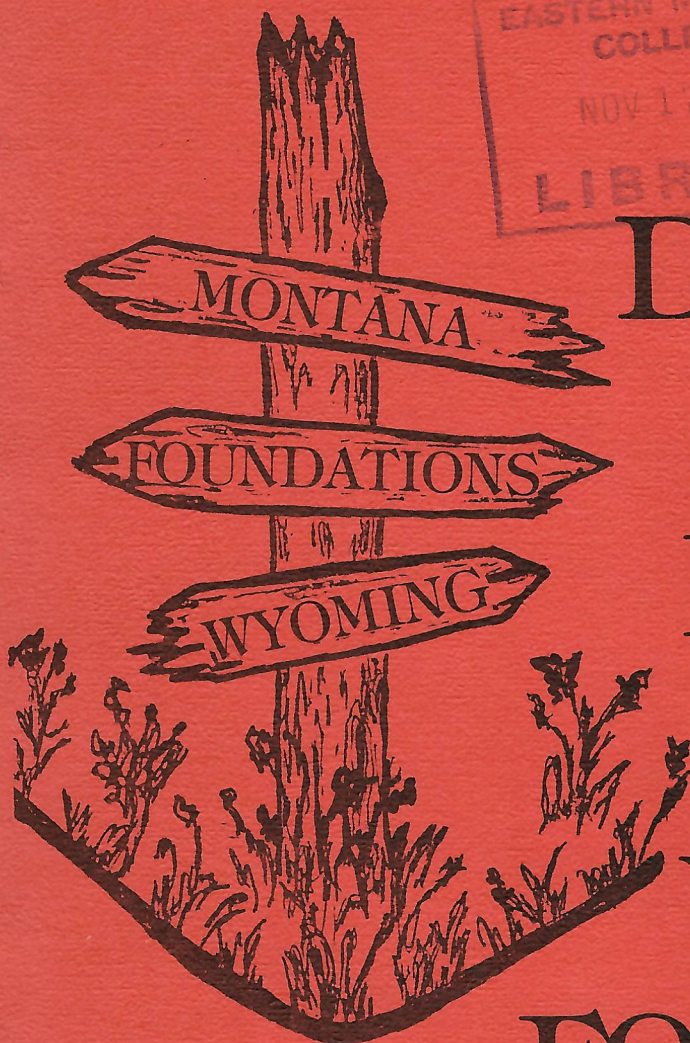


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1. Montana IRS cards
2. National Data Book, 5th Edition, a publication of the Foundation Center
3. Questionnaire

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## INTRODUCTION

To those individuals who have requested a copy of the Montana-Wyoming Foundations Directory, we feel you would also have an interest in being introduced to The Foundation Center, a national service organization supported by foundations. The main offices and libraries are located in New York and Washington, D.C. The Foundation Center is the only national source of factual information on philanthropic giving of larger foundations and corporations throughout the country. The Center has organized a nationwide library network which provides free access to all of the materials necessary to locate funding sources and to develop a good proposal. The Eastern Montana College Library is part of the network and houses these funding materials.

The Foundations Center collection is located on the first floor of the EMC Library, in a room entitled Grants Assistance Center and is managed and staffed by the Eastern Montana College Foundation. Further information regarding this collection can be obtained by calling the Eastern Montana College Foundation at 657-2337.

Because Eastern houses the regional collection for Montana of the Foundation Center, we are trying to make Montana organizations and services which could benefit from this information on funding aware of this resource.

Our purpose in producing this directory is to assist those individuals who are looking for funding for special projects in Montana and Wyoming. Since it has been our experience that many of the service and projects being funded are benefiting residents in both Northern Wyoming and South Central Montana, we have made an attempt to include all foundations in those two states. Six foundations, however, have asked not to be included in the Directory and we have complied with their requests.

The information in this Directory should provide sources of funding available in Montana and Wyoming to individuals seeking support for their projects. It is also our hope to reduce the number of requests being sent to foundations for projects that are not within that foundation's interest.

The Montana Arts Council and the Montana Committee for the Humanities provide valuable funding for a wide variety of projects in the arts and humanities. Therefore, we have included these organizations in our Directory. For information about similar agencies in Wyoming, contact the Laramie County Community College, c/o Joy S. Riske, 1400 E. College Drive, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82001. Telephone: (307) 643-5853.



