

# FUND FOR SANTA BARBARA

## Total Grant-Making for 2010 (\$378,740)

### *Spring General Fund Grants*

**AB 540 Coalition of Santa Barbara / Making Higher Education Accessible to Undocumented Students - \$5,000**  
Support to organize existing resources, conduct trainings, advocate and develop tools to make higher education more accessible to AB 540 students

**Barbareño Chumash Council / United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People (DRIP) Campaign - \$5,000**  
For a series of workshops and forums throughout the region on the UN DRIP and promote self-determination, democracy, and human & civil rights

**Carpinteria Valley Foundation / Ongoing organizing of opposition to Venoco's Paredon Project - \$7,000**  
Support for organizing the opposition to Venoco's proposed oil drilling project (Paredon) in Carpinteria

**Doctors Without Walls - Santa Barbara Street Medicine / Wrap-Around Care & Women's Free Homeless Clinic - \$7,800**  
Funding for the creation of manuals to be used to recruit and train volunteers for street medicine teams

**Environmental Defense Center / Mission Creek: Rediscovering Connections in Nature and Community - \$6,000**  
For bilingual (Spanish/English) presentations on Mission Creek and steelhead restoration in order to educate and create greater community involvement

**Project Gutpile / Educating hunters and ranchers on alternatives to lead ammunition - \$2,400**  
Educating hunters and ranchers on alternatives to lead ammunition and the health and environmental effects of lead toxicity

**Santa Barbara County Action Network / Lompoc Livable Communities & Civic Engagement Program - \$8,000**  
Support for a series of town hall meetings training and other engagement opportunities for low-income families in Lompoc

**Veterans for Peace, Chapter 54 / SBCC Teen Memorial: Peace is Inevitable - \$7,500**  
Supplies and materials for a memorial to the 300+ deaths of U.S. military personnel aged 18 & 19 in Afghanistan and to educate about the human costs of war as well as U.S. foreign policy

**SBCEO Health Linkages Program / Promotores de Salud Parent Education Project - \$7,500**  
Ongoing support for this innovative health education program for Latino community members

**Transitions-Mental Health Associations / Santa Barbara Community Grown Agriculture (SB-CGA) - \$5,460**  
Seed funding for this community-based agriculture pilot project in Santa Maria

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### *Fall General Fund Grants*

**American Indian Movement Santa Barbara / AIM TV - \$2,000**  
Support for an alternative public access television show on current issues, inter-tribal education about traditions, songs and languages and contemporary achievements of native peoples

**Cesar Chavez Dual Language Immersion Schools, Inc. / Adelante Charter School Translation Project - \$3,000**  
Support to translate key school documents into Spanish including meeting minutes, new Charter & Parent Handbook

**Citizens Against Walmart Expansion / Stop Walmart Expansion 2010 - \$3,000**  
Continued support for community organizing to prevent the proposed Lompoc Walmart expansion

**Conflict Solutions Center / Restorative Justice Partnership Initiative - \$8,200**  
Continued funding to support the use of Restorative Justice principles and practices in the juvenile justice system

**Families ACT! / The Santa Barbara Homeless Blog - \$5,000**  
Support for a blog representing the voices of and issues about Santa Barbara County's homeless

**GRACE (Gay Rights Advocates for Change and Equality) / Start-up - \$3,000**  
*\*Atterbury Foundation Supported*  
Start-up funding to support the LGBT community and its allies through social networking, advocacy, and community coalition-building in the Santa Maria Valley

## **Fall General Fund Grants**

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### **Guadalupe Cultural Arts & Education Center / CE'ENI (Colectivo Educativo Estudiantil de Naciones Indigenas) - \$5,000**

Funding for this series of educational programs organized by Mexican Indigenous youth in the Santa Maria Valley

### **League of Women Voters / "Know Your Town" - \$2,810**

Funding to print and place on websites this bilingual (Spanish / English) guide to government in Santa Maria

### **Organic Soup Kitchen / OSK Culinary Crown Program - \$2,500**

Seed funding for this program integrating homeless services, organic foods and job training

### **Pacific Pride Foundation / LGBT Elders, Santa Barbara - \$5,000**

StartUp funding to create a sensitivity training program for agencies serving LGBT elders

### **Palabra / Community-Based, Socio-Culturally Sound Program for At-Risk Youth - \$10,000**

*\*With support from the Atterbury Foundation*

Funding to implement community-based and culturally sensitive outreach programs for youth and their community in order to reduce youth violence

### **PUEBLO / Building Capacity to Carry Out the "Insecurity of S-Comm Campaign": A Movement Effort to Undo Racial Profiling - \$3,000**

*\*With support from the Atterbury Foundation*

Support to develop fundraising and outreach materials to help PUEBLO attract a wide array of supporters for their programs

### **San Luis Obispo Mothers for Peace / Mothers in Defense of Downwind Communities - \$7,000**

Funding for their legal case to force the NRC to meet the legal requirements & regulations designed to protect the health and safety of communities downwind of the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant

### **Santa Barbara Teen Legal Clinic (SBTLC) / Street Law Program - \$3,000**

Funding to teach teens about their legal rights and the legal process and to teach law school students the value of providing pro bono services to our community

### **University Park Mobile Homeowners Association / The Mobile Homeowners Alliance - \$7,200**

Continued support to organize and empower mobile home owners in Southern Santa Barbara County and build coalitions state-wide to preserve and protect affordable mobile home units

### **Wilderness Youth Project / Adventure Leadership Program - \$5,000**

Funding to teach inclusive leadership techniques to teens of all backgrounds, including those with diverse physical & cognitive abilities

### **William James Association / Poetic Justice Project - \$5,000**

*\*With support from the Atterbury Foundation*

Funding to support performances of the play "Off the Hook" to help educate audiences about issues surrounding incarceration, rehabilitation and re-entry in Santa Maria

## **Multi-Year Grants**

### **Just Communities Central Coast / Youth and Family Organizing for Education Justice - \$10,000 per year for 2 years (year 1)**

*\*Atterbury Foundation Supported*  
Multi-year support for this innovative program providing tools for youth and their families to address issues of oppression in schools & communities

### **Pacific Pride Foundation / Strategic Alliance for Marriage Equality (S.A.M.E.) - \$10,000 per year for 2 years (year 1)**

*\*Atterbury Foundation Supported*  
Multi-year support for the on-going struggle for LGBT civil rights, equality and the campaign to re-gain marriage equality in California

### **PUEBLO Action Fund / Identifying, empowering and inspiring new leadership in Santa Maria - \$10,000 per year for 3 years (year 1)**

Multi-year support for this Santa Maria-based effort to develop voter empowerment strategies and build progressive political leadership

### **Bici Centro & Santa Barbara Bicycle Coalition / Outreach, Education and Empowerment for Underserved Cyclist - \$5,000 per year for 2 years (year 2)**

Continuing support for the merger of the Bicycle Coalition's advocacy work and Bici Centro's repair shop and education center to empower South Coast bicyclists

### **Families ACT! / Collaborative Community Organization and Education Campaign - \$5,000 per year for 2 years (year 2)**

Funding to promote dialogues amongst criminal justice and mental health service providers and to launch an education and outreach campaign to deliver the message that public safety requires treatment and prevention

## **Multi-Year Grants**

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### **Pacific Pride Foundation / Safe Schools Initiative - \$10,000 per year for 3 years (year 2)**

Funding for increased efforts in High Schools to create more gay & straight alliances and education for faculty to create greater safety and support for lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender students

### **Community Action Commission of Santa Barbara County / Los Compadres Program - \$10,000 in Year 1, \$8,000 in Year 2, and \$6,000 in Year 3 (Year 3)**

Multi-year support for a program that works primarily with young men of color on self-esteem, cultural pride, pregnancy prevention & gang violence issues

### **Conflict Solutions Center – Community Mediation Program / Restorative Justice Partnership Initiative - \$8,320 in Year 1 and \$5,000 in Years 2 & 3 (Year 3)**

Multi-year support to continue promoting & implementing restorative justice practices with youth in the court system in Santa Barbara County

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## **Emerging Need Grants**

### **Pacific Pride Foundation / 2010 County-Wide LGBT Summit - \$3,000**

Support for this one-day strategy summit organized by the LGBT Community Collaborative of the Central Coast and focusing on LGBT community strengths, needs and next steps

### **Environmental Education Group / A Dialogue For Peace - \$3,000**

Support for this pilot project which opened a direct line of communication between the American and Iraqi people (students at University of California, Santa Barbara and Islamic University, Baghdad) via a webcast and allowed for unscripted communication between the two groups

### **"Stand In The Sand" / A Gathering for the Gulf - \$3,000**

Seed funding for this effort to make a statement of support, sympathy, and solidarity with the communities of the Gulf Coast devastated by the BP Oil Disaster and to raise funds for relief and recovery

### **PUEBLO / Shared Prosperity Forum - \$2,000**

Funding for transportation of community members to participate in this regional activist conference, training, and discussion focused on progressive policy and values.

### **American Indian Movement SB Chapter / Legal Fees - \$1,000**

Funding to file legal challenges to the portrayal of Native Americans on MTV's "*The Dudesons in America: Cowboys and Findians*"

### **University Park Mobile Homeowners Association / The Mobile Homeowners Alliance - \$2,660**

Continued support to organize and empower mobile home owners and build state-wide coalitions to preserve and protect affordable mobile home units

### **Families ACT! / 2010 Election Cycle Community Mobilization - \$3,000**

Funding for this campaign to educate and mobilize around the intersection of drug laws, alcohol/drug/mental health treatment services and crowded jails

### **No On T, 2010 - \$3,000**

Funding to oppose this measure which would have eliminated access to medical cannabis in the City of Santa Barbara

### **Committee For A Safer Santa Barbara County / Yes On Measure S Anti-Recidivism Messaging - \$3,000**

Support for the campaign effort highlighting the \$5 million allocation in Measure S to mental health services, drug & alcohol counseling, education and other critical services in the jail

