

COMPETITIVE GRANTS 2024



THE CHICAGO
COMMUNITY TRUST®

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COMPETITIVE GRANTS

At The Chicago Community Trust, awarding grants to local nonprofit organizations is one way that we make positive change.

TOTAL COMPETITIVE GRANTS FOR 2024: \$48,666,396

ARTS +
CULTURE

COLLECTIVE
POWER

COMMUNITY
WEALTH

CRITICAL
NEEDS

EDUCATION

HEALTH

HOUSEHOLD
WEALTH

ORGANIZATIONAL
COMMITMENTS

POLICY CHANGE

SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT

ARTS + CULTURE

We are committed to enhancing the vibrancy of our culture in ways that promote regional prosperity and build community. Our grants infuse arts organizations with the resources to truly reflect Chicago's diversity. To provide arts education to young people, in and out of schools. To become more sustainable, serving as enduring anchors in their neighborhoods. We support programs that make data and information more available to leaders and residents alike, providing common ground for conversation—and change.

TOTAL ARTS + CULTURE GRANTS: \$739,530.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Chicago Mahogany LLC General operating grant for organization that amplifies Chicago's cultural history through educational neighborhood and bus tours. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Chicago Mahogany Foundation.	\$60,000.00	
Common Gound Foundation Project Support for organization that empowers youth from high-potential communities and develops their artistic passions through mentorship, education, and fine arts exploration.	\$40,000.00	
The Dusable Black History Museum and Education Center General operating support for cultural museum that preserves and disseminates the history and culture of Black Americans through exhibitions and educational programming.	\$100,000.00	
Englewood Arts Collective In support of Englewood Arts Collective's (EAC) initiative "Arts for Arts Sake—We Deserve More Beautiful Things" which aims to enhance public art throughout Greater Englewood. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Folded Map Project.	\$60,000.00	
Folded Map Project General operating support for organization that promotes community activism and engagement through artistic programming.	\$60,000.00	
Gertie Project based grant to support organization that is producing Next Stop: Chicago, a city-wide arts campaign to amplify community narratives from the south and west side. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, City Club of Chicago.	\$100,000.00	
ILA Creative Studio In Support of ILA Creative Studio's flagship program, Getting to Our Goals (G-to G), a capacity building program to support emerging artists in Chicago	\$40,000.00	

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Marwen General operating funds to organization that enhances access to arts learning for low-income, youth of color.	\$50,000.00	
Firebird Community Arts In support of construction on a new facility that will allow Firebird to serve many more individuals, generate more jobs, provide more robust trauma-support services, and lead the city in violence reduction and trauma-recovery through the arts.	\$4,530.00	
Red Clay Dance Company General operating support for organization that promotes community activism and engagement through dance.	\$80,000.00	
Urban Gateways General operating funds to organization that enhances access to arts learning for low-income, youth of color.	\$70,000.00	
USA Curling To provide support to USA Curling through the Windy City Curling Club as it prepares to host the 2025 and 2026 wheelchair Mixed Doubles Nationals, to support the Ice Breakers program and other diversity efforts, and help aging facilities improve infrastructure to allow for continued access to the sport of curling among all ages and backgrounds.	\$75,000.00	

