



2020

Annual Report



COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION
SOUTHWEST
WASHINGTON



Give Rise

A year of sickness and struggle revealed what we are made of by bringing our most entrenched issues and greatest strengths into clear view.

The havoc will stand present in our minds and communities for generations. What began as a public health crisis led to widespread economic turmoil. This became the backdrop on which a national reckoning on racial justice and growing ideological divisions unfolded.

Multiple forces collided in front of us, and the wreckage exposed a combination of systemic and cultural issues that are endangering lives and livelihoods across our region.

Southwest Washington communities responded.

We cared for one another through mutual aid networks, volunteer efforts and homegrown solutions. At the center of the philanthropic response stood the Community Foundation for Southwest Washington.

Our team worked with donors, funders and statewide partners to rapidly raise and distribute nearly \$7.5 million in regional relief. A courageous group of grantees transformed this collective giving into tangible support for our hardest hit neighbors and communities.

We are grateful to serve here, in this place — one where people work across differences to advance the common good.

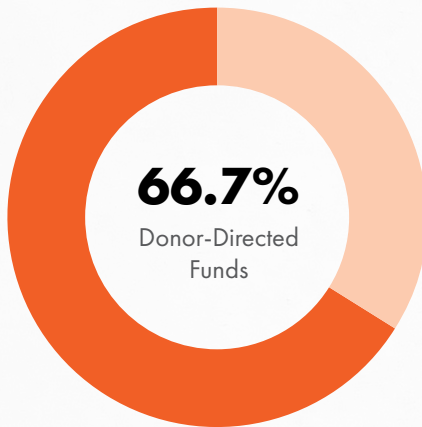
Looking ahead, we hope to build on the collective spirit, critical work and promising solutions that have risen from this adversity. Only by seizing these opportunities can we create a more just, more equitable future for all people who call southwest Washington home.

If our response to this trying year is any indication, then surely, we will find the strength to push on toward this vision.



\$26.7M Granted in 2020

Total grantmaking **doubled** in response to rising needs, providing an average of more than \$500,000 in grants per week.



Donor-directed grantmaking increased by more than \$7 million over the previous year.



\$17.8M

Basic Needs & Healthy Living



\$4.34M

Communities & Neighborhoods



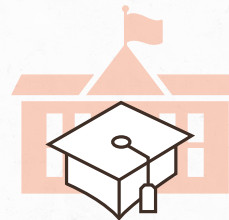
\$2.45M

Education



\$1.19M

Conservation & Environment



\$718K

Scholarships



\$238K

Arts & Culture



Grants at a Glance

\$15,263

Average Grant Amount

1,751

Grants Awarded

325

Scholarships Awarded

\$2,209

Average Scholarship

\$229.8M

Grants Since Inception

\$320.8M

Total Charitable Assets

2020 COVID Relief Impact

We launched a regional relief effort that brought donors, funders and nonprofits together for greater impact.

\$5.83M

Total Grants

\$7.48M

Total Raised

99

No. of Grantees

234

No. of Donors

\$39,600

Avg. Grant Size

\$20,800

Avg. Gift Size

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385 Total Funds

FUND TYPE	NO. OF FUNDS	% TOTAL ASSETS
Donor Advised	147	74.14%
Discretionary	43	8.12%
Designated	87	10.68%
Scholarship	66	3.11%
Other*	42	3.95%

*Field of Interest Funds, Charitable Trusts and Annuities, Unrestricted Funds and Agency Endowments

GIFTS



\$14.9M

Total Dollars Raised

15

New Funds Established

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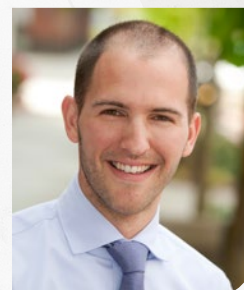
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