



2025 Annual Report



SJF is Rising Together

Social Justice Fund Northwest (SJF) is a member-funded foundation that supports the creation of a just society through fundraising, grantmaking, and member involvement. The foundation provides essential resources to organizations in **Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming** to strengthen grassroots efforts in the broad-based movement for progressive, systemic social change.

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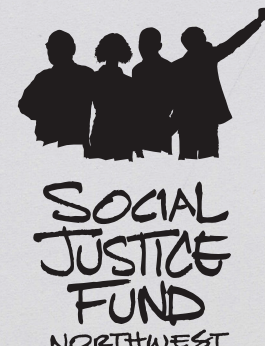
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In 2025, SJF hosted **Rise Together**, a series of in-person events in every state of our funder region: Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, and Wyoming. At each community gathering, we got to hear directly from grassroots organizers and SJF grantees and donors about the key issues facing their regions today. That feedback was shared with staff and quickly put to use improving our grant cycles last year, including the Mountain West Organizing Grant.



Letter from the Executive Director



Across our region in 2025, thousands mobilized for progressive, systemic social change. Hundreds of these organizations were funded through SJF grants, including the **Emerging Justice Fund Grant**, the **Mountain West Organizing Grant**, and through our **2025 Immigration Justice Giving Project**.

I am in awe of the labor and contributions of each organizer and philanthropic co-conspirator who has come together—and continues to come together—to **resource long-term social change**. At SJF, we are honored by the relationships and trust of the **hundreds of grantees, grantmakers, donors, and funders** who support this work. Thank you for partnering with us over the past year and for being the best example of “good trouble.”

It is my hope that, reading through our 2025 annual report, you will see yourselves as part of our larger story: stewarding resources and uplifting the labor of grantees who remain steadfast in their fight forward despite ongoing attacks. May you be energized by the fact that this work is moving forward and that the dreams of a more just and equitable world are becoming actualized with every act of support.

The SJF team is excited about what is unfolding in 2026 and the years to come! Thank you for your camaraderie—we look forward to organizing resources and supporting progressive, grassroots movements with you.

With an abundance of care,
Valéria Chikoti-Bandua Estes
Executive Director



RESOURCING THE MOVEMENT IN 2025

RESOURCES MOVED:
\$7,021,324

GRANTS MADE:
279

2025 Grantees

Mountain West Organizing Grant Two-year grants of \$25,000 per year (\$50,000 total)

- Berry Medicine Native Birthwork Initiatives | Helena, MT
- Black Liberation Collective | Meridian, ID
- Bozeman Tenants Education Fund | Bozeman, MT
- Idaho Organization of Resource Councils | Bozeman, ID
- Indigenous Idaho Alliance | Boise, ID
- Juntos | Cheyenne, WY
- Not Our Native Daughters | Fort Washakie, WY
- TANTA, Inc. | Boise, ID
- TransVisible Montana | Montana
- Two Power Land Collective Incorporated | Bozeman, MT
- Montana Queer Alliance | Helena, MT

Immigration Justice Giving Project Grant One-year grants of \$25,000 per year

- American Friends Service Committee | Oregon
- Foundation for Academic Endeavors | Mount Vernon, WA
- Freedom to Thrive | Portland, OR
- Immigrant Guide | Seattle, WA
- Juntos | Cheyenne, WY
- Latinos Unidos Siempre | Salem, OR
- Movimiento Congo Angola | Seattle, WA
- Super Familia | Seattle, WA
- TANTA, Inc. | Boise, ID
- Voices Jackson Hole | Jackson, WY
- Voz Workers' Rights Education Project | Portland, OR
- Wasat Community | Seattle, WA

Emerging Justice Fund Grant One-year grants of \$10,000 per year

- Adelante Mujeres | Forest Grove & Hillsboro, OR
- Beyond These Walls | Portland, OR
- Blackfeet Eco Knowledge | Browning, MT
- Blue Sky Minds Nonprofit | Okanogan County and Colville Reservation, WA
- Center for Black Excellence | Portland, OR
- Central Washington Justice For Our Neighbors | Ellensburg, WA
- Centro Integral Educativo Latino de Olympia (CIELO) | Olympia & Shelton, WA
- Crow Language Consortium | Billings, MT
- Edúcate Ya | Portland, OR
- East African Community Services | Seattle, WA
- EmpowerMT | Missoula, MT
- Entre Hermanos | Seattle, WA
- Family Forward Oregon | Portland, OR
- Garden of Peace, Inc. | Portland, OR
- Glacier Queer Alliance | Kalispell, MT
- Hunters of Color | Corvallis, OR
- Idaho Organization of Resource Councils | Boise, ID
- Indigenous Idaho Alliance | Boise, ID
- Indigenous Just Transition | Seattle, WA
- La Resistencia | Tacoma, WA
- Las Señoras L.L.C. | Meridian, ID
- Lavender Rights Project | Seattle, WA
- Linn Benton Lincoln Health Equity Alliance | Corvallis, OR
- Lived Experience Coalition | Federal Way, WA
- Manzanita House | Spokane, WA
- Mason County Climate Justice | Mason County, WA, & the sovereign Skokomish and Squaxin Island Nations
- MiA - Mujeres in Action | Spokane, WA
- Momentum Alliance | Portland, OR
- Northern Cheyenne Language Consortium
- Oregon Native American Chamber | Portland, OR
- Outreach & Transform Lives | Federal Way, WA
- Pacific Northwest Black Pride | Seattle, WA
- Participatory Justice | Spokane, WA
- PCUN (Pinos Y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste) | Woodburn, OR
- Pro Se Potential | Auburn, WA
- Pretty Eaglewoman Resource Foundation | Lame Deer, MT
- QLaw Foundation of Washington | Seattle, WA
- Southern Idaho Pride, Inc. | Twin Falls, ID
- The Center for Global Muslim Life | Seattle, WA
- Ttáwaxt Birth Justice Center | Wapato, WA
- Unidos Nueva Alianza | Ephrata, WA
- UTOPIA PDX | Portland, OR
- Wakulima USA | Kent, WA
- Washington Immigrant Solidarity Network | Burien, WA
- Water Climate Trust | Fort Klamath, OR
- Weaving Fala | OR
- We Are Comunidad | Vashon, WA
- Western Native Voice Education Project | Billings, MT

