

Union Pacific Awards \$10.2 Million in Local Grants with Majority Supporting COVID-19 Relief

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OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 17, 2020 - Union Pacific Railroad's Community Ties Giving Program awarded \$10.2 million in local grants to more than 930 nonprofit organizations across its 23-state system. Grants are traditionally awarded in the company's three philanthropic priority areas: safety, workforce development and community spaces; however, nearly \$7 million in 2020 grants went to address needs related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Due to the unprecedented circumstances and anticipated community need, an additional \$5 million in funding was added to the local grants program in 2020, bringing the total to \$10.2 million. In an effort to expedite funding and address immediate needs, COVID-19 Relief Grants were awarded in waves with approximately 620 organizations receiving support. COVID-19 Relief Grants were used to address critical community needs associated with the pandemic, including general operating support.

"Every community was impacted by the pandemic in its own way, and the COVID-19 Relief Grants allowed nonprofit organizations to provide customized, essential services and, in some cases, keep the lights on," said Scott Moore, senior vice president and chief administrative officer, and Union Pacific Foundation President. "At the same time, it's important for us to continue supporting organizations that ensure the communities where our employees live and work remain safe and vibrant, while providing opportunities for family-supporting jobs."

Local grants provide funding ranging from \$2,500 to \$25,000 to local organizations across Union Pacific's system. Recipients are selected through an open, competitive applications process. To learn more about Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program or apply for local grants, visit up.com/communityties.

Grant recipients are listed by state in the links below. Recipients marked by an asterisk received COVID-19 Relief Grants.

ABOUT UNION PACIFIC

Union Pacific (NYSE: UNP) delivers the goods families and businesses use every day with safe, reliable and efficient service. Operating in 23 western states, the company connects its customers and communities to the global economy. Trains are the most environmentally responsible way to move freight, helping Union Pacific protect future generations. More information about Union Pacific is available at www.up.com.

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2020 Grants

Colorado: \$412,500

Aurora Arapahoe Battered Women's Shelter Inc. *

Colorado Springs Cheyenne Mountain Zoological Society *

Colorado Springs Friends of the Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum

Colorado Springs Boys & Girls Club of the Pikes Peak Region *

Colorado Springs Westside CARES *

Colorado Springs Police Foundation of Colorado Springs

Colorado Springs Discover Goodwill of Southern and Western Colorado *

Craig Moffat County United Way Inc.

Denver Children's Museum of Denver *

Denver Colorado Hebrew Chorale *

Denver Groundwork Denver

Denver Sun Valley Youth Center Inc. *

Denver Adams County Emergency Food Bank *

Denver Center for Immigrants and Immigration Services *

Denver Colorado Youth for a Change *

Denver Food For Thought Denver *

Denver Imagination Library of Denver *

Denver Mi Casa Resource Center *

Denver Mile High United Way *

Denver Friends of the Denver Fire Department *

Denver Rocky Mountain Children's Law Center

Denver Center for Work Education and Employment *

Denver Indian Center, Inc.

Denver Scholarship Foundation *

Denver Heart & Hand Center *

Denver Year One Inc. *

Fort Collins Court Appointed Special Advocate Inc. *

Fort Collins Homeward Alliance *

Grand Junction Museum of Western Colorado *

Grand Junction HomewardBound of the Grand Valley

Greeley Colorado Model Railroad Museum *

Greeley High Plains Library District Foundation

Greeley United Way of Weld County *

Hugo Main Street

Julesburg Fort Sedgwick Historical Society

Lafayette Coal Creek Adult Education Center

Littleton Shiloh House Inc. *

Littleton Crisis Center *

Louviers NRL Colorado

Montrose Memorial Hospital *

Monument Tri Lakes Cares *

Paonia Blue Sage Center

Pueblo Boys & Girls Clubs of Pueblo County *

Westminster CASA of Adams & Broomfield Counties

Westminster Colorado Statewide Parent Coalition *

Winter Park

Grand County Search and Rescue