THE MONTANA ARTS COUNCIL  
1208 South Third West  
Missoula, MT 59801

The Montana Arts Council provides funding to organizations which are chartered in Montana as not-for-profit Federal tax exempt organizations. Grant funds must be matched by cash or in-kind contributions; therefore, the Council will not fund more than 50% of total costs. Also, the fund cannot be matched with other Federal funds.

In-kind contributions are services and other materials donated to an organization. They are defined as contributed supplies or services at the fair market value, those necessary to carry out grant programs and those which are essential to the completion of the program and will be utilized during the project. The sub-grantee must maintain documentation of in-kind contributions.

Council Priorities:

1. Programs must be in existence for at least one year as a tax-exempt organization to be eligible.
2. Gives priority to Montana citizens.
3. The Council places a high priority on those projects that would reach special audiences comprised of citizens who are not regularly serviced by the arts. These include the handicapped, elderly, lower income groups, institutionalized, ethnic and racial minorities and residents of smaller rural communities.
4. The Council will support college projects if they are determined to be of benefit to the general public.

Low Priorities:

Funding of scholarships and projects offering free art.

Areas Not Funded:

Permanent equipment, reducing existing deficits, and individuals.

Application Process:

1. Supply a copy of Internal Revenue Service Tax-Exempt Form 501 (c) (3) non-profit determination.
2. Have the formal approval of the program's Board of Directors to submit the application.

Inquiries should be directed to JoAnne Musselman, Grants Officer at 543-8386, or 243-4883.

MONTANA COMMITTEE FOR THE HUMANITIES

P.O. Box 8036  
Hellgate Station  
Missioulia, MT 59807

The Montana Committee for the Humanities is a non-profit educational organization which operates under a grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities, a Federal agency. The term humanities includes but is not limited to: history, philosophy, languages, linguistics, literature, archaeology, jurisprudence, history and criticism of the arts, ethics, comparative religion, and those aspects of the social sciences employing historical or philosophical approaches.

The Montana Committee for the Humanities has the primary goal of stimulating dialogue between the adult public and humanity scholars. All programs must relate to one of the Committee's themes for 1983-84. These themes are: "Tradition in Transition; Heritage and Challenge: and Montana and the West: New Directions."

Eligibility:

Any non-profit group, institution, or organization in Montana may apply. These may include: citizen's groups, church groups, colleges, professional associations, etc. Co-sponsorship between one or more non-profit organizations is encouraged. Individuals are not eligible.

Format:

No limit on format. The Committee encourages new approaches and ideas for projects which meet the grant criteria.

Restrictions:

The Montana Committee for the Humanities cannot support:

- Private research, scholarships, fellowships, cost of writing or production of publication or books or journals.
- Projects which focus on personal instead of public concern.
- Annual meeting or organizations.
- Construction or restoration costs, or the operating expenses of existing organizations.
- Equipment, property, or other capital purchases.
- Museum or library acquisitions.
- Direct social action or planning for direct action, or projects which advocate a particular course of action.
- meals or refreshments for audiences.

Deadlines:

Proposals should be submitted with 18 copies. Grant applications for less than \$10,000 are considered on a monthly basis and applications must be submitted by the 20th of any month. Applications for \$10,000 or more are considered quarterly.

Assistance is Available:

Committee members welcome the opportunity to answer your questions and discuss program ideas. They are also happy to review rough drafts of proposals. Persons planning to submit a grant application are urged to contact the staff before submitting a final proposal. Phone: 243-6022



## THE SEARCH FOR GRANTS

### Basic Steps in Researching Foundations

#### 1. Develop a broad list of prospects.

What foundations have funded projects similar in some way to yours? Use the FOUNDATIONS GRANTS INDEX (bimonthly and annual) and/or COMSEARCH PRINTOUTS to do this. These publications include grants of \$5,000 or more made to nonprofit organizations and reported to The Foundation Center by over 400 foundations.

What foundations have indicated having a general interest in your subject area?

Use the "Fields of Interest Index" in THE FOUNDATION DIRECTORY and the "Subject Index" to SOURCE BOOK PROFILES to add more names.

#### 2. Narrow your list by eliminating foundations whose own restrictions rule out funding of your project.

Use the entries in THE FOUNDATION DIRECTORY. This book includes descriptive entries for all foundations with assets of \$1 million or grants totaling \$100,000 or more annually. Note if a foundation will give in your geographic area, for the type of support you need, etc.

