, and housing development.</p> <p>Funds will cover costs of Taste of Imperial Avenue event, which includes expenses of rental costs of tables, chairs, toilets, marketing, entertainment, decoration.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it strengthens communities and businesses through education, economic growth, and housing development.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (4)

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1	San Diego Harbor Police Foundation, Inc.	<p>San Diego Harbor Police Foundation has a mission to improve public safety by providing critical resources to help fund community awareness, officer wellness, specialized training and advanced technology.</p> <p>Funds will cover costs of supplies for student and officer programs and events for Officer Class Mentorship Program. Additionally, funds will cover the costs of supplies, and salaries for more tutors for the Teacher's RUL Tutoring Program.</p> <p>Funding will be in the public interest because it improves public safety by providing necessary resources for communities.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (5)
1	Sherman Heights Community Center Corporation	<p>Sherman Heights Community Center Corp's mission is fostering community through education, cultural enrichment, health promotion and personal development.</p> <p>Funds will cover costs of support program related to staff wages, salaries and benefits, artist stipends, contract services, and operational costs, for the Dia de los Muertos Celebration and Jovenes Youth Program.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it will foster community through education, cultural enrichment, health promotion and personal development by providing resources.</p>	\$10,990	11/20/2024 (6)
1	Southwestern College Foundation	<p>The Southwestern College Foundation's mission is to support Southwestern College, its students, and campus community. Through community partnerships, alumni connections, and donors who want to make a difference, the SWC Foundation helps students achieve their goals.</p> <p>Funding is used to cover registration costs for SWC mariachi students to attend the Mariachi Summit, which includes instructor salary, instructional materials, and tickets to attend concerts at SWC and Downtown San Diego venues.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it promotes opportunities to education and success for students to become self-sufficient.</p>	\$5,000	11/20/2024 (7)



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1	Spring Valley Community Alliance	<p>Spring Valley Community Alliance aims to strengthen the community and advocate for everyone.</p> <p>Funding will be used to pay for stage, canopy, audio equipment, sound engineer, portable toilets, dumpsters, MC and DJ, Carnival Rides, Rockwall, Face Painting, balloons, pony rides, petting zoo, event signage, printing materials, permits, cars show awards, event insurance, road closure costs, artists, face painting services, t-shirts, Quickbooks Payment processing, and staffing salaries for the Spring Valley Day Community Event. Additionally, funding will be used to pay for the inflatable start and finish line, PA System, Portable Toilets, Dumpsters, MC and DJ, medals, t-shirts, and first-aid station for the Spring valley Fun Run/Walk/Bike 5k.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it promotes events that build healthier and stronger communities for a better quality of life.</p>	\$20,000	11/20/2024 (8)
1	Women of Color Roar Media	<p>Women of Color Roar Media's mission is to celebrate African American elected officials and encourage young women of color to run for office and pursue careers in public service.</p> <p>Funding will cover operating costs for the Women of Color Roar Media payroll, including the executive director and program administrative staff.</p> <p>This funding is in the public interest as it supports community-building events, mentorship, and educational opportunities for young women regardless of race, fostering future leaders and promoting diversity in public service.</p>	\$40,000	11/20/2024 (9)
		<p><b>DISTRICT 1 TOTAL AWARD</b> (Grant Purpose Amendments, Rescinded Grant Awards and Returned Funds not included in Total Awarded)</p>	<b>\$1,037,490</b>	
2	Circle TLC Ranch, Inc.	<p>The Equine Assisted Therapy Program aims to help women and children who have experienced trauma find healing through Equine Assisted Therapy. To fund payroll, land lease, and other expenses including feed, veterinary care, grounds upkeep, diesel, vehicle maintenance, insurance, and supplies for the program. The program currently serves over 400 individuals, with the goal of expanding to 900 in the next year. Funding is in the public interest because funds will support programs that help women and children that have experienced trauma to heal.</p>	\$7,500	8/28/2024 (1)

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2	The San Diego Bicycle Club, Inc.	The San Diego Bicycle Club supports all age groups and skill levels, with the goal of promoting healthy living, bicycle safety and community engagement through cycling. Funds to support the salaries of trainers, and the cost of bicycles, helmets, insurance, event and rodeo permits. Funding is in the public interest because it will fund bicycle rodeo events promoting bicycle safety for youth and young adults while also promoting visitation and a sense of community in the location where the events are held.	\$35,000	8/28/2024 (2)
2	The San Diego County Dental Society	The San Diego County Dental Society aims to provide meaningful resources, education and advocacy for the advancement of patient care. Funds will be used to support student transportation expenses, including trolley, bus, and ride share costs, and covering the cost of instructor wages, online study courses, e- textbooks and dental instruments. The program also provides job placement support, with the goal of enhancing workforce development for recent immigrants to San Diego.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (3)
2	Upcountry, Inc. (Rescinded)	Rescinded Award	(\$2,500)	6/19/2024 (8)* 10/23/2024
		<b>DISTRICT 2 TOTAL AWARDED</b> (Grant Purpose Amendments, Rescinded Grant Awards and Returned Funds not included in Total Awarded)	<b>\$52,500</b>	
3	Asian Business Association Foundation	The mission of ABA is to unite, promote and advocate the San Diego Asian business community and provide resources for economic growth and help businesses to compete effectively in the local and global marketplace. To support the creation of long-term infrastructure for increased voter registration and participation of AANHPI residents with the cost of staff salaries. Funds will also support contractors to host educational seminars and workshops in the community as well as local tabling events. In partnership with the Asian and Pacific Islander American Vote (APIAVote) and the County of San Diego Registrar of Voters, the ABA seeks to continue to bring together and maximize the collective impact of local nonprofit organizations, leaders, and community members to successfully register and educate voters. Funding is in the public interest because it will help support efforts to increase voter participation in a non-partisan manner.	\$20,000	7/24/2024 (1)
3	Campana Studios	The mission of Campana Studios is to create art programming, for adult and youth workshops and public art projects and collaboration with other organization. Funds will support operating expenses, salary for a part-time programs and other staff, as well as rental space, curation, installation reception, and programming for gallery shows. These projects will enhance Campana's ability to create platforms for artists to engage and uplifted communities as well as fulfill their mission. Funding is in the public interest because it will help increase access to the arts and arts education.	\$40,000	7/24/2024 (2)

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3	Carlsbad Hi-Noon Rotary Club Foundation	The mission of the rotary is to promote the advancement of education, participate in general community services, and to assist other charitable organizations within the City of Carlsbad. Funds will support the Carlsbad Rotary Oktoberfest with the purchase of payment readers and walkie-talkie systems, equipment including pop-up tents, chairs, tables, shade canopies, parking shuttle buses for offsite parking as well as promotional materials including print and online advertisements, signage and banners. Funding is in the public interest because funds will be used for the Octoberfest, a community event that brings the community together and draws visitors to the region.	\$10,000	7/24/2024 (3)
3	The Coronado Schools Foundation	The mission of the Coronado Schools Foundation is to raise and manage funds to provide exceptional learning experiences for all Coronado Unified School District students. Funds support the Coronado Art & Wine Festival with the costs of safety and medical services including onsite ambulance and EMT crew, first aid station with medical equipment and fire extinguishers, sanitation equipment, safety and traffic control, security and fencing. Funding of the festival is in the public interest because it draws visitors to the region and brings the community together while promoting the benefits of the arts in education.	\$10,000	7/24/2024 (4)
3	Disco Riot	The mission of Disco Riot is to grow social consciousness and connection through collaborative, thought-provoking movement-based arts in San Diego. Funds will support the cost of staff salaries for artistic and administrative growth for BIPOC, LGBTQIA+, and disabled artists. Funding is in the public interest because it will help promote the health and societal benefits of dance in the community.	\$10,000	7/24/2024 (6)
3	The Samuel Lawrence Foundation	The mission of The Samuel Lawrence Foundation is to strengthen community connections through art, science, and education by connection the community with knowledge and collaborating on solutions. Funds will support the costs of the radioactive waste symposium with the costs of staff salaries, advertising and marketing, including newsletter development and audio-visual recordings, equipment and facility rentals, and vendor invoices.  This symposium will partner with UC San Diego and Scripps Institute of Oceanography to develop public engagement and solutions for the lack of a national nuclear waste policy for the safe storage and removal of nuclear waste from our community.	\$10,000	7/24/2024 (6)
3	San Diego Youth Symphony and Conservatory	The mission of San Diego Youth Symphony and Conservatory is to instill excellence in the musical and personal development of students through rigorous and inspiring musical training experiences.  Funds will support the Childhood Introduction to Music Education, with Smiles (ChIMES) and Music Discovery programs with the costs of staff salaries and facility rentals. Funding is in the public interest because these innovative early education programs are fully interactive, making musical instruction a vehicle for early childhood development and improving school readiness.	\$10,000	7/24/2024 (7)

