

**City of Portland, \$650,000 Special Appropriations Grant Awardees, for
Fiscal Year (FY) 2017-2018**

After careful review and consideration of each application, The City of Portland is pleased to announce the grant recipients for funding under Fiscal Year 2017-2018, \$650,000 Special Appropriation Grant Program.

Grantee Organization	Grant Project Title	Project Summary	Grant Amount
African Youth Community Organization - AYCO	Youth Coordinator Expansion	Funds will be used to expand AYCO's youth coordinator position to provide cultural and linguistic support to immigrant and refugee youth in Portland. The youth coordinator will build on a thoughtful approach to the needs, strengths and aspirations of immigrant youth in Portland, through athletics, education and integration-focused programs and communication with participants families.	\$27,800.
Airway Science	"Flaps" Berry Drone Program	Funds will be used to expand on a successful pilot that engages middle and high school students of color, in culturally focused STEM education, as students build and fly drone aircraft. Targeting youth in grades K-12 from under-served communities and students of color, with an emphasis on reaching girls.	\$39,500.
Allen Temple Church	Community Outreach and Emergency Services in North and Northeast Portland	Provide emergency food, homeless outreach and critical counseling services to community members in North and NE Portland.	\$30,000.
Autism Society of Oregon	Free Expression Art Workshops for Adults with Autism	Funds will be used to provide eight free expression art workshops, between July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018, on the campus of Warner Pacific College. Providing adults on the autism spectrum the opportunity to express themselves through art, in an environment that not only accommodates but celebrates neuro diversity.	\$1,500.
Black United Fund of Oregon	Mentor4Success Program	The Mentor4Success (M4S) program provides assistant to low-income and minority students by successfully transitioning to post-secondary education. Providing one-on-one mentorship, scholarship writing and financial literacy workshops; and community outreach activities such as college fairs, presentations at high schools, and other activities and events.	\$15,000.
Boys and Girls Club of Portland	Catalyst Campaign for The Rockwood Boys & Girls Club	The funds will be used to offset some of the construction costs of the Boys and Girls Club of Portland Rockwood location.	\$75,000.

Bradley Angle	Housing for HIV Positive Survivors of Domestic Violence	One of the goals of the Housing for HIV Positive Survivors of Domestic Violence program, is to breakdown silos and create integrated and coordinated systems with highly trained staff, who are knowledgeable and capable of responding to intersectional needs across social-service delivery systems.	\$20,000.
Champions Barbering Institute	Access to post-secondary education for low-income and underserved Portland residents	Provide scholarships to low income residents with an annual income of \$30,000 or less. Targeting underserved residents - women, people of color, felons, who are attending Champions Barbering Institute, with the hope of changing their lives and better provide for themselves and their families, by learning the artful skill of barbering.	\$41,400.
College Possible	Intensive college access and success programming for low-income Portland students	Intensive college access and success programming for low-income Portland students. Program provides a core high school program, in which students participate in two-hour after-school sessions twice weekly.	\$50,000.
Dress for Success Oregon	Reach East program providing pre and post-employment support to women east of 82 nd avenue.	This program will expand outreach and services to women east of 82 nd avenue, providing job training and access to the suiting program and professional women's group, through the Fast Track and Hope programs.	\$50,000.
Fresh Out	Community based re-entry program	This program focuses on providing a wide variety of services to ensure individual stability and enhanced support services, for individuals who were recently incarcerated, as they transition back into the community. Services include but are not limited to short-term rental assistance, utility assistance, employment support, treatment facilitation and referral, gang intervention and mental health treatment and referral.	\$50,000.
Independent Publishing Resource Center - IPRC	Capacity Expansion Programming Initiative through the hiring of an Outreach Coordinator.	Through the hiring of a full-time outreach coordinator, the IPRC will be able to expand their business hours, enhance the capacity of the organization to serve the citizenry of Portland, further develop programming at the Zine Library and expand media literacy programming at both the center and throughout the greater Portland area.	\$20,000.
Micro Enterprises Services of Oregon - MESO	Access to capital for African-American Entrepreneurs	Improve the economic opportunities of underserved individuals through empowerment, education and entrepreneurship for the benefit of the greater community. Providing access to capital for African-American entrepreneurs' addressing challenges and disparities that keep the African-American community from better achieving economic prosperity.	\$85,000.

Portland Opportunities Industrialization Center & Rosemary Anderson High School	Violence Intervention Program	Through the violence intervention program POIC serves at risk youth of color, ages 16-24, through the facilitation of STRYVE's youth violence prevention and intervention programming, providing positive behavior modification and self-awareness training (mindfulness training) and through peer to peer mentoring.	\$15,000.
The Rebuilding Center	Feasibility Study for Portland Reuse Mall	**These funds have been rescinded and added to \$350,000 allocated during the Fall Bump**	\$45,000.
Rosewood Initiative	Community Resource Navigation	The Community Resource Navigation Program includes designing a referral system that meets the diverse needs of the Rosewood Community, hiring a resource navigator to implement a new referral program and training the resource navigator in local resources, trauma informed approach, and community health worker certification.	\$64,800.
Vanport Mosaic	The Vanport Mosaic Festival 2018	The Vanport Mosaic Festival, to be held between May 25-28, 2018, will commemorate the 70th anniversary of the flood with exhibits, music and theater performances. An educational forum on Vanport and its legacy, a reunion/celebration of former Vanport residents, oral history documentary screenings and recordings will also be included in the celebrations.	\$20,000.
Total Funded			<u>\$650,000.</u>

The grant review committee, which comprised of a representation from the Mayor's office plus one from each City Commissioner's office, reviewed 166 applications, totaling \$8,860,902 in amount requested, for the four different funding categories: Community Based Arts and Culture, Community Health, Expanding Economic Opportunities for Portlanders, and Expanding Opportunities for Youth.

Applications were received from organizations that have never received funding from the City of Portland, as well as those with historic partnerships with the City

We hope this cohort of awardees accurately represent the goals and values of the City of Portland.