Supporting nonprofit organizations that serve the people of Texas

SID W. RICHARDSON FOUNDATION

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If we do not solve the problem with K-12 education, nothing else is going to matter all that much.

Alan Greenspan
Sid Williams Richardson established the Richardson Foundation in 1947 for the purpose of supporting organizations that serve the people of Texas. Throughout the years, the directors and staff have sought to fulfill his vision by providing grants primarily to educational, health, human service, and cultural organizations. When substantial income from assets from the late Mr. Richardson’s estate became available in 1962, the Foundation began its current program of distributing major grants, which have totaled $390,251,974.

A lifelong resident of Texas, Mr. Richardson was born on April 25, 1891, in the East Texas town of Athens. Although his interests reached beyond Texas and his personal contacts were worldwide, he retained his utmost concern for the people of his home state. For this reason, he provided in the Foundation’s charter that all grants be awarded to recipients within the state of Texas.

Oil, cattle, and land formed the basis of his lifework. His fortune paralleled the boom and bust nature of the petroleum industry in its early years, but his inherent drive for accomplishment, coupled with his keen insight into human nature and sincere interest in people, contributed more than anything else to his success. He had an amazing instinct about people.

His capacity for generating and maintaining real friendships was exceptional, and he loved to be around true friends. His friends knew him as a man of great courage, yet soft-spoken, kind, sentimental, and loyal to everyone who befriended him.

Mr. Richardson was as much at home with cowboys in a country cafe as dining in fine New York restaurants. He was in no sense extravagant or flamboyant, however, and he was unimpressed with ostentatiousness and people who practiced it.

He had a strong desire to create and build, and his entrepreneurship led him to accept challenges and pursue them time and time again. He was known for his ability to condense complicated situations into simple “horse sense” that endeared him to presidents and business executives. When once asked to describe his own business philosophy, he said, “I guess my philosophy of business life is: Don’t be in too big of a hurry, don’t get excited, and don’t lose your sense of humor.”

His reputation as a tireless dealmaker stayed with him to the end of his life. After a full day’s work, he died quietly in his sleep on September 30, 1959.

In addition to Mr. Richardson’s business dealings, a love for Western art emerged from his ranching experience, which provided him with vivid impressions of the Old West. He became an avid collector of paintings by Frederic Remington and Charles M. Russell. He thought they captured, better than any other artists, the vitality, color, and motion that he had always associated with the West. Today, these magnificent paintings are...
on permanent exhibit in Fort Worth, Texas, in the Sid Richardson Museum, which is supported by the Foundation. Established in 1982, the Museum has one of the nation’s most significant collections of paintings of the 19th century American West by Remington and Russell. Visitors from all 50 states and 68 countries have come to view the paintings. Admission is free to the Museum, which is open daily except for major holidays.

Mr. Richardson continues to have a tremendous impact on his native state through the broad and diverse programs of the Richardson Foundation.

Photograph taken in 1950 of Sid W. Richardson (seated) and his friends, Amon G. Carter (left), founder/publisher of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and General Dwight D. Eisenhower (U.S. Army, ret.), who became the 34th President of the United States (1953-61).
Over the year 2011, the Sid Richardson Foundation contributed $11,225,000 to 131 nonprofit organizations serving the people of Texas. The grants were concentrated in four program areas: Education, Health, Human Services, and Arts and Culture. The Foundation made education and health grants across Texas and concentrated its human services and cultural grants in Tarrant County. The grants went to organizations large and small, supporting efforts to offer a helping hand to those struggling to get on their feet and investing for the long term to improve the quality of life and build a brighter and healthier future for all Texans.

**Education**

The Foundation focused its education efforts on improving the quality of pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade public education in Texas. The areas of emphasis were:

- Early childhood education and enrichment programs to ensure that children enter Kindergarten ready to learn.
- Teacher and principal recruitment and development with the goal of producing school leaders and educators who will achieve measurable academic gains for Texas students.
- Mentoring and tutoring programs to keep at-risk youth in school and performing up to their potential.
- Expansion of public school options with support of high-performing charter schools.

**Health**

In its health grant-making, the Foundation seeks to promote health and wellness of our state’s low-income and uninsured population and invest in medical research to improve the healthcare and quality of life for all Texans. To advance these goals, the Foundation focused its grants in the following areas:

- Improving the quality and expanding the availability of primary care in underserved communities.
- Addressing the nursing shortage.
- Supporting health education.
- Funding research at our state’s premier healthcare institutions and hospitals.

**Human Services**

The Foundation limits its human services grant-making to Tarrant County, seeking to play an integral role in building an effective social support network for the county’s citizens. The Foundation supports a broad array of organizations.
providing help to our county’s most vulnerable populations and those facing personal or family crises. The Foundation provided grants in the following service areas:

- Basic needs, including food, clothing, and shelter.
- Services for elderly, disabled, and chronically ill populations.
- Building strong families, including programs to prevent and address domestic violence and child abuse.
- Support for children with developmental disabilities.
- Job, life skills, and language training to enable people to lead productive and independent lives.
- Youth programs, helping youth overcome challenges arising from lack of family support and economic and health crises.

