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Dear Friends,

I came to Alaska 34 years ago, but long before then, I felt a connection. When I was little, in the days before DVDs, we had something called a Viewmaster. It was a miniature projector that allowed you to look at photographic slides embedded in little round cards that rotated through the device. My favorite card was of Alaska. I must have looked a thousand times at the photos of mountains, tundra, Native villages, and wildlife. I also heard the stories of my father and his buddies who came north to ski and climb. And grandpa Petersen fished Bristol Bay and the Bering Sea.

Alaska became my home the minute I stepped off the plane. The natural beauty was what I expected and more. What I didn't expect was the sense of community I felt right from the start. In my time here, I've been given many opportunities, found wonderful friends, and had great adventures. I've been given a good life.

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Giving back to Alaska started early. At first, when I didn't have much spare cash, I volunteered. As my income grew, I found myself writing checks to support things I felt were important. A few years ago, I began thinking about giving in a way that would provide long-term and lasting impact beyond my own lifetime. I also thought about how to join with others to create the kind of future we want to see for Alaska. Finally, with the recent passing of both my parents, I wanted a tangible way to honor them. As I work to accomplish these goals, The Alaska Community Foundation has become a natural home for my charitable dollars. It has options that will help me to do each of the things I want to do.

I invite you to learn more about The Alaska Community Foundation and how it is helping countless caring individuals and organizations to accomplish their philanthropic goals. Our door is always open and the coffee pot is on. Please call us or stop by anytime.

Sincerely,

Carla Beam, *Chair of the Board of Directors*



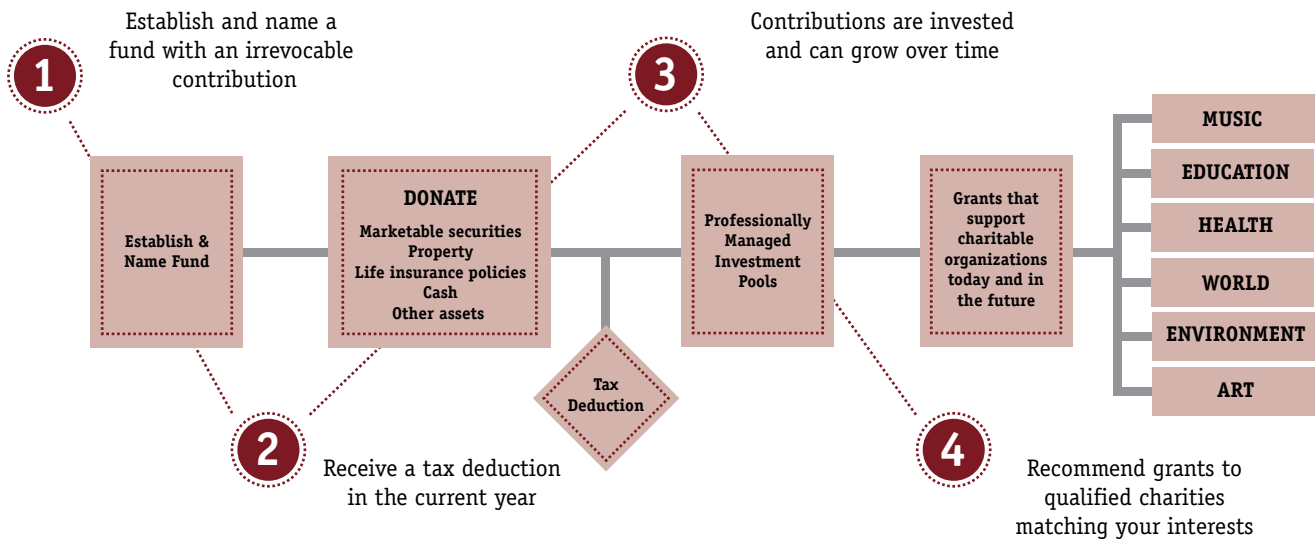
About ACF :: We're a Giving Community

The Alaska Community Foundation is a collection of individuals, organizations, and businesses sharing the value of giving back to the state that has given so much to us. We give in order to help our neighbors, enliven our communities, and lift up our entire state.

The gifts come through donations, bequests, life insurance, property, and many other assets. They are pooled into funds that are invested; over time these investments grow and help fund grants and scholarships, nonprofit organizations, charitable projects, and causes that donors specify. When grants are made, lives are changed for the better, and that's why Alaskans are becoming philanthropists: Alaska has given so much to us; we want to give back so others may have better lives.

Alaskans engage in acts of kindness and generosity every day. An endowed fund, scholarship, donor advised fund, or an unrestricted gift is a way to make sure your generosity is continued far into the future.

Flexible, accessible, and ready to serve, The Alaska Community Foundation assists you in fulfilling your philanthropic intent.





Toward Statewide Partnerships in Philanthropy

In 2008 and 2009, The Alaska Community Foundation and the Rasmuson Foundation continued a partnership with several communities to expand personal and family philanthropy across Alaska. The core of this initiative is the building of local charitable assets so programs valued by Alaskans will continue for years to come. As communities raise private dollars and make grants to their local nonprofits, we continue to welcome other communities that wish to get involved in exploring local community-based funds.

The communities at the core of the 2008-2009 Community Asset Building Initiative are:

Haines

Chilkat Valley Community Foundation

Ann Myren, Chair

Kenai

Kenai Peninsula Foundation

Jane Stein, Chair

Seward

Seward Community Foundation

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Petersburg Community Foundation

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Chugiak-Eagle River Foundation*

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Laura Patkotak, Chair

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Across the Greatland :: Grant Highlights

Legacy Society

Leaving a charitable legacy does not require a large income or vast estate. It only requires the thoughtful intention to make a difference for generations to come. When you join the Legacy Society of The Alaska Community Foundation, you will find community among others who have done the same and uncommon opportunities to learn, connect, and share.

We find too often those who leave a legacy are not honored during their lifetime for this important decision. Our Legacy Society is a way of shining a light on this gift for the future – today.

Benefits of the Legacy Society

Those who join our Legacy Society can count on the following:

- Giving a Gift that Keeps on Giving
- Place for Your Personal History
- ACF Staff Expertise
- Recognition
- Invitations to Special Events

Ways to Make a Legacy Gift

There are many ways to make a Legacy Gift. Please contact ACF and we will guide you through the process.