COLLECTIVE POWER

TOTAL COLLECTIVE POWER GRANTS: \$6,570,000.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
AMPT: Advancing Nonprofits General operating support for AMPT to continue to provide and scale capacity-building resources and leadership development to Black and Latine-led nonprofits.	\$150,000.00	
The Bigs Media Ltd. The Bigs Media Ltd.	The Bigs Media Ltd.	
Black Researchers Collective General operating support for organization that trains and equips communities with the research tools to be more civically engaged and policy informed.	\$75,000.00	
Borderless Magazine NFP General operating support for Borderless Magazine continued staff and operational scaling.	\$50,000.00	
Chi-Village In support of Chi Village's 2024 Black Liberation & Cultural Revitalization Initiative, dedicated to enriching the Black community through a multifaceted approach, including intergenerational programming, youth-led workshops, and workshops focused on wellness and wealth-building.	\$ 20,000.00	
Chicago African Americans in Philanthropy General operating support to connect black leaders, networks and coalitions to practitioners from the Chicago philanthropic landscape through a series of learning and leadership skill building opportunities. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Forefront.	\$75,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation Internal grant to support grantmaking for Nuestro Futuro (affinity fund F319) housed at The Chicago Community Foundation.	\$200,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation Internal grant to support grantmaking for the LGBTQ Fund (affinity fund F824) housed at The Chicago Community Foundation.	\$200,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation Internal transfer grant to support grantmaking for African American Legacy (affinity fund F318).	\$225,000.00	

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Chicago Community Foundation Internal grant to support grantmaking for the Young Leaders Fund (affinity fund FR68) housed at The Chicago Community Foundation.	\$30,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation Internal grant to support grantmaking for the Asian Giving Circle (affinity fund F283) housed at The Chicago Community Foundation.	\$35,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Arts Work Fund Internal grant to support grantmaking and operations for Arts Work Fund housed at The Chicago Community Foundation.	\$180,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Press Forward Chicago In support of Press Forward: Chicago Community News Fund (Press Forward Chicago) a local news initiative to support a robust network of news organizations that meet the diverse information needs of the Chicago region.	\$ 640,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Press Forward Chicago In support of Press Forward: Chicago Community News Fund (Press Forward Chicago) a local news initiative to support a robust network of news organizations that meet the diverse information needs of the Chicago region.	\$278,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Press Forward Chicago In support of Press Forward: Chicago Community News Fund (Press Forward Chicago) a local news initiative to support a robust network of news organizations that meet the diverse information needs of the Chicago region.	\$603,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Press Forward Chicago In support of Press Forward: Chicago Community News Fund (Press Forward Chicago) a local news initiative to support a robust network of news organizations that meet the diverse information needs of the Chicago region.	\$979,000.00	
Chicago Latines in Philanthropy General operating support for organization that advocates for diversity in philanthropy and empowers Latines to engage in civic action. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Oak Park-River Forest Community Foundation.	\$50,000.00	
Chicago Metropolitan Chapter of the National Coalition of 100 Black Women To build organizational capacity and expand programming that supports civic awareness around issues pertaining to gender equity in the areas of economics, health and education.	\$50,000.00	

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Chicago Video Project In support of the production and distribution of “Shame of Chicago,” a documentary that examines how Chicago became one of the most racially segregated cities in the world.	\$75,000.00	
Cicero Independiente General operating support of editorial and publication capacity building for Cicero Independiente. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, CITY BUREAU NFP.	\$ 65,000.00	
Common Purpose USA Project support for Chicago200 program that empowers and develops the leadership skills of 18–25 year olds.	\$ 100,000.00	
Crossroads Fund In support of Cultivate: Women of Color Leadership program.	\$100,000.00	
Field Foundation of Illinois Field Foundation of Illinois	\$200,000.00	
Muslim Civic Coalition Project Support for Fellowship Program that will build residents’ capacity to organize and collaborate with communities to energize voters and bring equity efforts to the 2024 RNC and DNC conventions.	\$60,000.00	
Investigative Project on Race and Equity In support of The Investigative Project on Race and Equity’s virtual newsroom producing long-form investigative journalism on race and equity and continued development of an apprenticeship program to train new and BIPOC journalists in investigative reporting.	\$75,000.00	
Invisible Institute In support of The Invisible Institutes efforts to reframe the public discourse about fundamental issues of racial justice	\$85,000.00	
Invisible Institute Project-based support of Invisible Institute’s creation of a “Media Lab” a space where Invisible Institute will experiment, innovate, and iterate on strategies for their two bodies of reporting: “You Didn’t See Nothin” and the expansion of Jamie Kalven’s “Code of Silence” to reach the community block by block.	\$35,000.00	
La Raza In support of general operations for La Raza. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, INTERNATIONAL LATINO CULTURAL CENTER OF CHICAGO.	\$ 65,000.00	

