

Pacific Community Foundation

2023



REPORT TO NON-PROFITS AND DONORS

Message from Jerry Macy, President Pacific Community Foundation

As we end one year and begin another, we at the Pacific Community Foundation extend a special thanks to donors for their generosity and to the wonderful non-profits and amazing volunteers who work tirelessly to make our community a better place. We are grateful for your trust and for the opportunity to work with you on behalf of our community! We are excited to celebrate the successes of the past year and look forward to continued improvement in year ahead. While many details can be seen below, we especially want to share these highlights from 2023.

Giving - Donors provided nearly \$220,000 in donations in 2023, more than doubling the total from the previous year. The number of individual donors increased by 20%.

New Funds - Our community outreach expanded throughout the area, resulting in new community-focused funds including:

David Cottrell Memorial Fund (Environment)
David L. Fritts Trade Scholarship Fund (Education)
Ocean Beach Hospital Foundation Endowed Fund (Health and Wellness)
North Cove Pioneer Cemetery Fund (Community)
Peninsula Senior Activity Center Capital Fund (Community Capital)

In closing, the Pacific Community Foundation mission statement is simple. We are here to “provide opportunities to grow and sustain our communities through local giving.” Perhaps more directly, PCF serves as a resource. We help provide additional tools and methods that enable individuals, families and non-profits to more readily contribute to their community. We all want to make our community better. We can help you do that.



Support FROM our Community

Donations increased dramatically in 2023 as PCF created additional community funds and donors responded accordingly.

In 2023, PCF moved its annual Giving Catalog to October and saw a 20% increase from the previous year. Some 20 giving requests resulted in 168 donations totaling nearly \$60,000 to support much-needed projects and programs.

157 Donors

We are grateful for the outreach and generosity of our community members and other donors!

The number of donors increased by 20% over 2022!

\$219,698 in Gifts

625 donations were made to our donor-advised and endowment funds, monthly giving programs, and October Giving Catalog.

Old African Proverb: “If you want to go fast, go alone. If you want to go far, go together.”

PCF 2023 Giving Catalog Participants

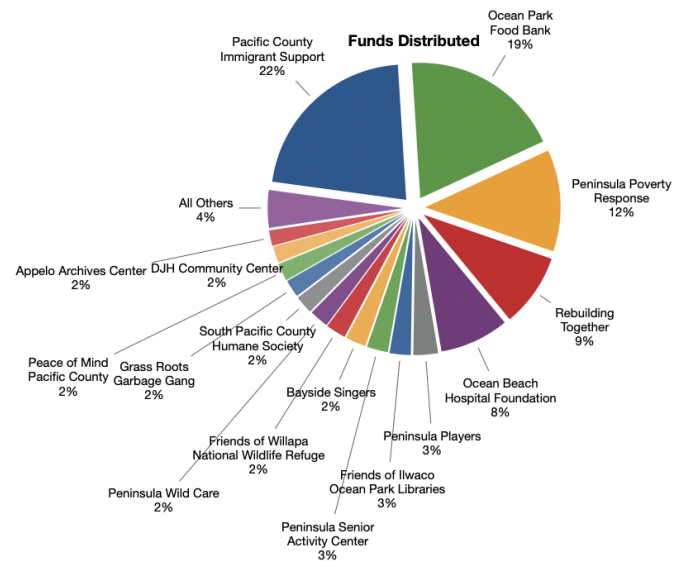
Appelo Archives Center, Bayside Singers, Columbia Pacific Heritage Museum, Dylan Jude Harrell Community Center, Friends of Ilwaco-Ocean Park Libraries, Friends of South Bend Public Library, Friends of Willapa National Wildlife Refuge, Grass Roots Garbage Gang, Ocean Beach Hospital Foundation, Ocean Park Food Bank, Pacific County Immigrant Support, Peace of Mind Pacific County, Peninsula Players, Peninsula Poverty Response, Peninsula Senior Activity Center, Peninsula Wild Care, Rebuilding Together Pacific County, South Pacific County Humane Society, Thurston County Volunteer Legal Services, Water Music Society