Bernie Washington,
Board Treasurer, Anchorage

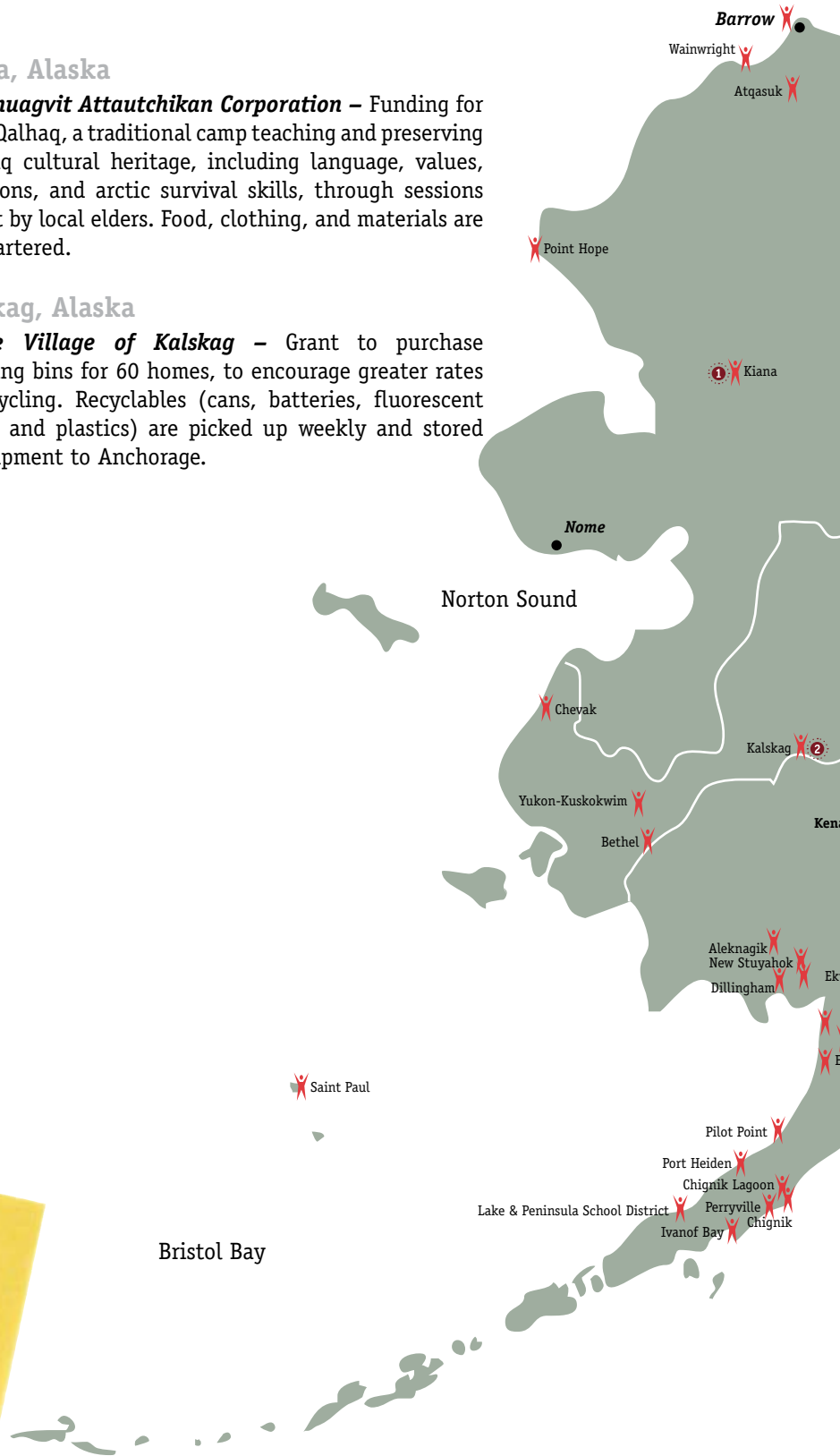


1 Kiana, Alaska

Illiannuagvit Attautchikan Corporation – Funding for Camp Qalhaq, a traditional camp teaching and preserving Inupiaq cultural heritage, including language, values, traditions, and arctic survival skills, through sessions taught by local elders. Food, clothing, and materials are also bartered.

2 Kalskag, Alaska

Native Village of Kalskag – Grant to purchase recycling bins for 60 homes, to encourage greater rates of recycling. Recyclables (cans, batteries, fluorescent lights, and plastics) are picked up weekly and stored for shipment to Anchorage.



3 Anchorage, Alaska

Alaska Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired – Funding for a new eye doctor at the low vision clinic, serving 96 Alaskans, most of whom have some level of correctable vision. The clinic identifies specialized magnifiers and devices to assist them, depending on their eye condition, lifestyle, and work goals.

The Black Feather P.O.E.T.S. – Funding an interactive media/poetry workshop with an underlying theme of suicide prevention. Participants create and produce PSAs encouraging the young to live.

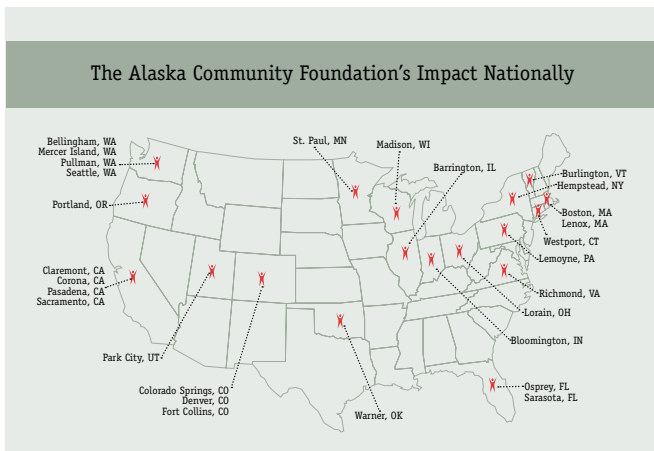
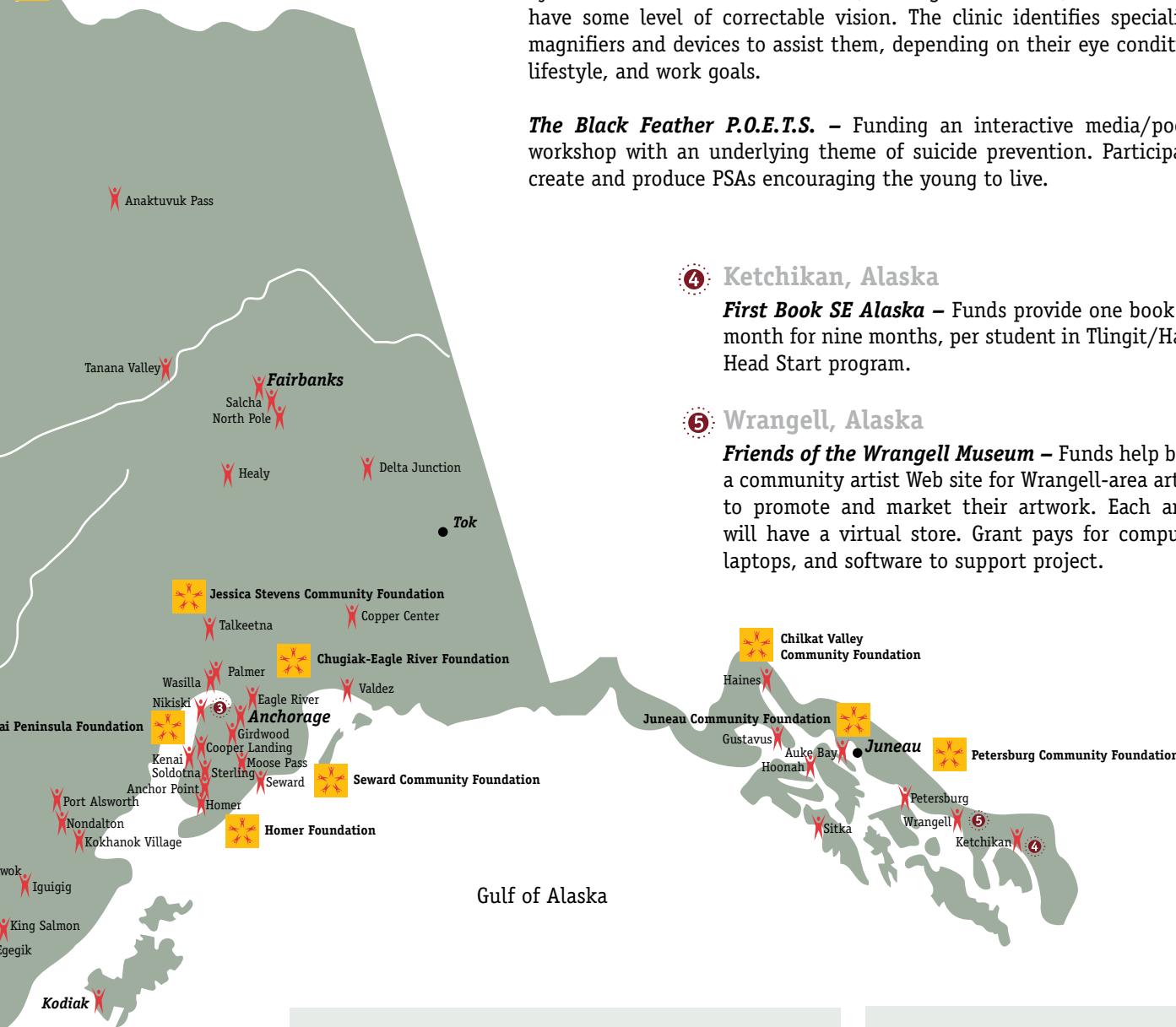
4 Ketchikan, Alaska