**Arts and Culture**

The Foundation supports the many arts and cultural organizations in Fort Worth that enrich the lives of its citizens and visitors and contribute to the quality of life that has made Fort Worth one of the fastest-growing cities in the nation. In addition to providing general operating support for museums and performing arts organizations, the Foundation funds in-reach and outreach programs to connect the youth and school districts of North Texas to the educational opportunities provided by these arts organizations. With budget cuts curtailing art and music instruction and programming at many public schools, this alternative high quality arts education option fills a major void in the academic experiences of the region’s children.

Pete Geren
President
In 1978, the trustee of the A. Smith Gill estate and community leaders Ginny Richards and the late Martine Ginsburg established Gill Children’s Services. Gill is a source of last resort for needy children in Tarrant County whose health, social, or educational needs have not been met by other community resources. On average, two thousand families a year turn to Gill for assistance after they have exhausted all personal and local resources. Other service providers and volunteers partner with Gill to offer discounted services and leverage Gill’s donor dollar in its service to its clients. (www.gillchildrens.org)
## Statement of Assets and Liabilities

*Year Ended December 31, 2011*

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As of December 31, 2011, the Foundation owed $8,810,000 in future grant commitments. Other liabilities totaled $3,779,922 including accounts payable. Net income was $3,348,613 after payment of federal excise taxes of $358,035. The distributable amount for grants is based on the fair value of investment assets.
GRANT GUIDELINES

Eligibility

To qualify for consideration for a grant, an organization must have received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service indicating that it is an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and is treated as other than a private foundation within the meaning of Section 509(a) of the Code. An organization may also qualify if it falls within the terms of Section 170(c) (1) and the contribution requested is to be used exclusively for public purposes.

Grant requests must be limited to programs and projects within the state of Texas. No grants can be made to individuals.

The Foundation provides grants for education and health on a statewide basis, but limits its grants for human services and cultural organizations to Fort Worth and its neighboring communities.

Application Process

The Foundation requests a preliminary inquiry, in the form of a letter briefly describing the project or program and affirming the organization’s eligible tax status, prior to the filing of the formal application.

If the project falls within Foundation guidelines, a formal proposal will be accepted for staff review. An applicant may either complete the application form available on the Foundation’s website or send a letter that provides the information requested in the form. The applicant may provide additional information as needed to describe special aspects of the project or program. Where appropriate, a copy of the IRS 501(c) (3) determination letter must be supplied.

In most instances, the staff will conduct a site visit.

Deadline for Formal Applications

The Board of Directors will hold one meeting each year to consider grant proposals for that year. Formal applications must be received no later than January 15.

Approval Process

After the winter board meeting, decisions on all requests will be reported by mail. Applicants whose proposals have been approved will receive a letter of agreement outlining the terms and conditions of the grant. After an authorized official of the organization has signed and returned the letter to the Foundation office, accepting the terms and conditions of the grant, a schedule of grant payments will be established.

Preliminary inquiries should be addressed to:

Mr. Pete Geren, President
Sid W. Richardson Foundation
309 Main Street
Fort Worth, TX 76102
Tarrant County Back-to-School Roundup

The annual Tarrant County Back-to-School Roundup is a broad-based collaborative effort among Tarrant County agencies, the county’s 20 school districts, the City of Fort Worth, state agencies, nonprofit organizations, corporations, and volunteers. The Back-to-School Roundup provides free school supplies to approximately 10,000 economically disadvantaged students in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade and 7,000 backpacks to elementary school students every year. Serving as a one-stop shop to get children and families ready for school, the Roundup also provides a wide range of services including haircuts, immunizations, dental supplies and checkups, fluoride application, and health and vision screening. Community resource booths offer information on literacy, parenting, nutrition, and social services. Recipients of free school supplies are residents of Tarrant County from the ages of 4 to 18 who attend public school and whose families meet the Federal Poverty Income Guidelines. Pre-registration events are held across the county throughout the summer to sign up families for the Roundup. (www.tarrantcounty.com)
The mission of Generation Hope Laptop Program is to nurture, empower, and develop the whole child through math, science, and technology instruction and exposure to a wide range of cultural and educational offerings in Fort Worth. Established in 2008 by Tarrant County Commissioner Roy C. Brooks, the after-school program partners with local museums and area colleges and universities to provide a structured curriculum in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM-based education) to 400 low-income middle school students from 12 schools in the Crowley, Everman, and Fort Worth school districts. The award-winning program also provides instruction in personal finance, writing, and career exploration and offers cultural enrichment in a four-week College for Kids summer program at Tarrant County College. In 2011, three Generation Hope students placed third and fifth in the math and science competition at the Texas Alliance for Minorities in Engineering Program’s statewide competition. (www.gen-hope.org)
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<td>This grant provided general support for the summer school program for Fort Worth ISD middle school students on the Fort Worth Country Day School campus.</td>
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<td><strong>Cassata High School</strong></td>
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<td>This grant provided general support for the operations of the Cassata High School, an alternative to traditional high schools for struggling teens.</td>
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<td><strong>Center for Reform of School Systems, Inc.</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Centro Fox Foundation</strong></td>
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<td>This grant provided support for a series of lectures by world leaders in Fort Worth hosted by former Mexican President Vicente Fox.</td>
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<td><strong>College for All Texans Foundation:</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Closing the Gaps</strong></td>
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<td>These funds provided support for a partnership between the College for All Texans Foundation and the Center for Research, Evaluation and Advancement of Teacher Education (CREATE) to improve the preparation of teachers for Texas schools. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $420,000.</td>
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<td>This grant funded counseling services for at-risk students in 36 public schools in Tarrant County.</td>
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<td><strong>Courage &amp; Renewal - North Texas, Inc.</strong></td>
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<td>This grant provided support for a program that provides renewal and encouragement for teachers, nurses, and nonprofit leadership.</td>
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<td><strong>Cowboy Heritage Association of Fort Worth</strong></td>
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<td>These two grants provided support for the Kindergarten Readiness Program and for the Connect4Success curriculum at Western Hills Primary School in Fort Worth.</td>
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Fort Worth Academy of Fine Arts  $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the performing arts public charter school in Fort Worth.

