



2015 Competitive Grants

For 2015, the Community Foundation for Greater Buffalo awarded funding totaling \$446,302 to 25 organizations through its annual competitive grants process. The organizations that were funded along with the specific program that was supported and the grant amount are included below. Grant awards are listed alphabetically within each community goal and interest area:

Improve educational achievement for low-income students

Buffalo City Mission	Shape-A-Space Reading Library Center	\$8,500
Child and Adolescent Treatment Services	Building Brighter Futures (BPS 18)	\$20,000
Cradle Beach	Project SOAR	\$20,000
Jericho Road Community Health Center	Parent Child Home Program	\$30,000
Jewish Family Service of Buffalo and Erie County	Refugee Trauma Family Support Program	\$20,000
Journey's End Refugee Services	MAC Alternative to High School	\$30,000
Massachusetts Avenue Project	Growing Green	\$30,000
Medaille College	Science in Bloom	\$25,000
Niagara Falls Boys and Girls Club	Bridging the Gap	\$20,000

Increase racial/ethnic equity

Housing Opportunities Made Equal	Greater Buffalo Community Housing Center	\$5,000
International Institute of Buffalo	Welcome Buffalo	\$26,000
National Federation for Just Communities	CommUnity Builders	\$12,500

Enhance and leverage significant natural resources

Buffalo Museum of Science	Biodiversity Studio	\$20,000
Buffalo Niagara RiverKEEPER	Expansion of Fish Consumption Outreach among Urban and Refugee Anglers	\$20,000

Strengthen the region as a center for architecture, arts, and culture

Buffalo Arts Studio	Jump Start	\$5,000
Colored Musicians' Club of Buffalo	Expanding Live Jazz Programming	\$30,000
Martin House Restoration Corporation	Interior Restoration of the Darwin Martin House	\$30,000
Richardson Center Corporation	Richardson Complex Public Access	\$10,000

Springville Center for the Arts	Make Art+See Arts Center	\$18,500
Valley Community Association	Striving for Excellence	\$23,596
Young Audiences of WNY	ArtWorks: Hired to Create. Inspired to Succeed	\$20,000

Field of Interest

Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center	Therapeutic Riding for Disabled and Disadvantaged Students	\$3,993
Danceability	Dance and Movement Program	\$3,993
Erie County SPCA	Wildlife Department Support	\$9,220
Olmsted Center for Sight	National Statler Center Support	\$5,000