Seed Grant One-year grants of \$5,000 per year

- Call Bubbie | OR
- Families Shoulder to Shoulder | WA
- Stronger Together | WY
- Trans Affirm | ID
- Washington United Migrant | WA
- York Collective | Portland, OR
- Bozeman Tenants Education Fund | Bozeman, MT
- Citizen Nine26 | Spokane, WA
- Growing Ancestral Roots | Corvallis, OR
- McCall + Pride | McCall, ID
- Oregon Rohingya Myanmar Muslim Society | Portland, OR
- Sovereignty Rises | Bellevue, WA
- The Native Sharing Garden | Seattle, WA
- West African Relief Center | Seattle, WA



Beyond These Walls

UTOPIA PDX

Adelante Mujeres

Freedom to Thrive

Grantee Stories



“

We are part of this community; we belong here because we have been here a long time.”

EDÚCATE YA

For 25 years, Edúcate Ya has uplifted Portland’s Latino/a/e community, a group with deep Oregon roots—from the early 19th-century to 20th-century railroad and farm workers. Rafael Arellano founded Edúcate Ya in response to the lack of Latinos/as/es in leadership, with a vision to educate Latinos/as/es on navigating U.S. systems to access better jobs, health care, and leadership opportunities.



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I’m honored to be able to be a knowledge sharer in youth lives, where I can speak healing and empowerment and hopefully raise other leaders to build an equitable future for us as Indigenous people.”

NOT OUR NATIVE DAUGHTERS (NOND)

NOND is a Native- and survivor-led organization dedicated to ending the trafficking, exploitation, and murder of Indigenous peoples through education, advocacy, policy reform, and community empowerment. Lynnette GreyBull founded NOND in 2014, with a primary goal of empowering the next generation of Indigenous youth to be leaders and changemakers.



“

We do a lot because we see a need and we want to fill it.”

TRANS AFFIRM

Trans Affirm, Inc., launched in March 2024, is fighting to make life safer and more visible for trans and gender-diverse people in Idaho through resources, advocacy, and education. Founder Arya Shae aims to expand collaboration with gender-affirming medical professionals, create grant programs that support patient visits, and offer a care management program with an in-person location.

