

Competitive Grants

2024 Awards



Education

Career Compass of Louisiana	College & Career Coaching in Bossier & Caddo Parish Schools	\$108,319.00
Film Prize Foundation	Film Prize Junior	\$75,000.00
Holy Angels Residential Facility	AngelUniversity	\$112,500.00
Junior Achievement of North Louisiana	JA Job Shadow/JA College & Career Quest - Caddo	\$28,500.00
Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities	Deepening our Impact & Understanding 30 Years of Impact on North Louisiana	\$72,250.00
Louisiana Key Academy	Caddo Campus One-to-One Computer Program	\$61,020.00
LSU in Shreveport Foundation, Inc.	LaPREP and Its Associated Programs	\$72,250.00
Red River STEM, Inc. dba Sci-Port	General Operating Support	\$40,000.00
The Arc Caddo-Bossier	The Arc Caddo-Bossier's Children's Services: Expanding to Meet The Needs of Our Community	\$150,000.00
The Salvation Army of Shreveport	Summer Enrichment Program	\$18,750.00
Volunteers for Youth Justice	TASC (Truancy and Assessment Service Center)	\$200,000.00
Volunteers of America of North Louisiana	Communities in Schools and the LightHouse	\$500,000.00
Youth Enrichment Program	YEP Plus	\$36,840.00
Subtotal		\$1,475,429.00

Human Services

Caddo Council on Aging	Home Delivered Meals (Meals on Wheels)	\$63,750.00
Catholic Charities of North Louisiana	Family Strengthening Programs	\$130,000.00
Christian Service Program Institute	General Operating Support	\$34,000.00
Delivering Good Inc.	New Clothing and Economic Opportunity for North Louisiana	\$21,250.00
Faith and Fostering	General Operating Support	\$40,443.00
Food Bank of Northwest Louisiana	Food Pantry and Education Center	\$125,000.00
Gingerbread House Bossier/Caddo Children's Advocacy Center	Child Advocacy Program	\$100,000.00
HOPE Connections, Inc.	Solid Ground Safe Haven	\$34,500.00
Providence House	Child Development Center and Shelter Operating Support	\$150,000.00
Shreveport Bar Foundation Pro Bono Project	Legal Representation for Victims of Domestic Violence (LRVDV)	\$63,750.00
The Bridge Alzheimer's & Dementia Resource Center	General Operating Support	\$75,000.00
The Highland Center Corporation	Financial Services	\$30,000.00
YMCA of Northwest Louisiana	Safety Around Water/Swim for Life	\$51,000.00
YWCA of Northwest Louisiana, Inc.	Teen Parenting and Empowerment Program	\$25,500.00
Subtotal		\$944,193.00

Arts & Culture

LSU in Shreveport Foundation, Inc.	Red River Radio: Local/Regional News and Cultural Affairs Programming	\$59,500.00
Robinson Film Center	General Operating Support	\$42,500.00
Red River Revel, Inc.	Red River Revel 48: Vamonos Riendo	\$42,500.00
Sanctuary Arts School	General Operating Support	\$21,000.00
Shreveport Little Theatre	General Operating Support	\$34,000.00
Shreveport Metropolitan Ballet	Chance to Dance	\$15,500.00
Shreveport Opera	Shreveport Opera Xpress (SOX) Educational Music Programming for Students	\$35,700.00
Shreveport Regional Arts Council	ArtBreak 2025: Santa Calls!	\$30,000.00
Shreveport Symphony Orchestra, Inc.	General Operating Support	\$71,250.00
The Strand Theatre of Shreveport Corporation	General Operating Support	\$21,250.00
Theatre of the Performing Arts of Shreveport	The Yazy (Youth Celebrating Jazz) Summer Morning Mix: Arts Education for Underserved Youth	\$13,750.00
Subtotal		\$386,950.00

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Health & Science

Evergreen Presbyterian Ministries, Inc. dba Evergreen Life Services	Evergreen CARES	\$20,400.00
Martin Luther King Health Center & Pharmacy dba MLK Health Center & Pharmacy	Healthy Families; Healthy Communities	\$125,000.00
St. Luke's Episcopal Mobile Medical Ministry	Street Outreach Providing Preventative Healthcare to Underinsured of NWLA	\$20,000.00
The Center for Children and Families, Inc. The Philadelphia Center	Mental Health needs of children in Caddo and Bossier Parish Northwest Louisiana Region 7 HIV Resource Center	\$18,750.00 \$34,213.00
Subtotal		\$218,363.00

Economic Development

CoHabitat Foundation	LeanTrax	\$20,000.00
Goodwill Industries of North Louisiana Inc.	Job Training and Placement Program	\$110,000.00
North Louisiana Economic Partnership	Business Retention and Expansion Program Enhancement	\$75,000.00
Subtotal		\$205,000.00

Small Organization

Basic Necessities	General Operating Support	\$10,000.00
Bernstein Development, Inc.	Camp Bernstein Summer Reading and S.T.E.M. Program	\$10,000.00
Children and Arthritis	Camp Jambalaya Jubilee	\$6,750.00
Dress for Success Shreveport - Bossier	General Operating Support	\$10,000.00
Friends of the Coates Bluff Nature Trail	Trail Improvement: Kiosk and Piers	\$7,750.00
Literacy Volunteers at Centenary College	Sponsorship of Literacy Students	\$10,000.00
Louisiana Advocates for Immigrants in Detention	General Operating Support	\$10,000.00
Oakwood Home for Women, Inc.	Deck and Handicap Ramp Renovation	\$10,000.00
Renzi Education & Art Center, Inc.	General Operating Support	\$10,000.00
TEAMS (Training, Education and Mediation for Students)	Education for All	\$10,000.00
ThinkFirst of Ark-La-Tex, Inc.	Helmets for the Under Served	\$4,000.00
Subtotal		\$98,500.00

Environment

Robinson's Rescue	General Operating Support	\$25,500.00
Shreveport Green	ShreveCorps AmeriCorps Program	\$29,251.00
Subtotal		\$54,751.00

Grand Total

\$3,383,186