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Lugenia Burns Hope Center Project support for affordable housing and homeownership initiatives that develop residents' leadership skills and improves housing access in Bronzeville and Washington Park.	\$75,000.00	
The N'DIGO Foundation In support of THE N'DIGO FOUNDATION for editorial and production capacity building for N'DIGO STUDIO.	\$75,000.00	
Mikva Challenge General Operating Support for organization that elevates youth voice and develops the civic engagement skills of young people.	\$100,000.00	
The Monroe Foundation In support of Get Cleared Illinois	\$27,000.00	
The Monroe Foundation In support of Get Cleared Illinois	\$53,000.00	
Philanthropy for Asian American Action Chicago General operating support for organization that advocates for racial justice and empowers AAPI to engage in civic action. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Crossroads Fund.	\$50,000.00	
Public Narrative In support of Public Narrative facilitating programs and series that bring together community members, community organizations and journalists to explore narrative themes in the community media ecosystem	\$65,619.00	
Public Narrative In support of Public Narrative facilitating programs and series that bring together community members, community organizations and journalists to explore narrative themes in the community media ecosystem	\$59,381.00	
Reader Institute for Community Journalism In support of the Reader's digital strategy project to grow and increase engagement of its audience.	\$45,388.00	
Reader Institute for Community Journalism In support of the Reader's digital strategy project to grow and increase engagement of its audience.	\$29,612.00	
Reparations Media In support of Reparation Media's development of the Change Agents podcast.	\$60,000.00	

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Respair Media Renewed general operating support of Respair Production and Media for continued development, implementation, infrastructure building, programming and impact strategy of RPM. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Allied Media Projects.	\$65,000.00	
South Side Weekly In support of South Side Weekly's editorial capacity building and the development of community led collaborations including investigation and narrative building.	\$75,000.00	
Streetsblog Chicago In support of Streetsblog Chicago's reporting that amplify resident voices and informs leaders, about local transportation issues and the need for safe, equitable, and economically sustainable transportation.	\$ 60,000.00	
TGiMovement In support of TGiMovement's Omega Chi Omega youth civic engagement program	\$40,000.00	
In support of TGiMovement's Omega Chi Omega youth civic engagement program In support of THE TRiBE'S ongoing development and enhancement of The SCENE, a web application and community directory that maps local businesses, resources, and events. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Resilience Partners NFP.	\$125,000.00	
True Star In support of True Star's youth media development program.	\$43,500.00	
True Star In support of True Star's youth media development program.	\$31,500.00	
The University of Chicago - Office of Civic Engagement Project-based grant to support leadership development program at University of Chicago's Office of Civic Engagement.	\$ 50,000.00	
The University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy Project-based grant to support a leadership development program at the University of Chicago's Center for Effective Government.	\$100,000.00	
Westside Media Project General Operating Support for Westside Media Project to continue its evergreen work and expand its partnership to 5 CPS schools during the 2023-2024 School Year.	\$100,000.00	

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Wieboldt Foundation In support of the Wieboldt Foundation Capacity-Building Cohort, which resources and builds the capacity of local non profit organization leaders and staff.	\$95,000.00	
Wieboldt Foundation In support of the Wieboldt Foundation Capacity-Building Cohort, which resources and builds the capacity of local non profit organization leaders and staff.	\$105,000.00	
Window to the World Communications, Inc. In support of WTTW News programming, which may include Chicago Tonight, digital reporting, Week in Review, Black Voices, Latino Voices, animated explainer videos, collaborations with other media outlets, and special feature reporting.	\$125,000.00	
Young Chicago Authors General operating support for organization that elevates youth voice and empowers young people through civic storytelling.	\$100,000.00	
YR Media In support of general operating investment to YR Media's Midwest Hub based in Chicago	\$50,000.00	

