

MADE IT HAPPEN

By **SUZANNE SULLIVAN**, Tahoe Donner Giving Fund Committee Member

In November, the Giving Fund awarded \$47,500 of your contributions to local nonprofits. It's true - giving together makes a bigger impact. Thank you for your support of the greater Truckee community. Thank you for being living proof of our motto, Tahoe Donner ♥ Cares.

2021 Grants to Nonprofits

\$5,000	Aim High for High School	Partial funding for a five-week educational and enrichment program in summer 2022. Blends math, science/humanities coursework, social-emotional development and college/career awareness with health/wellness issues and environmental education for low-income middle school students. Many of our scholarship recipients are products of the Aim High program.
\$10,000	Arts for the Schools	Full funding to provide performing arts (music, visual arts and career training) as well as a 14-week course to elementary students. Fills the gap in arts education and meets key California career and art content standards.
\$5,000	Boys & Girls Club	Partial funding for youth and their families at Kings Beach and Truckee Elementary sites.
\$5,000	Emergency Warming Center/AMI Housing	Partial funding to provide our under-sheltered neighbors a safe, warm, dry place to stay on the most severe weather nights as well as a daytime navigation center to help create longer-term support systems as they move toward greater stability.
\$5,000	Give Back Tahoe	Funding to Tahoe Truckee Community Foundation for Challenge Grants.
\$5,000	Sierra Senior Services	Partial funding for core operating support for the Meals on Wheels program. By providing this service to isolated seniors, they receive nutrition as well as human interaction and a wellness check.
\$5,000	Tahoe Food Hub	Partial funding to cover Giving Boxes of fresh, seasonal, sustainably grown food for community members facing food insecurity.
\$5,000	Truckee Donner Land Trust	Partial funding to help secure the purchase of the 290-acre Canyon Spring parcel in East Truckee.
\$2,500	Truckee Trails Foundation	Partial funding for a new 7-mile trail within Waddle Ranch.

\$47,500 It is never too late to contribute; see Ways to Give at tahoedonner.com/giving-fund/ways-to-give.

Note: All mentions of "partial funding" indicate that additional funding is underwriting the balance of the requested amount.

The Tahoe Donner Giving Fund is chartered by the TD Board of Directors. All contributions are voluntary taxdeductible gifts from TD members and friends. The Giving Fund is administered through the Tahoe Truckee Community Foundation. For more information on the Giving Fund or to make a contribution, visit our webpage at tahoedonner.com/giving-fund. Contact tdqf@tahoedonner.com with questions or to volunteer for the committee. We thank and are grateful for our founding partner, Elements Mountain Company, for their continuing support.









Giving Together

ANNUAL APPEAL REMINDER

If you missed the official campaign push for the Giving Together fundraiser, which was from Dec. 13-31, you haven't missed out. Donations are still being accepted through Feb. 28.

It's so easy to donate through:

- The member portal if/when you pay your Annual Assessment online
- A check when you mail or drop off your Annual Assessment check-there's a handy donation form in the assessment mailing packet
- The Giving Fund website at givingfund.tahoedonner.com/aa2021

However you donate-whatever amount you donatewhenever you donate-thank you!

