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BOHEMIAN FOUNDATION AWARDS \$540K TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS

FORT COLLINS, Colorado, December 5, 2018 – <u>Bohemian Foundation</u> today announced that it awarded \$540,000 to 37 local organizations working to encourage and enable youth to thrive, empower individuals and families on the path toward economic stability, and strengthen our vibrant community. Bohemian Foundation awards Pharos Fund grants twice every year. Since its inception in 2001, Bohemian Foundation has awarded \$18,861,690 in Pharos Fund grants to a variety of organizations serving the Fort Collins area.

"Bohemian Foundation is committed to supporting nonprofits demonstrating impactful, measurable outcomes in our community," said Sara Maranowicz, Bohemian Foundation's Community Programs director. "We are excited to increase support in our vibrant community goal area, which aims to fortify our community's capacity to welcome diverse cultures, experiences, and perspectives."

Pharos Fund is a responsive grantmaking program of Bohemian Foundation that makes awards up to \$30,000 to eligible 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations and governmental units. A committee comprised of Bohemian Foundation board members and community reviewers selects grantees through a competitive application process.

Full List of Fall 2018 Pharos Fund Recipients:

Organization	Project	Award
A Little Help	Fort Collins Older Adult Services and Engagement	\$10,000
Alliance for Suicide Prevention of Larimer County	Raising Awareness of Personal Power Program	\$20,000
BASE Camp Inc.	Customer and Business Management Software	\$10,000
Boltz Middle School, PSD	Equitable Learning for All	\$5,000
Book Trust	General Support	\$30,000
Cache La Poudre Middle School, PSD	Extended Time After-school Program	\$15,000
CASA of Larimer County	Court Appointed Special Advocates Program	\$25,000

Catholic Charities & Community Services	The Mission	\$10,000
Center for Public Deliberation, CSU	General Support	\$25,000
Children's Speech & Reading Center	General Support	\$7,500
ChildSafe Colorado, Inc.	Adolescent Program Support	\$12,500
Crossroads Safehouse, Inc.	General Support	\$30,000
Department of Human Development and Family Studies, CSU	Department of Human Development and Family Studies, CSU Campus Connections	\$20,000
Extension, Larimer County	Family Leadership Training Institute	\$10,000
Food Bank for Larimer County	Fresh Food Share	\$30,000
Fort Collins Museum of Discovery, Nonprofit Partner	General Support	\$25,000
Global Village Museum of Arts and Cultures	Connecting Cultural Communities Program	\$3,000
Homeward Alliance	One Village One Family	\$12,500
Larimer County Partners, Inc.	General Support	\$18,500
Lincoln IB World Middle School, PSD	Low-Ropes Course	\$10,000
Little Shop of Physics, CSU	Experiment, Discover, Connect, Create: Enhancing the Elementary School STEAM Experience	\$15,000
Live the Victory, Inc. dba The Matthews House	Empowering Youth	\$25,000
Livermore Elementary School, PSD	After School Program	\$2,500
McBackpack, Inc.	General Support	\$5,000
Neighbor to Neighbor, Inc.	Achievement of Housing Stability	\$30,000
Poudre Global Academy, PSD	Capital Project	\$15,000
Project Self-Sufficiency of Loveland- Fort Collins	Healthy Families Program	\$15,000
Project Smile Corporation	General Support	\$15,000

School of Education, CSU	Caminos Partnership	\$10,000
Sexual Assault Victim Advocate Center	Advocacy, Outreach, and Prevention	\$15,000
SummitStone Health Partners	Grandfamily Support Program	\$10,000
The Center for Fine Art Photography	Zora J Murff Project	\$3,500
The Colorado Youth Outdoors Charitable Trust	Outreach and Partner Program	\$5,000
The Family Center/La Familia	The Incredible Years: A Two Generation Approach for Child Development	\$15,000
The Growing Project	General Support	\$10,000
Voices Carry Child Advocacy Center	Safety Smarts Prevention Training	\$10,000
Volunteers of America, Colorado Branch	Larimer RSVP	\$10,000
	TOTAL:	\$540,000

Bohemian Foundation will begin accepting applications for the next Pharos Fund round on Dec. 19, 2018. Visit <u>bohemianfoundation.org</u> for more information.

<u>Bohemian Foundation</u> is a private family foundation established in 2001. Based in Fort Collins, Colorado, Bohemian Foundation works to empower citizens and impact communities through its responsive grant making programs and special initiatives.

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