COMMUNITY WEALTH

TOTAL COMMUNITY WEALTH GRANTS: \$5,850,890.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Bandwith Chicago In support of an adaptive reuse of an existing industrial building, 21,459 sq ft mixed-use building at 134-156 S California Ave in the East Garfield Park neighborhood.	\$100,000.00	
Center for Neighborhood Technology Covers the administrative costs of housing \$1M from the federal government (through the City of Chicago) at Center for Neighborhood Technology (CNT) for Elevated Works on behalf of Elevated Chicago and supports CNT in the coordination of the Elevated Works back office, which provides professional services to more than 60 eTOD projects across the CTA network of station areas in the city.	\$125,000.00	
Chicago Community Loan Fund Chicago Community Loan Fund is seeking funding to hire a new Portfolio Analyst to help manage the increase in loan closed volume. The new position will allow CCLF to build its capacity to grow its portfolio, develop deeper relationship with current customers and provide an easy pathway for them to become repeat borrowers, thereby, increasing lending in LMI neighborhoods.	\$150,000.00	
Chicago State Foundation Support the Chicago State Foundation in bringing in technical assistance and consultants that will help implement the 95th Street Corridor Development Plan and guide Chicago State University through the development process.	\$200,000.00	
Claretian Associates Support Claretian Associates in hiring a Real Estate Director to support the CEO in real estate development planning, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Hiring the Director will build Claretian's capacity to push for increased brick-and-mortar development, including commercial spaces and home ownership opportunities which will ultimately lead to a thriving South Chicago.	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00
Community Desk Chicago Support of general operating for the launch and initial operations of Community Desk Chicago (The Desk) as a new 501(c)3 organization, formerly incubated at the Trust.	\$600,000.00	
Demera In support of the revitalization of an existing three-story, 15,000 sq ft mixed-use building at 4528 S Cottage Grove Ave in the Bronzeville neighborhood. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, CHICAGO COMMUNITY LOAN FUND, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$ 100,000.00	\$100,000.00

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E.G. Woode To provide seed capital into the currently empty Englewood CBT treasury. E.G. Woode is the developer of 1122 W 63rd Street (Alpha) and the 1022 W 63rd Street (Beta) real estate projects. The beneficiaries of the Englewood CBT will be a subset of Englewood residents who live in proximity to the building. Primary activities over the next 12 months will include the developer (E.G. Woode) and community members (Englewood residents) piloting eligibility terms, governance structures, and disbursement process. Seed capital in the CBT will fund community selected ideas (ranging from purchasing items, providing services, or direct cash distributions) over the course of several years. The CBT model gives neighborhood residents access to decision making authority over the profits created by a set of commercial real estate projects in their community. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Teamwork Englewood, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
Enlace Chicago Support of the Little Village/ South Lawndale Quality of Life Plan, which will include an evaluation of the existing built environment and potential development opportunities, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Far South CDC Support for the The 103rd Street Redline Extension Plan which will plan for the creation of transit supportive projects that includes retail and commercial development to complement the new Red Line Station line station to be placed at 103rd Street, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Floating Museum In support of a 6,250 sq ft building renovation at 949 E 75th Street in the Grand Crossing neighborhood, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Historic Pullman Foundation Support the development of a new 3-year strategic plan and support the existing Director of Programs position.	\$50,000.00	
IAYV Inc. Support the development and programming of "Southside Sanctuary," a POP! Plaza in Bronzeville (4700 S King Drive), from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$275,000.00	\$275,000.00
LISC Support the creation of a community-centered economic inclusion agenda/ plan for the Back of the Yards neighborhood.	\$200,000.00	