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3	2B-Rad	The mission of 2B-RAD is to use nature to heal life's hardships. Funds will support the Hike 2B-RAD with the cost of salaries for coordinators, contractors, and supplies to run a hiking program that uplifts the health and well-being for hundreds of individuals participating actively in nature and community. Funding is in the public interest as these hikes help individuals and families meet new people and build community while remaining active and promoting mental health.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (1)
3	Autism Tree Project Incorporated	The mission of the Autism Tree Project is to help those neurodivergent live their best lives. Founded in 2003, Autism Tree is dedicated to improving the lives of those who are neurodivergent throughout San Diego County and benefits the entire family. Funds will support Education and Support and Navigating Neurodiversity Programs with the costs of staff salaries. This funding is in the public interest as these programs are expected to serve more than 1,700 children and families and will provide them with extensive support, social communication opportunities and the resources they need to enroll in college, secure employment and live independently.	\$15,000	8/28/2024 (2)
3	Cardiff-by-the-Sea Chamber of Commerce	The mission of the Cardiff-by-the-Sea Chamber of Commerce is to provide attractive entrances into Cardiff-by-the-Sea, to secure a safe and healthy environment, and to promote a walkable community that provides goods and services for residents and visitors alike. Funds will support the Cardiff Dog Days of Summer, Cardiff Farmer's Market and Taste of Cardiff, and the Kringle Mingle event with the purchase of tents, fencing, portables, security, stage/production set up, branded cups, branded shirts, MC, music, bus transport reusable cups and sporks, music, printed materials, marketing, trash removal, fencing, portables, traffic control, permits, decorations, and production set up. These events are in the public interest as they foster local community and culture, support small businesses, and encourage community engagement throughout San Diego County.	\$15,000	8/28/2024 (3)
3	Carlsbad Rotary Foundation	The mission of the Carlsbad Rotary Foundation is to unite community to take action to create lasting, positive change locally and around the globe. Funds will support the 2024 Annual Wine Vine Uncorked Carlsbad with the cost of website support to promote the event, permits, security, van, and gas rentals, AV equipment, and musician and staff salaries. This charity Wine and Vine is in the public interest because it will be benefiting 11 charities as well as draw people to the region and brings the community together. The event is also used to promote other important community services such as low-income families, homeless, youth, veterans, mental health services, environmental, and education.	\$15,000	8/28/2024 (4)

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3	Coastal Roots Farm	The mission of the Coastal Roots Farm is to cultivate healthy, connected communities by integrating sustainable agriculture, and food justice. Funds will support the Environmental STEM, Nutrition & Workforce Development, Organic Food Access program and the Farm Film & Music Festival with the cost of staff salaries and supplies such as gardening tools, seeds, soil, and irrigation. These programs are in the public interest as they deliver unique farm-based education and foster inclusive spaces for people of all ages and backgrounds to come together to create a healthier and vibrant community and a more sustainable region.	\$17,500	8/28/2024 (5)
3	Community Housingworks	The mission of Community Housingworks is to help people living on low wages and fixed incomes by building and owning stable, affordable apartment homes and providing onsite services and opportunities for residents. Funds will support the Study Stars and Family Nights programs with the cost of staff salaries and rentals to provide homework help, one-on-one tutoring and instructors to support i-Ready reading scores. These programs are in the public interest because they will be able to reach more than 40 children and families at the La Costa Paloma community, providing them with tools and cultural support to support reading and academic at home to achieve long-term academic and future success.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (6)
3	Little Italy Association	The Little Italy Association pledges to advocate on behalf of its members and residents in the areas of public safety, beautification, and economic development while preserving the unique cultural resources that exist in the Little Italy community of San Diego. Funds will support office rent as well as marketing and public relations services to promote Little Italy in San Diego as a destination and promote local businesses and special events. These funds are in the public interest as they promote small businesses in the Little Italy region as well as provide maintenance services within the city right of way and public spaces to benefit residents and businesses and promote tourism.	\$15,000	8/28/2024 (7)
3	Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation, Inc.	The mission of the Rancho Santa Fe Rotary Foundation is to take action to create lasting change locally and around the globe. Funds will support the Taste of Rancho Santa Fe event with the cost of raffle ticket printing, packaging and display, scan rentals, TicketSpice, permits, security, bathroom rentals, Music/AV rentals, a DJ, parking, glassware, and online promotion of the event. These funds are in the public interest because this event will raise money to help multiple charities in providing support for the homeless and food insecure, abuse victims, foster youth, educational support and active duty and veteran groups.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (8)

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3	San Diego Audubon Society	The mission of the San Diego Audubon Society is to defend our region's birds, unique biodiversity, and threatened habitats through advocacy, education, and restoration. Funds will support 16 classes of 3rd-6th grade students through the Sharing our Shores Mission Bay education program with the cost of staff salaries, office rental, transportation, including buses, Kendall-Frost Marsh Day passes, and materials such as plants, seeds, and educational signs, and staff salary support for the Barona Cultural Center for Kumeyaay Curriculum Education. These programs are in the public interest because they provide education to youth to increase students understanding of coastal bird adaptations, conservation efforts in their community, and grow their desire to be environmental stewards.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (9)
3	San Diego Council on Literacy	The mission of the San Diego Council on Literacy is to unite the community to support literacy through advocacy, partnerships, resources, and coordination. Funds will support the Literacy-for-All Service-Related resources with the costs of staff salaries to support literacy services and provide information and referral services, book purchases to provision books to children and replenish Little Free Libraries, mailed monthly books through the coordination of the imagination Library program, and promotional materials to recruit volunteers. These funds are in the public interest because they help support the Council to serve over 2,000,000 residents to unite communities and support literacy for all and have contributed to enhanced literacy skills for San Diego County students, parents, and community members.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (10)
3	San Diego Food Systems Alliance	The mission of the San Diego Food Systems Alliance is to cultivate a healthy, sustainable, and just food system in San Diego County. Funds will support the San Diego County Food Vision 2030 - 4th Annual Gathering with the costs of staff salaries, event coordinator, venue rental, printing costs, musicians and childcare. This event is in the public interest as it will provide a space for community leaders to come together to nurture the movement for food system transformation in San Diego County to cultivate a healthier, more sustainable, and more just food system throughout our region.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (11)

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3	San Diego Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Pride aka San Diego Pride	<p>The mission of San Diego Pride is to foster pride, equality, and respect for all lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender communities locally, nationally, and globally. Fund will support the Youth Programming with the cost of staff salaries to advocate for and empower hundreds of LGBTQIA+ youth through a series of events and programs like the Pride Youth Marching Band, the Youth Leadership Academy, The Youth Art Show, and the Pride Youth Collective. Funds will also support the Art of Pride through commissioning local artists artwork, providing community education, and partnerships with local organizations in creating events that bring the community together. Funds will also support SHEFEST and accessibility programs with ASL interpretation, workshops, performers, vendors, mobility devices, staff salaries, ramps, sensory equipment, and other accessibility technology and supplies. These funds are in the public interest as these programs, events, and outreach efforts foster a sense of belonging and empowerment, offering a place where LGBTQIA+ individuals can thrive and celebrate their identities openly and proudly. SD Pride is committed to safety, education, awareness, and social justice and promoting understand and acceptance.</p>	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (12)
3	The Surfrider Foundation	<p>The mission of The Surfrider Foundation is dedicated to the protection and enjoyment of our world's ocean, waves, and beaches, for all people, through a powerful activist network. Fund will support the Monthly Beach Cleanups in San Diego with the cost cleanup equipment such as trash grabbers/tables/canopies, the cost a storage unit where equipment is stored, event permit applications, staff fuel costs to manage these cleanups on site, and to fund meetings/sessions for training new volunteers, including the costs of T-shirts, modest giveaways, etc. These Monthly Beach Cleanups are a public benefit as they remove unsightly, environmentally damaging pollution from County Beaches as well as foster a community-based stewardship of the coast.</p>	\$15,000	8/28/2024 (13)
3	Temple Solel of Northern San Diego County, Inc.	<p>The mission of the Temple Solel is to be a vibrant, inclusive and engaged community, grounded in relationships. Funds will support contracting with the Sheriff's department for additional deputies to maintain police presence and serve as liaison with local law enforcement, shuttle services to prevent guests from walking along a busy street, and the salary for an additional security guard while site hardening is complete. All Temple Solel's activities and programs are open to the public without regard to religious affiliation. Funding will be in the public benefit as it will help promote Temple Solel in its operations to support local charities and external community activities to foster community events to bring different groups together as well as foster community benefit through programs such as meals for the homeless.</p>	\$30,000	8/28/2024 (14)