Fort Worth Independent School District  $150,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provides general support of $720,000, over five years, for the Texas Academy of Biomedical Sciences, a FWISD “early college” high school preparing students for careers in the health professions.

Generation Hope Laptop Program  $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided operational support for a collaborative and comprehensive after-school program for students in the Crowley, Everman, and Fort Worth Independent School Districts.

Billy Graham Evangelistic Association  $25,000
Charlotte, North Carolina
This grant was approved for general support of the ministry within the state of Texas.

Hardin-Simmons University  $150,000
Abilene, Texas
These funds provided general support for the Holland Medical High School program, an “early college” high school for the health care professions in Abilene. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $250,000.

Just Say Yes  $50,000
Dallas, Texas
This grant provided general support for in-school programming promoting healthy and safe life choices for students in the Fort Worth Independent School District.

Kids Who Care  $40,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the Creative Minds project, a performing arts education program for North Texas schoolchildren.

The Learning Center of North Texas, Inc.  $100,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for improving instruction and educational opportunities for children with learning differences.

McMurry University  $75,000
Abilene, Texas
These funds provided support, over a three-year period, for the Math-Science Magnet School in Abilene. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $200,000.
Camp Fire First Texas, Connect 4 Success and Kindergarten Readiness

Founded in 1914, Camp Fire First Texas is one of North Texas’ oldest child and youth development agencies. Its programs include child care, after school and summer programs, camping, outdoor education, training for child care professionals, service learning, and truancy prevention. In 2011, Camp Fire served more than 20,000 children, youth, and adults in Tarrant, Denton, Parker, Johnson, Hood, and Wise Counties. Over 600 pre-school through first-grade students benefited from Camp Fire’s Connect4Success and Kindergarten Readiness programs. Through on-site coaching, teachers learn C4S strategies for developing positive social behaviors in children—skills that are foundational for success in school and later life. Parents learn about their children’s developmental needs as well as C4S principles to implement at home: the importance of routines, positive guidance, setting boundaries, and organizing homework space. In its Kindergarten Readiness program, Camp Fire provides mentoring, professional development, equipment, and materials to child care centers and family day homes in low-income communities to help children up to age five enter school with the skills they need to succeed. (www.CampFireFW.org)
Jubilee Theatre in Fort Worth’s Sundance Square was founded in 1981 by Rudy and Marian Eastman with the mission to present works that reflect the African American experience. With a proud history, growing audiences, and a tradition of artistic integrity, Jubilee has maintained its status as a gem in the Fort Worth cultural and arts scene. While focusing locally on cultivating new artists, audiences, and technicians, Jubilee is actively engaged in the Fort Worth community and schools. The theatre is committed to produce new works to engage diverse audiences and to introduce as many as possible to the power of theatre by presenting selected scenes and “talk backs” at area schools. Jubilee produces six main stage productions each year, and in 2011, its actors performed before more than 18,000 audience members. (www.JubileeTheatre.org)
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<td>The New Teacher Project, Inc.</td>
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<td>Cedar Park, Texas</td>
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<td>alternative certification program that recruits and prepares teachers to</td>
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<td>experiencing reading difficulties using audio recordings.</td>
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<td>This grant provided support for the basketball program within the athletics department at Texas Christian University.</td>
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<td>This grant provided support for “teachHOUSTON,” an innovative teacher recruiting and education program designed to improve teacher preparation in Texas.</td>
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The Women’s Center’s Jobs NOW! program helps job-seekers build life management and job skills, gain greater control of their lives, find the best possible job, advance in the labor market, and move out of poverty. Securing and retaining a job at above minimum wage is the goal of Jobs NOW! for individuals and families who are struggling to become and/or remain self-sufficient. Success in the program can make the difference between food on the table or hunger or between keeping the family home and homelessness. In 2011, 85% of Jobs NOW! clients became employed at an average wage of $12.97/hour, and 80% were still employed after one year. Jobs NOW! is one of the many programs at The Women’s Center that help women and families overcome violence, crisis, and poverty. (www.womenscentertc.org)
University of Houston System $275,000
The Woodlands, Texas
This multiyear $550,000 grant provided support for the Center for Research, Evaluation & Advancement of Teacher Education (CREATE) in carrying forward the Richardson Forum project titled “Delivering a High-Quality Teacher Workforce for Texas.” Of the total grant, $200,000 provided direct support to CREATE in implementing the study. The remaining $350,000 was divided among seven universities for the development of improved teacher education programs.