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LISC The Chicago Neighborhood Development Award support of The Chicago Community Trust Outstanding Community Plan Award	\$25,000.00	
McKinley Park Development Council Support McKinley Park Development Council's general operations to allow for continued detailed planning, community engagement, advocacy, negotiations with landowners, and holistic action on concerns like transportation and housing affordability in surrounding areas that will lead to the implementation of the South Branch Connectivity Project Framework Plan.	\$100,000.00	
Metropolitan Planning Council Support MPC's Zoning and Land Use Assessment that quantifies the impacts of the Chicago zoning code on equity, sustainability, and health that will lead to recommendations that will incorporate community perspective into their original research and facilitate more equitable land use and zoning provisions which in turn will encourage development in Black and Latine communities.	\$175,000.00	
Metropolitan Planning Council Capacity-building support for the Great Rivers Chicago initiative and the development of a governance model for the River Ecology and Governance Task Force.	\$55,890.00	
MixR In support of a two-story, 6,551 sq ft mixed-use building at 3519 E 95th Street in the East Side neighborhood. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, CHICAGO NEIGHBORHOOD INITIATIVES, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
MOT Design & Development Corp In support of a 17-story, 135,940 sq ft mixed-use building at 7162 S Exchange Ave in the South Shore neighborhood that will be an anchor for economic development on 71st Street. Grant made via the fiscal sponsor, South Shore Chamber Community Development Corporation.	\$100,000.00	
Old Fashioned Donuts Old Fashioned Donuts is a 15,000 sq ft food establishment at 11248 S Michigan Ave in the Roseland neighborhood. This grant will fund needed repairs that will expand and fortify a long-standing business and strengthen the Michigan Avenue corridor. Grant made via the fiscal sponsor, Local Initiatives Support Corp.	\$100,000.00	

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Roseland Community Medical District This grant will support RCMD in hiring the staff required to implement the Roseland Community Medical District Master Plan. This is the required next step in the development of a large mixed-use district on the Far South Side. This district has the potential to greatly improve health outcomes, reduce health care cost burden, introduce new jobs, and increase community wealth in multiple community areas with poor health outcomes and high unemployment rates. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, FAR SOUTH CDC, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$400,000.00	\$400,000.00
SomerCor 504 SomerCor will disperse grants to small business owners who've been approved for Neighborhood Opportunity Fund (NOF) Small awards but for whom the City grant dollars have been inaccessible due to having insufficient liquid cash to get the process started. Trust dollars will be allocated in grants up to \$50,000 to unlock the first disbursement of their NOF funds. Trust funds will support at a minimum 5 projects. This will allow 5 business owners who have stalled projects to complete their work and move towards opening and revitalize commercial corridors.	\$250,000.00	
Stone Community Development Corporation In support of a three-story, 24,500 sq ft, new construction building located at 5046-48 W Chicago Ave in the Austin neighborhood, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
The Chicago Community Foundation/Elevated Chicago A coalition of public, private, and nonprofit organizations, co-convened by the Office of the Mayor and Elevated Chicago, as the Equitable Transit Oriented Development Working Group (ETOD WG).	\$140,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Elevated Chicago Support for the general operation of Elevated Chicago, a coalition of organizations that aims to advance Equitable Transit Oriented Development to transform transit stations into community-focused centers to connect people and create equitable places for climate resilience, health, and culture.	\$500,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Elevated Chicago Support for the general operation of Elevated Chicago, a coalition of organizations that aims to advance Equitable Transit Oriented Development to transform transit stations into community-focused centers to connect people and create equitable places for climate resilience, health, and culture.	\$300,000.00	
The Kindness Campaign Funding to repurpose a long-shuttered liquor store into a community-centered grocery store. The 6,000 sq ft building is at 8105 S Halsted St in the Auburn Gresham neighborhood.	\$100,000.00	

