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**OUR CORE MISSION**

Our core model continues to be successful in developing leadership and moving money to social justice organizing. Each Giving Project guides members through a deep process of learning about race, class, fundraising, and social justice.

And now we know the model works not just in the Northwest, but around the country! Other social justice funders (including ones in Minneapolis, Chicago, Denver, and Philadelphia) have replicated the model, with great success. Photo: Giving Project Learning Community Convening, Seattle, 2017.
Voz Workers’ Rights Education Project

Portland’s Voz Workers’ Rights Education Project faced a setback in 2017 when part of its Day Laborer Workers Center was destroyed by a car accident. Still, Voz managed to expand its new Women’s Program, organizing female day laborers to protect their rights. Together with other NDLON member organizations, Voz has created a rapid response network among churches, a hotline for raids, and Know Your Rights workshops.

WA BLOC

Washington Building Leaders of Change (WA BLOC) seeks to disrupt educationally embedded systemic racism and dismantle the school to prison pipeline. Since 2015, WA BLOC has been organizing Freedom Schools at Rainier Beach High School in south Seattle; the 2017 Freedom School brought together 60 students to build “intergenerational place-based leaders of change” through alternative summer learning. WA BLOC leaders have also advocated for transportation justice, resulting in $1 million for transit passes for low-income students.