First Book SE Alaska – Funds provide one book per month for nine months, per student in Tlingit/Haida Head Start program.

5 Wrangell, Alaska

Friends of the Wrangell Museum – Funds help build a community artist Web site for Wrangell-area artists to promote and market their artwork. Each artist will have a virtual store. Grant pays for computer, laptops, and software to support project.

ASRC Fund for Inupiat Cultures & Traditions





The Alaska Fund helps knit together villages and cities of Alaska by providing a common well of funding from which groups of all types may benefit.

Angela Cox, ACF Board Member, Barrow

A Home for Unrestricted Endowment Funds

Unrestricted funds are the broadest, most flexible form of giving through The Alaska Community Foundation. Proceeds from unrestricted funds can support any activity that is charitable anywhere in the state. In years to come, who knows what needs will arise in Alaska? It's important to have permanent and flexible charitable funds such as one of the unrestricted funds now at ACF.



The Alaska Fund

The Alaska Fund is such an unrestricted fund. Although modest in size, it will grow with the generosity of Alaskans and former Alaskans from across the world and be positioned to respond to needs and opportunities in ways that will continue to make the most positive difference.

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– Angela Cox, ACF Board Member.

An unrestricted fund can also carry the name of someone you wish to honor, such as in the case of the Marcia Hastings Fund, named for a former chief executive officer of ACF, who is a champion for

philanthropy. Another unrestricted fund has a more focused mission: The Endowment for Juneau's Future Fund benefits the entire community of Juneau through the Juneau Community Foundation, which serves as the fund adviser.

These unrestricted funds made a difference across the state in 2008:

- Alaska Fund
- Chilkat Valley Community Foundation Fund
 - Ashley & Heather Call Family Fund
- Elmer and Ruth Schwantes Fund
- Endowment for Juneau's Future
- Hank Rosenthal Memorial Fund
- Homer Foundation Endowment
- Jessica Stevens Community Foundation
- Kenai Peninsula Foundation Fund
- Marcia Hastings Fund
- Nelson Page Fund
- Petersburg Community Foundation Fund
- Seward Community Fund
 - City of Seward Unrestricted Fund
 - Larson Family Fund
 - Margaret A. Anderson Fund
 - Paul C. Ruppel Fund

photo Children on the playground at Camp Fire USA rural program made possible by the Elmer and Ruth Schwantes Fund.



A Home for Scholarship Endowments

Sven and Lorraine Eriksson Scholarship Fund

Young Sven Eriksson, not finding life on the farm too appealing in Sweden, headed for Alaska in 1951 as an electrical engineer. He worked at U.S. Army installations throughout the state.

Lorraine Eriksson came to Alaska in 1952 and worked at Ed's Electric in Anchorage. Sven and Lorraine married at the Lutheran church in downtown Anchorage and the rest is Alaska history. They raised their sons, enjoyed skiing, fishing, and flying their airplane. They had adventures to fill many scrapbooks, including a close scrape with the 1964 earthquake. Now retired, they spend a few months every year in a warmer climate.

As certain as the snow geese return to the North, the Sven and Lorraine Eriksson Scholarship Fund makes a substantial scholarship award each year to students attending University of Alaska Anchorage to study engineering or music.

*"Alaska has been good to us," said Sven.
"Creating a scholarship was a way to say
'Jag tackar' ('thanks')."*

Scholarship endowments at The Alaska Community Foundation include:

- 2006 Arctic Winter Games Host Society
- Alaska Cross Country Ski Racer Development Fund
- Carl Seaman Scholarship
- David E. Knox Memorial Nursing Fellowship
- Dr. Merritt Olson Academic Scholarship
- Golden Rule Scholarship

- H.A. Red Boucher Scholarship
- Harry H. Hirshik Scholarship
- Hoonah Education Association Fine Arts Scholarship Fund
- Jim Snead Memorial Scholarship
- KAYHI Alumni Scholarship Fund
- Kenny Carver Memorial Scholarship
- Kenny Carver Scholarship Fund
- Lueella James Scholarship
- Maurie Harrington Memorial Scholarship
- Melissa Faye Pike Memorial Foundation
- Ninilchik School Memorial Scholarship
- Nordic Skiing Association of Anchorage
- Ray and Maxine Stephens Memorial Scholarship
- Saltwater, Inc. Scholarship
- Scott Fibranz Memorial Baseball Scholarship
- Seward High School Scholarship Fund
- Shayna Marie Pritchard Memorial Scholarship
- Sven & Lorraine Eriksson Alaska Fund
- Tim Akers Memorial Scholarship



photo: Sven Eriksson and wife Lorraine.



A Home for Donor-Advised Funds

Porterfield/Friedman Family Fund

A convenient and flexible way for your family to get involved with your community and to build family connectedness is by creating a donor-advised fund. This type of charitable fund keeps you engaged with your philanthropic decisions throughout your life. Perhaps you will name your children or other family members as fund advisers in the future.

Jeff Friedman and Jan Porterfield set up a donor-advised fund before Jan lost her battle with cancer. Because she had served so many organizations dedicated to children, the fund will continue to support a broad range of charitable interests that include programs for children, and organizations serving people with serious illnesses.

"During the six and a half years that she had cancer, Jan would frequently say how lucky we were to have insurance. The fund is really to try to make a difference in the lives of people who don't have the opportunities we have had," said Jeff, who is the fund adviser along with his son.

