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June 2017 Grants List

Great Lakes

Chandler Park Conservancy <i>Detroit</i>	for stormwater management installation and operating support for The Chandler Park Conservancy	\$207,000 yr 2 of 3
The Nature Conservancy <i>Lansing</i>	to continue to develop a prototype green green stormwater infrastructure data/ knowledge-base for the City of Detroit	\$241,000 over 2 yrs
Downtown Detroit Partnership Inc <i>Detroit</i>	to incorporate green stormwater infrastructure into the new Woodward Avenue bike mobility streetscape	\$250,000
Detroit Strategic Framework Inc <i>Detroit</i>	to amplify Detroiters as land and water stewards through education and installation of green stormwater infrastructure and help residents understand and access DWSD's drainage credit	\$326,500
Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History <i>Detroit</i>	for a planning grant for a collaborative storm water demonstration site between The Wright Museum and the Michigan Science Center	\$54,000
Eastside Community Network <i>Detroit</i>	to continue the Lower East Side Action Plan (LEAP) on the lower east side of Detroit	\$250,000
Belle Isle Conservancy <i>Detroit</i>	for renewed support for the volunteer-membership initiative	\$50,000 over 2 yrs
Alliance for The Great Lakes <i>Grand Haven</i>	to move water-related local and regional planning forward to achieve on-the-ground results and policy improvements in Detroit while inspiring citizen engagement	\$60,000
Freshwater Future <i>Petoskey</i>	to coordinate the Great Lakes Network to support binational collaboration amongst nonprofits to improve water-related outcomes	\$300,000 over 2 yrs
Wayne State University <i>Detroit</i>	to improve Great Lakes water quality by connecting regional and bi-national science for monitoring, preventing and mitigating urban stresses in the Huron to Erie corridor	\$212,000 yr 3 of 3
Detroit Educational Television Foundation <i>Wixom</i>	to work with partners to create, curate and distribute multi-platform content embracing Basin matters (policy, research, restoration, economy, land use, recreation) to inspire informed, responsible action	\$250,000 yr 3 of 3

Environmental Health, Justice & Equitable Dev

Fair Food Network <i>Ann Arbor</i>	to build organizational capacity	\$30,000 yr 2 of 3
Detroiters Working For Environmental Justice <i>Detroit</i>	for a general operating challenge grant	\$30,000

EcoWorks <i>Detroit</i>	to continue support for the Great Lakes Bioneers	\$28,000 over 2 yrs
Keep Growing Detroit <i>Detroit</i>	to build organizational capacity to generate earned revenue	\$120,000 over 2 yrs
Wayne State University <i>Detroit</i>	to address sources of air pollution, providing organizational support and coordination for the Michigan Environmental Justice Coalition, coordinating an Air Quality Advisory Committee	\$75,000 yr 3 of 3
Detroiters Working For Environmental Justice <i>Detroit</i>	to support continued work on the Detroit Environmental Agenda	\$207,000 yr 3 of 3
Detroit Economic Growth Association <i>Detroit</i>	to help increase small business investment on neighborhood commercial corridors by matching buildings and businesses with competitive grants, loans and counseling on triple-bottom-line practices	\$200,000 yr 3 of 3
Detroit Food Policy Council <i>Detroit</i>	to facilitate action on recommendations from the Economic Analysis of Detroit's Food System	\$110,000 over 2 yrs
Wayne State University <i>Detroit</i>	to support Detroit's environmental sustainability through a partnership between the Detroit Revitalization Fellows Program and community-based organizations focused on environmental health, justice and equitable development, and to support a collaborative project to address an environmental issue (to be selected by the fellows) that will impact Detroit's future	\$400,000

Anchor Arts Organizations: Transformational Grants

Pewabic Pottery <i>Detroit</i>	to expand Pewabic's tile studio to increase earned revenue, and complete a sustainability audit that will identify and reduce any negative environmental impact.	\$115,000
Arts League of Michigan <i>Detroit</i>	to significantly expand infrastructure and programs	\$250,000 yr 2 of 2

Arts & Community Life

The Heidelberg Project <i>Detroit</i>	to support the transition of the Heidelberg Project towards a new form of community arts space	\$75,000 yr 2 of 2
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Jazz Education

Detroit Symphony Orchestra <i>Detroit</i>	to continue support for the youth jazz education programs	\$50,000
Michigan State University <i>Detroit</i>	to continue and expand support for the youth jazz education programs in Detroit	\$65,000
Arts League Of Michigan Inc <i>Detroit</i>	to continue and expand the youth jazz education program	\$50,000
Detroit Jazz Festival Foundation <i>Harper Woods</i>	to continue and expand the youth jazz education program	\$50,000

Special Opportunities

Christ Church Cranbrook <i>Bloomfield Hills</i>	to use projects in music, arts and education to close the distance between cities and suburbs, as well as religious and educational communities, in metropolitan Detroit. This is an Erb Family Legacy Grant	\$90,000
Michigan Environmental Council <i>Lansing</i>	to support a partnership of Zero Waste Detroit and Green Living Science to conduct an intensive community engagement campaign to make Detroit's curbside recycling program a major success	\$116,000 yr 3 of 3
Grand Total		\$4,236,500