#### 3. Research in depth the foundations that are left on your list. Consider:

- subject interest
- geographic preference
- range of giving
- type of support
- type of recipient
- application deadline dates

Identify those foundations whose interests match your needs most closely. The most important information to check is the complete list of each foundation's recent grants.

use SOURCE BOOK PROFILES - In depth profiles of the 1,000 largest foundations.

Use the foundation's own published annual report - about 500 foundations provide them.

Use the information returns that each foundation must file with the IRS -- the 990 AR and 990 PF -- available on all private foundations.

Before getting in touch with a foundation, examine all the information available on its application guidelines and requirements. This is available in THE FOUNDATION DIRECTORY, SOURCE BOOK PROFILES, and in the library's vertical files.

## PROPOSAL WRITING OUTLINE

### Summary

Clearly and consisely summarize the request.

### Introduction

Describes agency's qualifications or credibility.

### Problem Assessment

The needs to be met or problems that will be solved.

### Objectives

Benefits of the funding

### Methods

Activities to achieve the desired result

### Evaluation

Plan for determining the degree to which those objectives are met.

### Future

Plan for continuation beyond the grant period.

### Budget

Costs to be met by the funding source and those funds provided by others.



## SOME BASIC PRINCIPLES OF PROPOSAL WRITING

### 1. The Proposal should be Neat, Clean and Easy to Read!

There should be no typographical errors in your final copy. Send an original, with copies only if the funding source requests them. Don't send more than one copy unless you're asked. Break up the copy; nobody wants to look at a proposal that starts at the top of one page and goes on interminably, unbroken by paragraphs or some other breathing space.

Don't use extravagant proposal packaging. Spiral bindings were made to be cut apart, and expensive covers suggest that you waste money. If you employ a very unusual format, perhaps to attract attention, you risk focusing too much attention on the form of your proposal, instead of its content. If you depart from the norm, you had better do it well. One applicant sent out 1,000 proposals, printed in question-and-answer format with questions in blue and answers in red, and received not a single response. Most recipients probably thought the letter was intended for the Bicentennial Commission.

### 2. Write Your Proposal in English

Proposal writing is not an opportunity to demonstrate your mastery of bureaucratese. Even when your funding source employs jargon in its guidelines, use it only if you feel you must, and define your terms. Each of five panelists reviewing applications in "career education" may have his or her own understanding of what it is; tell them what you think it is.

To test the clarity of your writing, have friends or family read your proposal. Some of your best comments will come from people unfamiliar with your field, not operating on the same assumptions as you, and unfamiliar with your jargon. Merely passing a proposal around your agency has limitations. Staff may think they know what you mean, or may be less than critical because of your role (or theirs).

### 3. Make It Brief

What is the proper length for a proposal? Just long enough for you to clearly communicate your message, but not long enough to produce a stupor. a ten-page proposal can leave readers hungering for more; a two-page proposal can still put them to sleep.

### 4. Be Positive

Get yourself "up" for the proposal-writing experience. Remember that you are offering the funding source an opportunity to participate in an important, useful activity. Writing for grant support is not like writing home from college for money. You don't have to apologize. You're an applicant, not a supplicant! Don't beg! Remember that the funding source gets its credibility from funding winners, not losers. Few grant-making agencies want to provide you with you last grand on the road to oblivion.

Don't call attention to your mistakes. The funding source will learn about them soon enough, hopefully in discussion where you can give more information. Don't say something like:

We are sure that you are aware of the sudden departure of our fiscal officer some three years ago, and the subsequent investigations of this agency by the General Accounting Office. We have made great strides since that time, have replaced several members of our board of directors, and have employed a former top GSA official to oversee our fiscal matters.

#### 5. Avoid Unsupported Assumptions

The astute reader finds any number of unsupported assumptions in most grant applications. These fall into a variety of categories:

- The funding source is told nothing about the applicant agency because the grant seeker is sure that the funding source knows all about them.
- The national scope of a problem is described, but there is not documentation of its existence in the the community served by the grant seeker.
- A casual relationship between events is presumed, but no evidence of cause and effect is presented.

The assumptions that find their way into proposals are limitless. Sometimes the applicant leads into an assumption by saying "we believe." Supporting "beliefs" with evidence and documentation is a check on logic, produces a more coherent proposal, and demonstrates your expertise to the funding source. Present enough evidence to support your position, and no more. Don't overkill! Pages of tables, charts and graphs will probably not be read, and too often fail to support the thesis of the proposal writer. Cite source sof data in the body of the proposal and avoid footnotes. Don't develop a doctoral dissertation.