Donor-advised funds are popular, flexible, and a growing philanthropic trend, as this ACF giving community list shows:

- AFN Fund
- Akiyama Family Fund
- Alaska Academy of Family Physicians Foundation Endowment
- Alaska Cardiovascular Research Foundation
- Alaska Cross-Country Ski Racer Development Fund
- Alaska Federation of Natives Fund
- Alaska Sudan Medical Project
- Alaska Winter Olympians Foundation
- Alaska Women's Foundation
- Alaska Women's Giving Circle
- Alaska Wrestling Fund
- Alaska Youth Development Fund
- Anchorage Skates
- Anchorage Trail Care Fund
- Andy Mathisen Fishing Park
- Anthony O'Malley Youth Fund
- Arctic Slope Community Foundation
- AVTEC Foundation
- BP Energy Center Endowment
- Byrne Family Fund
- Camilli Family Foundation
- Carol Goff Simonetti Fund



*photos (L to R): Jan Porterfield and husband Jeff Friedman
Jan's watercolor painting, "Tulips."*

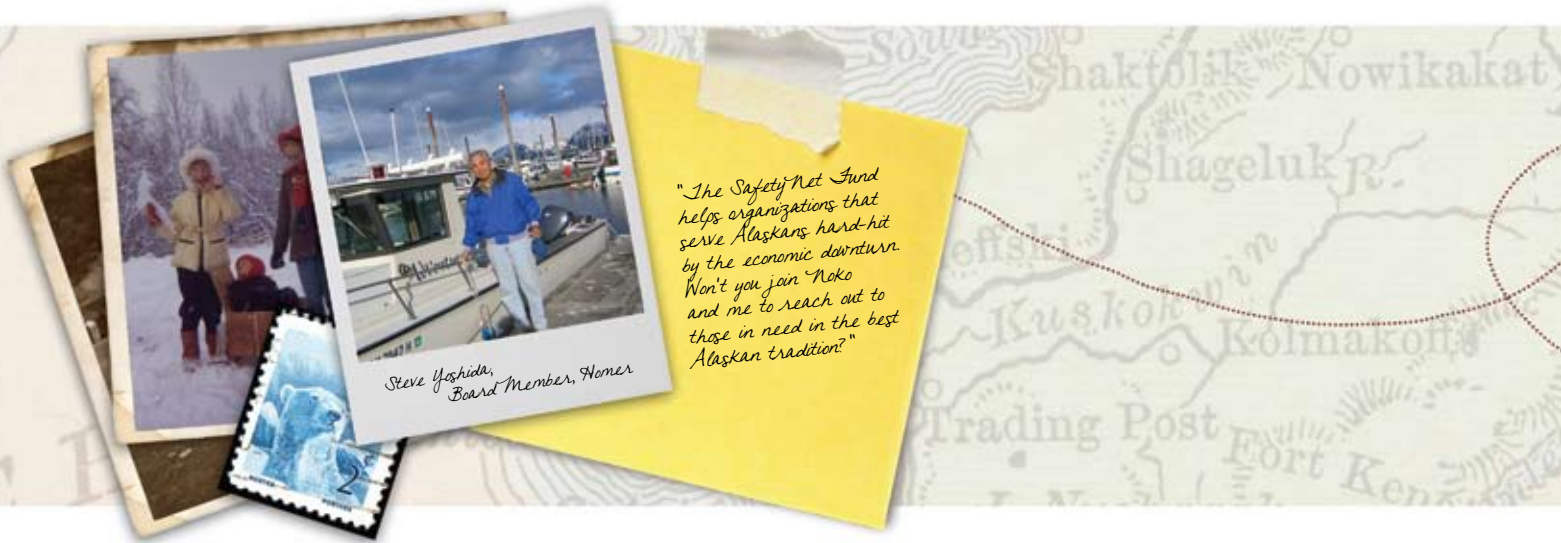


Leo Bustad, Board Member,
Immediate Past Chair, Anchorage

"Families may introduce their children to philanthropy by opening a donor-advised fund, and naming their children the advisors to the fund. It's a way to teach the next generation about the importance of sharing."

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- Carrie Klein Fund
- Carver Family Fund
- Chevron Kenai Peninsula Fund
- Cox Family Fund
- Davis Constructors & Employees Fund
- Downtown Rotary Special Project Fund
- Edmund & Eveline Schuster Family Fund
- Elizabeth Carroll Fund
- Fritz Gunkel Fund for Mental Health
- Gordon Paulsen Fund
- Greg and Patsy Romack Education Fund
- Group Hug Fund
- Hastings Family Fund
- Healthy Alaskans Fund
- Hiltenbrand Family Fund
- James and Lee Cloud Fund
- Janis Family Fund
- Joseph and Evelyn Columbus Alaska Fund
- JS Fund
- Juneau Arts and Humanities Student Scholarship
- Kristine M. Norosz Fund
- Kyle Alter Memorial Cancer Foundation
- Leo and Jeanne Bustad Fund
- Lib & Whitey Hakkinen Professional Development Fund of the Sheldon Museum & Cultural Center of Haines, AK
- Lindsey Family Fund
- Machamer Charitable Fund
- Marquez Family Fund
- Michalski Family Fund
- Milqueya A. Franjul Memorial Fund
- Milt and Sue Byrd Fund
- Molly Ahlgren Memorial Fund
- Nelson Page Fund
- Norton Cruz Family Foundation
- Peterson/Cumberland Alaska Fund
- Porterfield/Friedman Family Fund
- Remembering the Children (Mikelngueta Umyuaqluki)
- RMR Family Foundation
- Scotty Gomez Foundation Fund
- Serafino Morichetti Fund
- Smiles for Kids
- Solace Vehicle Maintenance Fund
- Suzanne Weller Endowment Fund
- The Pebble Fund
- The Tundra Fund
- Vessel of Hope
- Village Voice Initiative
- Walter J. and Ermalee Hickel Alaska Fund
- Watson Fund
- Weiser Family Fund
- Wickler Charitable Fund
- Yerkes Family Foundation



A Home for Field of Interest Funds

In 2008, The Alaska Community Foundation began to develop funds that address broad fields of interest, so that the giving community has the choice of simplifying their gifts and grants by naming broad categories of interests they wish to see supported.

In 2008, two field of interest funds were created: The Alaska Safety Net Fund and the Alaska Disaster Recovery Fund.

Alaska Safety Net Fund

This charitable fund is making grants already and is building a reserve that will be able to help nonprofits serve their communities through extraordinarily tough economic times. It can help groups providing Alaskans with food, housing, job assistance, utility assistance, prescriptions, and emergency cash.

Gifts to this fund are split into two parts – one for immediate grantmaking as needed, and the other for endowment, which will be a reserve for future hard times.

Alaska Disaster Recovery Fund

Earthquakes, volcanoes, floods – it really is tougher in Alaska. But often the numbers of people displaced and disrupted don't add up to enough to bring in federal disaster funds. And after a disaster, many family needs can linger for years. The Alaska Disaster Recovery Fund is intended to help communities with long-term recovery after the worst is over.

In the future, people may think of many other categories of these funds they wish to create, and The Alaska Community Foundation staff is ready to listen to your thoughts, hopes and dreams for endowing everything from education, the arts, and ... you name it.

- Alaska Disaster Recovery Fund
- Alaska Endowment for the Environment
- Alaska Safety Net Fund
- Anchorage Schools Foundation



photo Disaster recovery takes all of us working together.



A Home for Project Funds

In special cases, The Alaska Community Foundation will serve as fiscal sponsor for limited-duration projects that have important community benefits. In 2008, the Alaska Statehood Celebration Fund was such a project, as is the West High Alumni Association Auditorium Fund. Foundation staff members can explain how these funds differ from endowments and the special considerations they deserve.