PCF Funds, Donor-Advised Funds and Endowments

In 2012 PCF started with five general funds (Cornerstone, Greatest Needs, Partners in Philanthropy, Endowment and Foundation). Since then nearly 40 funds have been established, tailored to specific needs and changing circumstances. Several of these focused on urgent response during the pandemic but most have emerged from the community itself. New funds are created each year to better support local needs. Today the funds established by the community are:

Abundant Salmon Futures, Bayside Singers, Beach Rotary Response, Carol Peterson Schwartz Memorial, Chefs Lucas and Main Culinary Scholarship, Community Beach Cleanup, David Cottrell Memorial, David L. Fritts Trade Scholarship, Rebuilding Together Disaster Recovery, Food 4 Kids, Ilwaco-Long Beach Kiwanis Club, Janet Mack Wilson Memorial, Lee Carter Scholarship, Macy Family, Naselle Community Center, Natural Resource Center, North Cove Pioneer Cemetery, Ocean Beach Hospital Foundation, Pacific County Immigrant Support, Pacific County Marine Resources, Partners in Philanthropy, Peninsula Pets, Peninsula Senior Activity Center, Ramage Family, Rising Stars Scholarship, Seaview Sign, Sid Snyder Scholarship, Silent Key Memorial, South Pacific County Fisheries Trust, Sports Excellence, The Martha and Mya After-School

Support TO our Communities



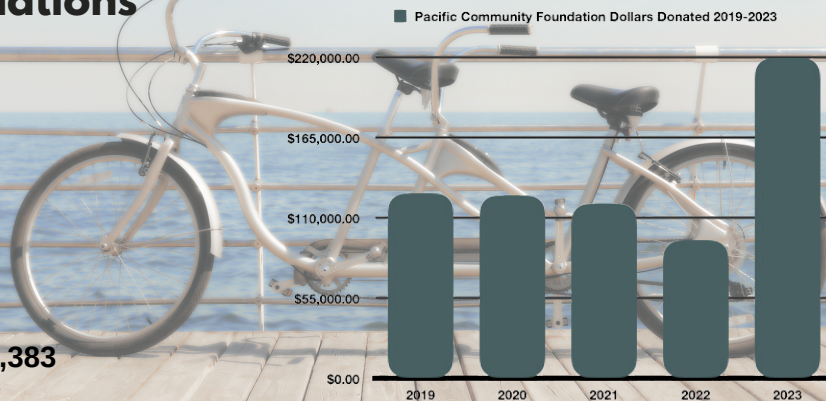
"Our communities will thrive through connections that engage volunteers and encourage contributions."

*Pacific Community Foundation Vision Statement
January 2023*

PCF Total Donations

Pacific Community Foundation Dollars Donated 2019-2023

In 2023, PCF managed some \$904,383 in TOTAL ASSETS (36% growth over 2022)



We manage financial resources to ensure sustainability and wealth-building based on prudent investor principles.

What PCF Does



For Donors: We help donors support the organizations they care about!

- We make gift giving easy. Donations can be readily made to many different groups through one-time gifts, monthly giving or donor-advised funds.
- We help individuals and families create legacies of giving by establishing endowments, planned gifts and grant funds.
- We help grow and disburse funds in accordance with donor wishes and directives.

For Non-Profit Professionals and Board: We partner with local non-profits to help them meet and grow their mission-driven service and financial goals.

- We assist in special project fundraising, creating and growing endowments, and facilitating major gifts and planned giving.
- We convene education and outreach training sessions for non-profit boards and staff.

PCF Board of Directors: Jerry Macy, President, Frank Glenn IV, Vice President, Kathleen Sayce, Treasurer, Kathy Freitas, Secretary, Phil Allen, Nancy Gorshe, Ken Johnson, John Ramage, Michelle Svendsen

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