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## THE COVER LETTER

Proposals to foundations and corporations are usually accompanied by a cover letter. This is a letter signed by the chairperson of the board of directors of a nonprofit agency, or individual in high authority in a governmental applicant agency. Its purpose is primarily to assure the funding source that the proposal is endorsed by the board, which is the only authority that can bind the applicant. The board of directors may have given this authority to executive director of the agency, but it is still a good idea to have the cover letter come from the desk of the board chairperson, on the letter head of the applicant agency.

The cover letter should briefly describe the content of the proposal; it should not be used in place of the proposal summary. This is because the cover letter may be detached from the proposal, which would then be reviewed unaccompanied by a summary. This can have unfortunate consequences..

The cover letter is also the place to commit to following up on the proposal, e.g.:

"We would welcome the opportunity to meet with you and to provide further information on . . ." or "I and Ms. Blank of our staff will be in New York City during the early part of next month and would like to meet with you at your convenience."

A cover letter may seem like a simple proposition, but there are a few things to look out for:

- Don't boldly proclaim your sophisticated funding source research, such as "knowing of your interest in the problems of the elderly." This could be seen as patronizing, intimidating or "show-off" approach. If the funding source is interested in a particular program area, the fact that your proposal has focused on that area speaks for itself.

- Don't tell the readers that they should fund your proposal, such as: "We know that you will find this proposal to be of the greatest significance," or "surely it is obvious to you that . . . ."

- Conversely, don't get on your knees, and sign off the cover letter "with a wing and a prayer" or "supplicatingly yours."

- Address your letter to a specific person at the funding source. Make sure you know who the right person is, get the spelling of his/her name right, make sure he/she is still alive, and never send the proposal "To whom it may concern" or "Gentlepersons."

MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: ALLAN FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816009239  
 ADDRESS: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 P.O. Box 5000  
 Great Falls, MT 59403  
 CONTACT PERSON: First Trust Co. of  
 Montana  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$52,000  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Research projects  
 with Fish and Game Dept. of  
 Montana. Exclusively for  
 Preservation of wild life in  
 Sun River Canyon.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sun River  
 Canyon, Montana  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or Call  
 Contact Person.

NAME: ANACONDA ELKS YOUTH ACTIVITIES  
 IRS NO: 816009930  
 ADDRESS: Northwestern Bank & Union  
 Trust Co.  
 P.O. Box 597  
 Helena, MT 59601  
 CONTACT PERSON: M.J. Lacey, Secretary  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$27,954  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
 Solicitation.

NAME: BILLINGS CLINIC  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 35100  
 Billings, MT 59101-5100  
 CONTACT PERSON: Paul V. Hoyer M.D.  
 RANGE OF AWARDS: UP TO \$10,000  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Projects that improve  
 health through education and  
 research. Preference will be  
 given to projects which will  
 become self-sufficient with  
 one-time funding.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Eastern Montana,  
 Northern Wyoming  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Applications may  
 be obtained by contacting the  
 contact person.

NAME: JOSEPH N. BLANKENBAKER  
 CHARITABLE TRUST  
 ADDRESS: Northwest National Bank  
 Box 711  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 (406) 727-3000

NAME: BROWN SCHOLARSHIP TRUST  
 IRS NO: 816011709  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 549  
 Miles City, MT 59301  
 CONTACT PERSON: Joe S. Dent, Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$3,193  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 Contact Person.

NAME: BUTTREY MEMORIAL TRUST, JANE  
 IRS NO: 816014941  
 ADDRESS: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 325 1st National Bank Bldg  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Financial Aid Officer  
 of academic institution  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships awarded  
 through Montana Universities  
 and colleges and three institu-  
 tions in Texas.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Contact Financial  
 Aid Officer.

NAME: CHRISTIE EDUCATIONAL FUND,  
 KENNETH  
 IRS NO: 816013469  
 ADDRESS: Northwestern Bank & Union  
 Trust Co.  
 P.O. Box 597  
 Helena, MT 59601  
 CONTACT PERSON: Koehler Stout, Manager  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$8,670  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
 solicitation.

NAME: COBB FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816009358  
 ADDRESS: 410 First National Bank Bldg.  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Carmen Cobb Stufft  
 Vice-President & Treasurer  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$484,067  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.



MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: COPULOS FAMILY HOSPITAL TRUST  
 IRS NO: 816043540  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 808  
 Columbus, MT 59019  
 CONTACT PERSON: Joel Harris, Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$992,684  
 RESTRICTIONS: No requests accepted outside  
 of the Stillwater Community  
 Hospital in Columbus, MT

NAME: COWLEY ENDOWMENT  
 IRS NO: 810279121  
 ADDRESS: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 Great Falls, MT 59403  
 CONTACT PERSON: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$173,861  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships for benefit  
 of Law School of University of  
 Montana, Missoula, Montana.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
 person.

NAME: CRUMLEY TRUST, GRACE MILLER  
 IRS NO: 237048895  
 ADDRESS: C/O First Trust Company of Montana  
 P.O. Box 5000  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Scholarship Committee of  
 Sigma Chapter, Alpha Mu State Delta  
 Kappa Gamma  
 C/O Irene Van Denburg  
 3104 2nd Ave. North  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$9,523  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 RANGE OF AWARDS: \$500 TO \$600  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
 person.

NAME: DAYTON FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 810376620  
 ADDRESS: H.N. Williamson  
 P.O. Box 1067  
 Sidney, MT 59270  
 CONTACT PERSON: Leila Dayton, Chairman  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$3,000  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships higher  
 education.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
 person.

NAME: DUFRESNE FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 810301465  
 ADDRESS: C.D. Misfeldt  
 410 First National Bank Bldg  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Milo F. Dean  
 President  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$763,714  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Higher education  
 and civic activities.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Montana  
 generally and the Cascade  
 County area specifically.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Written requests  
 in the form of a letter or  
 proposal are preferred. An  
 interview could be  
 requested.

NAME: ELLIOT TRUST, BERT  
 IRS NO: 510160425  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box G  
 Hardin, MT 59034  
 CONTACT PERSON: Harold G. Stanton,  
 Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$114,772  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: ELM TRUST, HENRY  
 IRS NO: 237418092  
 ADDRESS: Jay Lalonde & Wm. Thronal  
 Richland National Bank  
 Sidney, MT 59270  
 CONTACT PERSON: Lalonde & Thronal  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$161,314  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: ENGLISH TRUST, MICHAEL M.  
 IRS NO: 237099795  
 ADDRESS: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 P.O. Box 5000  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: First Trust Co. of  
 Montana  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$291,383  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Exclusively for St.  
 Patricks Parish in Butte. No  
 other available funds.



MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: FORTIN FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816009207  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 155  
 Billings, MT 59103  
 CONTACT PERSON: P.N. Fortin  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$2,191,316  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, financial aid to higher education institutions, charitable organizations and medical organizations, health and welfare, protection and education of children.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact person.

NAME: GAGEL CHARITABLE TRUST, ROY/MARY  
 IRS NO: 8103383199  
 ADDRESS: 29 Third Street  
 Havre, MT 59501  
 CONTACT PERSON: Roy E. Gage1  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$15,196  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Write or call contact person.

NAME: GALLAGHER FOUNDATION, W.J.  
 IRS NO: 816010064  
 ADDRESS: C/O Northwestern Union Trust  
 P.O. Box 597  
 Helena, MT 59601  
 CONTACT PERSON: W.J. Gallagher  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$233,378  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Education, public charities, wildlife, religious institutions.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public solicitation.

NAME: GREAT FALLS BOARD OF INSURERS FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 237297796  
 ADDRESS: 15 Fourth Street, North  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: James W. Jewett, President  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$8,967  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact person.

NAME: GRIFFIS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 81600930  
 ADDRESS: Conrad National Bank  
 Kalispell, MT 59901  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$27,686  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Flathead County  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Contact Foundation

NAME: HAWKINS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816018444  
 ADDRESS: Conrad National Bank  
 Kalispell, MT 59901  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$86,554  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Flathead County  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Contact Foundation

NAME: HAYNES FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816013577  
 ADDRESS: 801 North Wallace  
 Bozeman, MT 59715  
 CONTACT PERSON: J.M. Haynes, President  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$852,052  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact person.

NAME: HOLTER RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC.  
 IRS NO: 816001814  
 ADDRESS: 100 Neill Avenue  
 Helena, MT 59601  
 CONTACT PERSON: Norman J. Holter, Manager  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$282,029  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, arts, research. Support in all areas is very small.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact person.

MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP FUND OF  
HARLOWTON HIGH SCHOOL, RAY &  
NELL  
IRS NO: 816013476  
ADDRESS: Northwestern Bank & Union Trust  
P.O. Box 597  
Helena, MT 59601  
CONTACT PERSON: R.G. & Nell Johnson  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$15,181  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
solicitation.

NAME: JONES FOUNDATION  
IRS NO: 816020455  
ADDRESS: P.O. BOX 205  
HELENA, MT 59601  
CONTACT PERSON: Ellis Jones, President  
AREA OF INTEREST: General  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
contact person.

NAME: MARONICK CHARITABLE FOUNDATION,  
EDWARD P.  
IRS NO: 816010198  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 597  
Helena, MT 59601  
CONTACT PERSON: Edward P. Maronick  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$45,467  
AREA OF INTEREST: Educational and  
religious institutions.  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
contact person.

NAME: MARONICK CHARITABLE FOUNDATION  
IRS NO: 816010202  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 597  
Helena, MT 59601  
CONTACT PERSON: Stephen J. Maronick  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$10,083  
AREA OF INTEREST: Education  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
solicitation.

NAME: MCGOWAN FOUNDATION, J.A.  
IRS NO: 816018450  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 186  
Plaines, MT 59850  
CONTACT PERSON: R.W. Vallentine,  
President  
AREA OF INTEREST: Church & School  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Local, within town  
limits.  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
contact person.

NAME: MCKEE EDUCATIONAL TRUST  
IRS NO: 237058723  
ADDRESS: First Security Bank  
Glasgow, MT 59230  
CONTACT PERSON: John W. McKee Educational  
Committee: Loren J. O'Tolle,  
Plentywood, MT 59254  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$233,820  
AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships and  
advancement of education of  
students who are residents of  
Sheridan, Daniels & Roosevelt  
Counties.  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sheridan, Daniels  
& Roosevelt Counties  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
contact person

NAME: MONTANA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION  
IRS NO: 237140529  
ADDRESS: 2325 6th Avenue, North  
Billings, MT 59101  
CONTACT PERSON: Court E. Ball, President  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$4,042  
AREA OF INTEREST: Community only;  
individual contributors make  
designations.  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call one of  
the contributors.

NAME: NELSON FOUNDATION, PETER  
IRS NO: 816010230  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 597  
Helena, MT 59601  
CONTACT PERSON  
TOTAL ASSETS:  
AREA OF INTEREST:  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
solcitation.



MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: PAPAIZAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND  
 IRS NO: 810289626  
 ADDRESS: First Trust Co. of Montana  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Supt. of Schools,  
 Glasgow  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$41,456  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, financial  
 assistance for graduates of high  
 school in Valley County.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Contact Supt. of  
 Schools, Glasgow, MT

NAME: PARDEE SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION,  
 JOSEPH T.  
 IRS NO: 816018667  
 ADDRESS: C/O First Trust Company of  
 Montana  
 P.O. Box 5000  
 Great Falls, Montana 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Financial Aid Officer,  
 Montana Tech, Butte, Montana  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$3,884  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 RANGE OF AWARDS: \$200 to \$300  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: PIONEER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND  
 IRS NO: 816010285  
 ADDRESS: Northwester Bank & Union Trust  
 Helena, MT 59601  
 CONTACT PERSON: R.G. Johnson, President  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$13,006  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, education  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Not open to public  
 solicitation.

NAME: ROBINSON FUND, FRED L.  
 IRS NO: 237079421  
 ADDRESS: Malta, MT 59538  
 CONTACT PERSON: Fred L. Robinson, Sec.  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$2,000  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships for four  
 high schools in Phillip County  
 only.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
 person.

NAME: RUBIE FOUNDATION, O. R.  
 IRS NO: 237416735  
 ADDRESS: Central Bank of MONTANA  
 P.O. Box 2308  
 Great Falls, MT 59401  
 CONTACT PERSON: Charles W. Rubie, Trustee  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships and  
 higher education.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: University of  
 Montana  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: SAMPLE FOUNDATION, INC.  
 IRS NO: 596138602  
 ADDRESS: Suite 300  
 3202 3rd Avenue, North  
 Billings, MT 59101  
 CONTACT PERSON: Joseph Sample, President  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,937,724  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Higher education and  
 general.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: SCHOKNECHT FAMILY FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816016632  
 ADDRESS: 545 6th Avenue, East  
 Kalispell, MT 59901  
 CONTACT PERSON: Dorothy Schoknecht,  
 Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$289,312  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Educational,  
 operational and study grants.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: SEARS FOUNDATION, WILLIAM E.  
 IRS NO: 810301252  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 397  
 Superior, MT 59872  
 CONTACT PERSON: Walter T. Murphy, Sec.  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$52,494  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships for  
 attendance at Montana Colleges  
 & Vocational training centers.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: High schools in  
 Mineral County  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Application form,  
 interview with superintendent  
 of applicant's high school.