Anchorage Park Foundation

People in Anchorage love their parks and recognize the important role they have in the city's quality of life. Stewardship of the nearly 11,000 acres of municipal parkland, 250 miles of trails, and greenbelts has become a point of pride for citizens who enjoy the city's "Big Wild Life."

"People of Anchorage love their parks and recognize the important role they have in the city's quality of life."

The Anchorage Park Foundation is dedicated to healthy people and parks, but it takes funding to make improvements. As a project fund of The Alaska Community Foundation, the Anchorage Park Foundation actively encourages donations to keep recreation opportunities alive and well. Donors can log directly onto www.anchorageparkfoundation.org and be inspired by the many park projects that await private dollars to come to fruition.

Project funds at The Alaska Community Foundation include:

- Alaska Meth Education Project Fund
- Alaska Native Cultural Charter School
- Anchorage Fur Rendezvous
- Anchorage Park Foundation
- Anchorage Rotary Planet Walk
- Anchorage Statehood Celebration
- Anchorage Unleashed Dog Park
- Dare to Care
- Growing Up Tobacco Free In Alaska
- Jessica Stevens Community Foundation BP/Mat-Su Valley Challenge
- Pillars of America
- Rasmuson Asset and Capacity Building
- West High Alumni Association Auditorium Fund



photo Anchorage Youth Employment in Parks Crew 2008 Watershed Restoration Project.



A Home for Agency and Organization Endowments

Nonprofit organizations establish endowment funds to benefit their organizations as well as to smooth out the bumps in funding streams in the future.

It's a simple and efficient way to help create sustainability. Organizations may transfer funds to the endowment or receive contributions from others. Agencies receive distributions from the fund on a pre-determined schedule.

Through intervention, referral, collaboration, and education, AFS is at times the difference between life and death. Services include a 24-hour emergency shelter for women and children, family support and preservation programs and substance abuse treatment. In addition AFS has residential services for severely emotionally disturbed youth, and provides support groups, childcare assistance, nutritional services, and outreach.

In 2006, AFS established an agency endowment to provide future sources of funding for the organization. As one of its highest priorities, the AFS board continues to add to the fund.

Agency and organization endowments at The Alaska Community Foundation include:

- **Alaska Arts and Culture Foundation**
 - *Connie Boochever Fund*
 - *Helen Walker Fund*
 - *Margaret Nick Cook Fund*
- **Alaska Association of Conservation Districts Endowment**
- **Alaska Aviation Heritage Museum Fund**
- **Alaska Botanical Garden Endowment**
- **Alaska Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired Endowment**
- **Alaska Family Services**
- **Alaska Museum of Natural History Fund**
- **Alaska Native Cancer Foundation**
- **Alaska Public Telecommunications, Inc.**
- **Alaska Ski Educational Foundation**
 - *Andrew Lekisch Memorial Fund*
 - *Chris Eriksson Fund*
 - *Edward Rasmuson Endowment*
 - *General Fund*



photo: Alaska Family Services helps those at risk of becoming victims.

Alaska Family Services

Alaska Family Services (AFS) is a safe haven for victims of domestic violence and for those who are at risk of becoming victims. Founded in 1979, it has developed a wide range of services for families in the Mat-Su communities of Palmer and Wasilla, as well as Kenai and Homer.

"Alaska Family Services is that safe haven for victims of domestic violence and for those who are at risk of becoming victims."



- *Jim Landes Memorial Fund*
- *Pia-Margrethe Denkwalter Memorial Fund*
- *Tom Besh Fund*
- Alaska World Affairs Council Programs Fund
- Alaska Zoo Foundation
- Albrecht Milan Foundation
- American Society for Circumpolar Health Fund
- Anchorage 21st Century Community Learning Centers
- Anchorage Community Land Trust Special Project Fund
- Anchorage Community YMCA Fund
- Anchorage Concert Chorus Mary Hale Fund
- Anchorage Waterways Council
- Arctic Valley Ski Area Endowment
- AWARE Action Fund
- Camp Fire USA Alaska Council Fund for Future Leaders
- Central Alaska Retired Teachers' Association Grant Endowment
- Central Alaska Retired Teachers' Association Scholarship Endowment
- Central Peninsula Health Foundation
- Challenger Learning Center Fund
- Chugiak Eagle River Community Foundation
- Clausen Memorial Museum
- Commonwealth North Endowment Fund
- Congregation Beth Shalom Community Fund
- Dare to Care Fund
- Food Bank of Alaska Fund for a Hunger Free Alaska
- Foundation for End of Life Care
- Friends of the Campbell Creek Science Center Endowment
- Girl Scouts Susitna Council Fund
- Haines Borough Public Library Legacy Fund
- Hospice of the Tanana Valley
- Identity, Inc., Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender and Allies Agency Endowment
- Institute of the North Fund
- Ionia Endowment
- Ionia Quasi-Endowment
- Jesse Lee Home Restoration Fund
- Kenai Central High School Choir Fund
- KFSK Endowment
- Kincaid Project Group Endowment
- Kincaid Project Group Fund
- Kisumu Children's Foundation
- Malawi Children's Village Foundation
- Matanuska-Susitna Schools Foundation
- Mat-Su Services for Children & Adults
- Peninsula Community Endowment of Kenai Peninsula Food Bank
- Petersburg Public Library - Heritage of the Sea
- Petersburg Public Library Endowment
- Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest
- Qutekcak Native Tribe Fund
- Seward Community Library Museum Foundation
- Seward Senior Citizens Endowment
- Sheldon Jackson College Endowment
- Simon Paneak Memorial Museum
- Solace International Fund
- Soroptimist International of Cook Inlet Fund
- The Dream Lives On - The Dave Buchhauser Fund
- United Way of Southeast Alaska
- Wish Upon the North Star



A Home for Designated Endowment Funds

Oscar Anderson House Fund

A young and adventurous immigrant landed in Anchorage in 1915. He built what is considered the first wood-frame house constructed in the area. Thousands of people visit the home each year to relive the days when people came from all over the world to the settlement along Cook Inlet that we now call Anchorage.

"In the late 1970s, an energetic group of historic preservation enthusiasts in Anchorage worked to save the building and move it to its present location along the Tony Knowles Coastal Trail."



photo Oscar Anderson House Anchorage, Alaska.

Ruth Anderson Burgess made a gift to the city of Anchorage for the preservation of the house and its repairs. The fund found a home at The Alaska Community Foundation so the Oscar Anderson House has a maintenance fund far into the future.

Designated endowment funds include these:

- Anchorage Park Foundation Legacy Endowment
- Dr. Jane Egger Fund for the Petersburg Humane Society
- Hospice of Anchorage Designated Fund
- Malawi Children's Village Tuition Endowment
- Oscar Anderson House Fund



Grants and Awards

In 2008, the giving cCommunity at The Alaska Community Foundation made more than \$6.5 million in grants to a broad range of nonprofits throughout the state and beyond.

