



December 2018 Grants List

Organization	Purpose	Amount
<u>Environment</u> Belle Isle Conservancy <i>Detroit</i>	to keep Belle Isle and its waterways free from plastic and other litter and educate residents on preventing plastic pollution	\$195,000 over 2 years
Belle Isle Conservancy <i>Detroit</i>	to construct a stormwater demonstration garden and related educational and community education as part of Oudolf Garden Detroit	\$500,000 over 2 years
Clinton River Watershed Council <i>Rochester Hills</i>	to continue to support WaterTowns, which leverages the placemaking potential of the Clinton River and Lake St. Clair. This includes watershed management, the blue economy, tourism, and green stormwater infrastructure.	\$225,000 over 3 years
Community Development Advocates of Detroit <i>Detroit</i>	for a pre-development process among four institutional partners to strengthen the community development system in Detroit.	\$400,000 over 2 years
Council Of State Governments <i>Lombard, IL</i>	to educate state and provincial legislators in the Great Lakes region and help them to collaborate regionally to align state and provincial policies with best practices	\$70,000
Detroit Strategic Framework <i>Detroit</i>	to continue support for a coalition working to engage, educate and leverage the strength of Detroiters to scale up green stormwater infrastructure. This two-year renewal will emphasize improvements to the ambassador program and innovations in GSI design	\$1,010,000 over 2 years
Environmental Defence Canada <i>Toronto</i>	to educate and engage decision makers in protecting and restoring the health of Lake Erie	\$100,000 over 2 years
Fair Food Network <i>Ann Arbor</i>	to support small food entrepreneurs in the Detroit Tri-county area, creating jobs, increasing healthy food access, and building vibrant and sustainable local food systems	\$80,000 over 2 years
Huron River Watershed	to teach environmentally responsible behaviors	\$360,000

Council <i>Ann Arbor</i>	and increase stewardship in the Huron River watershed	over 3 years
Michigan League Of Conservation Voters Education Fund <i>Ann Arbor</i>	for the One Water, Our Voice campaign, addressing water pollution concerns, including toxic algal blooms	\$75,000
National Wildlife Federation <i>Ann Arbor</i>	to broaden and deepen the membership for the Healing Our Waters - Great Lakes Coalition (HOW): a collaborative effort to promote funding and policy reform for the Great Lakes	\$450,000 over 3 years
Northeast-Midwest Institute <i>Washington, DC</i>	to orient and engage members of Congress about Great Lakes issues	\$50,000
Regents Of The University Of Michigan <i>Ann Arbor</i>	to improve regional decision making by developing socio-economic indicators of Great Lakes health	\$203,000
Tides Canada Foundation <i>Vancouver</i>	to build a constituency calling for action on nutrient pollution in Lake Erie	\$100,000 over 2 years
<u>Arts and Culture</u>		
Allied Media Projects <i>Detroit</i>	to support Essay'd's contributions to the creation of an economically sustainable arts environment in Detroit	\$35,250 year 2 of 2
Culturesource <i>Detroit</i>	to administer the application and review process for the Kresge and Erb Family Foundations' arts general operating support programs; implement a regrant program for arts organizations that are too small or new to qualify for those programs; and develop a donor advocacy and education initiative using data from the application process.	\$291,000 over 3 years
Detroit Chamber Winds & Strings <i>Southfield</i>	to continue community arts programming in Highland Park and transition program administration to the Highland Park Business Association.	\$444,800 over 3 years
<u>Special Opportunities</u>		
Chandler Park Conservancy <i>Detroit</i>	to explore the creation of a Detroit park coalition that supports the work of Belle Isle Conservancy, Chandler Park Conservancy, Clark Park Coalition, People for Palmer Park, and Friends of Rouge Park	\$35,000
Grand Totals		\$4,624,050