



AT&T Excelsior

2007 Recipients of AT&T Excelsior Grants

AT&T Excelsior is a competitive grant program for projects that use technology to help nonprofit organizations build stronger communities. In 2007, the AT&T Foundation provided \$9 million in AT&T Excelsior grants to 680 organizations nationwide to help nonprofits fully integrate technology into their ongoing operations and community outreach.

ALABAMA

Better Basics Inc.

Birmingham, AL

To support the addition of updated technology to improve communications with staff, current and potential clients/donors, and educators to effectively deliver quality education to students enrolled in intervention and enrichment reading programs.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Birmingham

Birmingham, AL

To support the development of an interactive website, addition of hardware and donor software, and provide staff training in order to recruit and retain volunteers, increase fundraising, and improve service delivery and staff efficiency.

Birmingham Civil Rights Institute

Birmingham, AL

To support the addition of hardware for a fiber optic network installation, providing students, educators, and researchers with distance-learning and interactive, instantaneous access capabilities, as well as enhanced communications for staff.

Calhoun Community College

Decatur, AL

To support the addition and installation of the Wide Area Rapid Notification (WARN) technology system that will serve to immediately notify students and employees of any emergency situation by communicating the warning with and to all device protocols.

Child Day Care Association

Mobile, AL

To support the addition of upgraded hardware and initial internet services to help increase staff development and improve management and communications between the three centers in order to provide quality child care and increase clientele base.

Discovery 2000 Inc. dba McWane Science Center

Birmingham, AL

To support the upgrade of the Center's internal technology system to better serve students, parents, teachers, and the entire community and improve overall operations to continue offering a dynamic environment for all to realize the wonders of science.



**Epilepsy Chapter of Mobile & Gulf Coast Inc.
dba Epilepsy Foundation of South Alabama**
Mobile, AL

To support the addition of hardware and software in order to enhance collection, security, and reporting of data and improve outreach support for people stricken with epilepsy.

Girl Scouts of America - Deep South Council
Mobile, AL

To support the addition of a modernized phone system to improve communications and overall operations and service delivery as a result of the realignment of councils in southern Alabama.

Girls Incorporated - Central Alabama
Birmingham, AL

To support the addition of upgraded software and hardware, providing girls with tools to enhance their technology skills for their overall success in school and life and improve the agency's operations.

**Huntsville Madison County Botanical Garden
Society, Inc**
Huntsville, AL

To support the addition of upgraded hardware to improve staff efficiency and educational programs for youth and adults, as well as provide better service to corporate clients who rent the facilities.

**JA Worldwide dba Junior Achievement -
Northern Alabama**
Huntsville, AL

To support the addition of upgraded technology to streamline operations and allow for an interactive website to reach all students, including those in rural, outlying counties, providing them w/educational resources to help plan and achieve future goals.

Kid One Transport System Inc.
Birmingham, AL

To support the addition and installation of specialized software to improve transportation services for kids and expectant mothers who are transported to medical and dental appointments as needed, as well as enable more accurate reporting of data.

Lakeshore Foundation
Birmingham, AL

To support the addition of modern technology for a newly renovated dorm facility for injured U.S. military and family members, youth and adults with physical disabilities, and Paralympic athletes participating in extended recreation and sports programs.

Lee County Literacy Coalition
Opelika, AL

To support the addition of hardware for GED students and low-level test preparation software for pre-GED students to ensure better success in GED classes, leading to eventual job placement for all. Funding will also provide for two computer desks.

**Museum Board of the City of Birmingham
dba Birmingham Museum of Art**
Birmingham, AL

To support the addition of an interactive image database and provide staff training to enable continuous access to the art collection, due to limited display time of fragile art, and enable sharing of the art with those who are unable to visit in person.

**Princess Theatre Center for the Performing
Arts**
Decatur, AL

To support the addition of a newly redesigned interactive website to better serve students, teachers, and the community as an arts education resource, and improve staff efficiency, outreach, and overall operations.

**Resurrection Catholic Missions of the South
Inc.**
Montgomery, AL

To support Donor Perfect software training for the development department and agency staff in order to improve outreach and fundraising efforts to increase its donor base and sustain and expand quality care to clients.



**Shelby County Childrens Advocacy Center
Inc.**

Columbiana, AL

To support the addition and installation of upgraded technology and provide technical assistance to improve staff efficiency and increase outreach to potential supporters in order to better protect abused and neglected children of Shelby County.

South Alabama Regional Planning Commission

Mobile, AL

To support the Seniors in Cyberspace project with the addition of hardware for a Computer Learning Center in the new Mobile Regional Senior Community Center (expected to open in Nov 2007) in order to enhance the overall quality of life for seniors.

**United Community Services of Selma and
Dallas County, Inc.**

Selma, AL

To support the addition of upgraded hardware, software, and data services in order to better respond and provide critical assistance to the community in times of disaster, targeting remote locations in the rural Black Belt area of Alabama.

**United Way of Southwest Alabama dba St.
Marys Home**

Mobile, AL

To support the addition of an interactive website to help recruit more volunteers and donors, inform the community about the abuse, neglect, and abandonment of children to better meet their developmental and educational needs, and provide staff training.



ARKANSAS

Arkansas Baptist College

Little Rock, AR

To support a technology project at Arkansas Baptist College that will provide internet connectivity in the Science and Lab Building which is of critical need to students required to complete eight hours of science and lab instruction.

Arkansas Science & Technology Authority

Little Rock, AR

To support Science and Mathematics Accessible Resource Tool (SMART) workshops that integrate technology into the curriculum in order to help create lesson plans targeting secondary science and mathematics.

Fort Smith Art Center

Fort Smith, AR

To support the addition of updated hardware and software, including an improved, interactive, multilingual website, and provide training for staff for the purpose of increasing connection with audience and artists.

Lyon College

Batesville, AR

To support the addition of special technology software and hardware for students with physical and learning disabilities.

Main Street Helena Inc.

Helena, AR

To support the addition of hardware and software needed to develop and present programs for historic preservation awareness and education within the community.

Mid America Science Museum

Hot Springs, AR

To support a technology upgrade program to improve the Museum's management operations and better serve its client base whose audience is mostly comprised of school groups and families.

Southside Main Street Project Inc.

Little Rock, AR

To support the addition of upgraded hardware and software to improve office efficiency in

communicating information more effectively to the community in order to help revitalize its historic commercial district with more jobs and housing.

St. Josephs Mercy Health Foundation

Hot Springs, AR

To support a Picture Archive and Communications System (PACS), a high-speed combination of technological hardware providing instant access to patients' medical images/reports for physicians and healthcare clinicians to view in a more efficient manner.

STAND Foundation

North Little Rock, AR

To support The STAND online outreach program with updated technology and staff training to help young adults in Arkansas develop their leadership skills.

University of Arkansas Foundation dba AHEC-NW Foundation Fund

Fayetteville, AR

To support the installation of a distance-learning system at the Area Health Ed Center-NW to facilitate broadcasting of medical educational conferences for the benefit of family medicine residents and practicing physicians at two area hospitals.

Walton Arts Center Council, Inc.

Fayetteville, AR

To support Walton Art Center's technology upgrade program for the purpose of increasing staff efficiency in order to help it's organization run more efficiently and enhance patron satisfaction.

Western Arkansas Counseling & Guidance Center Incorporated

Fort Smith, AR

To support the WestArk Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) by enhancing their communications via an interactive website to improve the overall quality of service for customers, volunteers, and community partners.



CALIFORNIA

AIDS Alliance d/b/a Vital Life Services

Oakland, CA

To support the purchase of a new telephone system for the office, with 20 extensions, voice mail, installation and training for the staff to manage all day-to-day operations serving seriously ill low-income clients.

Aquatic Adventures Science Education Foundation

San Diego, CA

To support the purchase of grant management software to increase the efficiency of managing over 50 applications yearly, and enhance the website to include an online auction tool. Increased funds will support the Aquatic Adventures educational programs.

Area 4 Agency on Aging

Sacramento, CA

To support the creation of a database that will integrate all data regarding service providers and clients in a seven-county area. The database will track the contracts in place, coordinate donations, and provide an avenue to broadcast upcoming events.

Asian American Journalists Association (AAJA)

San Francisco, CA

To support enhancements to the websites and provide multi-media training to the students and the members. A digital camera and editing equipment will be utilized in the training and will be available for use at the annual convention.

Asian Pacific American Community Center

San Francisco, CA

To support the creation of a computer lab at the APACC with internet access and educational software to serve low-income families. Additionally, the center will offer math, art, and Chinese classes on the weekends.

Asian Pacific Islander American Public Affairs Community Education Foundation (APAPA)

Sacramento, CA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include enhancements to the website to

improve their outreach efforts and promote their voter education program and internship/scholarship programs, with the goal of encouraging public service.

Asian Youth Center

San Gabriel, CA

To support the purchase of computer hardware and pay for technical personnel to maintain the agency server and 29 computer work stations. The labs support after-school programs used by students to assist with homework, tutoring and college preparation.

Asian, Inc. (as fiscal agent for Asian Business Association of Silicon Valley)

Mountain View, CA

To support a collaborative effort to create a website offering webinars of topics addressed at their workshops, that include, selecting the right technology for different business needs, how to work a trade show, and increasing technical efficiency.

Association For Retarded Citizens-California (Arc of California)

Sacramento, CA

To support ArcLink, an online roommate matching service, allowing families secure access to post vacancies or make living arrangements for disabled family members. The proposal also includes web hosting, maintenance, and staff training.

Bayview Charities

San Diego, CA

To support the networking of the office computers with the lab computers used by minority students for academic enrichment in the before- and after-school program.

Berkeley Alliance

Berkeley, CA

To support the creation of a single computer database compatible with several large institutions that are working toward the goal of improving the low academic performance and health concerns among the underserved youth.

**Bethany Services**

Bakersfield, CA

To support the networking and upgrading of the computer system serving the Bakersfield Homeless Center and the Alliance Against Family Violence and Sexual Assault to improve efficiency and confidentiality for the clients and staff.

Black Coalition on AIDS

San Francisco, CA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include hardware and software, as well as website enhancements and the creation of pod casts to educate clients and the community about treatment adherence, substance abuse and other health-related issues.

Blindness Support Services

Riverside, CA

To support the upgrade of computer hardware and software to enable the blind and visually impaired get the training necessary to independently operate computer equipment and technology most suitable for their individual needs.

Boys & Girls Club of East County, Inc.

Santee, CA

To support the purchase of database software for the staff to manage and track donor information as well as coordinate communication. The ultimate goal is to increase funds that support youth programs for the underserved.

Boys and Girls Club of Carson

Carson, CA

To support the creation of a technology lab at the Scottsdale site that serves underserved students in the after-school program. The lab provides access to computers and necessary software to complete homework and pursue academic success.

Boys and Girls Club of Fontana

Fontana, CA

To support implementation of 'Core Tech,' a computer -based program that teaches youth various core curricula in conjunction with instruction on utilizing software products and the internet, which is vital in academic advancement and economic success.

Boys and Girls Club of Moorpark, Inc.

Moorpark, CA

To support the expansion of the computer lab for underserved middle school students, as well as add a part-time technology coordinator to administer the technology education program.

Bridge of Faith

Whittier, CA

To support the successful transition of girls emancipated from foster care living, by giving them access to computers and educational software to improve academic performance and gain economic independence.

Bridges Community Economic Development Corporation

Carson, CA

To support technology competence and address academic challenges of youth in grades 6 - 12. The funds will support the purchase of new computers and educational software.

Burbank Housing Corporation

Burbank, CA

To support technology training for the staff of organization to better manage the administration and programming tasks, thus allowing more time with the students.

California Association for Microenterprise Opportunity (CAMEO)

San Francisco, CA

To support a technology upgrade to include improving the database functionality for better communication with the small business clients, enhancing the website, and training the staff on best practices for utilizing technology to serve more clients.



**California Child Youth & Family Coalition
(a/k/a California Coalition for Youth)**

Sacramento, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade to include ten computers, a router, two switches, new cable and additional memory for old computers. Website enhancements and staff training are part of the proposal to better serve the underserved youth.

**California Rural Indian Health Board, Inc.
(CRIHB)**

Sacramento, CA

To support a collaborative effort to improve the health status of Indian people. CRIHB has developed a network of clinics and funding will support two servers to back-up and store the clinic databases and will pay for HIPAA Security for the six staff.

California Science Center Foundation

Los Angeles, CA

To support technology training to parents of minority students at the Science Center School. Training will cover basic computer skills, internet use, and curriculum support, with the goal of enhancing the academic performance of the students.

Capital Public Radio Inc

Sacramento, CA

To support the addition of digital broadcasting to a diverse broadcast area, thus increasing program choice, program quality, and membership. Membership fees support most of the funding for this non-profit organization.

Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce Partners in Education

Carlsbad, CA

To support the purchase of a VOIP telephone system to improve communication with the public and other organizations and enhance support of their workforce development grants, student recognition programs and Junior Achievement 'Business Matters' program.

Casa Allegra Community Services

San Rafael, CA

To support technology training for the staff of the organization, in an effort to improve their processes by eliminating duplicate work, improving their communication, and enhancing their website.

Chabot Space & Science Center

Oakland, CA

To support an upgrade of computer hardware for the enhancement of house-ticketing and online-ticketing, that is necessary to improve the visitors experience as well as increase funds to expand and enrich the programs, exhibits, and classes.

Childrens Book Press

San Francisco, CA

To support the creation of a new website to enhance the visibility and sales of children's books published by authors and artists representing diverse cultures. Online ordering and an e-newsletter are part of this proposal.

Childrens Museum of the Sequoias Inc d/b/a ImagineU Children's Museum

Visalia, CA

To support an upgrade of the hardware, software, internet access, and the website to improve communications with volunteers and donors and more efficiently manage the museum.

Childrens Village of Sonoma County

Santa Rosa, CA

To support access for underserved youth to additional computers, educational software, and the internet for improved academic performance. It is also critical to streamline staff efficiencies and provide data security and preservation.

Chula Vista Veterans Home Support Foundation

Chula Vista, CA

To support enhanced internet access for the disabled residents of Chula Vista Veterans Home with the purchase of eight laptop computers and a wi-fi system.

**City of Fresno**

Fresno, CA

To support a collaborative project with several local partners to provide basic computer training, internet training, and workforce skills training to high school youth and members of the community.

Community Access Partners of San Buenaventura

Ventura, CA

To support the CAPS Community Outreach Program, providing digital production services and training to nonprofit organizations to produce their own visual media.

Congress of California Seniors Education and Research Fund, Inc.

Sacramento, CA

To support the upgrade of the senior center website to include video and audio interviews with senior leaders and policy makers, as well as add a web blog for increased interaction among seniors. Funds also needed for a laptop for outside presentations.

Council on Aging Silicon Valley

San Jose, CA

To support the purchase and installation of computers and satellite internet service on the Generational Resource Center, a mobile services recreational vehicle that brings services to members and their care takers.

Culver City Education Foundation

Culver City, CA

To support an increase in online access to arts curricula for teachers throughout the school district. The Arts Curriculum Access Website will offer projects, lesson plans and arts resources (websites and field trip suggestions) for K-12 teachers.

Diamond Community Development Corporation

San Diego, CA

To support business training and technical assistance through seminars and workshops for local business owners. Funds will provide computer hardware, software and networking for the providing nonprofit organization.

Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America d/b/a St. Matthews Community Social Services Center

Sacramento, CA

To support the purchase of a laptop, office software, and printer to support four programs that serve low-income residents. Technical support will help the staff manage the programs more efficiently.

East Bay Spanish Speaking Citizens Foundation

Oakland, CA

To support the purchase of a web-based case management and program management software system to improve administration of the programs for the underserved Latino citizens in the community.

East County Economic Development Council Foundation

El Cajon, CA

To support an upgrade to the EDC's Connectory.com, an internet application/infrastructure that links buyers and suppliers, fostering better business opportunities.

El Cajon Community Development Corporation

El Cajon, CA

To support upgrades to the organization's website that will support a Housing and Small Business Online Resource Center, e-commerce (online purchases), and a newsletter. Improvements to the technology infrastructure of the new office are also sought.

Elderhelp of San Diego

San Diego, CA

To support the creation of web-based software that will streamline the volunteer process for the undeserved. Users will have access to volunteer profiles and assignments. Increased communication and reporting functions will also be integrated.



Extending a Hand Community Outreach Ministries Inc

Richmond, CA

To support the creation of an interactive website to engage community participation in good nutrition practices, exercise, and relationship workshops. Website will also focus on increasing volunteer support to provide food to the community.

Fair Housing of Marin

San Rafael, CA

To support an upgrade of computer hardware and software for more efficient handling of housing discrimination inquiries and complaints from the underserved in the community.

Feedback Foundation Inc.

Anaheim, CA

To support an upgrade of computer hardware and software, to include the purchase of CADCare, a computerized charting system and plan of care model for the benefit of disabled seniors.

Filipino-American Development Foundation

San Francisco, CA

To support a collaboration to provide internet access and computer classes to underserved youth and adults, teaching basic computer literacy, internet research, email communication, and job readiness assistance.

Fontana Community Foundation

Fontana, CA

To support access to library information systems, electronic database, and the internet for the Spanish speaking community. Software and eight computers that will be networked in the Library and Resource Technology Center.

Foundations at Fairplex

Pomona, CA

To support the fundraising efforts of the organization with the purchase of AuctionPay event software and by providing staff training on additional applications of the Raiser's Edge software.