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| <p>ACSI Leadership Legacy Society - \$1,000 <i>Leadership Legacy Society (National)</i></p> <p>Alaska Arts and Culture Foundation - \$4,600 <i>Grant award for Pratt Museum (Homer)</i></p> <p>Alaska Arts and Culture Foundation - \$1,688 <i>General support for the Alaska Arts and Culture Foundation (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Baptist Family Services - \$1,000 <i>Capital campaign (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Center for the Environment - \$200 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Center for the Performing Arts - \$50 <i>General support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Children's Institute for the Performing Arts - \$100 <i>Triumvirate North Bookstore Project (Kenai)</i></p> <p>Alaska Children's Institute for the Performing Arts - \$500 <i>Theater sign installation (Kenai)</i></p> <p>Alaska Conservation Foundation - \$50 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Conservation Foundation - \$2,4292 <i>Nunamta Alukestai support (Bristol Bay)</i></p> <p>Alaska Design Forum - \$15,000 <i>Challenge grant - park event lighting (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Federation of Natives - \$495,162 <i>Convention and subsistence program (Statewide)</i></p> | <p>Alaska Immigration Justice Project - \$15,000 <i>Medical interpreter training program (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Medical Mission - \$1,000 <i>Assist with acquisition and transport of medical supplies to Third World countries (International)</i></p> <p>Alaska Meth Education Project - \$7,800 <i>General operating support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Mineral and Energy Resource Education Fund - \$200 <i>Education supplies (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Native Heritage Center - \$250 <i>General operating support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Pacific University - \$3,450 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Ski Educational Foundation - \$5,025 <i>Annual scholarships (Alaska)</i></p> <p>Alaska Theater of Youth - \$800 <i>Cuddy Park opening entertainment (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska World Affairs Council - \$15,000 <i>In honor of AWAC 50th anniversary (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Youth & Parent Foundation - \$5,000 <i>Skills For Life program (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alaska Youth Choir - \$620 <i>Support for the Grace Akiyama scholarship (Juneau)</i></p> <p>Alaska Youth for Environmental Action - \$750 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> | <p>Alaska Zoo - \$1,338 <i>Support education and research on loons and grebes in Alaska (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Alpha Omega Life Care, Inc. - \$5,000 <i>Purchase of van for delivering food (Delta Junction)</i></p> <p>American Cancer Society - \$100 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>American College of Nurse Midwives - \$2,000 <i>Production of "Birth" (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>American Lung Association of Alaska - \$50 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>American Red Cross of Alaska - \$100 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> <p>AMU/APU Alumni Association - \$500 <i>General support 2008 (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Association for the Education of Young Children - \$250 <i>Program support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage International Rotary - \$35,000 <i>2008 Challenge grantee: Reflection Point at Kincaid Park (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Project Access - \$10,000 <i>General operating support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Public Libraries - \$25,000 <i>Collection and furnishings enhancement for Samson-Diamond Branch Library (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Public Libraries - \$25,000 <i>Collection and furnishings enhancement for Muldoon Branch Library (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Public Libraries - \$637,000 <i>Renovation of Mountain View Branch Library (Anchorage)</i></p> | <p>Anchorage Public Libraries - \$1,025,000 <i>Renovation of Chugiak-Eagle River Branch Library (Eagle River)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Urban League - \$62,337 <i>General support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Anchorage Waterways Council - \$4,800 <i>Collected data and created stream profile of Campbell Creek at Dimond Blvd. (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>APTI - Alaska Public Telecommunications, Inc. - \$4,865 <i>General support for "AK" programming (Statewide)</i></p> <p>Audubon Alaska - \$5,000 <i>Anchorage birding map (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Aware, Inc. - \$1,500 <i>General operating support (Juneau)</i></p> <p>Bean's Cafe - \$5,000 <i>Funding for cargo van and driver (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Bean's Cafe - \$2,000 <i>General operating support (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Bear Valley PTA - \$5,000 <i>Full spectrum lighting replacement project (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>Bridges Community Resources Network, Inc. - \$2,000 <i>After prom/after grad event support (Soldotna)</i></p> <p>Brotherhood, Inc. - \$409 <i>Event sponsorship (Anchorage)</i></p> <p>CARE - \$300 <i>General support (National)</i></p> <p>Carter Center - Office of Development - \$100 <i>General support (Alaska)</i></p> |
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- Catholic Social Services - \$1,300**
General support (Anchorage)
- Catholic Social Services - \$1,500**
Refugee, food clothing, shelter services (Anchorage)
- Center for Alaskan Coastal Studies - \$3,000**
Support for coastal science field trips (Homer)
- Central Peninsula Crime Stoppers - \$500**
General program support (Central Peninsula)
- Central Peninsula Health Foundation - \$5,000**
General support (Soldotna)
- Children's Guardian Fund - \$2,000**
General operating support (National)
- Christian Children's Fund - \$340**
Support for children (National)
- Chugiak Eagle River Foundation - \$40,000**
Operating support and grant activities (Eagle River)
- City of Anaktuvuk Pass - \$31,250**
Purchase of laptop computers (Anaktuvuk Pass)
- City of Atkasuk - \$31,250**
Tundra remediation project (Atkasuk)
- City of Point Hope - \$31,250**
Tikiqagmiut Recreation Center (Point Hope)
- City of Wainwright - \$31,250**
Capacity building (Wainwright)
- Combined Jewish Philanthropies - \$1,000**
2008 annual campaign (National)
- Commonwealth North, Inc. - \$10,000**
To support the development of public policy initiatives for the State of Alaska (Statewide)
- Congregation Beth Sholom - \$7,300**
Support of Shining Light honoring Carol Comeau (Anchorage)
- Congregation Beth Sholom - \$7,995**
Daycare scholarships (Anchorage)
- Congregation Beth Sholom - \$1,000**
Re-installer of stained glass window in the sanctuary (Anchorage)
- Covenant House Alaska - \$50,500**
General support (Anchorage)
- Cross Country Alaska - \$2,000**
2008 Junior National travel awards (Statewide)
- Cure International - \$5,000**
Medical assistance in Afghanistan, facial reconstruction (International)
- Death with Dignity National Center - \$50**
General support (National)
- Dimond Park Field House, Inc. - \$10,000**
Contribute to upstart of Juneau Community Foundation's Dimond Park Field House (Juneau)
- Doctors Without Borders USA - \$200**
General support (National)
- Empowerment Society International - \$1,000**
Support Empowerment Society programs in Liberia (International)
- EnlightenNext, Inc. - \$1,000**
General operating support (National)
- Eppley Institute for Parks and Public Lands - \$40,000**
Anchorage park improvements (Anchorage)
- Eva Foundation- \$5,000**
General operating support (Anchorage)
- FINCA International, INC - \$100**
General Support (National)
- First Book Southeast Alaska - \$1,000**
Provide books to enhance Tlingit and Haida Head Start programs in Southeast Alaska (Ketchikan)
- Food Bank of Alaska - \$2,600**
Food for those in need (Alaska)
- Food Pantry of Wasilla - \$2,500**
Food for those in need (Wasilla)
- Forty Carrots - \$500**
General operating support (National)
- Foundation for End of Life Care - \$5,000**
Educational brochure, presentation, workshop (Juneau)
- Friends of Mat-Su - \$500**
General support (Mat-Su Valley)
- Friends of Pets - \$5,000**
Support for Safe Haven program for pets of women at AWAIC (Anchorage)
- Friends of the Juneau Borough Libraries - \$500**
General operating support (Juneau)
- Friends of the Wrangell Museum - \$5,000**
Purchase of computers for community artist Web site project (Wrangell)
- Gastineau Channel Historical Society - \$500**
General operating support (Juneau)
- Girl Scouts Susitna Council - \$300**
General support (Anchorage)
- Girl Scouts Susitna Council - \$1,000**
Program support for the Kenai Peninsula Girl Scout program (Kenai Peninsula)
- Glasser/Schoenbaum Human Services Center - \$2,000**
General operating support (National)
- Growing Up Tobacco Free - \$10,000**
Support for Growing Up Tobacco Free project (Alaska)
- Gulf Coast Heritage - Spanish Point - \$2,000**
General operating support (National)
- Habitat for Humanity-Anchorage - \$100**
General support (Anchorage)
- Holy Cross Parish - \$2,750**
Vacation bible school, youth ministry/tea (Anchorage)
- Holy Rosary Academy - \$50,000**
General support (Anchorage)
- Hospice of Anchorage - \$850**
Provide funds or services to individuals and families using Hospice (Anchorage)
- Hospice of the Central Peninsula - \$2,000**
Support for annual fundraiser (Central Peninsula)
- Ilinniaguiq Attautchikun Corporation - \$4,760**
Support for Camp Qalmaq (Kiana)
- Inspire Life Skills Training, Inc. - \$5,000**
Provide dental services to post foster care youth in the 'inspire' program (National)
- Institute of the North - \$220,267**
Endowment gift (Alaska)
- Juneau Arts & Humanities Council- \$4,500**
General support of youth, arts and humanities (Juneau)
- Juneau Community Foundation - \$5,000**
Community endowment (Juneau)
- Juneau Symphony Inc. - \$500**
General operating support (Juneau)
- Juneau Youth Services, Inc. - \$2,000**
Paint and living room furniture for Cornerstone youth shelter (Juneau)
- Kachemak Bay Family Planning Clinic - \$1,000**
"Male involvement in reproductive health" program (Homer)
- KAKM Channel 7 - \$7,300**
General operating support (Alaska)
- KDLL Pickle Hill Public Broadcasting - \$1,560**
Purchase of radio programs from network and independent producers to air for the listening audience (Kenai)
- Kenai Central High School - \$2,050**
Voice lessons for choir students (Central Kenai)
- Kenai Central High School Nordic Ski Team Booster Club - \$600**
2008 Arctic Winter Games travel for three participants (Juneau)
- Kenai Performers - \$2,100**
Staging of 'Little Shop of Horrors,' 'Victorian Carolers' (Homer)
- Kham Aid Foundation - \$5,000**
General operating support (International)
- Kincaid Project Group, Inc. - \$5,025,000**
General Support (Anchorage)
- Kisumu Children's Fund - \$5,000**
Food and school fees (International)
- Leukemia & Lymphoma Society (Team in Training) - \$500**
Support leukemia research through Danielle Tirrell's Equinox Marathon fundraising effort (National)
- Love, Inc. - \$2,500**
Free breakfast program for elementary school students (Kenai)
- Madison Community Foundation - \$10,000**
Initial contribution for "Fritz Gunkel Scholarship Fund" (National)
- Maharlika, Inc. - \$500**
Scholarships awarded by the Asian cultural center (Anchorage)
- Malawi Children's Village Fund - \$292,554**
Salaries, tuition, and malaria project (International)
- Mary Magdalene Home Alaska - \$4,000**
General operating support (Anchorage)
- Mercy Corps - \$250**
Muktar Mai Fund (Pakistan) (National)
- Meth Education Project - \$1,309**
Development and publication of print ads for the meth education program (Alaska)
- MLK Foundation of Alaska - \$500**
2008 MLK Day Commemoration Event (Anchorage)
- Moose Pass School - \$1,000**
Ski equipment for after-school program (Moose Pass)
- Mountain View Elementary School PTA - \$1,800**
Providing winter ice rink maintenance for the physical education department (Anchorage)
- Moving Mountains Trust - \$5,000**
General operating support (International)
- Municipality of Anchorage - \$80,000**
Anchorage Youth Employment in Parks program (Anchorage)
- Native Village of Barrow - \$31,250**
Purchase of two copy machines (Barrow)
- Native Village of Kalskag - \$5,000**
Strengthening community recycling/purchase of household recycling bins (Kalskag)
- New Seed International - \$1,000**
General operating support (National)
- Nordic Ski Club of Fairbanks - \$929**
Pearl Creek Ski Park trail improvements (Fairbanks)
- North Pole High School Nordic Ski Team - \$411**
Ski tuning equipment for high school cross country racing team (North Pole)