MONTANA FOUNDATIONS

NAME: CARMEN SKARI SCHOLARSHIP  
 IRS NO: 10372776  
 ADDRESS: University of Montana Foundations  
 University of Montana  
 Missoula, MT 59812  
 CONTACT PERSON: Annen M. Vannini,  
 Executive Director  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$3,598  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or Call contact  
 person.

NAME: SLACK SCHOLARSHIP FUND, EDITH  
 IRS NO: 237209738  
 ADDRESS: 21 North 5th Street  
 Miles City, MT 59301  
 CONTACT PERSON: Tom Buell, Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$5,392  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or Call Contact  
 Person.

NAME: SVARRE FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816013673  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1067  
 Sidney, MT 59270  
 CONTACT PERSON: H. Williamson, Treas.  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$32,850  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships and higher  
 education.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
 person.

NAME: SWEET EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION,  
 LLOYD D.  
 IRS NO: 237131688  
 ADDRESS: 411 Ohio Avenue  
 Chinook, MT 59523  
 CONTACT PERSON: Betty Sprinkle  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,450,000  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Must be a graduate  
 of Chinook High School.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: March deadline.  
 Packet of information available  
 at Chinook High School. Need to  
 include transcrip (high school or  
 college). Must establish a "c"  
 average in order to get award.

NAME: ST. FRANCIS EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
 IRS NO: 237134895  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 5000  
 Great Falls, MT 59403  
 CONTACT PERSON: First Trust Co of  
 Montana  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$47,719  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Income and principal  
 to be used exclusively for  
 benefit of St. Francis  
 Episcopal Church.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Not Applicable

NAME: TOWE FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 816014378  
 ADDRESS: 191 North Frontage Rd.  
 Redlodge, MT 59722  
 CONTACT PERSON: Karen James, Sec.  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$555,101  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Primarily assisting  
 Quaker schools & Quaker  
 education  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: December 1st  
 annual deadline. Write to  
 contact person.

NAME: TREACY COMPANY  
 IRS NO: 810270257  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 1700  
 Helena, MT 59624  
 CONTACT PERSON: James O'Connell  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Northwestern  
 States (MT, ID, Wa, ND, SD)  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Letter,  
 application grade transcript.  
 Each applicant file is  
 reviewed by the scholarship  
 selection committee which  
 meets in mid-July.

NAME: HURST SORENSON MEMORIAL FUND  
 IRS NO: 810372356  
 ADDRESS: 103 Central Avenue  
 Stanford, MT 59479  
 CONTACT PERSON: Pat Kirbee, Trustee  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$95,920  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

WYOMING FOUNDATIONS

NAME: ANDERSON MEMORIAL EDUCATIONAL TRUST  
 IRS NO: 836025176  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 217  
 Duboise, WY 82513  
 CONTACT PERSON: Alice Shoemaker  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$26,052  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 Contact person.

NAME: BRAZELTON EDUCATIONAL TRUST  
 IRS NO: 836610707  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 2799  
 Casper, WY 82602  
 CONTACT PERSON: Dae Nielsen, Asst. Trust  
 Officer  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$14,848  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sublette County  
 High School  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person. Recipients are  
 selected by Mr. & Mrs.  
 Brazelton.

NAME: DODD & DOROTHY BRYAN FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 836006533  
 ADDRESS: P.O. Box 6287  
 Sheridan, WY 82801  
 CONTACT PERSON: J.E. Goar, Manager  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,884,705  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Higher education,  
 interest free loans - Average  
 loan is \$1,800.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sheridan,  
 Johnson, Campbell, southern  
 portions of Big Horn, Rosebud  
 and Powder River Counties.  
 DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: July.