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3	Un Mar De Colores	The mission of the Un Mar de Colores is to envision an equitable coastal community with programs that bridge socio-economic gaps, increase coastal access, and encourage personal exploration and expression. Funds will support the Youth Surf Therapy for Equitable Ocean Access and Cultivating Stewardship Through Environmental Education programs with the costs of staff salaries, surfing equipment such as boards and wetsuits, transportation costs such as bus and van rentals, and permits. These programs are of public interest because they will connect 100 children from underserved communities to the transformative power of the ocean through surf therapy, environmental education, and 1-1 mentorship and will close the gaps in ocean access and environmental education.	\$10,000	8/28/2024 (15)
3	Walter Munk Foundation for the Oceans	The mission of the Walter Munk Foundation for the Oceans is to continuing Walter Munk's Legacy of daring exploration and discovery through scientific research, education and ocean conservation. Funds will support the Walter Munk Day ~ Celebrate our Oceans Day event with permits, event coordinator and staff salaries, rentals, printed materials, hats, lanyards, bookmarks, generators, canopies, face painters, tablecloths, walkie talkies, and back packs/bags. This event is in the public interest as it provides an ocean and environment educational event that includes cultural and heritage education of the Kumeyaay as well as brings awareness to the importance of environmentally safe keeping of our oceans and coastlines.	\$20,000	8/28/2024 (16)
3	American Academy of Pediatrics, California Chapter 3	The mission of the American Academy of Pediatrics, California Chapter 3 (AAP-CA3) is to promote the optimal health and development of the children and adolescents of California. Funds will support the Reach Out and Read San Diego program with the costs of staff salaries and book supplies. Funds are in the public interest because this program is the only national early literacy organization working directly with pediatric care providers to share the lifelong benefits that result from families reading aloud to their children every day.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (1)
3	Center for Community Energy, Inc.	The mission of the Center for Community Energy is dedicated to facilitating the transformation of local energy production, procurement, and transmission through research, education, technical advice, and consulting. Funds will support the creation of an EB-5 Regional Center with the cost of staff salaries to create a study to understand the requirements, form a community coalition, and research and apply for various other grant resources. Funds are in the public interest because the creation of an EB-5 Regional Center will raise funds to finance energy efficient improvements and low-income housing in communities of concern.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (2)



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3	Climate Action Campaign	The mission of the Climate Action Campaign is to stop climate change through effective policy action. Funds will support the education and outreach initiatives with the costs of staff salaries and digital media promotion. Funds are in the public interest because these education and outreach initiatives will focus on clean air, energy, public health, and empowering communities to drive change and access funding for a sustainable future.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (3)
3	Del Mar Village Association, Inc.	The mission of the Del Mar Village Association is to assist the City of Del Mar in enhancing the downtown economic vitality while preserving its history and unique character. Funds will support the North Pole by the Sea, Del Mar Summer Solstice, and Village Movie Nights programs with the costs of A/V equipment, permits and facility rentals, promotional media, and screen rentals. These funds are in the public interest as they will attract visitors and residents to Del Mar Village to support small businesses and stimulate the local economy.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (4)
3	Emerald Keepers	The mission of Emerald Keepers is to promote sustainability and green initiatives in California as well as educating and inspiring individuals to adopt sustainable practices in their daily lives. Funds will support the costs of staff salaries for an executive and development director. Funds are in the public interest because these positions will allow Emerald Keepers to provide a variety of educational initiatives, events, and collaborations with local businesses, and foster a culture of environmental responsibility within the community. By doing so, Emerald Keepers seeks to create an eco-friendlier Coronado for future generations.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (5)
3	Housing 4 the Homeless	The mission of the Housing 4 the Homeless is to serve San Diego's most vulnerable unsheltered community members, helping them to move from crisis and vulnerability to safety, stability and self-sufficiency, by connecting them to life saving services & community, restoring their connection to a hopeful and thriving future. Funds will support the Emergency Shelter for Medically Fragile Older Adults with the costs of staff salaries, facility rentals, medical care, and hygiene kits. Funds are in the public interest because this program helps homeless individuals get off the street and into emergency shelter as well as medical and case work care with the goal of getting them into permanent housing.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (6)

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3	Liberty Station Improvement Association	<p>The mission of the Liberty Station is to serve as a thriving community hub where history and modern life intertwine. Funds will support the Military Heroes Festival with the cost of fencing and trash removal, permits, rentals of generator, hand stations, bathrooms, canopy, tables, stools; Halloween at the Station with the costs of generators, hand stations, bathrooms, canopy, sound system, delineators, trash removal and traffic controllers and the Salute the Season Tree Lighting with the costs generators, building, sound system, canopy, traffic signs and traffic controllers, permits and medical personnel.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as these events offer enriching and memorable experiences for San Diegans and tourists and promote the rich military history and pride of Liberty Station.</p>	\$20,000	9/25/2024 (7)
3	The Library Association of La Jolla	<p>The mission of the Library Association of La Jolla is to provide La Jolla and San Diego County with library resources in music and arts.</p> <p>Funds will support the costs of exhibitions with the costs of staff salaries, facility rentals, art and summer classes, books, CDs, DVDs, sheet music, and other promotional materials. These funds are in the public interest as they will increase accessibility to visual art and music as well as host exhibitions, musical performances, and art classes for residents and visitors.</p>	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (8)
3	Mama's Kitchen	<p>The mission of the Mama's Kitchen is to provide nutritional support to San Diego residents at risk of malnutrition. Funds will support the costs of staff salaries for meal preparation and delivery as well as meal containers and supplies. Funds are in the public interest because these meals are medically tailored for critically ill residents who are at risk of malnutrition due to critical illness. This no-cost program allows individuals to use their limited resources for other necessities such as housing, and healthcare, keeping clients in their homes with access to care.</p>	\$5,000	9/25/2024 (9)
3	The Mission Beach Town Council Inc.	<p>The mission of the Mission Beach Town Council is to ensure the health, safety, beautification, and economic growth of the Mission Beach Neighborhood and consists of individuals committed to the betterment of the community with initiatives aimed at enhancing the quality of life for all. Funds will support the costs of Mission Beach cleanup efforts with the cost of contracting cleanup crews.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it will help to clean and maintain Mission Beach which attracts many residents and tourists. Cleaning will also include digging out drains and stairs buried by sand and will support post king-tide cleanup promoting safety in Mission Beach.</p>	\$20,000	9/25/2024 (10)

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3	The Parish of St. Michael's-by-the-Sea Episcopal Church, in Carlsbad, California	The mission of St. Michael's-by-the-Sea is to be a beacon of truth and love; through the richness of traditional worship and unite the community for all who wish to join. Funds will support the St Michael's Jazz Fest with the costs of event staff, A/V equipment, security, bathroom rentals, permits, digital media promotion, and bookkeeping. The event is open to all regardless of affiliation and funds will be used for a secular music festival. Funds are in the public interest because as the St. Michael's Jazz Fest will educate the community on the cultural significance and history of jazz, build and strengthen the local community though the joy of music and dance, and will feature national, local, high-school, college, and armed forces bands.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (11)
3	Positive Action Community Theatre	The mission of the Positive Action Community Theatre is to empower individuals with unique needs and create community through the performing arts. Funds will support in person and virtual theatre workshops as well as Theatre Troupe Projects with the costs of staff salaries and facility rentals. Funds are in the public interest as these programs provide people with autism with high quality theatre workshops that teach them social and communication skills, provide them with community, and help them find a place for themselves in the world professionally and personally.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (12)
3	Reading Legacies	The mission of the Reading Legacies is to facilitate supportive relationships for children through family and friends reading aloud with them. Funds will support the Book Bridges, First Teachers, Youth Readers, and Storybook Inspirations Programs with the cost of staff salaries, children's books and educational materials. Funds are in the public interest because these programs focus on research pointing to reading aloud with children as critical to their educational and emotional development and effective in forming and maintaining intergenerational family bonds.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (13)
3	The San Diego Art Institute	The mission of the San Diego Art Institute is to develop artists and supporters of the visual arts through exhibition, education, and outreach. Funds will support the ICA San Diego's C You Saturday! program with the cost of staff salaries. Funds are in the public interest because this program provides the San Diego community and out-of-town guests with an opportunity to engage with contemporary art and artists through a free monthly public event series.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (14)

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3	San Diego Fire-Rescue Foundation	The mission of San Diego Fire-Rescue Foundation is to enhance the capabilities of the San Diego Fire-Rescue Department by providing advanced equipment, comprehensive training, cutting-edge technology, and vital community education resources. Funds will support the community outreach & recruiting with the costs of printing and purchasing safety education and promotional materials and resources and compostable junior firefighter helmets. Funds will also support the Women in Fire International Conference with the costs of shuttle services and the Girls Empowerment Camp and Women's Fire Prep Academy with the costs of shirts, backpacks, graphic design and promotional photography, marketing, and printing. Funds are in the public interest because these programs promote education and awareness of firefighting departments and programs and increase equity for women firefighters.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (15)
3	The San Diego Fleet Week Foundation	The mission of Fleet Week San Diego is to honor, celebrate, and thank the men and women of the military through public events and alliances that increase public awareness of the many contributions made by the military and the defense community to the San Diego region. Funds will support the cost of rentals and materials for Fleet Week which includes porta potties and sinks, signage, bike rack, tents, programs, AV equipment, staging, flyers, programs, participant boat numbers, Staff and Volunteer t-shirts, and sound equipment. Funds are in the public interest because San Diego Fleet Week Foundation will produce 12 unique events that honor and thank the over 115,000 active-duty military members and over 230,000 veterans across San Diego County.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (16)
3	So Say We All	The mission of the So Say We All is to help people tell their stories, and tell them better, through creating performance opportunities, educational offerings, and accessible media forums. Funds will support the VAMP Storytelling Showcase with the costs of staff salaries. Funds are in the public interest because they will provide free workshops to participants, engaging community members in the art of writing and presenting, develop their true-story narratives with 1:1 coaching by professional artists, and present their finished pieces at quarterly VAMP Storytelling Showcases.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (17)
3	Torrey Pines Association	The mission of the Torrey Pines Association is to preserve native habitat, especially the pine woodland, and increase enjoyment and stewardship of the reserve. Funds will support the costs of staff salaries to help develop a transportation study to assess transportation options for visitors at the Torrey Pines State Park. Funds are in the public interest because these studies will develop an implementation strategy to match the latest demand and current conditions and create a memo for a proposed shuttling routing. This will support San Diego's Climate Action Plan and other initiatives to reduce carbon emissions and slow the impact of climate change.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (18)