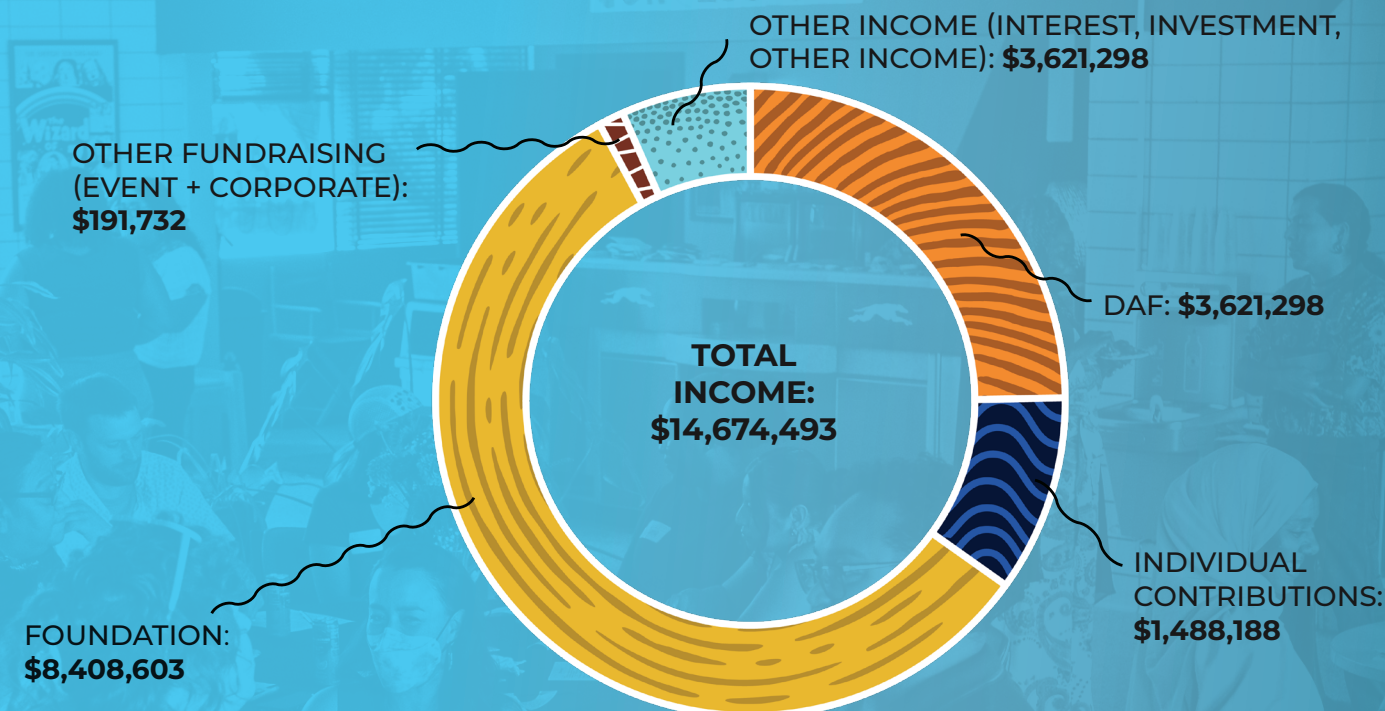
FROM
2024-2025

OVERALL GRANT APPLICATIONS:
INCREASED BY
150%

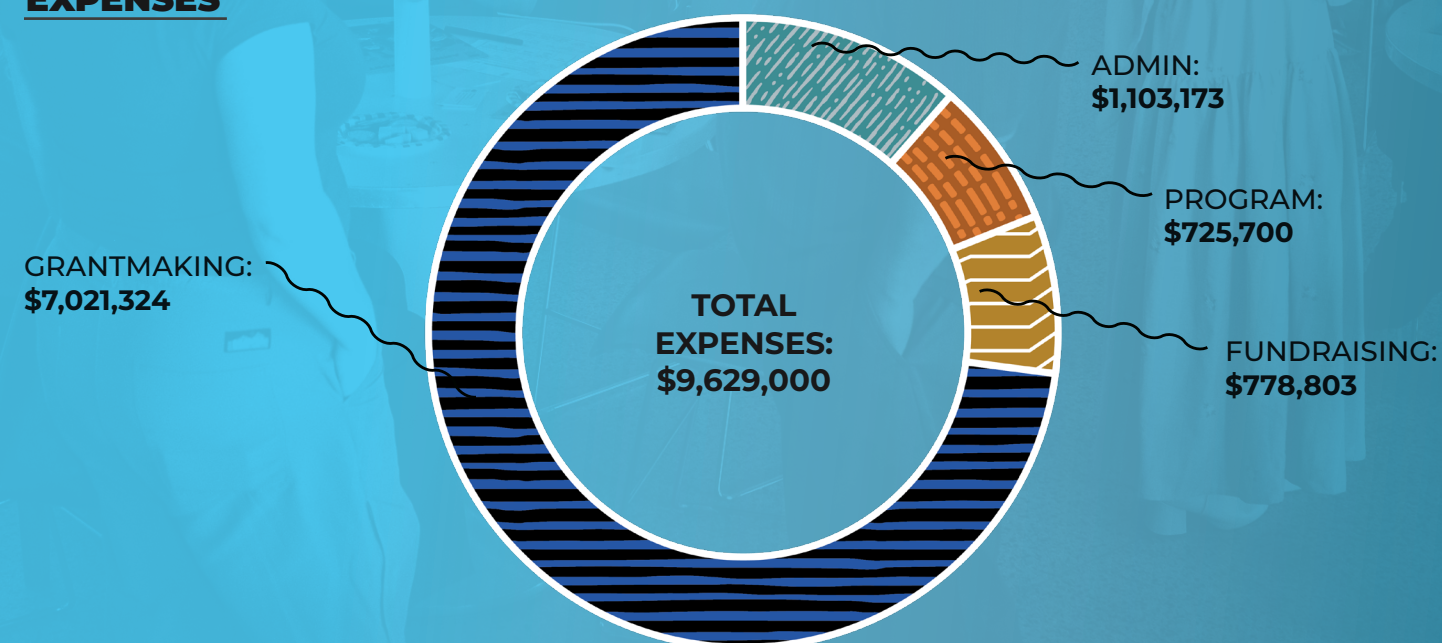
NUMBER OF ORGANIZATIONS
FUNDED: INCREASED BY
169%

Financials Report

INCOME



EXPENSES





SOCIAL
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**Thank
You**