University of North Texas $31,000
Denton, Texas
This grant provided general support for the annual Mayborn Nonfiction Literary Conference in Denton.

The University of Texas at Austin $100,000
Austin, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Middle School Mathematics Program at the Charles A. Dana Center. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $168,000.

The University of Texas at Dallas $100,000
Richardson, Texas
These funds provided support for UTeach Dallas, an innovative teacher recruiting and education program designed to improve teacher preparation in Texas.

The University of Texas at Pan American $50,000
Edinburg, Texas
This grant provided support for the Educational Technology Research Center, which provides educational services for UTPA’s students in the teacher preparation program and support services to local school districts and families in the Rio Grande Valley.

The University of Texas at San Antonio $150,000
San Antonio, Texas
This grant provided support for the Texas PreFreshman Engineering Program, an accelerated summer math and engineering program for high school students offered at college campuses around the state.

Uplift Education $250,000
Irving, Texas
This multiyear grant provided operational support for the opening of three public charter elementary schools in Southeast Fort Worth. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $750,000.

World Affairs Council of Dallas Fort Worth $25,000
Dallas, Texas
This grant provided support for the World Affairs Council’s International Educational Program, which provides educational programs on global issues to students and teachers in North Texas.
The goal of Catholic Charities Fort Worth, founded in 1910, is to end poverty in this community. The faith-driven mission of CCFW is to provide service to those in need, to advocate for compassion and justice, and to call all people of good will to do the same. By meeting the needs of children, families, refugees, and immigrants—regardless of creed, ethnicity, or culture—CCFW was able to serve and give hope to 124,000 individuals and families in need during 2011. More than 90 cents of every dollar donated goes directly to provide services through over 40 innovative programs empowering clients to be self-sufficient. The Stability Initiative provides income support and credit counseling, financial education and coaching, and assistance with financial management and planning. These programs served 4,982 clients in 2011, moving them and their families toward the goal of self-sufficiency. (www.CatholicCharitiesFortWorth.org)
Empowering Community Healthcare Outreach (ECHO)

Established in 2005 by the Nancy and John Snyder Foundation of Fort Worth, Empowering Community Healthcare Outreach (ECHO) has continued to build on its mission of “starting a movement among churches and other community organizations to develop healthcare clinics for twenty million of America’s poor.” One of ECHO’s latest efforts, the Tarrant County Project, is an example of how ECHO is using its innovative methods, developed in launching more than 30 clinics across the country including four in North Texas, to address the large unmet local need for healthcare. This “model” health clinic, facilitated by ECHO in collaboration with other partners in the Fort Worth area, will expand access to primary care and improve the overall health of its clients by focusing on preventive interventions, increasing community volunteerism, and decreasing overall costs of the county’s healthcare systems.

(www.echoclinics.org)
# Grants for Health

## African American Health Expo

**Fort Worth, Texas**

This grant provided general support for the 9th Annual African American Health Expo held in Fort Worth in April 2011.

### All Saints Health Foundation

**Fort Worth, Texas**

This grant provided support for the Diabetes Research/Islet Cell Transplant program underway in the Baylor All Saints Medical Center in Fort Worth.

### American Cancer Society, Inc.

**Fort Worth, Texas**

This grant provided general support for the Patient Navigation System, a program offering personalized services to help cancer patients successfully navigate cancer treatment and recovery.

### Baylor College of Medicine

**Houston, Texas**

Four grants to Baylor College of Medicine were approved to provide support for medical research. Two grants were for Ophthalmology research, one was for Internal Medicine, and the fourth was for Otorhinolaryngology.

### Cancer Care Services

**Fort Worth, Texas**

These funds provided assistance in the purchase of client management software to support delivery of support services to cancer patients.

### Empowering Church Healthcare Outreach (ECHO)

**Fort Worth, Texas**

This grant provided funding for the establishment of primary care clinics for the low-income residents of Tarrant County. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $150,000.

### Grand Prairie Wellness Center, Inc.

**Grand Prairie, Texas**

This grant provided operational support for a primary care clinic in a low-income neighborhood in Grand Prairie.