Friends of Chula Vista Nature Center

Chula Vista, CA

To support website upgrades making life science educational materials available for purchase, as well as the addition of a web-cam in the eagle exhibit to enhance visitors viewing pleasure, and increase participation at both the website and the Center.

Friends of La Laguna Inc.

San Gabriel, CA

To support the creation of a website for Laguna de San Gabriel Park that will be launched in conjunction with its community-driven renovation. The park's history and renovation details will be highlighted, as well as volunteer and donation opportunities.

Girls Incorporated of Orange County

Costa Mesa, CA

To support training the staff of Girls Incorporated on Microsoft Word, Excel and Power Point, so they may in turn offer training to the girls to enhance their academic and economic achievements.

Glendale Educational Foundation

Glendale, CA

To support technology integration in the classroom with a Demonstration Projection Station, that consists of a LCD projector, laptop, software and cart. Teachers will utilize technology to increase interest and learning for the students.

Glendale Healthy Kids

Glendale, CA

To support an upgrade and re-design of the website to support access to secure electronic copies of medical records and provide email hosting for the staff. Additional funds will support a laptop for the staff's access to records from remote clinics.



Goodwill Industries of Orange County California

Santa Ana, CA

To support the use of assistive technology as a means to improve communication and learning opportunities for the disabled. The ultimate goal is to enable people to become independent and engaged in their life.

Growing Merced Foundation

Merced, CA

To support the incorporation of technology and training into a coordinated outreach effort to identify and capitalize on emerging manufacturing business opportunities. Funds will provide a laptop and cell phone as well as technical training for projects.

Habitat for Humanity International Inc (as fiscal agent for Habitat for Humanity of Orange County)

Santa Ana, CA

To support an upgrade to the organization's accounting software, MIP Fund, allowing all the data to be accessible and to allow more efficient management of the organization.

Healthy Eating Lifestyle Principles Inc

Monterey, CA

To support HELP's fight against childhood obesity by educating kids, ages 5-12, about nutrition and wellness through a new interactive website equipped with games, videos, music, and a Kids Club.

Humboldt Senior Resource Center Inc.

Eureka, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade of computers, software, and peripherals to support the Alzheimer Resource Center that serves caregivers, giving them access to a library of information on care for dementia.

Imperial Valley College Foundation

Imperial, CA

To support the creation of a website to attract support, financially and otherwise, to enhance educational opportunities for minority students. It will also provide community information about upcoming events.

Institute for Local Government

Sacramento, CA

To support a collaborative effort to identify best practices for promoting a health-focused environment for kids and sharing those online. Web dialogues will enable local officials to share, develop, and implement ideas in their communities.

Japanese American Cultural and Community Center

Los Angeles, CA

To support the implementation of a wireless network to enable free internet access on campus for tenants (including UCLA, performing arts companies and the government) and visitors to the cultural center.

Japanese Cultural & Community Center of Northern California

San Francisco, CA

To support the creation of an online resource guide of Northern California's Japanese American organizations. The guide will have links to programs, services, and news about Japanese culture, heritage and education.

Jesus Provides Our Daily Bread

Chico, CA

To support an updated website, with a liaison database, email, e-fundraising, blog, and information to educate the community about the organization's mission and seek an increase in volunteerism.

Jewish Vocational & Career Counseling Service

San Francisco, CA

To support expansion of the program with training for the staff to effectively use software to assist clients acquire the skills needed to secure long-term employment.



Junior Achievement of Southern California Inc

Los Angeles, CA

To support 'Finance Park' which teaches youth about financial literacy. Students are assigned an online 'life situation' card identifying their persona, marital status, employment and income. They learn to manage money and make financial decisions.

Lacer Afterschool Programs

Hollywood, CA

To support the expansion of the program for middle and high school students to improve math skills in after-school programs to enable them to graduate high school and enter college adequately prepared.

Lao Khmu Association, Inc.

Stockton, CA

To support an upgrade of the technical infrastructure of the organization with a new shared drive and create an interactive website that will allow enhanced communications and fundraising capabilities.

Latino Arts Network Inc.

Pasadena, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade with a T-1 line, video camera, and audio mixer to enable the development of a digital storytelling and speaker series from specialists in Latino arts and arts management.

Laura's House

San Juan Capistrano, CA

To support a technical infrastructure upgrade to include the development of a proprietary database to track clients and monitor program results for victims of abuse.

League of Women Voters of California Education Fund

Sacramento, CA

To support an upgrade of technology to enhance the distribution of the Easy Voter Guide to underserved voters. Software for relationship management, online donation and a survey tool are needed to significantly increase circulation of Easy Voter Guide.

League of Women Voters of the Bay Area Education Fund (as fiscal agent of League of Women Voters of South San Mateo County Education Fund)

Oakland, CA

To support a collaboration for underserved youth to create videos encouraging civic engagement about issues important to youth.

Legal Services of Northern California

Sacramento, CA

To support enhancements to the web-based case management system, to include a sophisticated intranet enabling attorneys to research/access information efficiently. Adding remote access will allow hiring additional attorneys for the Senior Legal Hotline.

Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation

Los Angeles, CA

To support a collaboration to create an enhanced interactive website to increase employment preparation services and job placement for at-risk youth.

Los Angeles Urban League

Los Angeles, CA

To support the expansion of the website with enhancements to more effectively target the clients and stakeholders to promote membership and solicit donations.

Los Angeles Youth Network LA Youth Network

Los Angeles, CA

To support the purchase of computers and academic software to establish a learning center staffed with a tutor to assist homeless/runaway youth with homework or employment assistance.

Mission Solano Rescue Mission Inc

Fairfield, CA

To support the purchase of five new computers, upgrades for several other computers, and client tracking software to better manage the office and focus on their mission to serve the homeless in the community.

**Monterey Jazz Festival**

Monterey, CA

To support enhancement to the Digital Music Education Project, providing online music learning and teaching tools, artist interviews, sheet music and lesson plans.

Music Intelligence Neural Development Institute

Costa Mesa, CA

To support an expansion of MIND's curriculum combining music with math to teach math concepts. Software modifications will be integrated into new online games covering core math concepts. Web delivery and online teacher materials are part of proposal.

My Hero Project Inc

Laguna Beach, CA

To support enhancements and restructuring of the website to allow educators greater access, control, and management of the content. Students research information about their hero and learn to create websites. A Spanish-only version is also being enhanced.

National Asian Womens Health Organization

San Francisco, CA

To support enhancements to the website and create the National Virtual Health Center (NVRC) Technology Project, that will include streaming audio and video and links to current health news to raise awareness of health issues affecting Asian women.

New Horizons Family Center

Glendale, CA

To support the creation and implementation of customized data management software to track and store data and create reports for the many programs for the underserved. Staff training is part of this proposal.

Nonprofit Management Solutions

San Diego, CA

To support remote computer network services for troubleshooting, technical support, and one-on-one training to nonprofit organizations in the San Diego area. Funds support an IT Specialist and operating expenses.

Observer Educational Foundation Inc

Sacramento, CA

To support a collaborative effort to provide youth, 16-24 years, with internship training as reporters, graphic designers and photographers at VIBES youth online publication. The 12-week training includes writing workshops, lectures, and event coverage.

Ocean Park Community Center

Santa Monica, CA

To support an upgrade of the technology infrastructure with a new server, computers, and software to manage services more efficiently to clients that are homeless or those in crisis.

Pacific News Service (as fiscal agent for New America Media)

San Francisco, CA

To support a web-based banner advertising system that will track statistics on banner exposure and viewing. This will enable the organization to attract advertisers for the ethnic media sector, currently excluded from English-only ad clearing houses.

Pets Are Wonderful Support

San Francisco, CA

To support the purchase of five new computers for the staff to more efficiently share data and enable use of Raiser's Edge software, for tracking donor, volunteer, and client information. Organization provides companion animals for HIV/AIDS clients.

Project Amiga

South El Monte, CA

To support the expansion of the Youth/Adult Reliance & Job Connection Program focusing on computer and job readiness training to low-income, at-risk clients. Staff will be trained to teach the skills needed for their clients' success.

Quail Gardens Foundations, Inc.

Encinitas, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade from MS Office workgroups to a central file server, allowing less work duplication and enhancing security. Proposal also includes upgrade to donor database software.

**Radio Bilingue, Inc.**

Fresno, CA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade, including a new server to expand the web-based communication via podcasts, cell phones, web feeds and blogs. Enhanced outreach to the Latino population is the goal of the project.

Recording for the Blind & Dyslexic, Inc.

Palo Alto, CA

To support the production of 18 digital textbooks for students, and to upgrade the technological infrastructure of the organization with three cell phones, computer software, and hardware for better management of the office.

San Diego Futures Foundation

San Diego, CA

To support the Foundation's efforts to provide technology assistance to four nonprofit agencies to help improve their organizational effectiveness and services for underserved clients.

San Diego Lesbian & Gay Pride

San Diego, CA

To support the purchase of four computers for the staff and a Palm Treo phone for the Executive Director to manage the office more efficiently and improve the quality of services to the community.

San Diego Women Film Foundation

San Diego, CA

To support enhancements to the filmmaking workshops for underserved girls, enabling hands-on experience with new editing equipment and new sound and lighting technology.

San Francisco Foundation Community Initiative Funds (as fiscal agent for Mission Dignity)

San Francisco, CA

To support an upgrade to the computers and software for the Youth-led Peer Education & College Resource Center which provides tutoring and access to educational and career building resources for the underserved.

San Francisco Housing Development Corporation

San Francisco, CA

To support an interactive website to expand housing/financial counseling to the underserved through streaming video workshops, credit counseling, and budget analysis. Bi-lingual capabilities will further enhance the communication.

Senior Access

San Rafael, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade including new computers and a new server to enable hosting the CadCare and FundEz databases and allow shared access to databases for more efficient program and organization management.

Shakespeare Festival LA, Inc.

Los Angeles, CA

To support the purchase of an Apple Mobile Learning Lab to provide underserved youth access to computers and the internet for academic growth, including preparation for college and assistance in applying to college.

Shasta County Arts Council

Redding, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade of the telephone system and computers to better communicate with artists and members of the community about concerts, workshops and exhibitions and enable better management of the organization.

Sierra Nonprofit Support Center

Sonora, CA

To support enhancing the website to include volunteer matching, which connects volunteers to organizations of interest to them; a calendar of volunteer opportunities; volunteer management tools, including how to manage nonprofits and increase recruitment.

**Smartroverside**

Riverside, CA

To support the creation of a 'technology incubator' or lab for entrepreneurs in emerging life science ventures and software companies to launch business ideas with assistance from business mentors and business community support.

Steelworkers Old Timers Foundation

Huntington Park, CA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include internet access and file sharing capabilities for the staff, as well as revamp the website to increase fundraising and outreach opportunities to seniors and the underserved.

Sweetwater Education Foundation

Chula Vista, CA

To support a collaboration with Hilltop High School to encourage students to get excited about engineering and technology through their participation in a robotics competition.

Telacu Education Foundation

Los Angeles, CA

To support enhancements to a website currently being developed for TELACU, to address the educational component that includes a scholarship program, tutoring program, resource center, technology center, computer literacy class, and health careers program.

The Aerospace Museum of California Foundation, Inc.

Sacramento, CA

To support the purchase of audio-visual equipment for the main classroom at the museum. Underserved students will receive instruction aimed at inspiring an interest in math, science and aerospace technology.

The Friendship Club

Nevada City, CA

To support the purchase of additional computers and educational software to expand after-school tutoring and summer enrichment programs for underserved girls.

THINK Together

Santa Ana, CA

To support the implementation of an Enterprise Architecture Mapping tool to improve the IT applications structure and avoid duplication and enable seamless business operations, to better serve low-income youth in after-school programs.

Tomas Rivera Policy Institute

Los Angeles, CA

To support the creation of a website that will serve as a resource for the Kids to College program, a supplemental curriculum taught by 6th grade teachers to underserved students, encouraging them to plan ahead and seek higher education.

Toolworks

San Francisco, CA

To support a technology upgrade with the purchase of a new server, computers, and software to manage the programs that assist the disabled with job skills and employment training.

Tri-County Economic Development Corporation

Chico, CA

To support technology training to two staff members on a new financial software system purchased by the organization to better manage the tracking and reporting of funds.

University Heights Community Development Corporation

San Diego, CA

To support the creation of a website and a technical infrastructure upgrade with Microsoft Office and software that will enable an e-newsletter. Training for the staff is included in the proposal.

Western Electrical Contractors Education Foundation

Sacramento, CA

To support the creation of two remote learning centers to provide electrician training in Spanish. Training is necessary to improve the passing rate on the state certification test by Spanish speaking citizens.



Westside Childrens Center Inc

Culver City, CA

To support an infrastructure upgrade, including the Cosmos Universal Relationship Management system, new computers, and software to enhance the center's ability to track clients and services and allow more accurate measurements and reporting.

Womens Intercultural Network Inc

San Francisco, CA

To support the expansion of the website with an upgrade to the email system to serve more clients and provide an electronic meeting place for underserved women.

Womenspace Unlimited South Lake Tahoe Womens Center

South Lake Tahoe, CA

To support an expansion of staff access to the MIP accounting program, with the purchase of an additional licence. Currently, only one staff member may use the program at one time, resulting in less work accomplished and inefficiencies in the process.

Workforce Investment Board of the City of Los Angeles

Los Angeles, CA

To support the Technology Ladders project that provides 50 at-risk youth with training in web and graphic design in preparation for career opportunities.

World Institute on Disability

Oakland, CA

To support the re-design of the website to increase accessibility for the hearing and vision impaired clients, as well as translating key webpages to Spanish for additional accessibility.

YMCA of San Diego County

San Diego, CA

To support Mobile Tech Academy, a computer lab on wheels, which will enable underserved children in the before and after-school programs to have access to computers and the internet for educational purposes.

Youth Policy Institute, Inc.

Los Angeles, CA

To support the purchase of 20 computer systems (computer, monitor, software and internet access) for graduates of the Valley Family Technology Project's computer literacy course for underserved students and their families.

Zeum

San Francisco, CA

To support the development of a digital storage system that will allow youth to access and share the work created at Zeum, including videos, broadcasts and music.



CONNECTICUT

Augusta Curtis Cultural Center Inc.

Meriden, CT

To support an upgrade to the technology infrastructure in the historic building that houses the ACCC and is rented to the community. Wireless internet, laptops, a smartboard, and audio equipment will be added to enhance the capabilities of all users.

CAUSA, Inc. (Connecticut Association for United Spanish Action, Inc.)

Hartford, CT

To support a collaborative effort to upgrade and expand the number of computer labs in underserved communities to increase technology access, provide training and improve technology workforce development.

Centro de la Comunidad, Inc.

New London, CT

To support a system that will track and report client and program information for more efficiency and effectiveness. Also, upgrades to computer work stations will enable clients to have reliable access to services for educational and economic success.

Clifford W Beers Guidance Clinic Incorporated

New Haven, CT

To support an upgrade to the technology infrastructure to enhance communication between the main clinic and three satellite offices. This will also enable timely input of services and billing, as well as provide a central location for clinic policies.

Goodwin College Inc.

East Hartford, CT

To support an upgrade and expansion of the computer labs used by the students to fulfill the computer literacy/applications requirement, as well as complete general course work for degree requirements.

Howard Whittemore Memorial Library

Naugatuck, CT

To support an upgrade of the computer hardware and software utilized by patrons of the library. This will support enhanced internet access for educational purposes.

Literacy Volunteers of Central Connecticut, Inc.

New Britain, CT

To support enhancement of web-based technology to improve online access to language literacy programs for the underserved.

New Opportunities, Inc.

Waterbury, CT

To support the creation of a computer lab for clients to learn Microsoft Office products and have access to the internet. The agency serves low-income individuals that are working toward employment and self-sufficiency.

Northwest Connecticut Association for the Arts, Inc. dba Warner Theatre

Torrington, CT

To support the purchase of computers for the staff to manage the increasing number of programs performed, as well as the rising number of patrons that support the theatre.

Quinebaug Valley Community College

Danielson, CT

To support the restructuring of the computer network to allow secure access by staff, students, and faculty. Currently, the platform only allows access from college- owned machines. Project will provide students with enhanced educational opportunities.

Quinnipiac Business and Education Foundation Inc

Wallingford, CT

To support a collaboration with the Joyce C. Budrow Senior Center to provide a computer literacy program for seniors. This knowledge is becoming a requirement in performing daily activities, to include research on medical, financial, and travel issues.



Read to Grow Inc.

Branford, CT

To support an upgrade of the hardware and software at the center for more efficient and accurate inventory management.

Sterling House Community Center

Stratford, CT

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to improve operations in the center, as well as expand marketing and funding sources for the programs that support the underserved.

The Bridge to Independence and Career Opportunities Company

Danbury, CT

To support the purchase of computer hardware for the expansion of the computer lab used to provide technology training to the underserved. Training promotes self-sufficiency and economic independence.

The Ivoryton Playhouse Foundation, Inc.

Ivoryton, CT

To support the upgrade of computer hardware and software to enable online ticket purchases to attract a larger audience. The proposal also includes purchase of CAD software to allow the theatre to generate designs and blueprints in-house.

Town of Glastonbury (as fiscal agent for Housing Authority of Glastonbury)

Glastonbury, CT

To support the purchase of four computers, virus software, and four chairs for the computer lab in the Welles Village Computer Center. This will give more underserved children access to a computer and the internet to complete homework assignments.