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The SBAC To support the Neighborhood Revitalization Coalition in their efforts to formulate and advocate for policies that will revitalize and support disinvested commercial corridors.	\$150,000.00	
The Steans Family Foundation To provide seed capital into the currently empty Fillmore CBT treasury, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. The Steans Family Foundation (SFF) is the developer of the Fillmore Center (industrially zoned, five-story, 169,000 square foot building) located at 4100 West Fillmore Street. The beneficiaries of the Fillmore CBT will be a subset of North Lawndale residents who live in proximity to the building. Primary activities over the next 12 months will include the developer (SFF) and community members (North Lawndale residents) piloting eligibility terms, governance structures, and disbursement process. Seed capital in the CBT will fund community selected ideas (ranging from purchasing items, providing services, or direct cash distributions) over the course of several years. The CBT model gives neighborhood residents access to decision making authority to profits created by the commercial real estate in their community.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
The Steans Family Foundation In support of community outreach to bolster the co-creation of the Fillmore CBT (Community Benefit Trust) which is a legal structure that allows local residents to have direct ownership in commercial real estate. Funds will be used compensate community partners and neighborhood residents to participate in the creation of the Fillmore CBT structure and terms.	\$14,341.00	
The Steans Family Foundation In support of community outreach to bolster the co-creation of the Fillmore CBT (Community Benefit Trust) which is a legal structure that allows local residents to have direct ownership in commercial real estate. Funds will be used compensate community partners and neighborhood residents to participate in the creation of the Fillmore CBT structure and terms.	\$15,659.00	
Trust For Public Land Support the Chicago Infrastructure Resource Network.	\$50,000.00	
Trust For Public Land Support for the Trust for Public Land to coordinate economic development efforts around 130th Street in Altgeld Gardens in conjunction with the development of the Hazel Johnson Memorial and Environmental Justice Walkway to create the conditions for creating community wealth for residents of the Riverdale Community.	\$150,000.00	

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United Way of Metro Chicago The purpose of this grant is to support the Corporate Coalition in their work connecting Chicago corporations to disinvested communities through 1) Exploration of an equity fund for commercial development 2) A partnership with Just Act to pair corporations seeking real estate with opportunities in disinvested communities and 3) Fair Chance Hiring.	\$275,000.00	

CRITICAL NEEDS

TOTAL CRITICAL NEEDS GRANTS: \$ 7,072,211.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Advocates for Illinois Children To advocate for the wellbeing of children and set them up for long term economic success.	\$75,000.00	
Anew: Building Beyond Violence & Abuse General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness service, with a focus on domestic violence, in the South Suburbs.	\$75,000.00	
Association House of Chicago FY23 adjustment for Association House of Chicago general support.	\$428.00	
Beyond Hunger General operating support to address hunger and food insecurity in the Chicago region.	\$75,000.00	
Borealis Philanthropy In support of Borealis Philanthropy's Disability Inclusion Fund, which prioritizes strengthening the disability movement, boosting the capacity of disability justice groups and building bridges between disability justice groups.	\$50,250.00	
Borealis Philanthropy In support of Borealis Philanthropy's Disability Inclusion Fund, which prioritizes strengthening the disability movement, boosting the capacity of disability justice groups and building bridges between disability justice groups.	\$49,750.00	
Brightpoint FY23 adjustment for Brightpoint general support.	\$1,713.00	
Center for Changing Lives General operating support to an organization providing housing services with a focus on immigrants and asylum seekers in Chicago.	\$100,000.00	
Center for Disability and Elder Law In support of strengthening CDEL's administrative and financial infrastructure to manage an increase in government funding and sustain their growth to meet the pro-bono legal service needs of older adults and people with disabilities.	\$65,000.00	
Chicago Coalition to end Homelessness General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on legal support, in Chicago.	\$75,000.00	
Chicago Commons FY23 adjustment for Chicago Commons general support.	\$642.00	