### Harris Hospital-Methodist

**Fort Worth, Texas**

This grant provided funding for the Nursing Excellence Fund, a program designed to assist nurses in pursuing advanced degrees. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $250,000.
**Ronald McDonald House of Fort Worth, Inc.**  $75,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided support for the expansion of the Ronald McDonald House. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $150,000.

**Partners Together for Health**  $100,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided support for the Level I Trauma Center at the John Peter Smith Hospital in Fort Worth. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $200,000.

**Rice University**  $75,000  
*Houston, Texas*  
This grant provided support for the Medical Innovations Awards in the Institute of Biosciences and Bioengineering at Rice University.

**Tarrant County Academy of Medicine**  $100,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided support for Project Access Tarrant County, a healthcare delivery program utilizing the volunteer services of medical professionals to meet the healthcare needs of underserved populations in Tarrant County. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $300,000.

**University of North Texas Health Science Center**  $10,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the North Texas Public Health Forum held in Fort Worth in April 2011.

**The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College**  $30,000  
*Brownsville, Texas*  
This grant provided support for the Emergency Medical Science training program in Brownsville.
As the Lower Rio Grande Valley population has increased dramatically, so have the region’s emergency medical care needs. Students in the Emergency Medical Science program at The University of Texas at Brownsville and Texas Southmost College use state-of-the-art equipment – two patient simulators, a cardiac monitor, and a stretcher – to reinforce their learning experiences and prepare to meet the emergency medical needs of their communities. Clinical simulation is an invaluable training tool, exposing students to different patients and pathologies, some that might be rare in the region but which are critical for their comprehensive training. Established in 1983, the EMS program has a mission that reflects the missions of the university and college, a shared commitment to serve the needs of the citizens of the Lower Rio Grande Valley. The EMS program graduated 50 certified EMS practitioners in 2011 with 120 students currently enrolled in the program. (www.utb.edu; www.tsc.edu)
Fort Worth police officers were honored by the Fort Worth Police Historical Association on June 9, 2012, at a badge-pinning ceremony that marked the 100th anniversary of the Fort Worth Police Department’s iconic panther badge design. The original panther badge was designed in 1912 by Chief J. W. Renfro and Police Commissioner J. A. Allen. On the steps of the Tarrant County Courthouse, Officer Gwen Maxwell, a 28-year veteran of the Fort Worth Police Department and the President of the Fort Worth Police Historical Association, presented a newly designed Centennial Panther Badge to the members of the Fort Worth Police Department, including a recruit class that nicknamed itself the Centennial Class. The panther, represented in gold on the badge, reflects Fort Worth’s historic nickname, “Panther City.” (www.PantherBadgeCentennial.com)
## Grants for Human Services

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<td><strong>ACCESS, Inc.</strong></td>
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<td>Rockport, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for the program that provides social services to low-income families in Aransas County, Texas.</td>
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<td><strong>ACH Child and Family Services</strong></td>
<td>$100,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>These funds provided funding for capital improvements for ACH's new facilities on the former campus of the Masonic Home in Southeast Fort Worth. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $200,000.</td>
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<td><strong>ACT Human Development Fund</strong></td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided operational support for Allied Communities of Tarrant's parent engagement programs in support of Fort Worth schools. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $100,000.</td>
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<td><strong>AIDS Outreach Center, Inc.</strong></td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>These funds provided support for HIV/AIDS services and programs in the greater Tarrant County community.</td>
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<td><strong>American National Red Cross, Chisholm Trail Chapter</strong></td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for the emergency assistance for communities devastated by the grass fires across Texas in 2011.</td>
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<td><strong>Boy Scouts of America, Longhorn Council</strong></td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Hurst, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for the Urban Scoutreach program, a scouting program for inner-city students in Tarrant County schools.</td>
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<td><strong>Catholic Charities Diocese of Fort Worth</strong></td>
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<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for the Stability Empowerment Program, which provides financial education classes to low-income families.</td>
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<td><strong>Cenikor Foundation, Inc.</strong></td>
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<td>Houston, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for in-house medical services for the residents of Cenikor's Fort Worth substance abuse treatment center.</td>
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Child Study Center
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the program serving children with developmental disabilities. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $200,000.

Christ’s Haven for Children
Keller, Texas
These funds provided funding for a residential center for children in foster care in northeast Tarrant County.

Community Food Bank
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided support for the holiday meals program in East Fort Worth during the 2011 Christmas season.

Community Foundation of North Texas
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the Nonprofit Toolbox, a project designed to provide grants to midsized nonprofits to improve their operational effectiveness.

Community Foundation of North Texas
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided matching funds for the third North Texas Giving Day, a regional initiative to expand philanthropic support for area nonprofits.

Day Resource Center for the Homeless
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided funds to hire a development coordinator for the day shelter for the homeless in East Fort Worth.

The Easter Seal Society for Children and Adults of Tarrant County
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided support for the Respite Care program, which gives family caregivers respite from their 24-hour-a-day responsibilities of caring for ill and disabled loved ones.

