

Unless otherwise noted, all competitive grants are payable over one year.

Arts and Culture

[The Committee to Restore the Abyssinian](#)

Portland, ME

Leonard Cummings, President

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for Phase 5 of the restoration of the Meeting House.

[Coastal Maine Botanical Gardens, Inc.](#)

Boothbay, ME

Gretchen Ostherr, President and CEO

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for the purchase and installation of an exhibit of sculptures by recycled materials artist Thomas Dambo.

[Flynn Center for the Performing Arts](#)

Burlington, VT

Jay Wahl, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$75,000 for the Flynn at 90 Modernization Initiative.

[Friends of the Music Hall](#)

Portsmouth, NH

Tina Sawtelle, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$75,000 for Covid-19 relief.

[Hopkins Center for the Arts](#)

Hanover, NH

Mary Lou Aleskie, Howard L. Gilman '44 Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for renovation of the Hopkins Center for the Arts.

[New England Youth Theater Inc.](#)

Brattleboro, VT
Hallie Flower, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$35,000 for operating support focused on Covid-19 recovery.

[Northern Stage Theater Company](#)

White River Junction, VT
Carol Dunne, Artistic Director

Capital support in the amount of \$75,000 for the purchase of a property next to the theatre to be used for artist housing.

[Waterfall Arts](#)

Belfast, ME
Kim Fleming, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for facility renovation and expansion, and bridge operating support.

Education

[CAST, Inc.](#)

Wakefield, MA
Linda Gerstle, Chief Executive Officer

Project support in the amount of \$125,000 for a new virtual professional learning model for teachers in New Hampshire's North Country.

[Catamount Film and Arts Company](#)

St. Johnsbury, VT
Jody Fried, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$50,000 for music education programming in the Northeast Kingdom.

[Children's Museum of New Hampshire](#)

Dover, NH
Jane Bard, President

Project support in the amount of \$50,000 for restoring three staff educators to their pre-Covid hours in order to continue to provide educational programming for youth.

[Crossroads Academy](#)

Lyme, NH
Brad Choyt, Head of School

Capital support in the amount of \$75,000 for a new middle school building.

[Lake Champlain Community Sailing Center Inc.](#)

Burlington, VT
Owen Milne, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$50,000 for construction of an Outdoor Education Pier.

[Maine Boys to Men](#)

Falmouth, ME
Matt Theodores, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$50,000 for expansion of the Modern Masculinity Training Institute to rural Maine.

[Maine Historical Society](#)

Portland, ME
Stephen Bromage, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$75,000 for updated core programming to provide information, context, and dialog that supports Maine people as they respond to impacts of calls for social justice, the pandemic, and other current issues.

[North Branch Nature Center](#)

Montpelier, VT
Chip Darmstadt, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$125,000 for phase three facility renovations and general operating support.

[ProsperityME](#)

Portland, ME
Claude Rwaganje, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$75,000.

[Upstander Films, Inc.](#)

Boston, MA
Adam Mazo, Director

Project support in the amount of \$60,000 for the Upstander Academy for northern New England teachers.

[World Ocean School](#)

Boston, MA
Eden Leonard, President and Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$15,000 for Schooner Roseway renovations.

Environment

[Forest Society of Maine](#)

Bangor, ME
Karin Tilberg, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for preservation of the Coburn Gore property.

[Green Mountain Club, Inc.](#)

Waterbury Center, VT
Michael DeBonis, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$75,000 for purchase and conservation of a 14.5 acre parcel of land located on a vulnerable section of the Long Trail.

[Maine Audubon Society](#)

Falmouth, ME
Andrew Beahm, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$79,000 for a new outdoor learning pavilion at its Falmouth sanctuary.

[Open Space Institute Land Trust](#)

New York, NY
Peter Howell, Executive Vice President, Conservation Capital and Research

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for the Appalachian Landscapes Protection Fund.

[Shelburne Farms](#)

Shelburne, VT
Alec Webb, President

Operating support in the amount of \$100,000.

[Southeast Land Trust of New Hampshire](#)

Exeter, NH
Brian Hart, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for a new headquarters and multipurpose Center for People and Nature at Burley Farm in Epping, New Hampshire.

[Vermont Center for Ecostudies](#)

Norwich, VT

Chris Rimmer, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for the Vermont Atlas of Life.

Health and Welfare

[Artists For Humanity, Inc.](#)

Boston, MA

Susan Rodgerson, Founding Executive/Artistic Director

Operating support in the amount of \$100,000 for implementation of AFH's leadership succession plan.