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Chicago Community Foundation In support of small grants to grassroots organizations through the Chicago Fund for Safe & Peaceful Communities' (Fund FE02) work in creating the conditions for violence prevention and reduction during the summer months, and supporting activities by nonprofit organizations that build community cohesion and promote safety and peace.	\$179,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of the Illinois Immigrant Funder Collaborative (Fund FA07) in services to meet the needs and interests of immigrant and refugee communities.	\$150,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of Grassroots Alliance for Police Accountability's (Fund FF10) work for directly impacted community members, especially those in Black and Brown communities, most affected by police misconduct.	\$52,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of the Safe Chicago Network Fund (Fund FF16) for the Partnership for Safe and Peaceful Communities' work in reducing violence by partnering with communities, strengthening relationships and building trust across Chicago.	\$403,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of the Safe Chicago Network Fund (Fund FF16) for the Partnership for Safe and Peaceful Communities' work in reducing violence by partnering with communities, strengthening relationships and building trust across Chicago.	\$97,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of Grassroots Alliance for Police Accountability's (Fund FF10) work for directly impacted community members, especially those in Black and Brown communities, most affected by police misconduct.	\$48,000.00	
Chicago Community Foundation In support of small grants to grassroots organizations through the Chicago Fund for Safe & Peaceful Communities' (Fund FE02) work in creating the conditions for violence prevention and reduction during the summer months, and supporting activities by nonprofit organizations that build community cohesion and promote safety and peace.	\$71,000.00	
Chicago House and Social Service Agency General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on care of people living with HIV, in Chicago.	\$100,000.00	

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Cicero Family Service General operating support for the benefit of children and adults suffering from mental illness.	\$50,000.00	
City of Chicago In support of the City of Chicago's Office of Immigrant, Migrant and Refugee Rights in the implementation of their communications strategy to welcome New Arrivals.	\$245,000.00	
Community Investment Corporation General operating support to an organization doing research to preserve and maintain affordable and supportive housing in Chicago.	\$100,000.00	
Connections for the Homeless General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for Northern Cook County, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$80,000.00	\$80,000.00
Contextos In support of ConTextos' ability to strengthen its fundraising, financial, and operational infrastructure to sustain and grow its ability to support healing and transformation for those who have been impacted by violence and/or involved in the justice system.	\$50,000.00	
Covenant House Illinois General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on youth, in Chicago.	\$100,000.00	
CVNC General operating support to provide back-office support, technical assistance and capacity building for community-based organizations in Chicago.	\$200,000.00	
Deborah's Place General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for women.	\$40,000.00	
Deborah's Place General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for women.	\$35,000.00	
Disability Lead In support of Disability Lead to further maintain and scale programs and impact in the Chicago region while continuing strategies to further long-term growth and sustainability.	\$191,353.00	

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Disability Lead In support of Disability Lead to further maintain and scale programs and impact in the Chicago region while continuing strategies to further long-term growth and sustainability.	\$8,647.00	
Ecosystems of Care General operating support to address hunger and food insecurity on the South Side of Chicago.	\$50,000.00	
Equity and Transformation Support for the personal development program. This program provides a base to Black informal workers and system-impacted people with the tools, education, and resources to advocate for themselves, participate in civic life, and overcome personal barriers they may be facing so that they are best positioned and prepared to take on leadership roles within EAT as well as within their own lives.	\$232,000.00	
Experimental Station General operating support to address hunger and food insecurity in the Chicago region.	\$50,000.00	
Family Focus FY23 adjustment for Family Focus, Inc. general support.	\$428.00	
Family Rescue General operating support to an organization providing housing and supportive services focused on serving survivors of domestic violence and their children in their process of healing.	\$100,000.00	
Firebird Community Arts In support of Firebird Community Arts' administrative capacity to sustain and generate more revenue to continue its growth as a provider of an artistic space on Chicago's Westside for youth who have experienced trauma.	\$50,000.00	
Heartland Alliance for Human Needs & Human Rights In support of Heartland Alliance's administrative costs to stabilize and restructure operations.	\$100,000.00	
Heartland Alliance Health In support of Road Map Initiative's (RMI) Flexible Services Pilot that provides outreach and engagement services to individuals cycling across emergency systems in Chicago and Cook County.	\$36,000.00	
Housing Forward General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Maywood and the Western Suburbs	\$89,500.00	