Essilor Vision Foundation
Dallas, Texas
This grant funded the Kids Vision for Life program in Tarrant County, providing eye exams and glasses to area students.

Fort Worth Independent School District
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the Coordinated Health Program, an in-school health and wellness program for Fort Worth ISD students.
For almost 100 years, the American Cancer Society has focused its efforts on the areas where it can save lives and reduce suffering from cancer. Twenty-three years ago, ACS established the nation’s first patient navigation program to assist patients undergoing treatment for cancer. Financial, transportation, and language barriers force more than one-fourth of uninsured cancer patients nationwide to delay or discontinue treatments. Years of studies have shown that patients helped by a patient navigator are more likely to complete treatments and achieve positive outcomes. The Society’s full-time patient navigator at the JPS Center for Cancer Care personally guides uninsured Tarrant County patients around treatment obstacles. In 2011, the Society’s JPS patient navigator helped more than 600 patients by providing bilingual cancer information, rides to treatment, connections to vital local services, free wigs, and free breast prosthetics. (www.cancer.org)
The mission of Casa Mañana is “to create, nurture and advance live professional theatre unparalleled in artistic excellence for the enrichment and education of our diverse community and its future generations of artists and patrons.” Casa’s history dates back to the 1936 Texas Centennial, but Casa as we know it today was established in 1958. As part of its education mission, Casa offers performing arts education to youth of all ages and skill levels. A key component of its education and outreach programs is the Children’s Theatre series. The five-production series gives children and youth valuable opportunities to experience live musical theatre at an affordable cost. Each production is carefully adapted from literature, encouraging children to take an interest in reading. In addition to the weekend performances, Casa also offers matinees for schoolchildren during the week. Approximately 800 student groups from 75 independent school districts attend a Children’s Theatre performance each year. More than 107,000 students each year are served by Casa’s education and outreach programs. (www.casamanana.org)
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<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for “PATHS Forward,” a program to identify and develop young leaders in the African-American community in Fort Worth.</td>
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<td><strong>Fort Worth Police Historical Association</strong></td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for the presentation of commemorative badges to honor the members of the Fort Worth Police Department.</td>
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<td><strong>Gill Children’s Services, Inc.</strong></td>
<td>$30,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for a “source of last resort” for needy children with unmet health, social, or educational needs.</td>
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<td><strong>Girls, Inc.</strong></td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Arlington, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for Operation SMART, an after-school and summer science, math, and technology education program for girls in Tarrant County.</td>
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<td><strong>Habitat for Humanity</strong></td>
<td>$100,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided support for the opening of a new ReStore, a nonprofit retail business that sells donated or secondhand building materials and provides funds for Habitat for Humanity operations. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $200,000.</td>
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<td><strong>HI KIDS Incorporated</strong></td>
<td>$35,000</td>
<td>Burleson, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for educational, character-building, and recreational activities for youth in low-income neighborhoods in Fort Worth.</td>
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<td><strong>H.O.P.E. Farm, Inc.</strong></td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided funds for the construction of a Family Life Center for at-risk boys in a low-income community in Southeast Fort Worth.</td>
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<td><strong>Housing Opportunities of Fort Worth, Inc.</strong></td>
<td>$30,000</td>
<td>Fort Worth, Texas</td>
<td>This grant provided general support for a program that provides financial counseling and education services for homebuyers and struggling homeowners.</td>
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**Intellectual & Developmental Needs Council of Tarrant County**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the program providing social services to people with intellectual and developmental disabilities in Tarrant County.

**The Ladder Alliance, Inc.**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for a program that provides computer and technical training for women seeking to enter the workforce.

**Meals on Wheels, Inc.**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the program to deliver meals and social services to the homebound elderly and disabled.

**Mission Arlington Mission Metroplex**  
*Arlington, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the salary of the medical director of the Mann Medical Clinic in Arlington, a clinic serving low-income and uninsured people in Tarrant County.

**National Center for Youth Issues**  
*Chattanooga, Tennessee*  
This grant provided general support for the conference titled “Southwest Healthy Choices for Youth” held in North Texas in June 2011.

**Northside Inter-Community Agency, Inc.**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
These funds provided general support for a program that provides assistance and a wide range of social and educational services to low-income families on Fort Worth’s Northside.

**Pacific Youth Correctional Ministries**  
*Arlington, Texas*  
This grant provided support for chaplaincy services serving youth in incarceration facilities in Tarrant County.

**The Parenting Center**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided support for a program that seeks to build healthy families and prevent child abuse and neglect.

**Lena Pope Home, Inc.**  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
These funds provided support for the Family Matters Counseling Program serving youth and their families in Fort Worth. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $100,000.
**Presbyterian Night Shelter of Tarrant County** $50,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for “Moving Home,” a new initiative to move shelter clients beyond chronic homelessness to employment and permanent housing.

