

## HOME FOUNDATION AWARDS \$196,000+ FOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING

**SALEM, OR** – The OAR HOME Foundation awarded \$196,480 to 32 community nonprofit organizations dedicated to affordable housing throughout the state of Oregon. This brings the total of grants awarded to over \$1.5 million since the program's inception in 2004.

The HOME Foundation is a 501C3 nonprofit corporation providing financial resources to create, expand, and encourage homeownership opportunities for Oregonians at or below local median income. Money raised comes directly from member REALTORS®, industry affiliates and event fundraisers. Local REALTOR® Associations will present the funds awarded to the grant recipient organizations in their area in the coming weeks.

The 2018 recipients are:

Location

Central Oregon Association of REALTORS® Central Oregon Association of REALTORS® Central Oregon Association of REALTORS® Columbia County Board of REALTORS® Coo's County Board of REALTORS® Coos County Board of REALTORS® Coos County Board of REALTORS® Cottage Grove Association of REALTORS® East Metro Association of REALTORS® Eugene Association of REALTORS® Eugene Association of REALTORS® Eugene Association of REALTORS® Klamath County Association of REALTORS® Lincoln County Board of REALTORS® Mid-Columbia Association of REALTORS® Mid-Valley Association of REALTORS® Mid-Valley Association of REALTORS® N. Willamette Association of REALTORS® Portland Metro Association of REALTORS® Roque Valley Association of REALTORS® Rogue Valley Association of REALTORS® Springfield Board of REALTORS® Tillamook County Board of REALTORS® Willamette Association of REALTORS® Yamhill County Association of REALTORS® Yamhill County Association of REALTORS®

Grant Recipient		Awarded
Bend Area Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
NeighborImpact		\$5,000
Sisters Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
Columbia County Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
Coo's County Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
NeighborWorks Umpqua		\$5,000
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Habitat for Humanity of Central Lane		\$5,000
Habitat for Humanity Portland/ Metro East		\$5,000
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NEDCO (Neighborhood Economic Developme	NEDCO (Neighborhood Economic Development Corp)	
St. Vincent de Paul Society of Lane County		\$5,000
Klamath & Lake Community Action Services		\$5,000
Lincoln Community Trust		\$5,000
Columbia Cascade Housing Corp		\$5,000
Habitat for Humanity of the Mid-Willamette Valley		\$5,000
NEDCO (Neighborhood Economic Development Corp)		\$5,000
NWV Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
African American Alliance for Homeownership		\$5,000
Community Energy Project		\$5,000
Portland Community Reinvestment Initiatives		\$5,000
Portland Housing Center		\$5,000
Proud Ground		\$5,000
Rebuilding Together Portland		\$3,000
West Tuality Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
First Story		\$3,000
Habitat for Humanity / Rogue Valley		\$47,000
Habitat for Humanity of Central Lane		\$5,000
Tillamook County Habitat for Humanity		\$5,000
Corvallis Neighborhood Housing Services		\$5,000
McMinnville Area Habitat for Humanity		\$5,240
Newberg Area Habitat for Humanity		\$3,240
	Total	\$196,480

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