NAME: CODY MEDICAL FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 836006491  
 ADDRESS: 721 Sheridan Avenue  
 Cody, WY 82414  
 CONTACT PERSON: Mr. Leith R. Culver  
 Secretary-Treasurer  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,196,068.01  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Exclusively to  
 promote, build, establish,  
 maintain, operate & provide  
 hospital & medical services &  
 facilities in and near the  
 city of Cody in Wyoming.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: DAVIS-ROBERTS SCHOLARSHIP  
 FUND  
 IRS NO: 836011403  
 ADDRESS: 1820 Capitol Avenue  
 Cheyenne, WY 82001  
 CONTACT PERSON: Charles H. Moore, Sec.  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$42,911  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships and  
 higher education grants.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Colleges in  
 Wyoming only.  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.

NAME: VERNON S. & ROWENA GRIFFITH  
 FOUNDATION  
 IRS NO: 237135835  
 ADDRESS: 401 First Plaza  
 Sheridan, WY 82801  
 CONTACT PERSON: William D. Redle  
 TOTAL ASSETS: \$5,830,985  
 AREA OF INTEREST: Building funds, St.  
 Peters Episcopal Church, Girl  
 Scouts & Youth, Inc. of  
 Sheridan.  
 GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sheridan County  
 APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
 contact person.



WYOMING FOUNDATIONS

NAME: KAMPS MEMORIAL FOUNDATION TRUST,  
GERTRUDE  
IRS NO: 836024918  
ADDRESS: P.O. Box 40  
Casper, WY 82602  
CONTACT PERSON: Trustee, First National  
Bank of Casper  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,424,667  
AREA OF INTEREST: Worthy charitable  
organizations operating in the  
Natrona county and central  
Wyoming areas rendering services  
to and benefiting youth and less  
fortunate.  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
person.

NAME: PERKINS FOUNDATION, B.F. & ROSE  
IRS NO: 830138740  
ADDRESS: 34 North Main  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
CONTACT PERSON: William D. Redle  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$2,800,402  
AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, vocation,  
education, interest free loans, &  
medical assistance loans.  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sheridan County  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
person.

NAME: W.K. POULSON TRUST  
IRS NO: 836015044  
ADDRESS: First National Bank  
2 W. Main Street  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
CONTACT PERSON: First National Bank  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$63,439  
AREA OF INTEREST: Support of Sheridan  
Colleges.  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: sheridan County  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
person.

NAME: MARY & DOC ROBERTSON HANDICAPPED  
CHILDREN'S TRUST  
IRS NO: 510182687  
ADDRESS: Wyoming National Bank  
P.O. Box 2799  
Casper, WY 82602  
CONTACT PERSON: Dae Nielson, Asst.  
Trust Officer  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$151,595  
AREA OF INTEREST: Benefit of mentally or  
physically handicapped children  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Wyoming  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call  
contact person.

NAME: TONKIN FOUNDATION, TOM & HELEN  
IRS NO: 836002200  
ADDRESS: Wyoming National Bank  
Casper, WY 82601  
CONTACT PERSON: Elona Anderson, Field  
Representative or Dan W.  
Guerttman, Senior Trust Officer  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$1,452,311  
AREA OF INTEREST: Programs for children  
between ages of 6-21 years in  
area of illness, injury or  
poverty.  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Wyoming  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write requesting  
application. Send cover letter  
with application. Some people  
will be requested to give a  
presentation to the Advisory  
Committee.

NAME: WHITNEY BENEFITS  
IRS NO: 830168511  
ADDRESS: Whitney YMCA Building  
P.O. Box 691  
Sheridan, WY 82801  
CONTACT PERSON: Jack R. Hufford, Sec.-  
Manager  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$4,650,600  
AREA OF INTEREST: Scholarships, interest  
free loans to high school  
graduate in Wyoming.  
GEOGRAPHIC PREFERENCE: Sheridan County  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Deadline - first of  
each month, personal interview.



WYOMING FOUNDATIONS

NAME: WILLIAMS SCHOLARSHIP FUND, WILBUR  
AND BIRDIE  
IRS NO: 840234332  
ADDRESS: C/O Robert R. Holt  
141 South Main Street  
Buffalo, WY 82834  
CONTACT PERSON: Trustees at address listed  
above  
TOTAL ASSETS: \$75847  
AREA OF INTEREST: Graduates of Johnson  
County High School who have been  
associated in the past with 4-H  
and FFA.  
RANGE OF AWARDS: \$5,000 per year  
APPLICATION PROCESS: Write or call contact  
person for application form. Let-  
ters of application are required.  
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