

## Union Pacific Awards \$5.9 Million to Build Safe, Vibrant and Prosperous Communities

**OMAHA**, **Neb.**, **Sept. 12**, **2018** – Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program awarded nearly \$5.9 million in 2018 local grants to roughly 600 nonprofit organizations throughout its 23-state system. Local grants provide small and medium-sized grants within the railroad's priority cause areas: Safety, Workforce Development and Community Spaces. A small portion of funding is allocated to other local community needs.

"Union Pacific's success is linked to communities where we operate, and we proudly support organizations that improve the quality of life where our employees live and work," said Scott Moore, senior vice president and chief administrative officer, and Union Pacific Foundation President. "Investing in high-quality nonprofits and programs helps achieve our mission of building safe, prosperous and vibrant communities."

As North America's premier railroad franchise, Union Pacific has been building America for more than150 years. The lives of people throughout its footprint are intertwined with the railroad, which strengthens its communities. The next local grant application period will run April through May 2019. To learn more about Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program or apply for local grants, visit <u>www.up.com/foundation</u>.

## 2018 Grants

## Utah: \$210,000

Cedar City	Southern Utah University 01-65
	Southern Star University 01-05
Green River	Green River Cheer Coalition
Highland	Better Days 2020
Moab	Moab Folk Festival
Murray	Boys & Girls Clubs Of South Valley
Ogden	Ogden Friends of Acoustic Music (OFOAM)
Ogden	Union Station Foundation
Park City	Kimball Art Center
Price	United Way of Eastern Utah
Provo	United Way of Central and Southern Utah
Salt Lake City	Columbus Foundation Inc
Salt Lake City	Guadalupe Center Educational Programs Inc
Salt Lake City	Hibernian Foundation
Salt Lake City	Junior Achievement of Utah Inc
Salt Lake City	SLC Bike Share
Salt Lake City	Suazo Center for Business Development and Entrepreneurship

Salt Lake City	Success in Education Foundation
Salt Lake City	United Way of Salt Lake
Salt Lake City	Utah Clean Air Partnership UCAIR Inc
Salt Lake City	Utah Foundation
Salt Lake City	Utah Nonprofits Association
Salt Lake City	Utah Safety Council
Salt Lake City	Utah Symphony & Opera
Sandy	Hale Centre Theatre
State-wide	Internet Keep Safe Coalition

## **About Union Pacific**

Union Pacific Railroad is the principal operating company of Union Pacific Corporation (NYSE: UNP). One of America's most recognized companies, Union Pacific Railroad connects 23 states in the western two-thirds of the country by rail, providing a critical link in the global supply chain. In the last 10 years, 2008-2017, Union Pacific invested approximately \$34 billion in its network and operations to support America's transportation infrastructure. The railroad's diversified business mix is classified into its Agricultural Products, Energy, and Industrial and Premium business groups. Union Pacific serves many of the fastest-growing U.S. population centers, operates from all major West Coast and Gulf Coast ports to eastern gateways, connects with Canada's rail systems and is the only railroad serving all six major Mexico gateways. Union Pacific provides value to its roughly 10,000 customers by delivering products in a safe, reliable, fuel-efficient and environmentally responsible manner.

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