"TCF delivers help and hope to despairing circumstances and situations; with your work in philanthropy, everyone benefits!"

"The depth of talent and vision in this community is remarkable.

Many opportunities for powerful collaboration!"

"The greatest things about the teacher grant program is that I am able to provide students with opportunities that the school cannot offer."

"This funding allowed us to think about how our Board could be more effective."

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"I wish people could see how helpful these grants are... the kids who received new bikes were so happy. The independence and joy they gained was so beautiful."

"Big hearts, sharp minds & joining hands all nicely supported by a generous community. We are fortunate!"

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## **CONNECTING A COMMUNITY Report to the Community 2016**



# TAOS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION





## **OUR VISION** *is a community where all have the opportunity to thrive.*

**OUR MISSION** *Taos Community Foundation connects people and* opportunities, generating resources to build a more creative, caring and thriving community.

GIVING PATHWAYS *We believe community investment takes* many paths. In our work throughout the community, both in grant-making and convening, we are always listening for those emerging trends. From this we have identified seven important areas for philanthropic investment:



\$185,699 \$35,303 \$63,875 \$143,463 Sustainable Environment \$33,964 \$47,306 \$235,950 58 teacher grants in \$23,873 15 public/charter schools \$172,577 15 student scholarships \$ 39,500

## THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO GIVE

Community Endowment Invest in Taos— Now and in the Future

> **Donor Advised Funds** Choose your Charities and your Timing

**Designated Funds** Support Your Favorite **Organizations Forever** 

Property **Donation of Real Property for Current** or Deferred Gifts

**Special Projects** Support a Hosted **Community Initiative** 

2015/2016 **TOTAL GIVING** \$745,560

For a complete list of all grants made, please visit the foundation website.



Legacy Society Plan a Future **Charitable Gift** 

**Memorial Funds** Remember a Loved One

Field of Interest Funds Target a Broad Area of Concern

## Since We Began

- Raised nearly \$24 million for endowments and community activities
- Awarded nearly \$8 million in community grants to organizations and schools
- Awarded \$6 million in youth clothing and products
- Stewarding 126 charitable funds for community efforts

## 2016 Highlights since July 2015

- Received \$1.2 million in community contributions
- Awarded a total of \$745,560 in community grants
- Awarded 15 scholarships totaling \$39,500
- Awarded \$118,000 in non-profit Agency dividends

#### Ways to Give

- Cash
- Stock and Securities
- **Retirement Accounts**
- Real Estate
- Life Insurance
- Charitable Gift Annuity / **Charitable Remainder Trust**