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2021 ANNUAL REPORT

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Message from the CEO

In 2021, our community continued to experience unprecedented challenges while living through a pandemic. While we struggled with uncertainty and frustration, we also found new ways of connecting and new things to appreciate. At 3RCF, we focused on our mission to assist our donors in delivering much-needed funding to nonprofit partners in our community.

As you will see in this report, 2021 was a record-breaking year for our organization. Through our grant cycles, fund distributions, and work with individual donors, we channeled an astonishing \$1.18 million dollars to nonprofits in Benton and Franklin counties. These dollars supported a broad range of organizations and missions, including food distributions, transitional housing, programs for youth, and mental health services. While the challenges of 2021 were plenty, 3RCF was poised to use our experience, skills, and funding to direct support where it could help most as the landscape of needs continued to evolve. This tremendous impact would not be possible without donors and fundholders who support our mission. Every donor, whether through an endowed fund or a one-time donation to our Annual Grant Fund, can feel confident that through 3RCF the needs across our community are considered and supported.

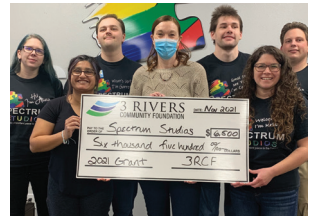
We are honored to share a snapshot of 2021 with you in this report. Thank you for supporting nonprofits in Benton and Franklin counties now, and in the future.

Sincerely,

Abbey Cameron
Chief Executive Officer



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2021 Donors

100,000+

Anonymous

**Frank & Beverly
Aiello**

**Estate of Kirk A.
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**Greater Columbia
Accountable
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\$10,000 - \$99,999

All in WA - Seattle
Foundation

Historic Downtown
Kennewick Partnership

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Katherine Weiss

Endowed Fund Holders

Area of Interest Funds

The Burnham Endowment for the
Developmentally Disabled

Henrietta & Marshall Finney Fund

Nonprofit Agency Endowments

Center for Sharing
Columbia Industries Endowment
Downtown Kennewick Development Fund*
Elijah Family Homes Endowment
Mid-Columbia Mastersingers (not endowed)

Mid-Columbia Symphony Endowment
Senior Life Resources Endowment
The Children's Reading Foundation Endowment
Women Helping Women Fund Tri-Cities

Designated Funds

Frank & Beverly Aiello Endowment
Daisy Craddock Estate Fund
Kirk A. Holmquist Estate Fund*
JJ's Place Fund

Cressy Lambert Fund
Dolly Richendrfer Estate Fund
J&J Roop Community Fund*
Henry W. & Wayne H. Smith Fund

Donor Advised Funds

Steven Ball Memorial Fund
Family Health + Wellness Foundation Funds
Jim Noland Foundation
Mark & Deena Smith Endowment

Madison Taylor Fund
Mike & Debbie Trader - A Brighter Future Fund*
Joy & Bob Vosburgh Animal Fund

Unrestricted Funds for Annual Grants Program

Anonymous Fund

Victor & Julia Epperly Fund

Scholarship Funds

Babcock Services Scholarship
Cocoa Morris Memorial Scholarship*
Gabe Morris Memorial Scholarship*
Lyle Holt Scholarship (not endowed)
Mike McClure Memorial Scholarship

Pamela & Scott Woodward Conservation Scholarship
Regional Youth Services Scholarship (not endowed)
Richard C. Emery Business & Finance Scholarship*
Richland Fire & Emergency Services Scholarship
Virgie Robinson Memorial Scholarship (not endowed)

**new fund established in 2021*

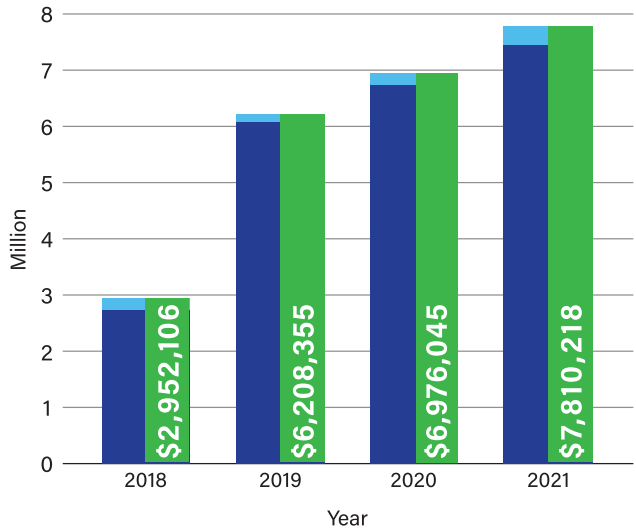


2021 At-a-Glance

Foundation Assets

3RCF's Endowment is overseen by the Finance Committee and Board and is managed by HFG Trust/Community First Bank.

■ Endowment
■ Other Assets
■ Total



Grantmaking

\$1,186,374 was distributed in **157 grants** to **103 organizations**.
99% of 3RCF's grant dollars stay local.