Town of Wolcott

Wolcott, CT

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade, including two networked computers and internet access to improve communication with community organizations.

Union Social Services Corporation Inc

Stamford, CT

To support youth literacy in the Summer Academy Literacy Program for underprivileged students. They will have access to Merit software to learn basic core competencies and improve literacy. Additionally, the senior program will receive a computer.

V.N.A. Health at Home, Inc.

Watertown, CT

To support efficient, expedited medical care for seriously ill patients in home care. The addition of The Physician Portal will allow physicians access to the Misys Homecare system 24 hours a day for review and approval of orders for patient care.

Waterbury Opportunities Industrialization Inc.

Waterbury, CT

To support a collaborative effort to upgrade and expand the computer lab that is utilized by the underserved. Free basic computer skills training and internet access are provided to assist in employment training, job searches, and self-sufficiency.

Westport Historical Society (as fiscal agent for Rowayton Historical Society)

Rowayton, CT

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade including a computer and software to support Past Perfect, a museum-specific database that will enable more efficient management of the collection and members, as well as track dues, donations and volunteers.



FLORIDA

Belafonte Tacolcy Center, Inc.

Miami, FL

To support an upgrade to the computer lab with educational software, faster internet access, and audio-visual hardware. This will enhance programs for underserved minority students who participate in after-school tutoring and SATpreparation classes.

Brevard Achievement Center Inc.

Rockledge, FL

To support an upgrade of all hardware and software for the technology lab that is used to train the disabled clients for employment opportunities and to promote social independence.

Broward Regional Health Planning Council Inc.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL

To support an upgrade of the network to enhance management of Healthy Families Broward. Staff visit the homes of underserved families to promote child health and positive parenting. Remote access to the network is needed for management of the program.

Child Care Association of Brevard Co. Inc.

Cocoa, FL

To support the creation of a computer lab and provide training of basic computer skills and widely used software to staff of the Agency, as well as to the parents in the program and underserved adults in the community.

Children's Home Society of Florida

Orlando, FL

To support technical training for the staff to increase their efficiency in managing large caseloads, and allow more time for their clients. The Microsoft Office Specialist program is offered online and a certificate is awarded upon successful completion.

Communities In Schools of Okeechobee Inc.

Okeechobee, FL

To support the purchase of new computer hardware and software to enhance the tracking and management of services provided to 3000 underserved students.

Esteem Music Inc.

Lakeland, FL

To support staff training and the creation of a website providing the community with information about music programs/services for the underserved, and create an avenue to solicit volunteers and donations.

Expanding and Preserving our Cultural Heritage, Inc. d/b/a Spady Cultural Heritage, Inc.

Delray Beach, FL

To support a technology upgrade of software and hardware at the Spady Museum to better manage it's collection, membership, and donor records. The museum is preserving and educating the community about the African-American cultural history.

Family Resource Center of South Florida Inc.

Homestead, FL

To support the purchase of eight computers, internet access, and educational software for the nursery school and the emergency shelter. This will provide developmental assistance for the pre-school kids and homework access for the students in the shelter.

Family Support Services of North Florida Inc.

Jacksonville, FL

To support a collaboration with the Florida Community College to assist 17-year-old youth emancipating from foster care receive computer training necessary to complete high school and obtain employment. Foster families also receive hardware and training.

Fort Pierce-St. Lucie County Chamber of Commerce Foundation Inc.

Port St. Lucie, FL

To support a collaborative effort to create three computer labs in underserved communities and to provide internet and software training to enhance educational and economic opportunities. Funds will cover the cost of internet installation.



His House Inc.

Miami Gardens, FL

To support a collaborative effort to enhance the technology infrastructure for students at His House Academy, a school for abused and abandoned children. Funds will provide students with laptops, internet access, and educational software.

Indian River Community College Foundation, Inc.

Fort Pierce, FL

To support the creation of digital audio and video recordings of lectures and instructional activities by the faculty. Each full-time instructor will receive a web-cam, digital voice recorder, and flash drive to enable them to post all lectures online.

Little Haiti Housing Association, Inc.

Miami, FL

To support staff training of Microsoft Office products, including Access database software. The staff will in turn train the minority families who participate in Home Owner's Club, bringing them a greater understanding of technology.

MaliVai Washington Kids Foundation, Inc.

Jacksonville, FL

To support a technology upgrade for the staff and the after-school student program. Funds will provide a local area network, high-speed internet, software and staff training for more efficient management and increased donor tracking and support

Manatee County Safety Council

Bradenton, FL

To support the creation of a new website with interactive technology that will enhance driver safety and OSHA training classes, as well as incorporate Spanish and Haitian languages into the curriculum.

Mary Brogan Museum of Art and Science Inc.

Tallahassee, FL

To support a technology upgrade, including a new server, laptops and staff training to support SugarCRM software, which will manage client data and enhance administrative tools for business operations.

Meridian Behavioral Healthcare, Inc.

Gainesville, FL

To support technology integration for the mentally disabled by providing two computers with internet access.

Monroe Association For Retarded Citizens, Inc.

Key West, FL

To support an enhanced computer infrastructure and provide training to the staff on basic computer skills, internet searching, and business-related software, including Windows XP, and database management.

Seminole County Victims Rights Coalition, Inc. d/b/a Safehouse of Seminole

Sanford, FL

To support better technology integration into the new facility that serves victims of domestic violence. Funds will support Windows 2003 Business Server, Microsoft Exchange and Microsoft Office for improvement of staff support services.

Shepherds Center of Orange Park Inc.

Orange Park, FL

To support the Communication without Walls program that benefits underserved seniors. Technical hardware including LCD projectors, a digital video camera, photo printer, laptop, and software are needed to provide remote education programs.

Tampa Hillsborough County Drug Abuse Comprehensive Coordinating Office, Inc. (DACCO)

Tampa, FL

To support technology integration into DACCO's three residential facilities by providing computers to the 20 clinicians that staff these facilities. This will allow access to clients files and allow better communication and work efficiency for the staff.



Turkel Resource Foundation Inc.

Miami, FL

To support a collaborative effort to provide a technology infrastructure that will include a computer, printer, desktop software and internet to each family in Town Park Village, a residence for low-income families promoting self sufficiency..

Valencia Community College Foundation Inc.

Orlando, FL

To support the implementation of new technology for the deaf and hearing impaired students that will allow access to college-wide lectures (on several campuses) in back-to-back classes in a central speech-to-text lab.

West Florida Child Care & Education Services, Inc. d/b/a Childrens Services Center

Pensacola, FL

To support improved technology training for child care providers by offering a flexible, web-based curriculum for individuals pursuing Florida's Child Care Provider Credential and those training for the Child Care Food Program.

Women in Distress of Broward County Inc. (WID)

Ft. Lauderdale, FL

To support the creation of an enhanced website that will support WID's outreach to promote social change. It will include a calendar of events, information on prevention and help, and a blog for victims to communicate and seek help.



GEORGIA

Activ Inc.

McDonough, GA

To support updated technology for development of a website and a donor database, and provide internet connectivity and training for staff in order to increase efficiency and improve service delivery for the education of children, parents, and adults.

AID Gwinnett Inc.

Duluth, GA

To support the addition of hardware for five exam rooms and clinic staff, allowing doctors, nurses, and related clinic staff efficient access to confidential patient records. This is part of a project to upgrade the current patient tracking system.

Aid to Children of Imprisoned Mothers, Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology to empower children of imprisoned mothers with skills needed to improve academic performance for successful futures, as well as increase staff efficiency for better service delivery.

Another Way Out Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology for a resource center that will provide at-risk youth and adults with the skills needed to succeed in school and beyond and help adults obtain employment.

Association for Retarded Citizens Inc.

Thomas Grady County

Thomasville, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology and provide training for staff efficiency and developmentally disabled individuals to help them achieve independence through potential employment.

Atlanta Audubon Society

Atlanta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology providing downloadable educational materials, as well as enabling online giving and registration, and to improve donor management and fundraising tracking capabilities.

Augusta State University

Augusta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded software for the purpose of recruiting and increasing the enrollment of minority students at the University.

Blind and Low Vision Services of North Georgia

Smyrna, GA

To support the addition of assistive technology to provide blind and visually impaired clients with the tools needed to compete in a technology world of jobs, improve database management, and provide staff training.

Boys & Girls Club of Camilla Mitchell County Inc. dba Boys & Girls Clubs of Mitchell County

Camilla, GA

To support the addition of hardware and software for a technology lab where underserved youth can increase reading, typing, and research skills to improve academically and succeed in life.

Boys Club of Rome, Inc. dba Boys & Girls Clubs of Northwest Georgia

Rome, GA

To support the addition of e-fundraising software to reach and enable current and potential donors with the capacity for online transactions, all to provide youth with the services they need to grow and succeed in life.

Center for Pan Asian Community

Doraville, GA

To support upgraded technology to develop an integrated database to increase office efficiency, inform the public, and improve communications with other service agencies to provide quality health/social services for Pan-Asians in the Greater Atlanta area.

Center for Puppetry Arts, Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology to help create a second distance-learning studio in order to expand access to underserved schools in Georgia for the purpose of providing interactive curriculum-based arts education programming.



Consumer Credit Counseling Service of Middle Georgia Inc.

Macon, GA

To support the addition of an upgraded phone system to enable transferring of calls between main office and branch office in order to provide existing and potential clients with quality financial counseling services.

Friends of Disabled Adults and Children, Too! Inc.

Stone Mountain, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology to improve client and donor tracking and provide a reliable server to increase efficiency and outreach to the disabled who require medical equipment services.

Greater Solid Rock Baptist Church of Atlanta, GA

Riverdale, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology for a computer lab in the Outreach Center in order to facilitate educational enrichment programs for youth to improve academically and seniors who desire computer literacy and typing skills.

Gwinnett Tech Foundation Inc.

Lawrenceville, GA

To support the addition of desktops and software, expanding the computer lab to enable students to take required English as a Second Language (ESL) tests in a stress-free environment to improve scores as opposed to using laptops in crowded hallways.

Habitat for Humanity International - Macon Area

Macon, GA

To support upgraded hardware to expedite communications/transactions between main office, Home Store, and construction sites, enabling volunteers, donors, and partner families efficient online access, as well as provide a paperless filing system.

Hall County Library System

Gainesville, GA

To support the addition of upgraded hardware and computer seating for the Oakwood branch library to provide teenagers with their own personal space, encouraging social networking and educational use of the library's resources for homework assignments.

Hancock County Library

Sparta, GA

To support the addition of 12 laptops to provide students and low-income individuals with internet access to information resources for educational purposes and employment opportunities and enable staff to schedule training classes for the community.

Hemophilia of Georgia Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support upgraded technology to facilitate online access to hemophilia clients or organizations who need to order medication and supplies after business hours for processing the next business day, providing expeditious treatment for healthier lives.

Leadership DeKalb Inc.

Decatur, GA

To support upgraded technology to improve interactive communications with Youth Leadership participants to further their leadership skills/training and encourage new applicants for future classes, serving as a model for the Adult Leadership program.

Literacy Action, Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology to improve the database system for better service delivery and accountability to literacy students and donors, eventually enabling future growth.



Mercy Health Center, Inc.

Athens, GA

To support upgraded technology to enable accurate record keeping of patient information and provide access for staff and volunteer health care providers, in order to facilitate quality health care to low-income, uninsured individuals of NE Georgia.

**Meriwether County Interagency Council
Family Connection Inc.**

Greenville, GA

To support upgraded technology for the creation of a secure network, integration of an interactive database system, and provide staff training to improve efficiency in delivery of quality health/social services to children and low-income families in need.

Mountain View Personal Care Home, Inc.

Decatur, GA

To support upgraded technology for improved internal and external communications, marketability, staff efficiency, accurate payroll time reporting, and a surveillance system, all to provide quality care for the senior residents at Mountain View.

Regional Partners Network Inc

Camilla, GA

To support upgraded technology and training for the housing agencies throughout the 14-county region to increase their capacity and efficiency in order to provide affordable housing to the low-income, minority population of Southwest Georgia.

**Ronald McDonald House Charities of West
Georgia Inc.**

Columbus, GA

To support upgraded hardware, including a modern phone system, staff training for office efficiency, all to better serve low-income families temporarily residing at the House while their children receive free or low-cost treatment at nearby hospitals.

**Salvation Army - Atlanta, GA (as fiscal agent
for Salvation Army - Augusta)**

Augusta, GA

To support upgraded technology for Clearinghouse agencies who provide Christmas assistance to low-income families in order to streamline operations, avoid service duplications, and improve communications, all to better serve and reach families in need.

**Second Harvest Food Bank of Coastal
Georgia, Inc.**

Savannah, GA

To support the addition of upgraded software that will provide agencies and volunteers with easy access to accurate food inventory information, improving and increasing the ordering and distribution process to reach a greater number of people in need.

South DeKalb Business Incubator Inc.

Atlanta, GA

To support updated technology, installation, and staff training in order to increase efficiency and marketability to better serve the underserved communities and its client businesses, creating opportunities and jobs for minorities.

**Southwest Georgia United Empowerment
Zone Inc.**

Vienna, GA

To support upgraded technology and staff training to increase office efficiency, data sharing/management, improve communications with donors, volunteers, and clients, and provide training for the community to help grow and revitalize high-poverty areas.

Taylor Regional Hospital

Hawkinsville, GA

To support upgraded technology to improve secure communications and information sharing with the sister hospital and enable in-house creation and management of a website that will better inform and update patients and the public.



Tubman African American Museum, Inc.

Macon, GA

To support upgraded technology for enhancing educational programming, targeting at-risk youth and the underserved community, to help them develop an understanding of different races and heritage to increase harmony and tolerance of different cultures.

Women in Need of Gods Shelter Inc

Dublin, GA

To support the addition of upgraded technology to improve internal and external communications, case management, and agency image in order to increase funding support to better serve women and children who are victims of family violence.



ILLINOIS

Administer Justice

East Dundee, IL

To support implementation of a internet-based case management and tracking system to serve low-income clients. External volunteer attorneys and the organization's staff will have access to the case data and can track and report on the status.

Allendale Association Inc.

Lake Villa, IL

To support the purchase of a 'backbone switch' that will enable the network servers to process data at a higher speed, with more stability and eliminate the duplication of patient data input.

American National Red Cross (as fiscal agent for American Red Cross Central Illinois Chapter)

Peoria, IL

To support an enhancement to the chapter website with the creation of five password protected user areas that support donor contributions, disaster alerts, training certification, online education and volunteer coordination.

Association for Retarded Citizens of Rock Island County

Rock Island, IL

To support comprehensive computer training for the entire staff, to include the purchase of three computers and wireless internet service to facilitate the training. Basic and higher level training will be provided internally and externally.

Autism Society of America (as fiscal agent for Autism Society of Illinois)

Lombard, IL

To support the development of an Access database to track membership data and develop fundraising and programming more efficiently and effectively. It is the goal to improve communication with stakeholders and raise awareness in the community.

Beverly Area Planning Association

Chicago, IL

To support the re-design of the historic community website and monthly newspaper to enhance communication about resources available to residents and businesses regarding housing issues, safety concerns and special events.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of McHenry County Inc

McHenry, IL

To support a technology upgrade to replace outdated computers and add software to manage administrative duties more efficiently and enhance data protection and fundraising capabilities.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Will and Grundy Counties

Crest Hill, IL

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to replace aging computers and to enable access to software used by the national organization for donor support and to manage the critical process of matching volunteers with their little brothers/sisters.

Black Hawk College Foundation

Moline, IL

To support implementation of an electronic early alert system to identify students not meeting performance expectations. Alerts will be sent by email to staff to intervene. Low college completion rates among minorities and the underserved are the focus.

Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University

Carbondale, IL

To support a collaborative effort for regional economic and community development initiatives that include a high-bandwidth broadband infrastructure. Goals include building better employment opportunities and retaining the youth in an aging community.

**Chicago Chesed Fund Inc**

Lincolnwood, IL

To support the purchase of two desk top computers and one laptop to improve management of the food donated, and to better support underserved clients in crisis situations.

Chicago State University Foundation

Chicago, IL

To support implementation of digital media on-demand for students and faculty. Various media platforms will enable higher quality online courses and real-time access for classroom lessons and distance learning.

Childrens Advocacy Center

Hoffman Estates, IL

To support an infrastructure upgrade, including the purchase of a new server to manage a secure network that supports data relating to child abuse victims and their families. Additional software and training for website improvements are also sought.

Coalition of African Asian European and Latino Immigrants of Illinois

Chicago, IL

To support a collaboration to create a more dynamic website that will allow more communication and resource-sharing between the 22 member organizations that serve low-income immigrant coalitions. The online donation process will also be streamlined.

Computer Banc

Springfield, IL

To support the placement of donated and refurbished computers in the homes of underserved families and to target academic areas with software that is in a fun game format.

Discovery Center Museum

Rockford, IL

To support the museum's outreach program to bring educational science programs to the underserved. Purchase of a computer, wireless service, and software are essential for implementation of this project.

DuPage Homeownership Center Inc

Wheaton, IL

To support the creation of a new website that will enable online registration for home buyer education classes, provide access to online forms, and promote the visibility and communication options for potential underserved clients.

Elgin Community College Foundation

Elgin, IL

To support the creation of a mobile learning classroom that will provide an interactive learning experience, cultivate team working skills, and enable access to educational resources outside the classroom.

Elim Christian Services

Palos Heights, IL

To support the purchase of a new Microsoft server to enable increased speed, performance, and reliability in managing and organizing the data and services provided for the disabled in the community.

