



Fred A. and Barbara M.
Erb Family Foundation

September 2023 Grants List

Organization	Purpose	Amount
Great Lakes		
Alliance of Rouge Communities <i>Canton, MI</i>	to identify where sanitary sewage is entering the Rouge River and to provide training to municipal staff on how to comply with their stormwater permit	\$375,000 <i>over 3 years</i>
Ecology Center Inc <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	to empower and engage PFAS-impacted community members across Michigan through the Great Lakes PFAS Action Network	\$75,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Environmental Working Group <i>Washington, DC</i>	to determine which conservation practices should be implemented at specific locations on farm fields in Michigan's sub watersheds in the Western Lake Erie Basin in order to reduce phosphorus runoff	\$150,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Friends of the Detroit River <i>Taylor, MI</i>	to develop and implement a new stewardship program and cultivate more stewards of the Detroit River	\$102,500 <i>in year 3 of 3</i>
Huron River Watershed Council <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	to engage stakeholders to develop a framework for a statewide funding mechanism for watershed protection groups and garner support for such an initiative	\$25,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Huron River Watershed Council <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	to empower local governments to take action for clean water and healthy ecosystems	\$255,000 <i>over 3 years</i>
Nature Conservancy <i>Lansing, MI</i>	to help guide the conservation of at least 30% of Michigan's lands and waters by 2030	\$240,135 <i>over 2 years</i>
Nature Conservancy <i>Lansing, MI</i>	to demonstrate and share a replicable program for delivering permanent on-farm conservation in Michigan's western Lake Erie basin	\$250,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
University of Windsor <i>Windsor, ON</i>	to share recommendations and lessons learned from the conference titled "The Ecosystem Approach in the 21st Century: Guiding Science and Management"	\$15,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Environmental Health & Justice		
Ecology Center Inc <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	general operating support	\$100,000

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Ecology Center Inc <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	to support efforts to advance policies in Michigan that will protect communities overburdened by environmental harm	\$320,000 <i>over 2 years</i>
Great Lakes Environmental Law Center <i>Detroit, MI</i>	to provide community education, policy support, and legal guidance to reduce exposures to lead hazards and advance public health	\$85,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Michigan Environmental Council <i>Lansing, MI</i>	to direct and lead a statewide coalition working to raise awareness and enact policies and measures to eliminate hazardous levels of lead exposure in Michigan	\$55,000 <i>in year 2 of 2</i>
Southeastern Michigan Health Association <i>Detroit, Michigan</i>	to form and support "Get the Lead Out Detroit," a broad based coalition focused on reducing elevated blood lead levels in children	\$95,000 <i>in year 2 of 3</i>

Arts

Detroit Sound Conservancy <i>Detroit, MI</i>	to support the renovation of the Blue Bird Inn and the development of a mission-driven program and business model	\$300,000 <i>over 3 years</i>
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Detroit Arts Support: for general operating support in year 2 of 3

A Host of People Inc	\$12,500
Accent Pontiac Inc	\$12,500
All The Worlds A Stage	\$12,500
Allied Media Projects Inc	\$25,000
Anton Art Center	\$12,500
Access	\$18,750
Arts & Scraps	\$12,500
Arts League of Michigan Inc	\$18,750
Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center Inc.	\$18,750
Birmingham Community House (Community House Association)	\$15,000
YMCA of Metropolitan Detroit	\$15,000
Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History	\$25,000
College for Creative Studies - Community Arts Partnership	\$18,750
College for Creative Studies - Design Core Detroit	\$18,750
Cranbrook Educational Community	\$100,000
CultureSource	\$50,000
Detroit Artists Market	\$12,500
Detroit Chamber Winds and Strings	\$18,750
Detroit Historical Society	\$25,000
The Detroit Institute of Arts	\$100,000
Detroit Jazz Festival Foundation	\$25,000
Detroit Opera	\$25,000
Detroit Public Library Friends	\$12,500
Detroit Public Theatre	\$18,750
Detroit Puppet Company	\$12,500
Detroit Repertory Theatre	\$12,500
Detroit Sound Conservancy	\$12,500
Detroit Symphony Orchestra	\$100,000

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Detroit Zoological Society		\$100,000
DPTV and WRJC (Detroit Educational Television Foundation)		\$100,000
FAR Conservatory Of Therapeutic and Performing Arts		\$18,750
Garage Cultural Inc		\$12,500
Heritage Works		\$18,750
Huron Valley Council for the Arts		\$12,500
InsideOut Literary Arts Project		\$18,750
Live Coal		\$12,500
Living Arts		\$18,750
Macomb Center for the Performing Arts & Lorenzo Cultural Center		\$18,750
Matrix Theatre Company Inc		\$12,500
Meadow Brook Theatre (The Theatre Ensemble)		\$25,000
Michigan Science Center		\$25,000
Mosaic Youth Theater of Detroit		\$18,750
Motown Historical Museum		\$18,750
MSU - Community Music School Detroit		\$18,750
Museum of Contemporary Art Detroit		\$18,750
Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts		\$25,000
Pewabic Society Inc		\$25,000
Planet Ant Theatre Inc		\$12,500
Plowshares Theatre Company		\$12,500
Shakespeare In Detroit		\$12,500
Sidewalk Detroit		\$18,750
Signal Return Inc		\$12,500
Sphinx Organization Inc		\$25,000
Stratford Festival		\$100,000
The Heidelberg Project		\$18,750
The Henry Ford		\$100,000
The Scarab Club		\$12,500
WDET Radio (Wayne State University)		\$25,000
We are the Culture Creators		\$12,500
WEMU Eastern Michigan University		\$15,000
WSU - Community Arts, Press, Freerer House		\$18,750
WSU - Dept. of Dance and Theatre		\$18,750
YMCA of Metropolitan Detroit		\$12,500
Young Nation		\$12,500

Special Opportunities

Michigan Municipal League Foundation <i>Ann Arbor, MI</i>	to support the Growing Michigan Together Council which will develop recommendations to address Michigan's future population and economic growth	\$100,000
The Henry Ford <i>Dearborn, MI</i>	to relocate and restore the historic civil rights artifact, the Jackson House, in Greenfield Village	\$5,000,000 <i>over 2 years</i>
Foundation for Detroit's Future <i>Detroit, MI</i>	for a multi-year commitment to support the Detroit Grand Bargain as part of a coalition of funders	\$500,000 <i>in year 10 of 20</i>

Grant Total **\$9,762,635**