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## **Youth Making Change Grants (South)**

### **Environmental Education for the Next Generation, (EENG) / 1st and 2nd Grade Teaching Program - \$2,320**

Funding to train and place college students in 1st and 2nd grade Santa Barbara Elementary School classrooms in order to foster critical thinking about the environment

### **Everybody Dance Now! / Hip Hop Dance Classes - \$1,000**

Funding to support free dance classes for youth at Harding, McKinley and Franklin Schools plus select Housing Authority sites

### **Manauia / Youth Legal Awareness Project - \$2,900**

Funding to provide legal awareness to youth in Santa Barbara's Westside and Eastside neighborhoods and address perceptions of youth based on appearance, race and class

### **Project Excel / Youth Tutoring Center - \$2,200**

Funding for a center for youth in grades 5 to 12 providing tutoring and educational assistance

### **Santa Barbara Youth Council / Teens: Know Your Rights Project - \$950**

Funding for educational forums and trainings on youth/teen rights, how to defend them and becoming a peer advocate for other teens

### **UCSB RHA & NRHH Community Service Team / I want to be Barbie - I want to be Ken - \$630**

Funding for an eating disorder educational awareness event for Junior High School youth and their parents

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## ***Youth Making Change Grants (North)***

### **Future Leaders of America / Take the Lead - \$750**

Funding for a youth-led one-day leadership conference for junior high students that will help promote Latinos moving on to higher education

### **Pioneer Valley High School Link Crew - \$800**

Funding for a year-long student-led freshman mentor program linking juniors and seniors with incoming freshman to increase graduation rates, freshman involvement at PVHS, and to decrease suspensions, violence and drop out rates

### **CE'ENI (Colectivo Educativo Estudiantil de Naciones Indigenas) / Lente Cultural - \$1,200**

Funding for a multicultural art and music event organized by Mexican Indigenous youth that will be documented and shared with the Santa Maria community

### **CHANGE (Committed 2 Helping A New Generation Excel) / Teen Mentorship Project - \$2,000**

Funding for a mentorship project where homeless and foster teens mentor younger youth dealing with homelessness and the foster system

### **Rayo de Esperanza / Guadalupe Youth Soccer League - \$2,250**

Funding for a Guadalupe teen-led soccer league for youth ages 10-13 (translation: Ray of Hope)

### **Young Artists Unlimited / Youth Intervention Project - \$3,000**

Funding for a Lompoc-based teen-led community event focusing on youth ages 10-16 that includes a mural, speakers on youth violence and drug abuse, and cultural dance groups

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## ***Donor Supported Grants***

### **Centro Binacional / General Support - \$500**

Continued support for farmworker organizing in Santa Maria's Mixtec communities

### **Children's Creative Project / Michael Katz Storyteller Residencies - \$2,500**

Support for a series of residencies at local schools for storyteller Michael Katz to work with youth of all ages in

### **Family Therapy Institute / Academy of Healing Arts (AHA!) - \$2,500**

General support for this innovative program for youth - focused on social consciousness, character, imagination, and emotional intelligence

### **Pacific Pride Foundation / Just Communities Response to Goleta Valley Junior High Program Challenge - \$3,000**

Emergency support for Just Communities staff to respond to attacks on GVJH's anti-discrimination and bullying programming

### **Nonprofit Support Center of Santa Barbara County / Future Search Conference - \$3,000**

Seed funding for this Santa Maria Valley conference addressing youth violence

### **Santa Barbara County Action Network / General Operations - \$5,000**

Support for SB CAN's on-going work in support of fair and affordable housing, open space preservation and effective public transportation

### **Seigel-Boettner Productions / "With My Own Two Wheels" Film - \$6,000**

Production support for this film tying the local work of BiciCentro to bicycling in Rwanda, Zambia, Ghana, India, and Guatemala as a means of access to education, health care, and economic opportunity

### **Sarah House / General Support - \$2,500**

Funding for Sarah House's nationally recognized "social model" of end-of-life care and HIV/AIDS support for low-income individuals

### **True Nature Society / Quail Springs Permaculture & Learning Institute - General Support - \$5,000**

General Support for the programs and development of this innovative permaculture farm and institute

### **Vineyard Valley Theatre Company / General Support - \$5,000**

Funding for this innovative theatre group to bring Latino arts & culture to the Santa Ynez Valley and to build bridges among Anglo & Latino paving the way for honest discussions of race, culture and history

### **Committee for A Safer Santa Barbara County / Yes On Measure S Anti-Recidivism Messaging - \$3,000**

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### **ySTRIVE / Sponsorship of "An American Tract" Performance at the Marjorie Luke - \$3,000**

Support for this special theatre presentation tackling issues of race and class in modern American communities

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## ***Other Grants***

### **Gulf Coast Fund for Community Renewal & Ecological Health / "Stand In The Sand" - \$8,360**

### **Social Justice Award for Documentary Film - \$10,000**

### **Yes On Measure S Anti-Recidivism Messaging - \$5,000**

### **Citizens Committee Against Pardon / General Support - \$2,000**