Faith in Action of McHenry County

Crystal Lake, IL

To support the creation of a website that will increase community awareness of their work with the elderly, as well as provide an opportunity to engage volunteers and donors.

Family Service of Champaign County

Champaign, IL

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade, replacing old computers and installing new software to improve management of the programs for the elderly and gather relevant data. Training for the staff would also be necessary.

Fremont Public Library

Mundelein, IL

To support a collaboration to expand and improve the ESL instruction offered at the library, that serves increasing numbers of Spanish speaking patrons. A new laptop and new software will help keep pace with the increasing number of underserved students.

**Great Lakes Adaptive Sports Association**

Lake Forest, IL

To support the re-design of the website to enable better communication with the parents, staff and community. Website will be accessible to those with physical disabilities, including limited vision. Project will also streamline data for better tracking.

Lake Bluff Firemans Association Inc.

Lake Bluff, IL

To support the purchase of a color printer and scanner that will be used in conjunction with the fire department's Remote Access, a database that accesses site plans, maps and tactical database information.

Lambs Farm Inc

Libertyville, IL

To support an infrastructure upgrade to include high-speed internet access between the main campus and the vocational work center, that employs disabled adults. A payroll software upgrade and staff training will allow time entry from work center.

LaSalle County CASA Organization

Ottawa, IL

To support the training program for volunteers who act as advocates for neglected or abused children. A new computer, projector, and screen are needed to conduct on-going training.

Lawndale Christian Development Corporation

Chicago, IL

To support a new website with faster internet access to allow greater communication in the online forum and enable the organization's staff to better manage the content and track data. Training is a key component in this proposal.

Lewis University

Romeoville, IL

To support the success of adult students by offering expanded access to academic support services and tutorial services. Six computer kiosks at the main campus and regional campuses will link more students to the support they need to succeed.

Madison County Arts Council

Alton, IL

To support the purchase of three desktop computers, one laptop, a printer and a software upgrade of Microsoft Office products to improve the management of the office, as well as provide enhanced online education programs for the community.

Marcy Newberry Association Inc

Chicago, IL

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade of computers, software, and internet access, as well as provide staff training. Funds will support better management of the social services provided to the minority, low-income community.

Marklund Childrens Home

Geneva, IL

To support the creation of two computer labs, adapted for use by children and adults with developmental disabilities. The labs will provide access to educational software, money management software, email, and the internet.

Misericordia Home

Chicago, IL

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include a T-1 connection to provide internet and email to the entire staff (1000 employees) and six computer access stations for the disabled residents. A full-time IT trainer is part of this proposal.

North Shore Senior Center

Northfield, IL

To support an upgrade of the computers and software to manage the center's fundraising and accounting systems. The vendor will no longer provide support for the outdated software used, and the computers lack the capability to run the updated versions.

**Parents Alliance Employment Project**

Lisle, IL

To support an online outreach to the disabled who are in search of employment, by training and certifying the staff to utilize Illinois workNet for employment and transportation needs. Two laptops will be utilized to promote the program in the community.

Poder Learning Center

Chicago, IL

To support basic and advanced computer skills training to Latino immigrants. Funds will support the purchase of additional computers and personnel to provide training to more students, in an effort to meet the needs of the underserved community.

Provena Hospitals

Danville, IL

To support implementation of the Wireless Medical Telemetry Upgrade project by providing funds for training the clinical staff to quickly and accurately access patients' vital signs during transport. This project will improve patient safety.

Puerto Rican Arts Alliance

Chicago, IL

To support the creation of an interactive website promoting the programs/services of the Alliance, including art and music classes and showcasing Puerto Rican artists. Volunteer opportunities and membership registration will also be added features.

Quincy University Corporation

Quincy, IL

To support the implementation of pod casting lectures and presentations of the faculty, and providing students the opportunity to create their own podcasts. Funds will support the purchase of a server, 6 hard drives, and an operating system.

Regional Access and Mobilization Project Inc.

Rockford, IL

To support the creation of a website to market SoundScapes, a retail outlet for assistive listening devices for people with a hearing loss. Online purchasing and customer tracking software, as well as an upgrade of computers and staff training are needed

Rialto Square Theatre Corporation

JOLIET, IL

To support the purchase of new computers to enable the utilization of Archtics, an in-house ticketing system. Archtics will allow online purchasing convenience and customer tracking for improved marketing efforts and increased funding opportunities.

Robert Crown Center for Health Education

Chicago, IL

To support the implementation of the Audience Response System (ARS) in the outreach health education curriculum for minority students. ARS is wireless keypad technology that creates a fun interactive lesson for the students to learn about nutrition.

Salem Baptist Church of Chicago (as fiscal agent for Salem Christian Academy)

Chicago, IL

To support updating the computer lab that serves the outreach after-school program, with 29 new workstations and related hardware, as well as Microsoft Office and academic software to improve reading, math, and Spanish language skills.

Seguin Service, Inc.

Cicero, IL

To support a computer learning lab for disabled teenagers in the foster care program to access the internet and educational software to improve their social, educational, and economic skills. Job training for adults will also be available in the lab.



Southeast Association for Special Parks and Recreation

Downers Grove, IL

To support the implementation of an online registration system with credit card authorization, to facilitate an easier and more efficient way for disabled participants (and their families) to register for recreation programs.

Southwestern Illinois College Foundation (as fiscal agent for Programs and Services for Older People (PSOP))

Belleville, IL

To support the purchase of the computer monitors and personal digital devices (a/k/a Palm Pilots) for the SeniorLink computer skills classes available to seniors to improve their skills for economic and personal reasons.

Spoon River College Foundation

Canton, IL

To support the purchase of a video/audio presentation system in the Student Center, which hosts events such as the GED Graduation, Annual Multicultural Dinner, and Student Debates. A permanent technical infrastructure will enhance the events.

Turning Point, Inc.

Woodstock, IL

To support the expansion of Turning Point's community outreach training for victims of domestic violence. New computers and software will enable greater access to educational materials by clients and staff. An upgrade of the donor software is requested.

Uhlich Childrens Advantage Network

Chicago, IL

To support an upgrade of the Raisers Edge software to provide more comprehensive and secure online donor management, event registration and management, and volunteer registration and management.

United Neighborhood Organization

Chicago, IL

To support the implementation of video teleconferencing and remote computer access for the main office and 6 school campuses to enable more cost effective management. The

schools primarily serve the Hispanic minority in low-income communities.

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (as fiscal agent for Mercy Home for Boys and Girls)

Chicago, IL

To support the creation and implementation of web-based projects and website features that will expand funding opportunities and increase volunteer recruitment. Funds will support a consultant, data communication services, and application development.

Volunteer Center of Northwest Suburban Chicago

Arlington Heights, IL

To support the funding of scholarships to nonprofit organizations that can be used for free IT assistance from the IT staff at the Volunteer Center.

West Central Municipal Conference

River Grove, IL

To support a collaboration to upgrade the technology infrastructure of the organization to enable staff to have wireless connectivity in the office, remote access from home, an additional DSL line, and upgrades to anti-virus software.

Western DuPage Special Recreation Association Foundation

Carol Stream, IL

To support an upgrade to the website to enhance accessibility for the disabled community. Funds will be used to hire an IT professional to resolve issues already identified, including code validity and site navigation and content.

Womens Business Development Center (WBDC)

Chicago, IL

To support the implementation of an online registration system for several WBDC events, along with donor contribution capabilities. Management of the system will be user-friendly for the staff and will increase efficiency in managing the business.



INDIANA

Arts Council of Southwestern Indiana, Inc. Evansville, IN

To support the purchase of a projector, screen, and sound system to create a state-of-the-art exhibit of various artists work, as well as promote the programs of area nonprofit arts organizations.

Assistive Technology Through Action in Indiana, Inc., d/b/a Attain

Indianapolis, IN

To support the addition of an enhanced web based application to inventory and track assistive technology devices that are available for loan through the Lending Library program. Enhancements will include online access to view available inventory.

Bona Vista Programs, Inc.

Kokomo, IN

To support computer skills training for disabled adults, to enable them to become more independent and to further academic and economic goals.

Brothers Keeper, Inc.

Gary, IN

To support computer training for homeless and indigent men to learn or improve skills necessary to secure employment. Funds will also provide an upgrade of technology hardware and software for the staff.

Challenger Learning Center of Northwest Indiana Inc

Hammond, IN

To support the implementation of the ACTIVassessment wireless voting system to measure the interest and effect of the Center's programs on the students. A voting board will allow students to answer questions electronically immediately after the program.

Childrens Theraplay Foundation Inc

Carmel, IN

To support the purchase of two desktop computers and one laptop for the staff to more efficiently manage the foundation and execute a development plan and marketing campaign for fundraising.

Community Organizations Legal Assistance Project Inc.

Indianapolis, IN

To support the creation of a new interactive website that will allow attorneys and nonprofit organizations to interface about legal issues. Attorneys will have their own forum to share boilerplate forms and volunteerism will be highlighted.

Dads Inc of Indiana

Indianapolis, IN

To support the purchase of four computers, a server, and a projector to enhance the outreach program to new and expecting fathers. Supporting the importance of a father's role in his child's life is the goal of the Dads Inc.

Frankfort Clinton County Contractual Public Library

Frankfort, IN

To support the upgrade of computers and software for library patrons to take computer classes, complete online job applications, and perform internet research.

Girls Incorporated of Shelbyville Shelby County

Shelbyville, IN

To support the implementation of a donor database to the current website. BasicFunder Enterprise will record, track and analyze donor information and enable communication with donors through online pledge reminders. The goal is to increase fundraising.

Grant County Economic Growth Council, Inc.

Marion, IN

To support the creation of a dynamic web portal for the Grant County community to facilitate investment in the community and to help with job creation. The portal will have a forum to address issues in the community with local responses provided quickly.



Habitat for Humanity International Inc (as fiscal agent for Huntington County Habitat for Humanity)

Huntington, IN

To support a new website that will enable donors, volunteers, and visitors to communicate with Habitat as well as help manage events and allow mass mail capability. Request includes computers, projectors, and staff training to improve office efficiency.

Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.

Evansville, IN

To support an upgrade to the Financial Edge 7 software to efficiently integrate with data in the Raiser's Edge 7 software for more efficient management of the data. Funds will also support training for the staff.

Historic Newburgh, Inc.

Newburgh, IN

To support the purchase of a laptop, digital projector, and updated software, including Powerpoint, to create programs for school children and adults about historic Newburgh. Promotion of the town will help gain support for preservation of its history.

Hunters Helping Hunters Inc

Auburn, IN

To support enhancements to the website to include designating areas accessible only through a protected password, and adding software that can produce higher quality photos, a color printer and Peachtree software to track donations and expenses.

Indiana Black Expo, Inc.

Indianapolis, IN

To support an infrastructure upgrade, including a new LAN server, updated software, and personnel for troubleshooting. E-fundraising and e-commerce will be added to the website for greater community support.

Indiana University (as fiscal agent for Trustees of Indiana University)

Bloomington, IN

To support the purchase of 30 laptops with a storage cart that can be transported to any classroom on campus to create a technology classroom. Students will have access to an enhanced learning environment to improve their computer and research skills.

Indianapolis Neighborhood Resource Center Inc (INRC)

Indianapolis, IN

To support the creation of a website that will have web pages for each neighborhood organization, a resource library managed by INRC, a discussion board to promote involvement in the community, and on-demand video to be used as a marketing tool for INRC.

Ivy Tech Foundation, Inc. (as fiscal agent for Ivy Tech Community College, Region 5 'ITCC5')

Indianapolis, IN

To support wireless internet access campus-wide for use by students to perform research, complete class assignments, and access email. It's estimated that 20 wireless access points will be installed for maximum internet connectivity for all students.

Legacy Fund Inc (as fiscal agent for Hamilton County Alliance Inc.)

Carmel, IN

To support the creation of a website that will promote entrepreneurship to high school students and establish a county-wide entrepreneurship club, with meetings hosted online. There will also be links to webinars for education opportunities.

Lincoln Hills Development Corporation

Tell City, IN

To support the implementation of an electronic document scanning, storing, and retrieval system for agency records. Secure, accessible records will provide more efficiency in management of programs for underserved pre-school through senior citizens.



Make a Difference Michiana Inc

South Bend, IN

To support the creation of a social networking site for local businesses, universities, and service clubs that will allow them to recruit volunteers or raise money for specific nonprofit groups that meet philanthropic and volunteer interests.

New Harmony Workingmens Institute

New Harmony, IN

To support the creation of a new interactive website that will support the Institute's library, research facility, and museum. The site will have upgraded search capabilities, a blog, a calendar and volunteer recruitment and fundraising information.

NPower Indiana inc.

Indianapolis, IN

To support the creation of a communication paper to send to nonprofit groups advising them of an enhancement to TechAtlas, called Stable and Secure. This feature will help identify vulnerabilities in the technical infrastructures of organizations.

Patchwork Central, Inc.

Evansville, IN

To support the purchase of a new computer, software, and internet access for the Program Director. She is involved in the day-to-day management of the Arts and Smarts Children's after-school and summer program, for at-risk children.

School on Wheels Corp

Indianapolis, IN

To support the purchase of computers, software, and internet access for homeless children tutored in the program. Children will learn computer skills and will have access to appropriate educational software and the internet for school work.

Seed Corp (f/k/a Bloomington Area Microenterprise Initiative Inc.)

Bloomington, IN

To support an outreach to bring small business counseling and small business loans to clients in rural areas. Two laptops and a projector will be used by two business advisors to provide one-on-one counseling to clients in ten counties.

Starfish Inc d/b/a Starfish Initiative

Indianapolis, IN

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include a firewall router, Windows XP and Office Pro software, technology training for the staff and an IT consultant to more efficiently manage the organization.

Success and Opportunity at Reading Inc

Bedford, IN

To support the creation of an interactive website promoting SOAR, an adult literacy program. The website will manage donor support, track volunteer time, and offer online lessons to the underserved.

The Purdue Foundation, Inc. (as fiscal agent for Indiana Council for Economic Education)

West Lafayette, IN

To support the establishment of an e-learning center for educators to receive online economics training to improve training for the students on the subject. Wireless broadband, three webcams, e-learning software and technical training are in the proposal

Visiting Nurse Association of Southwestern Indiana Inc

Evansville, IN

To support the increasing need for patient monitoring devices through VNA's telehealth technology. Funds will pay for staff training on utilizing the telehealth monitoring project, thus providing better patient care.



Washington Carnegie Public Library

Washington, IN

To support the purchase of six computers for the library patrons. Many underserved patrons have no access to computers or the internet at home. The library staff can provide basic instruction, but need additional computers to help the increasing need.

Young Mens Christian Association of Greater Indianapolis

Indianapolis, IN

To support the creation of a computer lab equipped with internet access and software that will support the academic development of the students. Funds will provide six computers, software, and internet service.

Young Womens Christian Association of Gary (YWCA)

Gary, IN

To support the TechGyrls project which is designed to broaden young girls knowledge of careers available in the science and mathematical fields. Girls will build an autobiography using MicroWorld software and then build a robot with RoboLab software.



KANSAS

Baker Arts Foundation

Liberal, KS

To support the addition of a new, modernized telephone system that will allow for better communications between staff members and the entire community which will improve management of operations.

Catholic Charities - Diocese of Salina

Salina, KS

To support the installation of a well-integrated, updated hardware system to allow for better communications between staff and departments in order to deliver more efficient services to the increasing immigrant population.

Challenger Learning Center of Kansas Foundation Inc.

Wellington, KS

To support the addition of hardware and software for the Earth and Space Lab, providing middle and high school students with programs that foster an interest in math, science, engineering, and technology in a fun mission-simulator environment.

Congressional Home dba Brewster Place

Topeka, KS

To support an interactive, web-based program for the purpose of increasing, training, and retaining volunteers to better serve its senior citizens at Brewster Place, a retirement community.

East Wichita Shepherds Center

Wichita, KS

To support the addition of updated hardware in order to attract quality volunteer presenters from business and universities to enhance the Adventures in Learning program available to seniors throughout the year.

Friends of the Kaw Incorporated Inc.

Lawrence, KS

To support an interactive, environmental website, targeting the underserved, rural population of the Kaw Valley region, for the purpose of educating them on the critical preservation of water quality in order to maintain a healthy watershed in their area.

Heartspring

Wichita, KS

To support the Heartspring Mobile Access project with the addition of laptop computers, software, and peripherals in order to provide improved offsite support services to special-needs children and their families and school districts.

Riley County Seniors Service Center, Inc.

Manhattan, KS

To support the addition of three laptop computers with wireless peripherals in order to provide enhanced educational programs and services to seniors.

Safehome, Inc.

Overland Park, KS

To support the addition of upgraded hardware and software and provide staff training to improve delivery of services for victims who seek shelter from domestic violence. These clients will also have access to online computer training.

Southwestern College

Winfield, KS

To support the addition of videoconferencing to connect teacher education students and faculty to K-12 Kansas schools, and link diverse learners at multiple sites to guest speakers in remote locations, making college education programs accessible to all.

Sunlight Childrens Advocacy and Rights Foundation

El Dorado, KS

To support the addition of state-of-the-art technology for information-sharing with federal and state agencies and provide increased training for staff, enabling them to appropriately interview children of abuse and make appropriate referrals.



TLC for Children and Families Inc.

Olathe, KS

To support the addition of a new Web host server allowing improved agencywide communications for better delivery of services to children, youth, and families victimized by neglect and abuse.