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3	Big Brothers Big Sisters of San Diego County, Inc.	The mission of the Big Brothers Big Sisters of San Diego's mission is to ignite youth power and promise through mentoring relationships. Funds will support the 2024 Holiday Event for Bigs & Littles, Volunteer Recognition, 5k Any Way, and Graduation Celebration with the costs of staff salaries, facility rentals, and award plaques. Funds are in the public interest as these items will aid in the recruitment of Bigs to support 1-to-1 mentoring for youth and adolescents.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (1)
3	Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce	The mission of the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce is to promote business through member services, economic and community development, and public policy that balances economic prosperity with quality of life. Funds will support the Carlsbad Village Street Faire with the costs of security, promotional materials, and stipends for logistics management. Funds are in the public interest as the street fair provides exposure for local businesses as well as growing local community engagement.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (2)
3	Community Resource Center	The mission of the Community Resource Center is to help neighbors create paths to healthy food, stable homes and safe relationships. Funds will support the cost of staff salaries, purchase of supplies and operational expenses such as utilities for refrigeration, and delivery truck maintenance. Funds are in the public interest as these funds will expand the Food and Nutritious Center which provides nutritious fresh and non-perishable food, hygiene items and CalFresh enrollment assistance to economically vulnerable families.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (3)
3	Encinitas Chamber of Commerce	The mission of the Encinitas Chamber of Commerce is to advocate and promote a healthy and prosperous business environment, which improves and preserves the quality of life in the Encinitas community. Funds will support the Encinitas Oktoberfest 2024 and Encinitas Business and Community Expo 2025 with the costs of staff salaries, promotional materials, permits, security, A/V equipment, and staging. Funds are in the public interest as these events engage the local community and support local commerce.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (4)
3	Encinitas Rotary Club Foundation	The mission of the Encinitas Rotary Club Foundation is to serve others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders. Funds will support the Encinitas Rotary Charity Wine & Food Festival with the costs of parking and traffic control, security, fencing, permits, bathroom rental, promotional printing, hotspot rental, wait staff, tables and chairs, radios, venue, and website expenses. Funds are in the public interest as the proceeds of the event will go to multiple non-profit organizations that serve the community through homeless services, environmental protection, promoting the arts and STEM, and sheltering animals.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (5)

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3	Experience Nature Unplugged	The mission of the Nature Unplugged is to inspire wellness in the digital age. Funds will support the Hike-A-Thon, Outdoor programming, and educational programming with the costs of staff salaries site and park permits, promotional materials, and vendor fees for an educational podcast. Funds are in the public interest as these programs support better mental health for youth and community through outdoor activities.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (6)
3	Kim Center for Social Balance	The mission of the Kim Center is to transform ecosystems so that everyone has fair and accessible opportunities to thrive. Funds will support the LEAPS Dashboard with the costs of staff salaries, graphic design and website development, translations, and UX/UI research and development. Funds are in the public interest as this dashboard will provide unprecedented interactive access to key, local workplace equity data related to workforce and economic development and amplify the region's success in addressing workplace equity issues by uniting decisions-makers around common goals.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (7)
3	Leucadia-Encinitas Highway 101 Mainstreet Association	The mission of the Leucadia-Encinitas Highway 101 Mainstreet Association is to support the Historic Leucadia North Coast Highway 101 Corridor by enhancing its economic and civic vitality, which includes promotion and marketing its vision, fostering partnerships, retail development and a 'sense of place' while acting as the lead advocate for its historic preservation and community cultivation through the engagement of all its citizens. Funds will support the LeucadiART walk, Summer Fun on the 101 and Leucadia Farmers Market enhancement with the cost of traffic control, handicap accessible trolley, trash abatement, permits, design, print promotional materials, A/V equipment, security, bathroom rentals, tents, furniture rentals, and staff salaries. Funds are in the public interest as these events promote tourism and increase exposure for local small businesses.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (8)
3	MCRD Museum Foundation	The mission of the Marine Corps Recruit Depot Museum Foundation is to preserve and promote the history, traditions, and legacy of the United States Marine Corps. Funds will support the Youth Education Program with the cost of an interactive map, and the Tun Tavern Tuesday and the Family Forever events with the costs of staff salaries and mentorship stipends. Funds are in the public interest as the interactive map will significantly enhance youth learning and family events will connect families to services, focusing on mental health services.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (9)
3	New Village Arts, Inc.	The mission of New Village Arts is to create adventurous artistic experiences to awaken the human spirit. Funds will support the NVA's 23 Season theatre experiences with the costs of staff salaries and artist stipends. Funds are in the public interest as these productions will inspire, entertain, and enlighten the community as well as bring accessible productions that celebrate diverse voices while bringing artists together to create unforgettable experiences.	\$20,000	10/23/2024 (10)

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3	North Shore Symphony	The mission of the North Shore Symphony is to present professional quality concerts performed by local musicians; to maintain and foster an interest in and enjoyment of classical music for audience and musicians alike; and to be an affordable cultural resource for the Long Island community in San Diego County. Funds will support the rental of rehearsal and performance venues, conductor and soloist stipends, and purchase of rental music for productions in San Diego County. Funds are in the public interest as these programs allow accessibility to orchestral music to broaden the knowledge and appreciation to a growing audience.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (11)
3	Promise2kids Foundation	The mission of the Promises2Kids is to ensure children and youth who have been removed from their homes due to abuse or neglect have access to the programs and services they need to help them address the challenges of their childhood and establish a solid foundation for a stable future. Funds will support the Services for Former Foster Youth At-risk for Homelessness with the cost of staff salaries. Funds are in the public interest as these services will connect youth to comprehensive resources including mentors, education, employment, and basic needs so they can develop self-sufficiency, life skills, and healthy habits.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (12)
3	San Diego-Imperial Council, Boy Scouts of America	The mission of the San Diego-Imperial Council, Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law. Funds will support the Labor Day Family Adventure Day and the Spring Family Adventure Day with the costs of staff salaries, facility rentals, and outdoor equipment and stations including kayaks, crafts, canoeing, and paddle boards. Funds are in the public interest as these events are open to all families to enjoy the benefits of Mission Bay through outdoor activities, oceanography and conservation.	\$5,000	10/23/2024 (13)
3	San Diego Children's Choir	The mission of the San Diego Children's Choir is to provide children with music education and performance opportunities that foster performance excellence and collaboration at the highest artistic level, nurturing individual development and creating a foundation for lifelong success. Funds will support the costs of staff salaries, venue rental and production fees for Winter and Spring Concerts. Funds are in the public interest as a full time Elementary Choir Director will increase the impact of student outreach by providing direct choral music instruction and educational oversight.	\$7,500	10/23/2024 (14)
3	San Diego Mountain Biking Association	The mission of the San Diego Mountain Biking Association is to Improve Trail Access, Encourage Stewardship and Build Community. Funds will support the costs of staff salaries. Funds are in the public interest as this will allow for increased capacity to efficiently reach project timelines to provide better trails for all users of parks and open space areas and support land management and educational and volunteer opportunities.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (15)

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3	San Dieguito Academy Foundation	The mission of the San Dieguito Academy Foundation is to collaborate to enrich every student's SDA experience. Funds will support the San Dieguito High School Academy Writing Lab and the College, Career Center with the costs of a stipend for the writing lab instructor, tables, chairs and yearbooks. Funds are in the public interest as these programs support students in college preparations, essays and professional writing.	\$12,500	10/23/2024 (16)
3	San Dieguito Heritage Museum	The mission of the San Dieguito Heritage Museum is to collect, preserve and interpret local history and to share the story of the communities of the San Dieguito region to children and adults in ways that are authentic and exciting. Funds will support the Haunted Ghost Town and Spring Fling events with the cost of marketing, advertising, graphic design, mailing, printing, equipment rental, sound and lighting, permits, crafting supplies, tables and chairs. Funds are in the public interest as these programs promote tourism for the region as well as provide activities for residents and youth.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (17)
3	San Diego Tijuana World Design Capital 2024	The mission of the San Diego Tijuana World Design Capital is to promote and encourage the use of design to further the economic, social, cultural, and environmental development of the world's cities. Funds will support the World Design Policy Conference with the costs of furniture rentals, performance fees, generator rentals, interpreter services, security, permitting, maintenance, forklift rentals, and parking. Funds are in the public interest as this event will host government, non-profit, and business organizations to harness design as a transformative tool to position our region as a global hub for creativity and forward-thinking solutions.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (18)
3	Solana Beach Chamber of Commerce	The mission of the Solana Beach Chamber of Commerce is to provide support and resources that build a vibrant and thriving community and commerce. Funds will support the Fiesta del Sol festival with the costs of staff salaries, permits, security, promotional materials, signage, A/V equipment, staging, and fencing. Funds are in the public interest as this event promotes tourism in the community and will provide a safe festival environment for attendees.	\$17,500	10/23/2024 (19)
3	Solana Center for Environmental Innovation	The mission of the Solana Center for Environmental Innovation is to engage the community to make sustainable change through education and action on waste diversion, healthy soil, and water conservation. Funds will support education and recycling and waste reduction seminars with the costs of staff salaries, A/V equipment, and outreach and advertising materials. Funds are in the public interest as these programs provide positive environmental education for the region and across California while highlighting options for organic waste from landfills and optimizing food recovery.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (20)