Special Projects

- ✓ COVID-19 Response Fund distributed \$120,960 to support pandemic relief.
- ✓ Nine grants totaling \$414,795 were awarded to address Social Determinants of Health.
- ✓ Seven new funds established including scholarships, agency funds, and designated funds.

Board/Staff List

Board of Directors

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Emeritus Board

Tim Anderson	Dale Burgeson	Rella Reimann	Sharon Rhodes
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Staff

Abbey Cameron
Chief Executive Officer

Rozanne Tucker

**Our 990 is available at www.3rcf.org and audited financials are available upon request.*

2021 Grant Impact

Total: \$1,186,374

Board Directed Grants \$733,820

Includes Annual Grant Cycle, Social Determinants of Health Grants, and COVID-19 Response Fund Grants

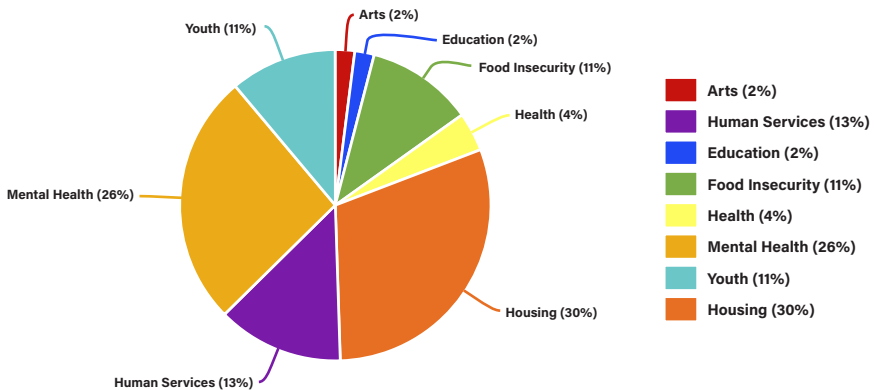
Designated Grants \$221,583

Includes Family Health & Wellness Fund Grants and Designated Fund Grants

Donor-Directed Grants \$230,971

Includes Donor-Advised Fund Grants and Pass-Thru Grants

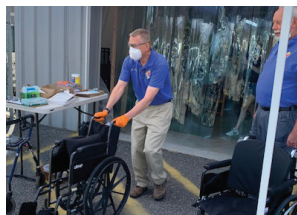
Board Directed Grants by Sector



2021 Scholarships Awarded

Total: \$23,500

- ✓ Babcock Services Scholarship: 3 Awards totaling \$12,000
- ✓ Lyle Holt Scholarship: 1 Award totaling \$1,500
- ✓ Regional Youth Services Scholarship: 2 Awards totaling \$2,000
- ✓ Richland Fire & Emergency Services Scholarship: 3 Awards totaling \$6,000
- ✓ Pamela & Scott Woodward Conservation Scholarship: 1 Award totaling \$2,000





Highlights

COVID-19 Response Fund Grants

In May of 2021 3RCF initiated its final round of COVID-19 Response Fund Grants. The funds available had been raised from individuals and businesses in the community, and included significant donations from Battelle, All in WA – Seattle Foundation, the Group Health Foundation, and Anonymous donors. 3RCF approved 26 grants to local nonprofits to support their pandemic response which ranged from

adapting their services due to pandemic restrictions or responding to an increase in demand from their clients.

Nonprofits in Benton and Franklin counties faced the pandemic challenges with creativity, resourcefulness, and determination to meet the need. We applaud their work and are grateful to have had the ability to provide support.

Social Determinants of Health Grants

In the Spring of 2021 3RCF was honored to be selected by the Benton Franklin Community Health Alliance to launch a grant cycle with \$414,795 in funds provided by the Greater Columbia Accountable Communities of Health. This was a targeted effort to identify organizations in our community that needed funding to address food insecurity, housing, and mental health. Through this application process, 9 projects

were selected to receive grants, including Chaplaincy Health Care, Communities in Schools, Domestic Violence Services, Lutheran Community Services, Pasco Union Firefighters Foundation, Second Harvest Inland Northwest, SARC, Teen Challenge Tri-Cities, and Therapeutic Riding of Tri-Cities. 3RCF applauds these organizations for their significant work on these critical issues.

Annual Grants

3RCF continues to make a significant impact through our Annual Grant Cycle. This application-based process is open to 501c3 nonprofits in Benton and Franklin counties and supports a wide range of services from critical needs to youth programs to the

arts. In 2021 the combination of endowed funds and direct donations resulted in over \$198,000 in grants being awarded to 35 nonprofits. Through the Annual Grant Cycle 3RCF is evaluating and funding the current needs in our community.



Mission

As your local community foundation, we create opportunities for perpetual charitable giving in Benton and Franklin counties to support nonprofits now, and in the future.

Vision

To be recognized as a trusted philanthropic leader in the local communities we serve, through the delivery of quality donor services, impactful grants and scholarship programs, and bold initiatives that address community needs.

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