University of Saint Mary

Leavenworth, KS

To support advanced training for nursing staff and educators so that they are skilled to set up and use the Emergency Care Simulator software system that runs standard training scenarios to better instruct nursing students and nursing professionals.

Western Kansas Child Advocacy Center Inc.

Scott City, KS

To support the Internet connection of all Western Kansas Child Advocacy Centers to enable the sharing of information which is critical to providing better and more effective services to child victims of abuse and their families.

YMCA - Topeka

Topeka, KS

To support YMCA of Topeka's Phase One of a comprehensive computer upgrade installation in order to bring its current operating system to an acceptable functional level for the improvement of its overall operations for better service delivery.

Youth Entrepreneurs of Kansas Inc.

Wichita, KS

To support the Youth of Entrepreneurs of Kansas project with technology upgrades, enabling teachers to improve their lessons and help better equip top-winning students for regional competitions. Also, an interactive website will help increase donorship.



KENTUCKY

Americana Community Center Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the addition of updated technology, which will include development of an interactive website that will help increase outreach, and provide advanced computer training for staff in order to improve the Center's overall operations.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Lexington, Inc.

Lexington, KY

To support a technology upgrade program that will incorporate interactive, internet-based applications which will increase staff efficiency and quality of service for the children of Central Kentucky.

Center for Accessible Living, Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the addition of updated hardware to help the Center provide better resources to the disabled, enabling them to apply for jobs and services online in order to improve their quality of life and increase their independence.

Edith and Henry Heuser Hearing Institute Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the addition of upgraded technology in order to provide a world of information to families directly affected by hearing loss as well as provide resources for audiologists, physicians, and social workers for early intervention.

Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana, Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the addition of an intranet site to improve the management of information between all service centers and council headquarters, creating a 'meeting place' for all staff members to better carry out the Girl Scout Program.

Green River Regional Educational Cooperative, Inc. as fiscal agent for Caveland Educational Support Center

Bowling Green, KY

To support the addition of hardware and sophisticated software that will provide for timely access to transcribed Braille materials for use by

students who are blind and visually impaired. Funding will also provide for a Braille transcriber.

Junior Achievement aka Junior Achievement of Kentuckiana, Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the development of e-learning, game-based technologies that will complement the current hands-on electronic simulations, which will allow students to extend and expand their learning about economics concepts while having fun at the same time.

Kentucky Hope Inc.

Phelps, KY

To support a hands-on training computer program benefiting low-income, unemployed, high school dropouts, and less fortunate individuals in order to prepare them with the necessary skills to help them obtain employment.

Kentucky School for the Deaf Charitable Foundation, Inc.

Danville, KY

To support the addition of state-of-the-art videoconferencing equipment that will help improve educational opportunities for deaf and hearing-impaired students and provide better communications between students, families, staff, and the community.

Louisville Urban League

Louisville, KY

To support the internet connection of five computer labs which will be used for youth and workforce development programs and services, designed to extend the reach to underserved clients in order to empower them with better opportunities.

Owensboro Area Museum, Inc.

Owensboro, KY

To support the Museum's installation of updated hardware and a new integrated software system that will better manage school tours, camps, classes, and other activities, as well as help streamline daily operations.



**Shelby Council for Retarded Children, Inc.
dba Dorman Preschool Center**

Shelbyville, KY

To support the addition of upgraded technology which will provide improved educational programming for special-needs, preschool children, and allows for better coordination of services for families and staff.

Simpson County Literacy Council Inc.

Franklin, KY

To support the addition of updated hardware and staff training in order to provide computer education to a wide range of underserved adults to help them gain employment and improve their overall quality of life.

Youth Alive Inc.

Louisville, KY

To support the addition of updated technology to provide vital tools for youth to obtain a solid education and path to college, vocational training for the underprivileged, and enable staff to deliver a high quality of service to the community.



LOUISIANA

Acadiana Outreach Center, Inc.

Lafayette, LA

To support the creation of a computer lab for training the homeless basic computer literacy skills, job search skills, and how to prepare resumes to assist clients in finding employment and becoming self-sufficient.

Alton Ochsner Medical Foundation

New Orleans, LA

To support interactive online computer skills training for the growing staff, improving training flexibility to better manage the organization.

Angels Place Inc.

Metairie, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade with a new server, computers, and scanner/printer to improve the services offered to terminally ill children and their families.

Arc of Louisiana

Baton Rouge, LA

To support ArcLink, an online roommate matching service, allowing families secure access to post vacancies or make living arrangements for disabled family members. The proposal also includes web hosting, maintenance, and staff training.

Association for Retarded Citizens Ouachita

Monroe, LA

To support the use of digital books to provide literacy education to disabled children. Teachers and librarians will be trained to use this technology in their library or Headstart center. Computers with touchscreens and software are part of proposal.

Best Buddies International, Inc.

Baton Rouge, LA

To support the e-Buddy program that matches disabled individuals with a non-disabled email buddy. A weekly email enables friendships which may not otherwise exist. Funds will be used to purchase a computer with adaptive hardware and software.

Boy Scouts of America Southeast Louisiana Council

Metairie, LA

To support a technical infrastructure upgrade to include laptops for field staff to bring training and other resources to volunteers and youth, after losing computers in the recent hurricanes.

Boys & Girls Club of Central Louisiana Inc.

Alexandria, LA

To support an infrastructure upgrade including computers and software for management of the organization, and training for the staff to improve their computer skills, enabling them to better train and assist the kids with basic computer literacy skills.

Chartwell Consortium dba Chartwell Center

New Orleans, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade with computers, software, and training for staff to manage organization more efficiently and expanding educational outreach to community about children with autism.

Families Helping Families of Louisiana

Thibodaux, LA

To support a technological infrastructure upgrade with laptop and desktop computers, software, and printer to more efficiently manage the organization that is serving the needs of the disabled.

Green Project, Inc.

New Orleans, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade, including computers and software to track donors, members and volunteers, and training for the staff to more efficiently manage the organization, which recycles excess paint and surplus building materials.



Junior Achievement Greater New Orleans, Inc.

New Orleans, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include new computers and a new server to manage the organization after damage to the equipment by hurricane Katrina.

Louisiana Art and Science Museum Inc

Baton Rouge, LA

To support a collaboration for the upcoming Jim Henson Fantastic World exhibit that will utilize IPods for an audio/visual tour of the museum exhibit, enhancing the experience for the youth and adult visitors.

Macon Ridge Community Development Corporation

Ferriday, LA

To support elderly and disabled residents' access to computers and the internet. Macon Ridge is requesting support to install computer workstations in seven affordable housing facilities for use by the underserved residents.

NAMI New Orleans, Inc.

New Orleans, LA

To support a technical infrastructure upgrade to include computers, software, and internet access, as well as training for more efficient management of the organization that serves the mentally disabled.

Performing Arts Society of Acadiana Inc. (PASA)

Lafayette, LA

To support an artistic/technological partnership to develop a 3-D dance performance for the rural communities.

Project Lazarus

New Orleans, LA

To support improving the quality of life for those living with AIDS in the Lazarus residences. Computers with Microsoft Office and internet access will enable residents to communicate with family and access health information online.

Reconcile New Orleans Inc

New Orleans, LA

To support an infrastructure upgrade with new computers, telephone service, and PDAs to increase the efficiency of the organization and better track data, as well as institute a new financial accounting system.

Scholarship America Inc. (as fiscal agent for Jefferson Dollars for Scholars)

Metairie, LA

To support recipients of collage scholarships with the purchase of laptop computers to help them succeed in their academic pursuits.

Shreveport Metropolitan Ballet

Shreveport, LA

To support a telephone system upgrade, with additional telephone lines to manage incoming calls from customers and the community. One telephone line is inadequate to respond to the needs of the community, and may negatively impact support for the ballet.

Slidell Art League

Slidell, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade, including a computer, digital camera, and scanner that will enable the creation and display of artwork created. Artwork will be more readily available to the community, as part of an outreach effort.

Youth Service Bureau of St. Tammany

Bogalusa, LA

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade with computers and software for the staff to more efficiently manage the organization that serves at-risk youth.



MICHIGAN

Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired (ABVI)

Grand Rapids, MI

To support the replacement of aging computers and purchase compatible software that enables the visually impaired staff and volunteers read the computer screen, perform their work and assist their clients.

Catholic Human Services, Inc.

Traverse City, MI

To support the implementation of an electronic scheduling system for ten offices across a ten-county area to efficiently manage services for the underserved clients and eliminate redundant tasks for the staff.

City of Ironwood (as fiscal agent for Ironwood Carnegie Library)

Ironwood, MI

To support an upgrade of the library's mobile computer lab hardware and software to implement training on the internet and computer skills training for seniors, job seekers, and students. Training will be provided by local high school students.

Detroit Artists Market

Detroit, MI

To support the enhancement of services at the Resource Center to enable students and emerging artists to create their own website and marketing materials. An artist database will also provide a biography and list of exhibit or events for each artist.

Detroit Entrepreneurship Institute Inc.

Detroit, MI

To support the creation of an interactive website to increase access to information about DEI and register for programs online and to promote fundraising through e-commerce, by allowing DEI graduates to sell their products and service online for a fee.

EUP Learning Center, Inc.

Brimley, MI

To support the creation of CONNECT, a website that will host interactive tutoring and lessons developed by the teachers. An technology upgrade to the Learning Center will also allow more students to benefit from this after-school tutoring program.

Inkster Senior Services Inc.

Inkster, MI

To support a collaboration with five senior centers to bring computer access to their residential complex and recreation center. Training on basic computer skills and internet access will be provided.

Judson Center, Inc.

Royal Oak, MI

To support the creation of a web-based private forum for teens with autism or Aspergers disorder to connect with each other or with therapists. Social interaction and communication are difficult, but vital to the teens' well-being.

Kent County Community Coordinated Child Care Inc.

Grand Rapids, MI

To support online web training for child care providers, increasing the flexibility in training and enhancing access to training that was previously cost-prohibitive at an offsite facility.

Legal Aid of Western Michigan

Grand Rapids, MI

To support greater access to legal advice and services for low-income individuals, with an emphasis on spanish-speaking clients. Additional outreach to the community and recruitment of attorney volunteers are also part of this project.

**Local Initiatives Support Corporation**

Kalamazoo, MI

To support an upgrade of the technology infrastructure, to include an enhancement of the telephone system and purchase of hardware and software to better manage the four offices that serve the community in their effort to build sustainable neighborhoods.

Macatawa Area Community Media Center Inc.

Holland, MI

To support a collaborative effort to expand the MacWIA program for underserved youth. The kids receive training to create TV shows that air on the community access channel, highlighting local nonprofit work. This project will add webstreaming training.

Madonna University

Livonia, MI

To support an upgrade of hardware and software at the off-campus computer lab utilized by underserved students. Training will also be provided for higher-level computer skills to complement academic success.

Michigan Disability Rights Coalition

East Lansing, MI

To support a collaborative effort with UCP of Michigan to bring the stories of the disabled to the community through digital video and the web. Funds will provide video cameras, software, and training.

Midwest AIDS Prevention Project

Ferndale, MI

To support an expansion of the SexEd4U internet outreach project that targets minority gay males that engage in risky sexual behavior. Popular Opinion Leaders will be trained to encourage healthy behavior and a website will also address these efforts.

Non Profit Enterprise at Work Inc.

Ann Arbor, MI

To support shared technology solutions with nonprofit organizations, to include financial management, fund raising, and volunteer management. Services will cost less than market rate and will enhance productivity.

Region IV Area Agency on Aging Inc.

Saint Joseph, MI

To support seniors' access to computers and the internet through a mobile computer classroom. The classroom will be equipped with 13 computers and training for all user-levels will be provided.

Samaritan Counseling Services

Ann Arbor, MI

To support a collaborative effort to upgrade the infrastructure with computers, tablet PCs, and software that will provide a HIPPA compliant, integrated system for electronic billing, scheduling, and chart management.

The Child Abuse and Neglect Council of Saginaw

Saginaw, MI

To support a computer infrastructure upgrade and revitalization of the website to add interactive training, improve fund development, implement a marketing plan and target multi-lingual populations, in an effort to stop child abuse.

The Guidance Center

Southgate, MI

To support technology upgrades, including a computer ID card reading device that will enhance the identification of appropriate programs and learning tools for underserved at-risk youth. The card will also provide an efficient product inventory system.

Think Detroit Police Athletic League Inc.

Detroit, MI

To support enhancement of the website to allow online registration for the sports teams, as well as an improvement in communication between staff, coaches, and parents in the minority community. Hardware upgrades also sought for improving fundraising.



Upper Peninsula Commission For

Escanaba, MI

To support a collaboration to create a software program that will standardize and automate the way non-profit agencies support a home-delivered meal service for seniors in a 15-county region.

Volunteers in Prevention Probation & Prisons, Inc.

Detroit, MI

To support an infrastructure upgrade to the computer hardware and software, as well as provide training to the staff. An online outreach to recruit volunteer mentors and e-fundraising are also part of the project.

Young Mens Christian Association of Blue Water Area

Port Huron, MI

To support an upgrade of the technology infrastructure and incorporate software that will build communication with prospective members, volunteers, and donors as well as provide financial support and operations management for the staff.



MISSOURI

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Eastern Missouri St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of upgraded technology for the new headquarters location, enabling improved communications, information management, fund development, and overall operations to better serve youth, volunteers, and families.

Carr Square Tenant Corporation

St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of hardware and software that will provide low-income youth and adults with the technology skills needed to improve academic performance in school and increase employment opportunities.

City of Florissant, Missouri

Florissant, MO

To support upgraded video technology for the media department to efficiently broadcast information in order to educate as many residents as possible about vital issues to help the city achieve its goals for a better community.

Curators of the University of Missouri as fiscal agent for University of Missouri - St. Louis

St. Louis, MO

To support the Arts Technology in Transit project that will deliver media education via a mobile lab to underserved, low-income schools and community organizations to empower them with the necessary skills to be successful in today's mediated environment.

Heartland Foundation

St. Joseph, MO

To support the addition of state-of-the-art technology for the emPower facility, providing students with skill-building opportunities which will prepare them for the future workforce and enrich their communities and families now and in the future.

Historic Downtown Liberty Inc.

Liberty, MO

To support development of an interactive website and kiosk for self-guided tours, educating visitors and residents about historic downtown, Liberty, MO, rich in architecture and character, and about its historic preservation efforts.

Hope House Inc.

Lee's Summit, MO

To support upgraded technology for enhanced network security, reliability, and speed at the two facilities in eastern Jackson County, improving operations and delivery of service to families who are victims of domestic violence.

Joplin Area Chamber of Commerce Foundation

Joplin, MO

To support the addition of upgraded equipment and data services for the staff, providing them with improved communications during their business travels in order to better serve their members, communities, and region.

Joplin Historical and Mineral Museum Inc.

Joplin, MO

To support the addition of hardware and software for technology-driven, interactive displays for self-guided tours, enhancing the recreational and educational experience for local visitors and tourists and increasing additional visitation to the Museum.

Kansas City Metropolitan Crime Commission Inc.

Kansas City, MO

To support upgraded technology to serve caseworkers with a more efficient system, enabling them to work from remote locations while handling a high volume of community service assignments for their client base and providing case status updates for judges.



Lemay Housing Partnership Inc.

St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of technology for the creation of an interactive website that will facilitate services for low-income homeowners applying for assistance, as well as volunteers, donors, and board members and improve overall operations.

Literacy Investment for Tomorrow Missouri dba LIFT Missouri

St. Louis, MO

To support technology training for teachers and tutors, who work with low-literate adults and families, in order to equip them with the necessary tools for better instruction as they work to expand their students' literacy and computer skills.

Main Street USA Charitable Foundation as fiscal agent for Marceline Carnegie Library

Marceline, MO

To support the Community Heritage/Genealogy via Internet project that will facilitate and expand information and resources at the Library and the Walt Disney Hometown Museum, enabling access to patrons and visitors of all ages.

Marshall Nicholas Beazley Aviation Museum Inc.

Marshall, MO

To support a computer information network for the Martin Community Center to complement the Museum as a multiuse facility and serve as a state-of-the-art regional convention center for business professionals, teachers, students, and the entire community.

National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics

Kansas City, MO

To support the Champions of Character program with an interactive, web-based program to train coaches, teachers, student leaders/athletes, and youth development professionals to teach positive values to youth about character, respect, and integrity.

Public Television 19, Inc. aka KCPT

Kansas City, MO

To support internet streaming capacity for KCPT's educational programs and resources delivered to 103 public schools in three Missouri school districts, as well as enable access to GED programs for adult learners.

Regional Violence Initiative Inc. dba St. Louis for Kids

St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of updated hardware and the development of an enhanced website to efficiently and effectively communicate with youth-serving organizations and the community in order to provide quality youth development programs.

Saint Louis University dba John Cook School of Business

St. Louis, MO

To support updated technology, enabling students, inside and outside the classroom, to apply their academic and team-building skills while completing group assignments, simulating real-world team working environments in business settings.

Shawn Hornbeck Foundation Inc.

Richwoods, MO

To support the addition of technology tools that will better equip the Mobile Incident Command Unit to immediately respond and coordinate the speedy search and rescue missions of missing persons within a 400-mile radius of the St. Louis Metro region.

St. Francis Medical Center

Cape Girardeau, MO

To support the implementation of a wireless Mobile Barcode Medication Administration system at the Medical Center in order to reduce human error when administering drugs to patients, as well as improve documentation and information tracking.