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3	TMA Bluetech	The mission of TMA Bluetech is to foster innovation and collaboration in maritime defense, decarbonization, and ocean resilience through a network of global industry leaders and startups. Funds will support the Blue Tech Week program with the costs of staff salaries and stipends for high school students and teachers, and policymakers. Funds are in the public interest as this seminar aims to stimulate fascination in young minds, with the intent to channel this interest into blue economy career paths.	\$15,000	10/23/2024 (21)
3	The University City Foundation for Public Schools	The mission of The University City Foundation for Public Schools is to raise money to supplement education programs for University City Schools. Funds will support EdUCate Oktoberfest, Taste of the Triangle, and Wellness Together programs with the costs of staff salaries, permits, fencing, security, portable restrooms, marketing, ads, signs, flyers, banner printing and installation, mailings, canopy, tables, chairs games trash, rental entertainment, volunteer t-shirts, trolley/bus rental, food service items, software platform, venue rental, marketing, entertainment, audio/visual aids, tables, linen, equipment rental, food service items, decorations. Funds are in the public interest as the proceeds of these events go to public schools in University City to benefit education for youth.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (22)
3	VETS – Beyond the Uniform Foundation	The mission of the VETS - Beyond the Uniform Foundation is to reduce the number of unemployed military veterans and military spouses, while also reducing veteran suicides, by providing them with the additional skills & certifications to empower a successful journey into the civilian workforce. Funds will support staff salaries and educational materials. Funds are in the public interest as programs support skills assessments, coaching and mentoring, training and certification programs, and resume review and employment referrals activities for veterans.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (23)
3	Villa Musica	The mission of Villa Musica is to make music accessible through education, performance, and community engagement. Funds will support music instruction, community satellite sites, and Encore! Programs with the costs of staff salaries, musician stipends, and facility rentals. Funds are in the public interest as these programs provide education and for underserved youth in the community to.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (24)
3	Washington Elementary School Foundation	The mission of the Washington Elementary School Foundation is to provide supplemental programming and supplies above and beyond what is provided by the school district. Funds will support staff salaries for STEAM programming including garden and club facilitators, Taekwondo teacher, basketball coach, and visual arts teacher. as well as a stipend for a local muralist for an interior mural project. Funds are in the public interest as the funds will be able to elevate the students learning experience and provide programming and activities.	\$10,000	10/23/2024 (25)

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3	Blue Water Institute	<p>The mission of the Blue Water Institute is to encourage attendees to think broadly about how climate change affects planet Earth and think deeply about the universal concerns and actions needed to bring the planet into balance.</p> <p>Funds will support the JJC La Jolla Screening, UCSD Epstein Amphitheater, Mangelsen Nature Gallery Book signing, and Atheneum Public Library events with the costs of facility rentals, staff salaries, artisan stipends, signage, table rentals, security, and digital marketing.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as these events serve to educate the community on Climate Change and what can be done to protect the environment.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (1)
3	California State University, Long Beach Research Foundation (Shark Lab)	<p>The mission of the CSULB Research Foundation is to support and engage in research, entrepreneurship, community service, sponsored programs and the acquisition of private resources.</p> <p>Funds will support the White Shark Monitoring and Research, Education and Community Outreach with the costs of staff salaries, additional stipends for divers, and salaries for lifeguard training.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as shark monitoring will provide crucial data for tracking sharks throughout San Diego Counties coastlines which is provide to Lifeguards and Harbor Patrols to keep swimmers safe.</p>	\$16,000	11/20/2024 (2)
3	Cultura Media Services, Inc.	<p>The mission of the Cultura Media is to inform bilingual and Spanish speaking communities with news in health, education, finance, and politics and provide access to resources and information.</p> <p>Funds will be used for Cultura Media's TransFronterizo program by providing support the costs of rent, electricity, and internet services.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as the TransFronterizo program supports transborder students with information workshops and webinars to provide essential support to help families navigate college readiness, admissions, financial aid, and scholarship applications.</p>	\$7,000	11/20/2024 (3)

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3	Empowering Latino Futures	<p>The mission of the Empowering Latino Futures is to remove barriers to educational and professional success for Latinos, Latinas, and other underserved communities by creating products, services, content, partnerships, and programs that lead to equal opportunity for all.</p> <p>Funds will support San Diego Organizations Database and the First Time Latino Homebuyers Club with the costs of staff salaries, promotional and marketing materials, online software, and digital webpages.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as these programs will help create lasting personal relationships and empower the community to seek out available resources.</p> <p>Items will support the Latino Book and Family Festivals, Education Begins in the Home programs which promote education and equal access to resources for the Latino community. These events are open to all regardless of race.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (4)
3	Hillel of San Diego	<p>The mission of the Hillel of San Diego is to enrich students' lives so that they may enrich the world and build an inclusive community. Hillel provides educational services to people from all religious backgrounds.</p> <p>Funds will support the cost of full-time armed security guards.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as the additional security will provide students a safe place to rest and study and will to provide mental health support and wellness programming.</p>	\$15,000	11/20/2024 (5)
3	UDW Resource Center	<p>The mission of the UDW Resource Center is to promote the dignity and wellbeing of caregivers through leadership development, education, and material support such as food, housing, and healthcare.</p> <p>Funds will support staff salaries for Case Managers and Immigration Analysts.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as these resources will provide members and caregivers with service aid in the citizenship-process, work visa reauthorization, and other resources.</p>	\$30,000	11/20/2024 (6)
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4	Access	<p>Access's mission is to address the needs of the most vulnerable and underserved populations in San Diego County by promoting self-sufficiency and economic independence through education and employment opportunities</p> <p>Funds will be used to purchase canopies, tables, chairs, permits, and food for their community resource events.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because the organization focuses on the community's most vulnerable members and brings them resources and services that impact the community.</p>	\$7,600	11/20/2024 (1)
4	Access Youth Academy	<p>Access Youth Academy is a nonprofit that intends to transform the lives of underserved youth through academic enrichment, health and wellness, social responsibility, critical thinking, and leadership development using sports as a catalyst.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries, facility costs, and support of their youth and athletic departments.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it will support youth in historically underserved communities.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (2)
4	Art Form (Found objects recycled materials)	<p>ArtForm is a non-profit that engages its surrounding communities through art education and environmental stewardship through workshops and events.</p> <p>Funds will be used for the operational cost of facilitating workshops, rent, insurance, staff salaries, and supplies.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it helps the community to practice an art form that inspires ingenuity, problem solving and conservation.</p>	\$11,200	11/20/2024 (3)
4	Boys to Men Mentoring Network	<p>B2M is a nonprofit that is empowering young men with the necessary mentorship that is vital for young men to achieve in life.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries, facility rental, venue fees, software, hardware, gas, printing materials, equipment rentals and food for their Group Mentoring Program.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because it will support over 1,000 youth with mentoring services.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (4)

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4	Broadway Heights Community Council	<p>The mission of the Broadway Heights Community Council (BHCC) is to enrich and enhance the quality of life within the Broadway Heights neighborhood.</p> <p>Funds will be used for the salary of a grant writer.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because the Council aims to build a strong, empowered community by encouraging civic participation, promoting economic stability, and improving overall community health and well-being.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (5)
4	Casa de Oro Alliance	<p>The Casa de Oro Alliance is a nonprofit whose purpose is to support the revitalization of Casa de Oro, an unincorporated area of Spring Valley, CA.</p> <p>Funds will be used for salaries, design, printing, and installation of 30 double-sided banners, removal of the current faded banners, paying all county fees related to amending the existing light pole banner permit, contract with Art-Reach San Diego to oversee, manage, and supervise the mural project and that includes all the necessary equipment.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest to foster a historically rich, culturally diverse, thriving community in the unincorporated area of Spring Valley, CA.</p>	\$35,000	11/20/2024 (6)
4	Chaldean Community Council	<p>The Chaldean Community Council provides essential resources and support to help Chaldean and Middle Eastern families build a new life in El Cajon.</p> <p>Funds will be for software and support for case managers, application fees for participants, food, and professional contracted services all for their Newcomer support program.</p> <p>Funding is the public interest as it empowers new immigrants to thrive in the community.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (7)
4	Charity Apostolic Church	<p>The mission of the organization is to intervene in the lives of our youth and adults who are actively gang-involved or violence-involved to help them make self-change through cognitive behavioral therapy and educational classes.</p> <p>Funds will be used to complete a study and develop a report on the Cost of Gun Violence.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest to inform policy decision and resource allocation by quantifying the financial impact of gun violence, regardless of religious affiliation.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (8)