**Safe City Commission** $100,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provides general support for crime prevention and community-building activities in the city of Fort Worth.

**Safe City Commission** $300,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This matching grant provided support for the capital campaign to establish One Safe Place, a center offering a comprehensive and collaborative approach to address the problem of domestic violence and meet the short- and long-term needs of the victims of domestic violence. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $2 million.

**SafeHaven of Tarrant County** $50,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided support for the SafeLiving program, a life-skills education and training program that helps displaced families achieve personal independence through job training, better money management, improved parenting skills, and housing assistance.

**Southeast Fort Worth, Inc.** $25,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the program that promotes economic development in Southeast Fort Worth.

**Special Olympics Texas, Inc., for Greater Fort Worth Area** $5,000  
*Austin, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the Special Olympics program for Greater Fort Worth.

**Star-Telegram Charities, Inc.** $5,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided general support for the 2011 Goodfellow Fund.

**Tarrant County Samaritan Housing, Inc.** $80,000  
*Fort Worth, Texas*  
This grant provided funding to expand housing options for people living with HIV/AIDS in Tarrant County.
Tarrant County Youth Collaboration $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided support for the BONDS (Building Opportunities in Neighborhood Development Services) project, a community and school revitalization program for targeted neighborhoods in Southeast Fort Worth. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $100,000.

Transition Resource Action Center $50,000
Dallas, Texas
This grant provided general support for a program that offers job and life-skills training for youth who age-out of foster care but are unprepared for independent living.

United Way of Metropolitan Tarrant County $100,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the 2011 United Way Campaign.

United Way of Metropolitan Tarrant County $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for a matching grant campaign to increase the large-donor funding base for the United Way.

The WARM Place $25,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for grief counseling programs for children who have experienced the loss of a sibling or a parent.

James L. West Presbyterian Special Care Center $70,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the Alzheimer Family Caregiver Education Program. The amount approved for this multiyear grant was $120,000.

The Women’s Center of Tarrant County, Inc. $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided operational support for the Women’s Center, with special emphasis on the Jobs Now! program.

YMCA of Metropolitan Fort Worth $30,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the programs at the McDonald and Southeast YMCA branches, which offer academic tutoring, recreational activities, and personal counseling to low-income youth in Southeast Fort Worth.

YWCA of Fort Worth and Tarrant County $56,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided support for the Child Development Program, which provides free preschool education for children of low-income parents.
The Neurosensory Center of Houston for The Methodist Hospital and Baylor College of Medicine (estab. 1977) houses the research laboratories of The Bobby R. Alford Department of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery. The Molecular Genetics Laboratory investigates genetic causes of deafness, searches for new genes that cause hearing loss, and contributes new knowledge for the care of hearing-impaired patients and their families. The Cochlear Biophysics Laboratory provides critical new insights for the care of hearing-impaired patients, including those who have noise, drug-induced, and congenital hearing loss. (www bcm.edu/oto/)
The Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra Association has transcended the dream held by its founders in 1912 when they assembled a group of musicians to create what is now one of the community’s greatest assets. An essential thread in the city’s cultural fabric and quality of life, and the very foundation of Fort Worth’s performing arts, the Orchestra provides 200 symphonic and pops concerts annually for an audience of 200,000 adults and children from all walks of life. Under the leadership of Music Director Miguel Harth-Bedoya, the FWSO is an ensemble that is admired the world over for its artistic excellence, commitment to community engagement, and collaborations with other organizations. Adventures in Music, the Orchestra’s education and outreach program, inspires, educates, and entertains nearly 70,000 children through more than 100 engaging programs each year in Fort Worth and across the state of Texas. (www.fwsymphony.org)
### Grants for Arts and Culture

#### Amon Carter Museum of American Art

*Fort Worth, Texas*

These funds provided support for the publication of *Romance Maker: The Watercolors of Charles M. Russell*, the catalogue for the Carter Museum's Russell watercolor exhibit.

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#### Arts Council of Fort Worth and Tarrant County, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

This grant provided general support for the Arts Council's programs.

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#### Botanical Research Institute of Texas, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

This grant supported the capital campaign to construct the new BRIT headquarters in Fort Worth. The multiyear grant of $2 million was approved in 2006.

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#### Botanical Research Institute of Texas, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

These funds provided general support for BRIT's operations.

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#### Casa Mañana, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

This grant provided support for the Arts Education and Outreach Fund, which offers performing arts performances and professional theatre training and education to students in North Texas.

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#### Chamber Music Society of Fort Worth, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

These funds provided general support for the Chamber Music Society.

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#### Circle Theatre, Inc.

*Fort Worth, Texas*

These funds provided general support for Circle Theatre's performances and educational programming in downtown Fort Worth.

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#### Doss Heritage and Culture Center

*Weatherford, Texas*

This grant provided general support for the cultural and historic programs on Western heritage of Texas offered at the Doss Center in Weatherford.