St. Louis Crisis Nursery

St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of hardware in order to help the staff accommodate and better meet the needs of an increasing number of child abuse and/or neglect prevention cases for families in crisis in a more efficient and productive manner.

Susanna Wesley Family Learning Center Inc.

East Prairie, MO

To support internet and telecommunications needs that are vital for rural, low-income youth and adults to complete their GED education, enabling them to gain employment and enrich their overall lives and community.

Urban Future

St. Louis, MO

To support the addition of upgraded technology to improve youths' academic performance to better prepare them for successful careers, increase staff efficiency, enhance information management, and provide ongoing development for mentors/tutors.

Womens Support and Community Services

St. Louis, MO

To support the replacement of an outdated system version of DonorPerfect to a new web-browser version in order to improve donor and volunteer management and outreach to the community for better service delivery and overall operations.

Youth In Need

St. Charles, MO

To support the creation of an interactive website to facilitate resources for low-income youth and families in crisis who are searching for immediate help and improve overall operations for better service delivery to the entire community.



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Boys and Girls Clubs of The Gulf Coast, Inc. Gulfport, MS

To support the Tech Clubs family of programs and resources with software, computer lease renewals, and a digital camera for the purpose of strengthening youth's usage and knowledge of technology in school and eventually in the workplace.

Center for Violence Prevention

Pearl, MS

To support the Center's online outreach project with the addition of an interactive website that will showcase the Center's presence in the community and develop better communications between staff, clients, and other interested parties.

Copiah-Jefferson Regional Library

Hazlehurst, MS

To support the addition of portable hardware, software, and peripherals to improve staff training, as well as enable community-based training which will establish the library as a valuable resource for economic and personal development.

Elizabeth Jones Library

Grenada, MS

To support the addition of upgraded hardware for staff development and enable adequate training in basic adult education, English-as-a-Second Language, adult and family literacy, and provide computer literacy services to the community.

Habitat for Humanity, Inc. dba Lauderdale County Habitat for Humanity

Meridian, MS

To support the addition of updated hardware and software, enabling better communications with the international office, volunteers, and potential homeowners, thus providing the highest quality of service to the community.

HIS Heart Inc.

Jackson, MS

To support the addition of updated technology in order to provide low-income youth with an avenue to work on after-school assignments and help increase donor and volunteer base, as well as improve office efficiency for better service delivery.

Jefferson Comprehensive Health Center, Inc.

Fayette, MS

To support the addition of a web-based infrastructure network system, allowing connectivity between satellite clinics for better sharing and management of patient information to better serve the uninsured and underinsured individuals and school-age youth.

Mississippi Center for Nonprofits Inc.

Jackson, MS

To support the Center with portable hardware and software and a technology trainer who will provide tailor-designed training to nonprofits in the Gulf Coast region, enabling them to administer their programs more effectively to the underserved.

Mississippi Methodist Hospital Rehabilitation Center Inc.

Jackson, MS

To support the addition of hardware and software for a specialized computer lab to assess needs of, and provide training to, spinal cord injury patients to help enhance their lives and facilitate them with opportunities to contribute to society.

Mississippi Technology Inc. dba Mississippi Technology Alliance

Ridgeland, MS

To support the addition of a web-based conferencing system for the Mississippi Innovation Network in order to facilitate resources in its economic development efforts to help Mississippi compete in a global technology-driven economy.



Montgomery Institute

Meridian, MS

To support the addition of hardware and software, enabling the Institute to share information online with eight community colleges, other partners, and community leaders in order to fulfill their initiative to strengthen economic growth and stability.

North Delta Youth Inc.

Lambert, MS

To support the addition of upgraded technology and provide computer training so the youth can use for homework assignments, school projects, and during the summer months. The entire community will have access for their use as well.

Noxubee County Library System

Macon, MS

To support the addition of hardware and software and provide much needed training for the library system staff, seniors, and the entire community, enabling opportunities for employment and overall life enrichment.

Pike-Amite-Walthall Library System

McComb, MS

To support the installation of a wireless network in the McCombs branch library, enabling patrons to access the internet free-of-charge in order to meet their work, study, or other activity needs. This project expects to attract new patrons.

University of Southern Mississippi - Dubard School for Language Disorders

Hattiesburg, MS

To support the replacement of outdated computers with new computers to continue providing special-needs students with technology instruction that is vital for their overall learning and development.



NORTH CAROLINA

Alice Aycock Poe Center for Health Education

Raleigh, NC

To support an infrastructure upgrade to include a new server, software, and re-design of the website to enable underserved students, parents, and teachers access to interactive programs about physical activity, and healthy food choices.

Asheville-Buncombe Community Relations Council

Asheville, NC

To support creation of an interactive website that will allow users to identify available services and to apply online. Website will be available in multiple languages for minorities, including Spanish, Korean, and Ukrainian.

Central Piedmont Community College

Charlotte, NC

To support expanding the educational opportunities for disabled students, with additional assistive technology equipment to meet the growing needs at all campus locations in the county.

Coalicion Latinoamericana

Charlotte, NC

To support an infrastructure upgrade including expansion of the telephone system, new hardware, and software to enable telephone messaging about events, training, and public hearings. The goal is to educate and mobilize civic engagement for the Latinos.

East Market Street Development Corporation

Greensboro, NC

To support a collaboration for a infrastructure upgrade to enable training by the staff to the community and update the website to offer information on activities, job opportunities and provide information on business plan development training.

Friendship Community Development Corp

Charlotte, NC

To support a collaborative effort to enable 4th grade students (with parental assistance) improve computer literacy skills, thus improving academic performance. Funds will support purchase of 25 computers.

Kidsenses Inc

Rutherfordton, NC

To support a collaborative effort to bring web-based science education to rural elementary students through the Kidsenses Museum outreach program. Funds will pay for the technology hardware, website development and hosting.

Latino Advocacy Coalition of Henderson County Inc

Hendersonville, NC

To support expansion of the computer lab with new hardware and software to provide basic computer literacy classes for the underserved. Funds will also support website design training for the three staff members.

Lutheran Retirement Center Salisbury Inc.

Salisbury, NC

To support a collaborative effort to provide seniors training on basic computer literacy skills and internet use, enabling more communication with family and friends. Funds will pay for computers, software, printers, digital cameras, and a projector.

Partners in Learning Child Development Center Inc

Salisbury, NC

To support the creation of an interactive website that will enable families with special needs children to register for classes, pay tuition online, view calendar of events and conduct online discussions with other parents and volunteers.



Shepherds Center of Greensboro Inc

Greensboror, NC

To support the purchase of computer hardware, software, a projector, and a telephone system to upgrade the technology infrastructure to improve management of the organization and continue to provide computer literacy training to seniors.

St. Agnes Foundation Inc

Raleigh, NC

To support enhancements to programs that address medical ailments that plague the minority community through online access to educational information and a forum for collaboration about solutions.

Tammy Lynn Memorial Foundation, Inc.

Raleigh, NC

To support implementation of a new donor support system online, enabling event tracking, donor and volunteer tracking, and increasing the fundraising capability of the organization the serves the disabled.

YMI Cultural Center

Asheville, NC

To support the creation of a new website to improve communication with the minority community about events and programs, and enable online donations. Training to maintain and update the website is part of the proposal.

Young Mens Christian Association Inc

Raleigh, NC

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade with new computers and software to more efficiently manage the organization. Staff training is also part of this proposal.

Young Mens Christian Association of Northwest North Carolina

Winston-Salem, NC

To support a collaborative effort to provide computer literacy classes and access to the internet to underserved youth, including tutorial software and financial/ business management instruction.

Youth Homes Incorporated

Charlotte, NC

To support the creation of a computer lab to train staff on applications to manage the agency more efficiently, and to better serve those without homes and foster families.



NEVADA

Board of Regents Nevada System of Higher Education dba University of Nevada Department of Intercollegiate Athletics

Reno, NV

To support the development of the University of Nevada Academics Center's computer lab with state-of-the-art technology in order to provide a comprehensive academic assistance program for its 400 student-athletes.

Carson City Library

Carson City, NV

To support the addition of computer hardware for a new community center that will primarily serve increasing numbers of middle and high school students who would otherwise not have access to computers for educational, informational, and recreational use.

EDAWN Co.

Reno, NV

To support the Entrepreneurship Catalyst initiative with a comprehensive website and database system to help build a network of mentoring and funding opportunities for entrepreneurs and start-up ventures, thus creating more jobs in the region.

Food Bank of Northern Nevada, Inc.

Sparks, NV

To support the replacement of two inadequate personal computers with two new laptops for the President/CEO and the Public Information Officer to effectively perform their jobs for the benefit of the Food Bank of Northern Nevada.

Mineral County Care and Share

Hawthorne, NV

To support the addition of upgraded technology in order to provide computer training for Mineral County's senior citizens to improve their quality of life and maintain their independence.

Nevada Discovery Museum

Reno, NV

To support the addition of an expanded interactive website to help the museum effectively communicate services in order to encourage visitation, increase memberships,

receive donations, and enable advertising, all to strengthen the organization.

Nevada Humanities Committee

Reno, NV

To support Nevada's Online Encyclopedia (ONE) initiative, conducting a series of statewide orientation sessions to familiarize more teachers with its educational use for K-12 students. ONE is a comprehensive online encyclopedia of NV's history/culture.

Nevada Museum of Art, Inc.

Reno, NV

To support the museum's education website development project, increasing outreach to youth in rural areas, providing them electronic access to its collection and educational resources, and informing teachers about professional development opportunities.

Rural Nevada Development Corporation

Ely, NV

To support the addition of updated hardware to improve program coordination and office efficiency to better serve clients and funding agencies.

Tru Vista Foundation Inc.

Sparks, NV

To support the Tru Vista technology upgrade program which will provide more efficient sharing of information between its two office locations and partner agencies in order to improve services for the children and families effected by drug abuse.

Washoe County Legal Aid Society dba Washoe Legal Services

Reno, NV

To support the agency's technology upgrade program with the addition of hardware to improve office efficiency and effectively manage the increasing number of low-income and socially victimized groups who seek legal representation throughout Washoe County.



OHIO

Affordable Housing Educational Advancement Developers Foundation Ahead Massillon, OH

To support a collaborative afterschool program that gives underserved students access to computer-based instruction.

American Cancer Society Inc National Home Office

Dublin, OH

To support the purchase of an Interactive Voice Response system to enable a more efficient process to confirm patients' appointments as well as broadcast messages to the community.

American National Red Cross and it's Constituant Chapters and Branches Fostoria, OH

To support the creation of a local chapter website for communication of current programs and services, as well as support the purchase of additional computer hardware and software to enhance the training offered to volunteers and the community.

Area Agency on the Aging IOB

Uniontown, OH

To support the Agency's computer software upgrade for improved management of their financial services division that supports underserved seniors.

Arts Commission of Greater Toledo, Inc. Toledo, OH

To support a collaborative effort with WGTE Public Broadcasting and Greater Toledo Convention and Visitors Bureau to create a web portal that will bring together artists and the community for economic and educational opportunities.

Boys and Girls Clubs of Cleveland Cleveland, OH

To support an upgrade to the computer lab for underserved students in the after-school and summer programs, to improve basic computer skills, academic performance, and explore technology related careers.

Childrens Hospital Medical Center of Akron Akron, OH

To support the Home-School Connection project providing increased access to the internet for long-term patients to ensure both academic and social needs are met while hospitalized.

Cleveland Scholarship Programs Inc. Cleveland, OH

To support the purchase of laptop computers which will enable the organization's advisors to assist minority students with college preparatory work, college admissions requirements, and financial aid requests.

Columbus Aids Task Force Inc. Columbus, OH

To support the enhancement of case management outreach services to the underserved, with the purchase of additional laptop computers and training for the staff.

Columbus Zoological Park Association Powell, OH

To support the expansion of the distance learning program through the development of additional lesson plans, and the purchase of computer hardware and software.

Diabetes Association of Greater Cleveland Cleveland, OH

To support diabetes awareness and education through the production and distribution of a video and web-based seminar entitled 'Getting the Message Out.'

Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio Cleveland, OH

To support youth diversity education through the 'Reel Time' video series provided to classrooms throughout northeast Ohio.

I Know I Can

Columbus, OH

To support computer literacy training for volunteer high school advisers, so they can assist underserved students with on-line college applications and financial aid requests.

**Law Enforcement Foundation Inc.**

Dublin, OH

To support educational programs, including web-based training, for police departments throughout Ohio by upgrading the computer technology.

Magnolia Clubhouse Inc.

Cleveland, OH

To support Magnolia Clubhouse Inc, a center for the mentally ill, with an overhaul of their outdated computer technology. This upgrade will allow members to enhance their pursuit of education and employment opportunities.

Mercy College of Northwest Ohio

Toledo, OH

To support the purchase of an independent internet service provider for the college and enhanced wireless access on campus. This will enable students to participate in web-based courses and access class-related information online.

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People

Columbus, OH

To support a collaborative project to provide computer-based training to underserved families. Students will have an opportunity for greater academic achievement and others served will be provided skills to assist them in seeking employment.

Oaks Foundation

Sebring, OH

To support The Oaks Foundation's implementation of web-based fundraising software, that will better manage donations and cultivate new donors.

Ohio University - Zanesville

Zanesville, OH

To support a collaborative effort to create a data communications infrastructure for enhanced 911 capability on campus. The campus will serve as the health department's point of distribution for county emergencies, or in the event of a pandemic.

Opportunities Industrialization Center of Springfield, Ohio, Incorporated

Springfield, OH

To support the development of an interactive website that will provide information to the underserved about programs offered, as well as provide information for potential employers, donors and staff of the organization.

Project Love Remember the Children Foundation

Beachwood, OH

To support the Power of Kindness workshop with an upgrade of computer and audio visual equipment. This will enable the Foundation to continue offering their workshops about the culture of kindness and caring to Ohio teens.

The Dayton Urban League

Dayton, OH

To support the Family Formation Online Communication Center to provide family assessments and case management assistance. This is a collaborative effort with Wesley Community Center and the Southern Christian Leadership Conference-Dayton Chapter.

Towards Employment Incorporated

Cleveland, OH

To support the development of an interactive website for the Achieve program, which works with employers to ensure job stability and self-sufficiency for minorities transitioning from welfare or those who have a criminal background.

Tri-County Help Center Inc

St. Clairsville, OH

To support the upgrade of computer hardware, software and related training, to link the administrative office to the satellite office for increased efficiency in managing the mental health and recovery program for the underserved in the community.



University Hospitals Health System, Inc.

Cleveland, OH

To support access to on-line education about health issues that primarily affect African-Americans, through a Health Information Kiosk, available at a neighborhood medical center.

University Settlement, Inc.

Cleveland, OH

To support the creation of a website by minority students, ages 14 - 18, for the 'Broadway Collaborative,' which partners neighborhood families with agencies that address family welfare.

Urban Ounce of Prevention Services Incorporated

Akron, OH

To support the creation of a computer lab, and provide computer-skills training to minority students to improve academic performance.

Visiting Nurse Service Inc

Akron, OH

To support diabetic patients' participation in the Tele-Health Monitoring Services Program using an electronic device installed on their telephone. This will facilitate daily tracking and monitoring for the underserved seniors who have impaired mobility.



OKLAHOMA

Duncan Regional Hospital (DRH) Health Foundation Inc

Duncan, OK

To support the addition of IP videoconferencing and training for nursing students attending the University of Oklahoma or Western Oklahoma State College Nursing Programs. The collaborator of this project is the University of Oklahoma College of Nursing.

Home of Hope, Inc.

Vinita, OK

To support Home of Hope with corporate network connection for branch locations and the addition of two computer labs for staff training and the School to Work program designed for high school students with disabilities.

Homeless Alliance Inc.

Oklahoma City, OK

To support the H.net/Horizon network computer database that will assist the Homeless Alliance to increase the number of user agencies to share data on the homeless in central Oklahoma to better coordinate services.

Kiamichi Opportunities

Hugo, OK

To support the addition of computer equipment, software, and internet access to educate the developmentally disabled residents and train the staff in the counties of Choctaw, McCurtain, and Pushmataha.

Oklahoma State University Foundation

Stillwater, OK

To support the creation of a resource library and Signing Pals program at Oklahoma State University that will enhance the American Sign Language (ASL) teachings for students and deaf children and the community as a whole.

Peppers Ranch Inc

Edmond, OK

To support updated computer hardware and software and installation of high-speed internet for neglected and abused boys (age 5-18) to effectively compete in a technological world.

Rose State College

Midwest City, OK

To support the expansion of existing program with IP videoconferencing at Howard McLeod and Joseph Harp correctional centers which will enable inmates to enroll in college courses while in prison. The collaborator of project: OK Dept of Corrections.

Tulsa Ballet Theatre Inc

Tulsa, OK

To support the advancement of technology and communications capabilities in order to accommodate growth at the Tulsa Ballet's current facility.

Untitled Art Space Inc.

Oklahoma City, OK

To support the addition of new hardware to provide enhanced information and accessibility via technology-based, new-media art to a wider audience of viewers and guests, including those who are physically challenged and unable to visit the gallery.



SOUTH CAROLINA

American National Red Cross

Aiken, SC

To support communications infrastructure including wireless communications, VOIP, and remote access to increase productivity and disaster preparedness service capabilities.

American National Red Cross - Central South Carolina Chapter

Columbia, SC

To support the integration of a single information technology architecture across regions to better serve the community, provide a more rapid response to disasters, human tragedy, manage processes, deliver training and integrate stakeholders.

Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Spartanburg

Spartanburg, SC

To support the purchase of additional computers for use in after-school classrooms in connection with the Clubs' Mobile Apples for Arts Project serving underprivileged youth.

Boys Club of Florence, Inc. dba Boys and Girls Clubs of the Pee Dee Area, Inc.

Florence, SC

To support expanding the implementation of member tracking software at four additional sites to improve youth engagement and retention. Computers, fingerprint scanners, software, and staff training are part of the proposal.

Carolina Art Association dba Gibbes Museum of Art

Charleston, SC

To support an upgrade to existing technology that informs, via 'e-solicitation', the community, primarily underserved, at-risk youth attending K-12, about education opportunities and to increase attendance both online and at the museum.

Central South Carolina Habitat for Humanity, Inc.

Columbia, SC

To support the implementation of an automated technology system for daily routine applications enabling more time spent on operational functions

Claflin University

Orangeburg, SC

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include expanding wireless access on campus for use by students, faculty and the community.

Clemson University Research Foundation

Clemson, SC

To support CSI:Update, a program that places youth and teachers in a 3-day nature-based setting, using technology to explore forensic science. Teachers also have an opportunity to complete professional development sessions.

Fast Forward

Columbia, SC

To support an infrastructure upgrade to include a new server and assistive hardware and software to expand services for the disabled. Large print/high contrast keyboards, and trackballs are part of effort to expand technology educational programs.

Greenville Family Partnership

Greenville, SC

To support enhancing web-based communication to the community about youth drug and alcohol abuse prevention through podcasts, blogs, e-blasts and an online forum. Wordpress software, application development and training are part of the proposal.

Happy Days and Special Times Inc

Charleston, SC

To support the purchase of software and an unlimited one year technology training program to maximize the technological efficiency of staff.

Middle Tyger Community Center

Lyman, SC

To support a collaboration to create an Access Learning Lab to provide educational training on Office 2003, pre-GED instruction, workforce development and homework assistance to the underserved.



ScienceSouth Inc

Florence, SC

To support self-guided outdoor science and technology programs for families, that are accessible through a wireless connection at the 35 acre site. High speed lines, wi-fi transmitter, VOIP processor and application development are part of the proposal.

Sisters of Charity Ministry Development Corporation

Columbia, SC

To support the Healthy Learners program that assists getting children medical treatment. A Student Liaison picks up the child and takes him/her to the doctor and documents it. This proposal is seeking laptops for the Liaisons to expedite and expand.

Trident Literacy Association, Inc.

North Charleston, SC

To support technology integration in the classroom and donor awareness. Software upgrades will improve classroom instruction, increase literacy for the underrepresented population and streamline donor database and management systems.

Trident Urban League, Inc.

Charleston, SC

To support the Technology Learning Center offering underserved youth and adults access to computers and software providing them assistance in seeking employment and educational offerings that may result in improving their socio-economic status.

Urban League of the Upstate, Inc.

Greenville, SC

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade including new computers and software to enable staff to more efficiently manage the after-school program and at-risk crime prevention program, and to enhance the fundraising efforts.



TENNESSEE

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Memphis Memphis, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology that will enable accurate reporting of information creating a 'Culture of Accountability' to board members, donors, auditors, and the community.

Chattanooga-Hamilton County Public Education Fund

Chattanooga, TN

To support the Web Interactivity Initiative that will provide school leaders with collaboration opportunities via an online learning network, as well as enable electronic donating and the creation of customized e-newsletters.

Childrens Museum Corporation of Rutherford County dba Discovery Center

Murfreesboro, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology to reduce long-term expenses, increase staff efficiency, and enhance educational programming for youth and families.

City of Clarksville

Clarksville, TN

To support the addition of four desktop computers with software in two community centers (two each), providing the public vital information via internet access and enabling youth and college students to utilize for homework and school/college assignments.

Community Action Committee (as fiscal agent for Workforce Connections)

Knoxville, TN

To support the addition of hardware and software for an educational technology lab where low-income individuals will be taught the necessary skills needed to gain employment.

Community Foundation of Greater Chattanooga, Inc.

Chattanooga, TN

To support the creation of an interactive website with capabilities of in-house editing and customization, increasing outreach and providing interaction between donors, scholarship recipients, and grant seekers.

Florence Crittendon Agency Inc.

Knoxville, TN

To support laptop computers for 17 in-the-field case managers to equip them with instant access to client records and other data needed to complete reports from any given location, all to better serve abused and neglected children and their families.

Goodwill Industries - Knoxville, Inc.

Knoxville, TN

To support the addition of special-needs hardware and software, providing low-income, disabled individuals with the necessary skills to help them achieve independence through potential employment. Funding will support staff training as well.

Homework Hotline Inc.

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of an interactive website to provide educational assistance for low-income, underserved, at-risk youth and improve dissemination of data for school systems to use in their assessments, as well as provide downloadable materials.

Knox County Association for Retarded Citizens

Knoxville, TN

To support the implementation of a website to establish the organization's presence in the community in order to inform the public about the services they provide for special-needs individuals and families.

Lakeway Center of the Handicapped Inc.

Morristown, TN

To support the addition of hardware for staff in order to work and communicate under supervision via online as they provide high-level quality home care to low-income, disabled individuals, ensuring compliance with state-required regulations.

**Le Bonhuer Community Outreach**

Memphis, TN

To support the addition of computer hardware and software (including desks) that will be used to introduce technology to all children, targeting developmentally delayed children in order to enhance their learning and social development.

Martha O'Bryan Center Inc.

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology and internet connectivity to provide at-risk youth and adults with educational tools and resources to succeed in school and obtain employment. Refurbished computers will be used for administrative support.

Memphis and Shelby County Child Sexual Abuse Council dba Memphis Child Advocacy Center

Memphis, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology in order to improve response time of investigations and increase overall staff efficiency to better serve the children who are victims of physical and sexual abuse.

Memphis Literacy Council

Memphis, TN

To support the addition and installation of educational software and provide staff training to teach illiterate and low-literate adults the basics of literacy and computer skills to prepare them for GED testing for gainful employment.

Nashville Adult Literacy Council Inc.

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of portable hardware and software and provide staff training to teach literacy, English, and computer skills, accommodating an increasing number of adults who would otherwise be placed on a waiting list for up to six months.

Next Door Inc (formerly known as Downtown Ministry Center Inc.)

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology to better help low-income women with addiction issues who are trying to recover and return to a productive lifestyle.

Nurses for Newborns Foundation

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of updated technology for nurses conducting home visits to provide at-risk families with healthcare, education, and positive parenting skills to prevent infant mortality, abuse and neglect and raise community awareness.

Preston Taylor Ministries

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology, empowering youth with skills needed to improve academically for future success, as well as provide an assessment tool for determining student-reading levels to increase performance.

Prospect Inc.

Lebanon, TN

To support network connectivity and hardware that will improve dissemination of information to increase staff efficiency to better serve the needs of the low-income, disabled population.

Second Harvest Food Bank of East Tennessee

Knoxville, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology to streamline agency access to Second Harvest inventory, increase staff efficiency, and reduce human error while controlling the purchase and distribution of food.

Second Harvest Food Bank of Middle Tennessee

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of two laptops, the upgrade of two outdated desktops and two mobile computer carts in order to maintain a more efficient food inventory system for the proper receipt and distribution of food.

Signal Centers

Chattanooga, TN

To support the expansion of the e-Tapestry Data Development project in order to accommodate an increasing amount of donor accounts and information, leading to greater outreach for better delivery of services.



St. Lukes Community House Episcopal, Inc.
Nashville, TN

To support the installation of a reliable network connection in the Senior Social Center in order to efficiently access and manage information on the seniors in the community and allow for better support of the senior services program.

Tennessee Aquarium

Chattanooga, TN

To support the addition of state-of-the-art technology for students, teachers, and visitors to enjoy the newest exhibit 'Penguins Rock' online and/or in person, educating and encouraging all to learn more about their environment and how to preserve it.

Tennessee Chapter of Childrens Advocacy Centers

Nashville, TN

To support the addition of online backup for data preservation and protection, phone headsets for uninterrupted service delivery, and CD/DVD duplication equipment for speedy and efficient distribution of training materials to professional staff.

Womens Foundation of Greater Memphis, Inc.

Memphis, TN

To support the addition of one computer and provide training for additional staff member, as well as purchase licenses for four additional users of the software Sage Fundraising 50 in order to help increase fundraising efforts.

Young Mens Christian Association of Jackson

Jackson, TN

To support the addition of a Fitlinxx kiosk, a technology tool that will help people manage their exercise routines to improve their health and enable the staff to better support new and existing members.

Young Womens Christian Association of Memphis Tennessee

Memphis, TN

To support the addition of upgraded technology, converting client files from paper to electronic form for a more accessible, secure, and accurate record keeping and reporting system in order to better serve women in need.



TEXAS

Alzheimer's Disease and Related Disorders Association, Inc.

El Paso, TX

To support the participation in the National Alzheimer's Association's Content Management System initiative to network and integrate all Association Chapter web sites. This effort will help in developing consistency in design, content, and navigation.

Amarillo College

Amarillo, TX

To support the addition of hardware for the Linking Education and the Community initiative that will provide ESL classes and basic computer skills training to low-income minority adults for workforce and/or higher education opportunities.

American National Red Cross - El Paso

El Paso, TX

To support the effort to provide access to the American National Red Cross web-based client assistance system on wireless laptops, and to recruit and train field volunteers.

Arlington Chamber of Commerce Foundation Inc.

Arlington, TX

To support upgraded technology for the Commercialization Infrastructure initiative, joining industry and academia together, to bring about technology-based, start-up companies, enabling North Texas to compete in the 'innovation economy.'

Arts Alliance Center at Clear Lake

Nassau Bay, TX

To support an upgrade to a much more efficient wireless network and to replace PC's that are outdated - seven units and three network printers.

Arts for Everyone Incorporated

Encinal, TX

To support enhancements to the library services in an under served area through technology upgrades which will improve training and provide access to books and films by connecting the remote library to the main library 30 miles away.

Asian Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Foundation

Houston, TX

To support the addition of hardware, software and personnel training in an effort to use the latest in technological advances to foster economic development.

Austin Groups for the Elderly

Austin, TX

To support the upgrade of the SeniorNet Computer Learning Center by installing new computers with the Vista operating system and provide training for the seniors.

Austin Public Library Foundation

Austin, TX

To support website enhancements and new applications that will provide functionality and capabilities that will better support the community.

Avance, Inc. - Houston

Houston, TX

To support two new technology components - one that will provide direct education to participants and the other to improve services through staff training in technology and its applications.

Balch Springs Chamber of Commerce Foundation

Balch Springs, TX

To support updated technology and staff/volunteer training to improve service delivery for senior citizens, youth, and low-income population, and develop and implement an online job bank to connect job seekers to employers

Basic Economic Stabilization Training Institute

Bay City, TX

To support state-of-the-art technology that will provide local and distant networking and training opportunities to underserved existing and start-up businesses in order to create economic growth in the community.



Big Brothers Big Sisters of Abilene, Inc.

Abilene, TX

To support funding for the 'Mainframe for Mentoring' program. The costs would include a new server, new computers, technology support and labor charges associated with installation and networking of the new server.

Boy and Girls Club of Alamo Inc. dba Boys and Girls Clubs of Alamo San Juan

Alamo, TX

To support technology upgrades by providing a computer lab that improves the quality of life for members by helping in math and science programs, as well as ,their parents and the community with computer access to assist in resume writing and job searches

Boy Scouts of America (as fiscal agent for Buffalo Trail Council Inc.)

Midland, TX

To support upgraded technology to enable timely communications, easier processes, and faster turnaround times, increasing overall operations in order to better serve current and future youth, volunteers, and donors.

Boys & Girls Club of Collin County

McKinney, TX

To support upgraded technology to streamline the volunteer program by providing online application capabilities and accurate tracking information to help increase volunteer participation in order to better serve youth with positive role models.

Boys Club - Wichita Falls (as fiscal agent for Boys & Girls Clubs of Wichita Falls)

Wichita Falls, TX

To support the replacement of outdated hardware with upgraded equipment in order to continue providing young boys and girls with the skills they need to improve academically and succeed in life.

Boys Haven of America, Inc.

Beaumont, TX

To support upgraded technology in order to create a database that will better track all boys and their needs, help maintain/increase volunteer and financial support, and provide staff training, all to better serve at-risk, homeless boys (aged 8-16).

Breakthrough

Austin, TX

To support upgrades to data communications services, hardware, software, and technology training enhancing college preparedness information to schools, low-income students, and community.

Capital of Texas Public Telecommunications Council

Austin, TX

To support Austin public television station KLRU in the deployment of new fundraising and marketing software designed to enhance database management capacities and thereby increasing on-going revenue generation program.

Career and Recovery Resources, Inc.

Houston, TX

To support technology training and software that will help to empower clients and staff in Harris and Waller Counties.

CASA of Central Texas, Inc.

New Braunfels, TX

To support an upgrade in technology infrastructure (hardware, software, applications) to increase capacity and efficiencies in communication, fundraising, recruiting training, business operations, and network access options.



Cedar Park Public Library Foundation

Cedar Park, TX

To support the implementation of the Radio Frequency Identification Device (RFID) system that will improve tracking on new and returned items to the library, resulting in more efficient and accurate recording of transactions within the library.

Central Dallas Food Pantry dba Central Dallas Ministries

Dallas, TX

To support the development of an integrated case management system, enabling online accessibility to case managers from any program site or office location in order to provide comprehensive services to low-income or homeless residents of Dallas County

Child Advocates San Antonio

San Antonio, TX

To support upgraded technology to accommodate the growth of staff to train and supervise more than 300 volunteers in an efficient and effective manner in order to provide quality service for children removed from homes as a result of abuse and/or neglect.

Childrens Advocacy Center of Bastrop County

Bastrop, TX

To support the redesign of the organization's current website that will enhance its interactivity and thereby increasing education about child abuse and reporting, staff efficiency, volunteerism and fundraising capabilities.

Citizens Promoting Medical Excellence DBA OATH Program

Beeville, TX

To support the development of a password protected, web accessible database for forms and documents that pertain to client services, and the tracking of program outcomes.

City of Austin's Parks and Recreation Department DBA Center for Mexican American Cultural Center

Austin, TX

To support the La Conexion Ligada project which is designed to provide computers and

wireless capabilities in conjunction with the Mexican American Cultural Center curriculum involving visual arts, theater, dance, literature, music, and multi-media.

Coalition for the Homeless of Houston/Harris County

Houston, TX

To support the centralization of the Houston Community Voice Mail (HCVM) service and provide training to all participating HCVM agencies.

Coalition of Texans with Disabilities, Inc.

Austin, TX

To support Focal Point, an initiative to upgrade the organization's technology infrastructure which includes adding video capability, tech transportability, and technology-based outreach for CTD's consumer-directed services agency.

Collin County Childrens Advocacy Center Inc.

Plano, TX

To support the creation of an interactive website for better communications with the community in order to increase the number of volunteers, foster/adoptive homes, and financial support to continue serving abused and neglected children in the community.

Communities in Schools-Central Texas Incorporated

Austin, TX

To support wireless technology implementation in the Communities in School offices and technology staff training enabling more time for student educational counseling.

Community Family Centers - Centros Familiares de la Comunidad

Houston, TX

To support the installation of Small Business Servers at two facilities, creating a wireless connection that will enable departments to communicate with one another, and the staff with clients/students.



Del Mar College Foundation Inc

Corpus Christi, TX

To support the 'Project Access' program targeting at-risk youth by providing access to computer technology and high-speed online services. It will also act as a learning resource aid in writing projects, college entrance essays, and entrance exams.

Denison Housing Development Corporation (as fiscal agent for Denison Housing Authority)

Denison, TX

To support upgraded technology in order to provide training for adult tenants to prepare for employment, their children to improve academically, and senior citizens to enhance their quality of life.

Denton County Childrens Advocacy Network Inc.

Lewisville, TX

To support upgraded technology that will provide staff and interns with a reliable network in order to perform their jobs effectively and efficiently to better serve severely abused children and their non-offending family members.

East Texas Crisis Center Inc.

Tyler, TX

To support the addition of hardware and software to improve staff efficiency for better service delivery to victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

Easter Seals - Central Texas, Inc.

Austin, TX

To support the addition of special hardware and software for blind and visually impaired individuals in order to help them seek employment.

El Paso Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Educational Development

El Paso, TX

To support the further development of the Entrepreneurial Technical Assistance Centers (ETAs) with the appropriate technological tools to help increase efficiency and effectiveness of the services the Chamber provide.

Families Under Urban and Social Attack, In.c

Houston, TX

To support the e-Building project that will promote the use of technology to underserved communities. It will include online outreach, pooled technology resources, and innovations in service delivery.

Family Violence Prevention Services Inc.

San Antonio, TX

To support upgraded technology that will help expedite communications and enhance collaboration with other service agencies in order to improve crisis intervention services for victims of domestic violence.

Forever Foundation for Texas Wildlife Inc.

San Antonio, TX

To support upgraded technology to complete the distance-learning studio in order to provide 'virtual field trips' for over 12,000 K-12 students in Texas schools to teach them natural resources and wildlife issues, as well as help expand outreach.

Fort Worth Chamber Foundation, Inc.

Fort Worth, TX

To support Job Links Excelerator, a streamlined, computerized process that will improve the capacity to match underserved individuals to employers in order to better serve the workforce development needs of the community.

