



WHAT IS THE PASADENA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION?

Since 1953, the Pasadena Community Foundation has been helping local community members build hometown legacies that support causes they care about.

Established in 1953, the Pasadena Community Foundation (PCF) is a tax-exempt public charity created by and for the people of Pasadena. Our six areas of interest are arts and culture, education, environment, health, human services (with a focus on seniors), and youth.

By definition, a community foundation is a publicly supported philanthropic institution that uniquely serves three public segments: donors, the non-profit sector, and the foundation's designated community as a whole.

PCF offers individuals and organizations a way to create legacies, now or in the future, through a variety of charitable options.

GRANT MAKING PROGRAMS

PCF's local discretionary grant making has invested over \$20 million in Pasadena. PCF has distributed over \$40 million through donor advised funds to organizations all over the country. We work with individuals and their advisors to establish charitable funds that:

- Support organizations they care about today
- Create a permanent legacy for the future

Over the decades, we have developed strong, long-term working relationships with local charitable organizations. Through these partnerships, we have acquired a thorough understanding of the very specific needs of our communities. This insight enables us to be uniquely responsive to those needs through our diverse and multi-faceted grant programs.

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“It is not the instrument of any one institution or person, or of any group of persons. Rather, it is the charitable instrument of the community as a whole.”

– Louis Webb
Founder of the Pasadena Community Foundation

PASADENA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION GRANT HISTORY

JANUARY 1954
TO JUNE 30, 2015