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4	Climate Action Campaign	<p>Climate Action Campaign aims to achieve a just and livable future by advocating for transformative climate policies that clean the air, prioritize equity, protect public health, and build community resilience.</p> <p>Funds will cover staff salaries.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because the organization educates residents on how cleaner transportation options and safer streets contribute to preventing crime and improving public health.</p>	\$18,500	11/20/2024 (9)
4	CTC Foundation, Inc.	<p>The Clairemont Town Council's purpose is to promote the civic, commercial, educational, and cultural activities, as well as the general welfare of the community of Clairemont.</p> <p>Funding will be used for paint supplies, lift rental, and artist fees for a mural to be painted in the Clairemont area in the County of San Diego.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest to beautify the community with fine art.</p>	\$9,150	11/20/2024 (10)
4	Depositing Empowerment through Outreach and Urban Redevelopment	<p>The DETOUR FANCY program is a nonprofit under Fancy that mentors women of color.</p> <p>Funds will support staff salaries, costs for rent and program venues, bank fees, subscriptions, phone, and internet.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as it will foster community engagement and leadership, empowering participants to contribute positively to their community.</p>	\$35,000	11/20/2024 (11)
4	East County Economic Development Council	<p>East County Economic Development Council's mission is to address specific research, education, and economic development projects in the East County.</p> <p>Funds will be used to cover staff salaries and subcontracting costs with the Small Business Development Center to provide services to support small businesses and aspiring entrepreneurs in the community.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as they will directly serve residents by fostering business and economic growth, particularly in historically underinvested communities</p>	\$12,000	11/20/2024 (12)
4	The Fourth District Seniors Resource Center	<p>The FDSRC is a hub for seniors in Southeastern San Diego.</p> <p>Funding will be used for staff salaries.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization provides critical resources to seniors residing in a historically underserved community.</p>	\$50,000	11/20/2024 (13)

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4	GLM House, Inc.	<p>Grow Lead Motivate House provides comprehensive housing solutions and supportive services to our unhoused, formerly homeless, and justice-impacted individuals in San Diego County.</p> <p>Funds will be used for general office expenses, print and copy materials, clothing, office equipment, hardware, and transportation costs.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as it will empower residents with the tools and resources needed to secure stable employment.</p>	\$8,000	11/20/2024 (14)
4	The Grandparent's Connection, Inc.	<p>The Grandparent's Connection (GPC) is a volunteer resource program that removes the barriers that grandparents and relative caregivers face when caring for their children.</p> <p>Funds will be used for permits and insurance, rental tables, chairs, tents, audiovisual equipment, banners, an outdoor refrigerator cooler, stage for the performers, barbecue grill, portal potties, singers, dancers, and vendor booths. For the children, a 78-foot jumper, laser tag games, face painting, photo and painting booths, popcorn, and snow cone machines.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as this program will address the ever-increasing need for support and resources for grandparents and relative caregivers in historically underserved communities.</p>	\$5,000	11/20/2024 (15)
4	Grossmont-Mt. Helix Improvement Association	<p>GMIA is a nonprofit that works on behalf of the Mt. Helix-Casa de Oro community to ensure that its quality and character are preserved and enhanced.</p> <p>Funds will be used for shuttle bus rentals, production of a newsletter, banners, food, tableware and decorations.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as GMIA offers events that bring the community together, along with informing and advocating for the community on issues of local interest.</p>	\$10,900	11/20/2024 (16)
4	Heaven's Windows	<p>Heaven's Windows focuses on assisting residents who experience inequities in their necessities of life such as healthy food, wellness, and quality of life.</p> <p>Funds will cover their Child Nutrition Program and costs including supplies, facility rentals, and vehicle maintenance.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization elevates the current living conditions of poverty-stricken residents of San Diego County.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (17)

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4	The High Steppers Drill Team, Inc.	<p>The High Steppers Drill Team, Inc. mission is to support youth, by exposing them to an educationally enriched and supportive environment.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries, uniforms, and rent for continued usage at their current facility.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization's primary goal is to advance the health and wellness of young people.</p>	\$20,000	11/20/2024 (18)
4	House of Pacific Relations, International Cottages, Inc.	<p>The mission of the House of Pacific Relations is to ensure the community harmoniously comes together with international and cultural presence.</p> <p>Funds will be used for their 90th-anniversary celebration and costs include marketing, sound system, trash services, permits, tents, tables, chairs, porta-potties, compartment sinks, and entertainment fees.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization supports performing arts groups and small businesses found in the County.</p>	\$15,000	11/20/2024 (19)
4	Humble Design, Inc.	<p>Humble Design changes lives and communities by custom designing and fully furnishing home interiors for individuals, families, and veterans emerging from homelessness.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries, operational and administrative costs.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because the organization thrives in preventing homelessness, invests in communities, and increases economic opportunities for the region's most vulnerable.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (20)
4	La Maestra Foundation, Inc.	<p>The mission of La Maestra is to provide and support advocacy and community services that improve the overall well-being of low-income, culturally diverse individuals and families in San Diego and guide them along the path to self-sufficiency.</p> <p>Funds will be used to pay for staff salaries and program supplies.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because La Maestra empowers low-income, immigrant, and refugee women towards financial literacy.</p>	\$7,946	11/20/2024 (21)
4	Lincoln Hornets Alumni Association	<p>The Lincoln Hornets Alumni Association is dedicated to enhancing academic programs by providing essential supplies and scholarships that empower students to pursue post-secondary education.</p> <p>Funds will be for staff salaries, office supplies, and insurance.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization empowers vulnerable populations through scholarships and financial assistance, thereby increasing economic opportunity for all.</p>	\$30,000	11/20/2024 (22)



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4	Media Arts Center San Diego	<p>Media Arts is a non-profit organization that provides new media tools and channels to create engaged communities where underserved voices are heard.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest because the organization provides access to new media tools and channels for underserved voices.</p>	\$13,000	11/20/2024 (23)
4	Media Heritage, Inc	<p>Media Heritage is a non-profit organization dedicated to addressing the experiences of LGBTQ+ individuals through education, entertainment, and enlightenment.</p> <p>Funds will be used for artist fees, travel, and accommodations for their 25th annual film festival.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization seeks to recognize, promote, celebrate, and support the important diverse artistic contributions LGBTQ filmmakers and others make in the County.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (24)
4	Outside the Lens	<p>The mission of Outside the Lens is to ignite confidence in young people to pursue creative pathways and drive social change through the transformative power of media arts.</p> <p>Funds will be used for the salaries of media educators and communication specialists.</p> <p>Funds will be in the public interest to help youth develop life skills relevant to a variety of careers, including collaboration, communication, problem-solving, resilience, and decision-making skills.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (25)
4	Paddle for Peace	<p>Paddle for Peace is a nonprofit organization that connects low-income and inner-city youth to the healing power of the ocean through play, learning, and adventure.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries, food for students in their Costal Ninja Academy and program supplies.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization empowers local youth to become leaders in their communities while providing safe alternatives to gang activity and drug use.</p>	\$20,000	11/20/2024 (26)

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4	San Diego African American Museum of Fine Art, Inc.	<p>The mission of the San Diego African American Museum of Fine Art (SDAAMFA) is to present and preserve the arts and cultures of African Americans and the African Diaspora.</p> <p>Funds will be used for the cost of Creative Crosswalks for the SD Black Arts + Culture district, including city permits and traffic control. Additionally, funds will be used for their Art + Culture festival which includes equipment rental specifically, stage, generators, and fencing as well as contractor fees for artists, musicians, and security.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as the organization promotes improvements and programming that are designed to help residents and small businesses leverage the arts.</p>	\$45,000	11/20/2024 (27)
4	San Diego Civic Youth Ballet, Inc.	<p>The San Diego Civic Youth Ballet is a nonprofit organization that provides the youth of San Diego with an opportunity to study, understand, and appreciate, through education and participation, the art of ballet.</p> <p>Funds will be used for the educational outreach showcase and boys' program which includes staff salaries, costumes, and supplies.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization provides performance opportunities, fostering increased participation in the arts, building confidence, and improving teamwork skills.</p>	\$14,000	11/20/2024 (28)
4	San Diego Refugee Tutoring	<p>SDRT provides holistic academic support through one-on-one tutoring, enrichment activities, and mentorship to students of refugee background in City Heights.</p> <p>Funds will be used for salaries for managers and academic liaisons, and field trips and events.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization strives to create a community that supports students of refugee background and their families for the long term.</p>	\$31,632	11/20/2024 (29)
4	Spring Valley Chamber of Commerce	<p>The mission of the Spring Valley Chamber of Commerce is to create a cohesive community for the businesses and residents of Spring Valley.</p> <p>Funds will be used for staff salaries.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization guides the businesses and residents of Spring Valley, Casa de Oro, Rancho San Diego, and Jamul on how to navigate the County of San Diego.</p>	\$37,820	11/20/2024 (30)