Fort Worth Metropolitan Industrial Development Inc. (as fiscal agent for Black Chamber of Metropolitan Forth Worth Inc.)

Fort Worth, TX

To support upgraded technology for the Contractor Development Program that will conduct training programs for minority businesses to grow in contracting capacity in the construction industry, creating economic growth and development in the community.

**Friends of the Castroville Library**

Castroville, TX

To support the addition of laptop computers for the purpose of teaching classes in the community room of the library or outside in the garden area, providing a location away from the heavy evening traffic of patrons using desktops.

Friends of the Dallas Public Library Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support upgraded hardware for the Teen Center at the Library, providing at-risk teens with necessary tools and resources to complete homework assignments, enhance their skills, and provide them with positive avenues to focus on success.

Friends of the Library - Smithville, Texas

Smithville, TX

To support the upgrade of the Smithville Library's website and improve the interactivity of the web-based information in order to better communicate announcements, programs, and events with the community.

Girl Scouts

Laredo, TX

To support a technology center with the needed equipment to achieve the focus on programs that improve math, science, technology and engineering for Girl Scouts.

Good Shepherd Mission

Huntsville, TX

To support critical infrastructure upgrades to primarily help at-risk citizens with access to technology in the form of phone and computer access and to gain the skills to transition from poverty and assist with rehabilitation and recovery programs.

Goodwill Industries of Central Texas

Austin, TX

To support DeafLink, a cutting-edge, internet-based technology, which will provide immediate, onsite interpretation services for the Deaf as they are applying through Goodwill's employment services.

Greater El Paso Chamber of Commerce Foundation, Inc.

El Paso, TX

To support the software and hardware upgrade of the current membership management database system in order to keep up with the growth of the Chamber's membership needs.

Hispanic Womens Network of Texas

Austin, TX

To support the upgrade of software and development of an electronic support program to provide statewide higher educational opportunities to the underserved.

House of Neighborly Service

San Antonio, TX

To support the addition of hardware and software and provide staff training in order to better serve its Westside residents with programs that enhance their quality of life.

Houston Interfaith Sponsoring Committee, Incorporated

Houston, TX

To support upgraded technology in order to create an electronic database and storage system that will provide efficiency for office staff and community leaders, all to better communicate issues affecting the well-being of communities.

Infant and Family Nutrition Center

Brownsville, TX

To support increased technology integration within administration and program delivery in order to increase operational efficiency and effectiveness utilizing internet access, data networking, interactive web-site, and training.

Interfaith Education Fund Inc.

San Antonio, TX

To support upgraded technology to develop a flexible database to help community leaders keep better track of parents situated in the West, East, and South sides of San Antonio who support and voice an agenda of education issues affecting their children.



Interfaith Education Fund, Inc.

El Paso, TX

To support the expansion of the office network of technology infrastructure with the purchase and installation of 3 laptop computers.

JA Worldwide

El Paso, TX

To support technology infrastructure upgrades that will improve efficiencies, increase service quality, reduce overhead associated with delivery of education programs and help to manage increasing numbers of students, teachers and volunteers.

JA Worldwide dba Junior Achievement of Dallas Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support upgraded technology to improve staff productivity, increase fundraising, recruit and retain volunteers and teachers, and improve overall operations in order to better motivate and prepare students for successful careers.

Junior Achievement, Inc. Central Texas, Inc.

Austin, TX

To support technology infrastructure upgrades, fundraising database platforms, implementation of wireless network, and website hosting to better educate students.

La Voz Del Anciano Mexico Americano Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support upgraded technology in order to increase staff efficiency to better serve clients, service providers, and the general community and enable computer training for low-income elderly so they can fill out necessary service request forms online.

Lancaster Outreach

Lancaster, TX

To support updated technology in order to enhance data tracking/security and provide staff training to better service clients, partners, and volunteers in order to meet the many needs of low-income families.

Laredo Childrens Museum, Inc dba Imaginarium of South Texas

Laredo, TX

To support a technology project that will improve organizational efficiencies, through an improved website and a web-based database that will assist in tracking membership, volunteers, educators and clients which will improve community service.

McLennan Community College Foundation

Waco, TX

To support the replacement of outdated computers in the Learning Technology Center in order to provide underserved students and community users with more efficient equipment that will feed them quality information resources for research projects.

Meals on Wheels and More Inc.

Austin, TX

To support technology upgrades for better information systems that will enhance communications for staff, volunteers, donors, and the people who are in need of food and social services in Central Texas.

Mental Health Mental Retardation Center Austin-Travis County

Austin, TX

To support the Austin Community Voice Mail program to directly link individuals in need of jobs, housing, safety, and stability.

Mexican American Unity Council Inc.

San Antonio, TX

To support updated technology for a Computer Learning Center to provide computer education to underserved students at two charter schools on the West side of San Antonio, as well as offer computer training to teachers, parents, and community members.



Mexican-American Hispanic Physicians Association of South Texas Inc.

San Antonio, TX

To support the addition of hardware and software to enhance fundraising efforts in order to continue to provide educational programs and scholarships to underserved, minority students pursuing medical and health care careers.

Multicultural Education and Counseling through the Arts (MECA)

Houston, TX

To support a technology upgrade to improve the organization's donor and volunteer relations and efficiencies of the staff while increasing the organization's focus on at-risk, inner-city youth and the community overall.

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Pflugerville, TX

To support the Hands on 21st Century Learning initiative at the Community Library which is designed to improve the card operating system, online public access catalog, and protect against threats.

Plano Symphony Orchestra (formerly known as Plano Chamber Orchestra)

Plano, TX

To support upgraded technology to increase efficiency in marketing, volunteer recruitment, and fundraising projects in order to bring enjoyment of the symphony's great music to a larger audience.

Polly Ryon Hospital Authority Oakbend Medical Center

Richmond, TX

To support upgraded technology to facilitate presentations for the purpose of educating the public, especially the underserved, on health care issues through health fairs that will include screening tests and activities for prevention of illnesses.

Project ARRIBA Advanced Retraining and Redevelopment Inc

El Paso, TX

To support a portion of the upgrade in computer and networking equipment, including lab and staff work stations, switches, a firewall appliance, one server, software and three new laptops.

Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Travis County Advisory Council

Austin, TX

To support capacity-building of the Travis County RSVP partner agencies (163) by providing computer skills/technical training for its staff and volunteers.

River City Youth Foundation

Austin, TX

To support a collaboration effort to educate youth about various multimedia technologies to include creating digital art projects, a website, and improving problem solving skills.

Ronald McDonald House Charities of El Paso Inc.

El Paso, TX

To support an upgrade in the software of current desktops, enhancement to employee skills through additional training, and to optimize events through the purchase of upgraded laptops.

Senior Citizens of Greater Dallas Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support upgraded technology that will enable a well trained staff to provide quality service to the elderly, volunteers, and donors; educate the public; and increase outreach to the community.

Services for the Elderly Inc.

Austin, TX

To support upgrades to the communication functions which will enable agency personnel to recruit and accept applications for prospective employees remotely, as well as complete payroll and billing functions.

**Shape Community Center Inc.**

Houston, TX

To support upgraded technology at the Nia Becnel Family Center to expand opportunities for seniors through goal-oriented projects and workshops that will include computer classes for genealogy research, as well as other topics of interest.

Sin Fronteras Organizing Project, Inc.

El Paso, TX

To support a comprehensive plan that will include integration of technology into service delivery with the purchase of computers, software, printers and an IT specialist to analyze database needs and software applications.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Particular Council of Dallas Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support the technical training portion of a 14-week Intensive Business Training Program for low-income, minorities, preparing them for entry into the job market.

South Texas College

McAllen, TX

To support the addition of laptops, enabling underserved students who have earned associates degrees to check out equipment for take-home projects, facilitating the goal of obtaining a bachelor's degree through the Bachelors of Applied Technology Program.

South Texas Public Broadcasting System

Corpus Christi, TX

To support and address STPBS's immediate need for an integrated database for service and communications processes. The end result is a more efficient and accurate process when applying for grants, processing mailings, and contacting sponsors.

Stamford Community Initiative

Stamford, TX

To support the repair and upgrade of computers, purchase of receivers, and pay for technology trainers. This effort will allow SCN to continue its support of customers, various city institutions, and the community.

Technology For All Houston Inc.

Houston, TX

To support the TFAH and Hope initiative to expand Community Learning Centers in low-income, underserved areas of Houston to help people gain employment in a digital world and provide children with a safe place for recreation and study after school hours.

Temple Futures

Temple, TX

To support upgraded hardware for the Business Incubator project which currently houses seven companies and will help newly formed businesses expand through educational resources, training, and guidance, leading to more businesses and job growth.

Texas Ballet Theater Inc.

Dallas, TX

To support the addition of a predictive dialer system (PDS) that cuts down on dead time between calls, enabling a potential increase in household contacts by more than 300%, increasing ticket and telefunding sales and eliminating the paper process.

Texas Lutheran University-Seguin (As fiscal agent for Retired and Senior Volunteer Program)

Seguin, TX

To support the Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) initiative to increase their capacity to collect data on their members as well as produce a variety of different types of Power Point presentations to use with both external and internal audiences.

Texas Public Radio

San Antonio, TX

To support the addition of updated technology and provide staff training for the implementation of Interactive Internet Journalism providing the public online access to enhanced news reports of their choice and educational information.



Texas Silver Haired Legislature Foundation
Austin, TX

To support Town Hall E-Forums which provide online surveys and discussions to solicit the views of senior citizens on a variety of issues of importance to the senior population of Texas.

Texas Wesleyan University
Fort Worth, TX

To support the integration of SMART classroom technology (interactive video instruction) in two business classrooms that will encourage at-risk, underserved students to engage and learn, thereby improving grades, as well as retention and graduation rates.

Tyler Museum of Art
Tyler, TX

To support the TMA Digital Project, enabling classrooms to access the Museum's permanent art collections/exhibitions through digital-guided tours, proving that exposure to the arts reaps academic benefits for greater success in post-secondary education.

United Cerebral Palsy Association of Texas, Inc

Austin, TX
To support a technology infrastructure upgrade to include new hardware, software and training for staff to support more efficient office management.

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops (as fiscal agent for Children's Medical Center Foundation of Central Texas)

Austin, TX
To support a web-based tool to create geographic maps that cross-reference health and disease data used to address community health-related issues.

Urban League of Greater Dallas and North Central Texas Inc.

Dallas, TX
To support Project Tech Forward with the creation of a centralized and networked database system that will provide easy access and sharing of information for accurate and efficient reporting, improving service delivery capacity and overall operations.

Victoria Courts Child Care Center Inc. dba Positive Beginnings Inc.

San Antonio, TX
To support upgraded technology to link eight elementary schools, located in the Edgewood Independent school district, to the main office to efficiently track student and staff attendance, meal service, and staff hours for the after-school program.

Vietnamese Nationals Community of Greater Fort Worth

Arlington, TX
To support IT workshops to provide basic computer and applications training to Vietnamese immigrants and Viet-Americans for use in their daily lives, research/apply online for employment opportunities, and educate them on high-speed Internet.

World Affairs Council of San Antonio

San Antonio, TX
To support an integrated, interactive website in order to expand the Council's outreach to the public, providing educational information about international issues, as well as enabling online payments for reservations, memberships, and events.

Young Mens Christian Association of Golden Crescent Inc.

Victoria, TX
To support a technology upgrade that includes new software and hardware to support web-based technology. This upgrade would allow for efficient tracking of services, member usage, financial transactions, and protection of member data.

Youth Corps Inc.

Lubbock, TX
To support the addition of a Xerox WorkCentre 7132, an 'in-house' copier/printer that will provide improved communications processes for the 'Leaders in Training' program for youth.



WISCONSIN

American National Red Cross (as fiscal agent for American Red Cross Badger Chapter)

Madison, WI

To support the purchase of 3N communication services, a GPS unit, and a laptop for the disaster action team to receive immediate notification of an emergency and aide in locating and responding.

Arbor Place Inc

Menomonie, WI

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade including a new server, computers, and software to improve management of the organization that serves those with alcohol and drug abuse problems.

Badger Council of Girl Scouts, Inc.

Beloit, WI

To support the creation of an interactive website that will enable online registration for programs and training, provide links to useful sites, and provide a secure forum for the girls to express their thoughts and share ideas.

Bay Area Workforce Development Board, Inc.

Green Bay, WI

To support the expansion of video conferencing services, providing employment and training services to two rural areas. The project enables participants to attend live workshops and work with career counselors to expand employment opportunities.

Boys & Girls Club of Portage County

Stevens Point, WI

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade including new computers, program management software, and technology training for the staff to improve management of the organization that provides programs for underserved youth.

Boys and Girls Club of Greater Milwaukee, Inc.

Milwaukee, WI

To support the Job Explorers program by funding staff and related computer equipment to enable youth to enhance job-readiness skills, including computer literacy, analytical thinking skills, and leadership development to prepare for future employment.

Community Warehouse Inc

Milwaukee, WI

To support technology training for the staff and a website upgrade to enable clients to view new product arrivals, as well as process member applications online. The Warehouse sells home improvement materials at a 75% discount to the underserved.

Eau Claire Regional Arts Council Inc

Eau Claire, WI

To support the creation of a new website and implement Sage Fundraising software to manage events and membership information to increase support for the center.

Fond Du Lac Adult Literacy Services Inc.

Fond du Lac, WI

To support the purchase of a laptop, printer, and software to improve management of the adult literacy program. Staff will need training to create education plans and track clients' progress. Volunteer support will also be tracked.

Fox Valley Symphony Orchestra Association Inc.

Appleton, WI

To support a technology infrastructure upgrade including computers, software, scanner, projector, video camera and printer to improve the efficiency of the office management and aide in donor presentations and outreach efforts.

**Future Neenah, Inc.**

Neenah, WI

To support the purchase of a laptop computer and projector for the staff to give presentations to the community to promote the economic and cultural events and increase donations to support the organization.

Gateway Technical College Foundation Inc

Kenosha, WI

To support the purchase of equipment for the Telecommunications Lab to begin offering the Advanced Technical Certificate (ATC) in the Telecommunication Engineering Technologies program, preparing students to work as highly skilled technicians.

Kenosha Literacy Council Inc.

Kenosha, WI

To support a technology upgrade including a new telephone system and create an enhanced website that will enable the staff to update as needed. Funds will also be used to purchase a digital camera for staff to take pictures and post on the website.

Literacy Council of Brown County

Green Bay, WI

To support the re-design of the website enabling interactive use by underserved adult and family literacy students. The addition of online access to grammar, vocabulary, and comprehension lessons will enhance the mission of the organization.

Literacy Services of Wisconsin, Inc.

Milwaukee, WI

To support the expansion of the adult literacy program with the purchase of software and data communications services to accommodate additional students.

Local Initiatives Support Corporation

Milwaukee, WI

To support a collaborative technology infrastructure initiative to install surveillance cameras in public areas that will enable remote monitoring to improve the safety of public areas for the community and deter criminal activity.

Milwaukee Economic Development Corporation

Milwaukee, WI

To support a collaborative effort to create a 'beehive' website to provide information to Milwaukee consumers about money, health, education, housing, business development and job-training.

Plymouth Every Family Coordinating Council Inc d/b/a Family Resource Center

Sheboygan, WI

To support technology training for the staff and fund one year of internet service to improve the efficiency of managing the organization.

Racine Literacy Council

Racine, WI

To support the purchase of software for the adult literacy program that serves low-income adults in the community.

Safe & Sound, Inc.

Milwaukee, WI

To support a collaborative effort to re-design the website to enable an interactive experience and provide a forum for youth to address community crime reduction efforts.

Safe Harbor Child Advocacy Center Inc

Madison, WI

To support the costs for data connection services for medical and forensic video conferences between law enforcement officers, child protection workers, and medical professionals to allow consultation to those investigating child abuse cases.

Sexual Assault Crisis Center - Fox Cities, Inc.

Appleton, WI

To support the purchase of a new telephone system and peripheral equipment to upgrade the infrastructure to manage the delivery of crisis services and support for survivors of sexual assault.



Simpsons Street Free Pree Inc

Monona, WI

To support the expansion of the program with the purchase of additional computers for the new online newspaper, authored by underserved youth.

Turningpoint for Victims of Domestic Abuse

River Falls, WI

To support the purchase of IBM SurePOS hardware and software to manage the sales transactions and track inventory at the re-sale

UP Connection Inc.

Waukesha, WI

To support the purchase of computer hardware and software to upgrade the infrastructure of the office to enable the staff to efficiently manage the programs for at-risk girls.

Vera Court Neighborhood Center Inc

Madison, WI

To support the purchase of five computers and related hardware and internet access to upgrade aging hardware used for community programs, including computer classes for seniors and after-school programs for youth.

Wexford Ridge Neighborhood Center Inc

Madison, WI

To support the creation of the Lussier Community Education Center by providing hardware and telephones for the new technology lab serving underserved youth and adults.

Wisconsin Council on Economic Education Inc

Milwaukee, WI

To support the purchase of a new telephone system, projector, and camera to more effectively manage the office and have the technology to improve the economic and financial education to high school youth.

Wisconsin Regional Training Partnership Inc

Milwaukee, WI

To support a collaborative effort to expand of the computer lab to accommodate additional students in the job-readiness and placement program.

Women and Childrens Horizons, Inc.

Kenosha, WI

To support the creation of a computer lab with the purchase of Microsoft Office software, educational software and training to enable clients to improve computer literacy skills and gain confidence in themselves, after suffering domestic/sexual abuse.