Opera To Go - \$500
General operating support (Juneau)

OXFAM-America Inc. - \$100
International projects (International)

Pacific Legal Foundation - \$1,500
General support (National)

Peninsula Smoke Free Partnership - \$500
Production of educational video for teens about the dangers of tobacco use (Kenai Peninsula)

PFLAG - \$500
Juneau Pride Chorus (Juneau)

Pier One Theatre - \$2,000
General support and 35th anniversary activities (Homer)

Planned Parenthood Federation of America, Inc. - \$100
General support (National)

Planned Parenthood of Alaska - \$100
General support (Alaska)

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General operating support (National)

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Project GRAD - \$3,000
Support for College Access Program (Kenai Peninsula)

Project Homeless Connect - \$3,500
Outreach events for homeless (Anchorage)

Providence Alaska Foundation - \$5,000
To establish a clinical library for CVIU and CV OBS staff (Anchorage)

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General support (Anchorage)

Rotary Club of Anchorage - \$1,000
Support initiatives to reduce international poverty, hunger, and disease (Anchorage)

Russian Jack Elementary School - \$282
47 lunches (Anchorage)

SAGA - \$10,000
Girdwood Weeds Project (Girdwood)

SAGA - \$5,000
General support (Juneau)

Salcha Ski Club - \$2,088
Ski equipment for Salcha Ski Club nordic ski program for youth (Interior)

Salvation Army - Alaska Division - \$700
General support (Alaska)

Save the Children - \$340
Support for children (National)

SCIATH NA SCOL - \$3,000
General support (International)

Senior Friendship Centers, Inc. - \$3,000
General support (National)

Seward Community Library - \$18,008
In memory of Dale Lindsey (Seward)

Sexy Senior Dumper Cleaners - \$2,000
Adopt a highway program (Cooper Landing)

Shiloh Community Development, Inc. - \$5,000
Home Base After-School Program - children travelling to Ghana 2009 (Anchorage)

Singletrack Advocates- \$7,500
2008 Challenge grant to Singletrack Advocates for signage (Anchorage)

Solace International - \$259,924
Schools and clinics Kenya, Ghana, Liberia, Sudan, Malawi (International)

Southeast Alaska Independent Living - \$3,000
Funding for the Consumer Services Fund (Juneau)

Southeast Alaska Independent Living - \$1,000
Modifications or assistive devices for persons with disabilities to achieve or maintain independence (Juneau)

Southeast Regional Resource Center - \$500
General support for Juneau Adult Education Center (Juneau)

Special Olympics Alaska Central Peninsula - \$200
Swim team support (Central Peninsula)

St. Mary's Catholic Church - \$1,500
Marian Center matching grant (Kodiak)

Talkeetna Community Council - \$5,000
Talkeetna playground improvements (Talkeetna)

Team Alaska, Arctic Winter Games 2008 - \$1,200
Support Kenai Peninsula athletes to attend games in Yukon (Kenai Peninsula)