[Breaktime Cafe, Inc.](#)

Wellesley, MA

Connor Schoen, Executive Director and Co-Founder

Operating support in the amount of \$100,000 to provide homeless youth with job opportunities.

[Champlain Valley Office of Economic Opportunity](#)

Burlington, VT

Paul Dragon, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for developing new curricula and a facilitator's guide for the New American Financial Empowerment Project.

[Dempsey Centers for Quality Cancer Care](#)

Lewiston, ME

Cara Valentino, CEO and President

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for the Maine Cancer Support Telehealth Program, to bring cancer support through virtual programs to rural Mainers.

[Greater Boston Legal Services](#)

Boston, MA
Jacquelynne Bowman, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$100,000.

[Greater Burlington Young Men's Christian Association](#)

Burlington, VT
Kyle Dodson, President and CEO

Project support in the amount of \$50,000 for antiracism and diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) training and education for staff.

[Gulf Coast Community Foundation, Inc.](#)

Venice, FL
Mark Pritchett, President and CEO

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for St. Vincent de Paul rapid rehousing project.

[InnerCity Weightlifting](#)

Boston, MA
Jon Feinman, Chief Executive Officer

Operating support in the amount of \$75,000 to hire a grants manager and operations coordinator and to provide student wages.

[Jane's Trust Foundation](#)

Boston, MA
Kurt Somerville, Trustee

Support in the amount of \$5,000,435.62 for endowment for Jane's Trust Foundation.

[Local Enterprise Assistance Fund, Inc.](#)

Boston, MA

Gerardo Espinoza, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$50,000 for providing technical assistance to MA Food Trust Program-eligible projects in Boston.

[Mote Marine Laboratory, Inc.](#)

Sarasota, FL

Michael Crosby, President & CEO

Project support in the amount of \$117,000 for the Upper Keys Coral Restoration expansion project.

[New Hampshire Community Loan Fund](#)

Concord, NH

Steve Saltzman, President and CEO

Operating support in the amount of \$50,000 for environmental and health services to Resident Owned Communities in New Hampshire.

[Organization for Refugee and Immigrant Success](#)

Manchester, NH

Mukhtar Idhow, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for the purchase of a building for a food hub for New American farmers.

[OUT Maine](#)

Rockland, ME

Jeanne Dooley, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for curriculum redesign and technology for online trainings.

[Outright Vermont](#)

Burlington, VT
Dana Kaplan, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$75,000 to purchase and renovate its facility.

[Positive Tracks, Inc.](#)

Hanover, NH
Mary Margaret Sloan, Chief Operating Officer

Operating support in the amount of \$100,000.

[Saint Andre Home, Inc.](#)

Bangor, ME
Carrie Nason, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$60,500 for creating a consortium to support survivors of human trafficking and exploitation in the rural Greater Bangor region.

[Spectrum, Inc.](#)

Burlington, VT
Mark Redmond, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$52,826 for renovations to the "Vault" and Drop-In Program Center.

[Tree Street Youth, Inc.](#)

Lewiston, ME
Julia Sleeper-Whiting, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$65,000 for staff capacity and fundraising strategy.

[Tri-Valley Transit, Inc.](#)

Middlebury, VT
Jim Moulton, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for the Upper Valley Community Transportation Center.

[Urban Farming Institute of Boston](#)

Mattapan, MA
Patricia Spence, President/CEO

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for the launch of a capital campaign to purchase their leased headquarters at the Fowler Clark Epstein Farm.

[Willing Hands Enterprises](#)

Norwich, VT
Gabe Zoerheide, Executive Director

Capital support in the amount of \$100,000 for a campaign to purchase and renovate a new facility.

[Women's Information Service](#)

Lebanon, NH
Peggy O'Neil, Executive Director

Project support in the amount of \$100,000 for a new transitional housing program for survivors of domestic violence.

[Y2Y Network, Inc](#)

Cambridge, MA
Cameron Van Fossen, Executive Director

Operating support in the amount of \$50,000 for an amended staffing and shelter model necessitated by Covid-19.

Membership

[Environmental Funders Network](#)

Portland, ME

Jeannette Andre, President, The Maine Philanthropy Center

Project support in the amount of \$5,000 for membership in the Maine Environmental Funders Network.

[Maine Philanthropy Center](#)

Portland, ME

Jeannette Andre, President

Project support in the amount of \$5,300 for membership in the regional association of grantmakers for Maine.

[Philanthropy Massachusetts](#)

Boston, MA

Jeffrey Poulos, Chief Executive Officer

Project support in the amount of \$5,000 for membership in the regional association of grantmakers for Massachusetts.