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4	The Tariq Khamisa Foundation	<p>The Mission of the Tariq Khamisa Foundation is to create safer schools and communities through educating and inspiring children in the restorative principles of accountability, compassion, forgiveness, and peacemaking.</p> <p>Funds will be used for mentor salaries and supplies needed for the various programs.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization focuses on improving the social-emotional health of at-risk youth.</p>	\$20,000	11/20/2024 (31)
4	Thrive Lemon Grove	<p>Thrive Lemon Grove is a community-based multi-sector group dedicated to advancing public health and safety initiatives through collaborations to elevate the quality of life in Lemon Grove.</p> <p>Funds will be allocated to general operational support, community art events, and supplies needed for the drive-through event.</p> <p>Funds are in the public interest as the organization invests in neighborhoods and communities by providing the most vulnerable with resources and food to impact health and wellness, as well as improving the quality of life of residents.</p>	\$35,000	11/20/2024 (32)
4	Urban Corps of San Diego County	<p>Urban Corp's mission is to provide young adults with tools to expand their career opportunities through education, life skills training, and paid work experience on projects that benefit our communities.</p> <p>Funds will be used for new electric tools such as chainsaws, leaf blowers, and trimmers for their youth lead crews to beautify the community.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as Urban Corps' workforce development and education program provide disadvantaged young adults a second chance to earn their high school diplomas.</p>	\$5,000	11/20/2024 (33)
4	Voices of our City Choir, Inc.	<p>Voices of Our City Choir amplifies the voices of people impacted by homelessness through music and the arts.</p> <p>Funds will be used for salaries, program supplies, and program administration.</p> <p>Funding is in the public interest as the organization enriches the lives of the people by offering a suite of musical/creative skill-building programs, combined with on-site human services and wraparound service referrals, to neighbors experiencing homelessness.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (34)

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4	Women of Color Roar Media	Women of Color Roar provides the residents of the County with cultural and civic educational events and programs.  Funding will cover capacity support/general operation costs.  Funding is in the public interest as the organization is committed to empowering, educating, preparing, and supporting young women.	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (35)
4	The Regents of the University of California for the University of California at San Diego (Rescinded)	Rescinded Award	(\$10,000)	3/14/2023 (19)* 11/20/2024
		<b>DISTRICT 4 TOTAL AWARDED</b> (Grant Purpose Amendments, Rescinded Grant Awards and Returned Funds not included in Total Awarded)	<b>\$696,748</b>	
5	Escondido History Center	The Escondido History Center's mission is to promote and celebrate the history and agricultural heritage of Escondido. They partner with other community organizations to host the annual Grape Day Festival, a free family event that was established in 1908. Funds will assist with marketing cost such as promotional materials, signs, banners, flyers, printing and advertising costs, rental cost for infrastructure such as a stage, tables, chairs, sinks, cooling stations, barriers, canopies, and portable restrooms, staff costs including entertainment and security for 2024 Grape Day Festival event.	\$25,000	7/24/2024 (1)
5	Escondido Sunrise Rotary, Inc.	The Escondido Sunrise Rotary is the premier host of the annual Grape Day 5K Walk event, that celebrates the history and tradition of Escondido while supporting the community and expanding educational opportunities. Funds will assist with fees, salaries, costs for event management, portable bathrooms, barrier rental, t-shirts, bibs, medals, banners, postage, software, and marketing costs including printing, signage, and staff for the 14th Annual Grape Day 5K event.	\$35,000	7/24/2024 (2)
5	Oceanside Chamber of Commerce	The Oceanside Chamber of Commerce serves as the voice of businesses and supports the local community. They attend to the needs of businesses, advocate for pro-business policies, support economic development, and emphasize the value of trained, educated, and skilled local labor workforce. Funds will help to purchase and publish the Best of Oceanside Magazine, assist with event costs such as the Oceanside Senior Expo and North County Health Fair, programs including the Economic Development Program and Workforce Development Program that assist businesses and nonprofits through workshops, marketing, materials, and services.	\$85,000	7/24/2024 (3)
5	Bonsall Chamber of Commerce	The Bonsall Chamber of Commerce was established in 1990 and serves the community of Bonsall and the surrounding areas by advancing the welfare and prosperity of its members and businesses. Funds will assist with the design and purchase of the member directory, rental cost for buses and equipment to support the free Bonsall Bridge Centennial Celebration and salary cost for the visitor and office operations to increase economic stability and promote tourism.	\$39,000	8/28/2024 (1)

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5	YMCA of San Diego County	The YMCA of San Diego County (YMCA) is a non-profit dedicated to improving the quality of human life and to helping all people realize their fullest potential. The Joe & Mary Mottino Family YMCA branch serves families in Oceanside. Many of the skills, connections, and experiences that children need such as life-saving swim lessons, \$45,000 care and access to instruction is a critical need for local families, and aquatics programming will be an essential support of commitment to the community. Funds will support facility operation costs such as pool maintenance and cleaning, instructor(s) and lessons cost for swim safety lessons for children.	\$45,000	8/28/2024 (2)
5	Alta Vista Botanical Gardens	Alta Vista Botanical Gardens was established in 1999. Their mission is to create a botanical garden for the education, enlightenment, and inspiration for children, and the child within us all. Funds will help with the 25th Anniversary Fundraising Dinner Gala to purchase plates, silverware, coffee dispensers, condiments, table rentals, linens and staff cost. This is a public event that fosters involvement of the local community in efforts to protect and preserve endangered habitats. This award is in the public benefit because it promotes education, art and nature to bring together community members and raise awareness on preservation efforts.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (1)
5	Borrego Springs Chamber of Commerce	The mission of the Borrego Springs Chamber of Commerce is to provide leadership and act as a catalyst in creating a vibrant economic environment that supports business growth and attracts people to visit and live in Borrego Springs. Funds will support general operational costs including projects, events, staffing and administration of the Borrego Springs Chamber of Commerce, Visitors' Bureau and Welcome Center for global destination marketing leadership and local economic development. This award is in the public benefit because throughout the year, visitors flock to Borrego Springs to spend time in nature, attend events and shop and stay at local businesses. The Borrego Springs Chamber is a resource that keeps the public informed about the many opportunities the area has to offer.	\$100,000	9/25/2024 (2)
5	Fallbrook Senior Citizen's Services Club	The mission of the Fallbrook Senior Center is to promote healthy aging, independence and well-being of active, older adults in the community of Fallbrook. Funds will help with a part time salary cost for an Outreach and Development position that will allow the organization to provide programs and services, which support the dignity and enrichment of life for seniors. This award in the public benefit because there is a growing population of older adults that are relying on new ways to receive information through marketing. This position will increase public awareness online and help to coordinate local events for hard-to-reach seniors.	\$10,000	9/25/2024 (3)

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5	The Foundation for Care Integration	The Foundation for Care Integration ensures that older, vulnerable adults can maintain their independence and dignity by accessing essential resources. Funds will be used to develop and distribute educational materials, organize workshops to train AmeriCorps volunteers to provide respite and caregiving services to veterans and their families, and salary cost for an administrator to run the respite care program that allows veterans to receive a continuum of care in Vista. This award is in the public benefit because at risk patients and their families are supported through services to allow veterans and fragile older adults to stay in their home, rather than being admitted into a health institution. Thus, reducing the number of hospital readmissions.	\$11,000	9/25/2024 (4)
5	Oceanside Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Inc.	The Oceanside Chamber of Commerce Foundation provides support to local businesses and residents in Oceanside. Funds will support the Armed Services Appreciation Event for active-duty military and their families by assisting with rental cost, entertainment, logistics, transportation, staffing, signage, and flag displays. The free event recognizes the efforts of all active-duty military stationed on Marine Corps Base Camp Joseph H. Pendleton and nearby military bases.	\$25,000	9/25/2024 (5)
5	Pro Kids Golf Academy, Inc.	The mission of Pro Kids, First Tee - San Diego is to challenge underserved youth to excel in life by promoting character development, life skills, and values through education and the game of golf. Funds will help with enrichment experiences by purchasing San Diego attraction tickets for youth after school program participants that are unable to experience these activities. This award is in the public benefit because through keeping at-risk youth engaged through sport, service and study, Pro Kids Golf provides opportunities that lays the groundwork for a successful path into adulthood.	\$11,000	9/25/2024 (6)
5	San Diego Food System Alliance	The San Diego Food System Alliance is committed to cultivating a healthy, sustainable, and just food system. Funds will help to support the 4th Annual Food Gathering for the San Diego County Food Vision 2030 event including staff salaries, an event coordinator, venue rental, printing costs, musicians and childcare. This event is in the public interest as it will provide ideas for investing in the local food economy, preserve agricultural land and soils, elevate wages and working conditions for food and farm workers, increase ownership by Black, Indigenous, and People of Color, promote food sovereignty, and more.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (7)