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#### Fort Worth Art Association

*Fort Worth, Texas*

These funds provided operational support for the Modern Art Museum.
Fort Worth Museum of Science and History $150,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided general support for the museum’s programs.

Fort Worth Opera Association $100,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for Fort Worth Opera.

Fort Worth Symphony Orchestra Association $750,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Orchestra.

Fort Worth Zoological Association $250,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Fort Worth Zoo.

Hip Pocket Theatre $10,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Hip Pocket Theatre.

Imagination Celebration of Fort Worth, Inc. $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This matching grant provided support for cultural and educational programs for North Texas schoolchildren.

Jubilee Theatre $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the 2011-2012 season of Jubilee Theatre.

Latin Arts Association of Fort Worth, Inc. $20,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided operational support for the Rose Marine Theater and Latino Cultural Programs on Fort Worth’s Northside.

Mayfest, Inc. $35,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided general support for the 2012 Mayfest festival.

National Center for Policy Analysis $100,000
Dallas, Texas
These funds provided general support for NCPA.

National Cowgirl Museum and Hall of Fame, Inc. $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the museum.
Performing Arts Fort Worth’s Children’s Education Program, a permanent program established when the Nancy Lee and Perry R. Bass Performance Hall opened in 1998, ensures that the performing arts are part of the education of every student in the Fort Worth ISD and thousands of students from other districts. In addition to providing free curriculum-based performances of the highest quality, PAFW hosts master classes that allow performing arts students opportunities to learn from renowned artists. During the 2011-2012 school year, 438 students attended master classes. Distance learning programs were viewed by 4,204 students throughout the U.S. PAFW recently received the Teacher’s Favorite Award from Berrien RESA, an education service agency, for its distance learning programs. Each year, Bass Performance Hall serves as a classroom for approximately 75,000 students and teachers. In March 2012, the Children’s Education Program reached total attendance of one million students since the beginning of the program. Elizabeth Martinez of Washington Heights Elementary, a Fort Worth ISD school, was recognized as the “Millionth Student” at the David Holt performance on March 7, 2012. (www.basshall.com/childed.html)
The Old Jail Art Center $56,000
Albany, Texas
This grant provided general support for and expansion of the art education program.

Performing Arts Fort Worth, Inc. $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Children’s Education Program at the Nancy Lee and Perry R. Bass Performance Hall.

Schola Cantorum of Texas, Inc. $12,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the development of the Children’s Chorus. The total amount approved for this multiyear grant was $24,000.

Stage West $10,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided general support for the operations of the Stage West theater.

Texas Ballet Theater, Inc. $125,000
Fort Worth, Texas
This grant provided general support for the Ballet.

Van Cliburn Foundation, Inc. $50,000
Fort Worth, Texas
These funds provided general support for the 2011 Concert Series.
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To celebrate its 30th anniversary, the Sid Richardson Museum is hosting Violent Motion: Frederic Remington’s Artistry in Bronze, a focused exhibition of rarely seen bronze action-filled sculptures of horses and their riders by the iconic Western artist.

“Frederic Remington created 22 of the most memorable bronzes of any American sculptor of his time,” said museum Director Mary Burke, “and we are very proud to present nine of them.”

Seven sculptures are featured in the first phase of the exhibition, which runs from now through Sunday, February 24, 2013. The second phase of the exhibition will run from Thursday, February 28, through Sunday, June 2, 2013, during which two more sculptures will be displayed.

“Remington used to explain that he had the ability to imply motion by getting the viewer to see the animation in something as continuing,” said Rick Stewart, the guest curator of the exhibition. The former director of the Amon Carter Museum of American Art is one of the nation’s leading authorities on Remington. “His sculptures defy gravity!” he said. “The connoisseurship level is as high as you can get with Remington.”

For most visitors, it will be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to view the sculptures. Eight of the nine sculptures are on loan from private collections, and one is from the Carter Museum. Eight are lifetime casts. The sculptures are paired with Remington’s paintings from the Richardson and Carter Museums to demonstrate how his artworks reveal action in a two-dimensional versus a three-dimensional medium. Examples of the pairings are presented on the opposite page and on the back cover.

The exhibition unites paintings from the collections of Sid Richardson and that of his close friend, Fort Worth newspaper publisher Amon G. Carter Sr. (1879–1955). Mr. Carter and Mr. Richardson shared a love of the West and the artwork of Remington and Charles M. Russell. The collaboration in this anniversary exhibit is symbolic of their friendship.

Mr. Richardson once said, “Anybody can paint a horse on four legs, but it takes a real eye to paint them in violent motion. All parts of the horse must be in proper position, and Remington and Russell are the fellows who can do it.”
A Dash for the Timber, Frederic Remington, 1889, oil on canvas, Amon Carter Museum of American Art

Coming through the Rye (cast number 1), Frederic Remington, 1902, bronze, private collection
The Rattlesnake (cast number 5), Frederic Remington, 1906, bronze, private collection

A Taint on the Wind, Frederic Remington, 1906, oil on canvas, Sid Richardson Museum