The Alaskan Discovery Fund, Inc. - \$500
General support (Juneau)

The Black Feather P.O.E.T.S. (Put on Earth to Speak) - \$4,300
Interactive project for youth suicide prevention (Anchorage)

The Alaska Center for the Blind & Visually Impaired - \$6,000
Funding for the low vision clinic (Anchorage)

The Challenger Learning Center of Alaska - \$10,000
General support (Alaska)

The Community Foundation of Lorain County - \$500
Unrestricted grantmaking (National)

The Girdwood Chapel - \$10,000
Capital campaign for a new chapel (Girdwood)

The Glory Hole - \$500
General support (Juneau)

The Imaginarium - \$3,333
Sixth-grade field trip sponsorship (Anchorage)

The Island Institute, Inc. - \$500
General support (National)

The Women's Resource Center - \$5,000
General support (National)

Tlingit Haida Regional Housing Authority - \$1,000
General support (Juneau)

Trail Mix, Inc. - \$500
General support (Juneau)

Tree Foundation - \$500
General support (National)

United States Fund for UNICEF - \$100
General support (National)

United Way of Anchorage - \$3,000
Support for art of group facilitation training program (Anchorage)

United Way of Anchorage - \$15,000
Tocqueville Society (Anchorage)

University of Alaska Anchorage - \$21,136
USFS Invasive Plant Trials (Anchorage)

University of Alaska Foundation - \$10,000
General support (Alaska)

University of Alaska Foundation - \$100,000
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University of Alaska Kachemak Bay Campus - \$1,000
Kachemak Bay Writer's Conference 2008 (Homer)

University of Alaska Southeast Alumni Endowed Scholarship - \$1,000
General support (Juneau)

University of Oregon Foundation - \$200
General support (National)

Valdez Senior Citizens Center, Inc. - \$2,500
Food for those in need and program support (Valdez)

Victims for Justice - \$4,000
Creation of a resource guide for families of homicide victims (Anchorage)

VSA Arts of Alaska - \$5,000
General support (Alaska)

Washington State University Foundation - \$8,100
General support (National)

We Do Care - \$100
General support of JCOC 75 mission "Continuing Promise" (National)

West Anchorage High School - \$4,995
Support for Project Ignition (Anchorage)

Women's Aid in Violent Emergencies (WAVE) - \$3,500
Purchase laptop computer and printer to support staff (Petersburg)

Wonder Park Elementary School - \$80
30 lunches (Anchorage)

Young Generation Center - \$24,000
Secondary school fees (International)

Youth Advocates of Sitka - \$1,000
General Support (Sitka)

YWCA of Anchorage- \$1,000
General Support (Anchorage)

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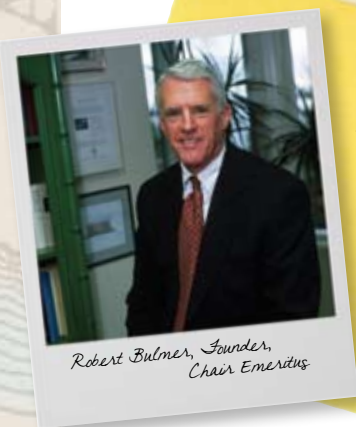
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ACF Benchmark for Comparable Investments

| Year | ACF Return | ACF Benchmark | S&P 500 | Barclay's Aggregate Index | Weight Market Index |
|------------------|------------|---------------|---------|---------------------------|---------------------|
| 1998 | 6.75 | 7.35 | 26.70 | 8.69 | 14.99 |
| 1999 | 4.90 | 7.38 | 21.04 | -0.82 | 6.83 |
| 2000 | 3.90 | 3.29 | -9.10 | 11.63 | 4.37 |
| 2001 | -0.31 | 1.70 | -11.89 | 8.42 | 1.31 |
| 2002 | -1.99 | -2.89 | -22.10 | 10.27 | -1.06 |
| 2003 | 15.04 | 16.11 | 28.69 | 4.11 | 12.71 |
| 2004 | 1.55 | 1.25 | 10.88 | 4.34 | 7.61 |
| 2005 | 3.60 | 3.32 | 4.89 | 2.43 | 3.66 |
| 2006 | 10.47 | 11.10 | 15.80 | 4.33 | 11.21 |
| 2007 | 7.41 | 8.87 | 5.49 | 6.96 | 5.93 |
| 2008 | -22.98 | -25.34 | -37.00 | 5.24 | -24.33 |
| 2009 | 5.12 | 4.92 | 2.96 | 1.32 | 2.47 |
| 11.5 YR. Average | 2.79 | 3.09 | 3.03 | 5.58 | 3.81 |
| 10 YR thru 2007 | 5.13 | 5.75 | 7.04 | 6.04 | 6.76 |

Notes: * ACF Return is for total portfolio of equities and fixed income investments.
* ACF Benchmark is the weighted average benchmarks for comparable investments.
* Weighted Market Index is weighted average of S&P and Barclay's (Lehman Brothers) Index.

ACF Historic Asset Allocations:

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|-----------|-----------------------------|
| 1998-2003 | 65% fixed income/35% equity |
| 2004-2005 | 50% fixed income/50% equity |
| 2006 | 40% fixed income/60% equity |
| 2007-2009 | 30% fixed income/70% equity |

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December 31, 2008

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Current Assets:

| | | |
|---------------------------|----|------------------|
| Cash & Equivalents | \$ | 133,636 |
| Accounts Receivable | | 213,885 |
| Pledges & Gift Receivable | | <u>7,716,500</u> |
| Total Current Assets | | 8,064,021 |

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| Investments | | 32,187,182 |
| Property & Equipment | | |
| Net of Accumulated Depreciation | | <u>59,319</u> |

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|--------------|----|-------------------|
| Total Assets | \$ | <u>40,310,521</u> |
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LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS

Current Liabilities:

| | | |
|---------------------------|----|---------------|
| Accounts Payable | \$ | 53,999 |
| Grants Payable | | 41,837 |
| Total Current Liabilities | | <u>95,836</u> |

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|-----------|
| Investments Held in Trusts for Others | | 4,725,783 |
| Total Liabilities | | 4,821,619 |

Net Assets:

| | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------|
| Unrestricted | | 28,138,819 |
| Temporarily Restricted | | 7,350,083 |
| Total Net Assets | | <u>35,488,902</u> |

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|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|
| Total Liabilities & Net Assets | \$ | <u>40,310,521</u> |
|--------------------------------|----|-------------------|

Assets by Type

| Fund Type | Total Assets | Endowed | Quasi |
|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Donor Advised | \$28,969,838 | \$2,650,260 | \$26,319,578 |
| Designated/Restricted | \$137,393 | \$35,456 | \$101,937 |
| Project | \$1,960,390 | - | \$1,960,390 |
| Scholarship | \$740,325 | \$268,780 | \$471,545 |
| Unrestricted/Affiliate | \$1,391,239 | \$1,245,986 | \$145,254 |
| Agency | \$5,927,108 | \$1,971,943 | \$3,955,165 |
| Operating | \$1,184,228 | - | \$1,184,228 |
| Total Fund Balance | \$40,310,521 | \$ 6,172,424 | \$34,138,097 |
| Percent of Total | - | 15% | 84.7% |



photo (Left) Berry picking at Arctic Valley ski area. (Right) Will Rogers (far right) and Wiley Post (2nd from right).

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