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5	The San Diego Fleet Week Foundation	The San Diego Fleet Week Foundation is dedicated to honor, celebrate, and thank the men and women of the military through public events and alliances that increase public awareness of the many contributions made by the military and the defense community to the San Diego Region. Funding will support the cost of rentals and materials, including porta-potties and sinks, signage, bike rack, tents, programs, AV equipment, staging, flyers, programs, participant boat numbers, staff and volunteer t-shirts, and sound equipment for Fleet Week 2024, an event that honors and salutes San Diego's active duty and veteran communities. This free public event promotes patriotism and brings together servicemembers and their families, from all branches of the military.	\$15,000	9/25/2024 (8)
5	San Marcos Chamber of Commerce	The San Marcos Chamber serves as the best resource for its members and the business community to promote a positive business climate, economy, and quality of life. Funds will support salary cost for an Events Director, Office Manager and Event Security for free community events in San Marcos. This award benefits the public by generating revenue that will stimulate the economy.	\$40,000	9/25/2024 (9)
5	Visit Oceanside, Inc.	Visit Oceanside is a nonprofit organization dedicated to the marketing and promotion of Oceanside as a tourism destination. They support nearly 3,500 job and influence millions of dollars generated by visitors spending. Funds will be used to promote tourism and economic development by assisting with fees and staff salary for the California Welcome Center, marketing and promotion of peak seasons, marketing and public relations cost for international tourism partnership, Super Girl Pro girls surf competition and US Open Adaptive Surfing Competition for fees, materials, staff and rental cost. All marketing and promotional efforts benefits events that are free to the public and generate revenue that will stimulate the economy.	\$75,000	9/25/2024 (10)
5	Vista Chamber of Commerce	The Vista Chamber of Commerce is a diverse organization that is focused on impacting our community in a powerful way. For more than 95 years, the Vista Chamber of Commerce has represented our community by advocating for businesses, planning for our community's future, giving back through our non-profits, and partnering to make Vista a sought-after place to do business, raise families, shop, dine, and play. Funds will support the cost of the Vista Strawberry Festival event located at 170 Eucalyptus Avenue, Ste. 115, Vista, CA 92084 including staff salaries, rentals, materials and item giveaways. This award is for the public benefit because the event is free to the public and supports the community by promoting tourism and supporting local businesses and nonprofit groups.	\$100,000	9/25/2024 (11)

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5	55Acre Project	<p>The 55Acre Project is a nonprofit organization that offers hands-on learning opportunities that promote creativity and cultivate a deeper connection to the land and the arts.</p> <p>Funds will assist with salary cost to hire staff, consultants, specialized educators and instructors.</p> <p>This award is in the public benefit because it ensures equitable access to transformative educational experiences in diverse fields such as traditional crafts, sustainable agriculture, and innovative technologies across all age ranges.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (1)
5	Borrego Springs Community Concert Association	<p>Founded in 1975, the Borrego Springs Community Concert Association's mission is to bring high-quality, eclectic music to the community, enriching the cultural landscape of the area.</p> <p>Funds will support the cost of hiring musicians and assist with free community concerts, public performances, and school concerts.</p> <p>This award will offer a public benefit by providing the community with free public performances and concerts that otherwise would be inaccessible for many.</p>	\$5,000	11/20/2024 (2)
5	Christmas Circle Community Park	<p>Christmas Circle Community Park is a nonprofit organization dedicated to maintaining and preserving Christmas Circle Park for the enjoyment and recreation of residents and visitors.</p> <p>Funds will help with park maintenance cost including landscaping, cleaning, facility repairs and upgrades located at 700 Palm Canyon Drive, Borrego Springs, CA 92004.</p> <p>This award is in the public benefit because it offers free hosting for community events, shaded areas for low-income residents that do not have proper cooling, and park facilities that thousands of visitors use, resulting in additional business for retailers and restaurants.</p>	\$40,000	11/20/2024 (3)
5	Fallbrook Chamber of Commerce	<p>The Fallbrook Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in supporting businesses, establishing the local fire department, the airpark, improvement programs for business buildings and a long-range planning program for the general community. It contributes to the economic growth of the "village" and also serves as a quasi-governmental agency for its residents.</p> <p>Funds will assist with events, programs, marketing, materials and services.</p> <p>The award is within the public benefit because it contributes to the economic success of the community.</p>	\$100,000	11/20/2024 (4)



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5	MiraCosta College Foundation	<p>MiraCosta College Foundation helps to support MiraCosta College which is a public community college, founded over 80 years ago that serves 25,000 students throughout eleven communities in North County.</p> <p>Funds will assist with the purchase of mobile hot spots for disproportionately impacted populations that include low income and minority students.</p> <p>The award is in the public benefit because it will alleviate barriers to education to allow students the opportunity to achieve their goals.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (5)
5	Moonlight Cultural Foundation	<p>The Moonlight Cultural Foundation builds and engages the community through transformative arts experiences by providing philanthropic support for Moonlight Stage Productions and Moonlight Youth Theatre's arts education programs.</p> <p>Funds will assist with admission cost for youth participants, families and nonprofit partners, support operating and rental cost for summer productions and cost for the Moonlight Youth Theater Internship Program.</p> <p>This award is in the public interest because it removes barriers to attend the theatre continuing its mission to build and engage community through transformative arts experiences.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (6)
5	Oceanside's Finest Basketball Club	<p>Oceanside's Finest Basketball Club is a nonprofit organization that provides a quality basketball program with an emphasis on developing athletes, promoting safety fun and participation for all.</p> <p>Funds will assist with staff cost, tournament fees, basketball equipment, uniforms and backpacks.</p> <p>This award is a public benefit in that it provides youth the opportunity to learn teamwork, self-discipline and leadership through free skills practices.</p>	\$30,000	11/20/2024 (7)
5	Palomar College Foundation	<p>The Palomar College Foundation works to ensure that Palomar College is supported in their mission to provide affordable, quality, higher education for residents in North San Diego County.</p> <p>Funds will help to pay artists for the Concert Hour and Music Series that highlights cultural performances and assist with bus rental cost for student attendance.</p> <p>This award is a public benefit because it supports access to the music and arts that benefit students from low socioeconomic backgrounds.</p>	\$5,000	11/20/2024 (8)

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5	San Diego Rescue Mission, Inc.	<p>San Diego Rescue Mission has been providing meals, shelter, clothing, education and job-skills training for men, women, and single parents with children experiencing homelessness since 1955.</p> <p>Funds will help with operating cost including salary cost to support the Oceanside Navigation Center that works with the City of Oceanside and Oceanside Police Department Homeless Outreach Team to address the homeless crisis in Oceanside.</p> <p>This award provides a public benefit by building relationships with vulnerable individuals and helping them to take the next step out of homelessness and increase safety and stability.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (9)
5	San Marcos Community Foundation	<p>The San Marcos Community Foundation was established in 1975 to support charitable organization that could engage philanthropy to serve community needs and philanthropic causes in San Diego County.</p> <p>Funds will assist with marketing costs to support events, training workshops, and ticket cost to special events for volunteers.</p> <p>This award is in the public interest because it supports the efforts of nonprofit organizations throughout North San Diego County that strengthens our community by providing financial assistance.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (10)
5	Social and Environmental Entrepreneurs	<p>Social and Environmental Entrepreneurs serves Veterans, Active Duty, Spouses, dependents, their caregivers, and the community through process-driven, deep Arts engagement, and art therapy.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Funds will</p> <p>support the salaries for an art instructor, facility rentals and materials for classes and demonstrations held on military bases.</p> <p>This award is in the public interest because it provides veterans with a way to work through the process of transitioning from military to civilian life through art therapy.</p>	\$10,000	11/20/2024 (11)
5	Valley Center Business Association	<p>The mission of the Valley Center Business Association is to promote and support local businesses in Valley Center and the surrounding communities.</p> <p>Funds will help with marketing costs, postage, banners, office supplies, facility and equipment rentals for events.</p> <p>This award is in the public interest because it will allow for more public engagement with businesses and the community.</p>	\$10,500	11/20/2024 (12)

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5	Valley Center Chamber of Commerce	<p>The Valley Center Chamber of Commerce promotes and support local businesses in Valley Center and surrounding communities.</p> <p>Funds will assist with salaries, events, programs, marketing, materials and services.</p> <p>The award is within the public benefit because it contributes to the economic success of the community.</p>	\$50,000	11/20/2024 (13)
5	Vista Rotary Foundation	<p>The Vista Rotary Foundation is committed to making a meaningful impact in the local community and beyond. Members embody the spirit of selflessness, coming together to drive positive change through service projects and charitable initiatives.</p> <p>Funds will assist with event costs, tickets to students for Rotary Youth Leadership Awards, LEAD Camp, and the Model UN Program and food basket items and supplies for needy families on Camp Pendleton.</p> <p>The award is within the public benefit because it connects the community while promoting integrity and giving back.</p>	\$7,000	11/20/2024 (14)
5	Warner Springs Community Resource Center	<p>The Warner Springs Community Resource Center was founded in 1998 to provide educational, social, safety, health and human resources to the residents and visitors of the Warner Springs community.</p> <p>Funds will assist with salary costs, marketing cost, cleaning supplies, maps, brochures, postage, and food bank operation cost.</p> <p>This award is in the public benefit because it helps to provide services to residents and visitors, food to reach low-income individuals and seniors, and outreach and education for native plants and tribal collaboration.</p>	\$25,000	11/20/2024 (15)
		<b>DISTRICT 5 TOTAL AWARDED</b> (Grant Purpose Amendments, Rescinded Grant Awards and Returned Funds not included in Total Awarded)	<b>\$1,003,500</b>	