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Housing Forward General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Maywood and the Western Suburbs	\$10,500.00	
HR&A Advisors Project support for the City of Chicago's Office of Immigrant, Migrant and Refugee Rights in the implementation of their communications strategy to welcome New Arrivals. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Community Change.	\$250,000.00	
Inner Voice General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Chicago, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Inspiration Corporation General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Chicago, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$80,000.00	\$80,000.00
Law Center for Better Housing General operating support to an organization providing free legal services to renters facing evictions in Chicago and Suburban Cook County, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$80,000.00	\$80,000.00
Lawndale Christian Legal Center General operating support to an organization providing housing and employment services for justice-involved young men in North Lawndale.	\$100,000.00	
LYTE Collective General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for youth in Chicago.	\$8,303.00	
LYTE Collective General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for youth in Chicago.	\$48,656.00	
LYTE Collective General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services for youth in Chicago.	\$18,041.00	
Metropolis Strategies Support for general operations, Illinois Reentry Council's ongoing work to implement public sector investments for the creation of affordable housing for returning residents, and to the creation of a Director of Reentry position at the Illinois Department of Human Services.	\$320,000.00	

CRITICAL NEEDS

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Metropolis Strategies In support of Adult Redeploy Illinois All-Sites Summit – an event designed for people returning from prison or jail	\$2,000.00	
Michael Reese Health Trust In support of the Housing Justice Fund. This fund aims to distribute \$2 million over two years to support policy, advocacy, community organizing, and narrative change initiatives to advance housing justice.	\$100,000.00	
NAMI Chicago General operating support for the benefit of children and adults suffering from mental illness.	\$49,000.00	
National Immigrant Justice Center General operating support to advance rights for immigrants, refugees and asylum seekers.	\$75,000.00	
New Life Centers General operating support to an organization providing housing and supportive services, with a focus on asylum-seekers on Chicago's West Side community of Little Village	\$125,000.00	
New Moms General operating support to an organization providing housing and employment services, with a focus on single mothers and their children.	\$80,000.00	
North Side Housing and Supportive Services General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Chicago.	\$100,000.00	
Northern Illinois Food Bank General operating support to address hunger and food insecurity in Chicagoland suburbs.	\$75,000.00	
Primo Center General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services to families and asylum-seekers	\$100,000.00	
Renaissance Social Services Chicago General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on mental health recovery, in Chicago.	\$41,704.00	
Renaissance Social Services Chicago General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on mental health recovery, in Chicago.	\$33,296.00	

CRITICAL NEEDS

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Respond Now Project support for Food Pantry and SNAP Outreach initiatives to address hunger and food insecurity in the Chicago region.	\$50,000.00	
Safer Foundation General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services, with a focus on returning residents, in Chicago and Cook County.	\$125,000.00	
Saint Leonard's Ministries General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in Chicago, with a focus on returning residents, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
South Suburban PADS General operating support to an organization providing housing and homelessness services in the South Suburbs.	\$100,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Chicagoland Workforce Funder Alliance In support of the Chicagoland Workforce Funder Alliance's (Fund F995) Human Service Workforce Initiative, which seeks to activate philanthropy and aligned sectors to foster the conditions for a valued, equitable and thriving human service workforce.	\$50,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Scaling CVI General operating support to PSPC's Scaling Community Violence Intervention (CVI).	\$73,900.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Scaling CVI General operating support to PSPC's Scaling Community Violence Intervention (CVI).	\$150,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Scaling CVI General operating support to PSPC's Scaling Community Violence Intervention (CVI).	\$26,100.00	
The Chicago Community Trust Internal transfer to T635 Flexible Housing Fund in support of housing opportunities for hard to house populations including homeless youth and high utilizers of the health care systems.	\$150,000.00	
The Chicago Community Trust/Office of Equity and Racial Justice In support of the City of Chicago's Office of Equity and Racial Justice, a cost center housed at The Chicago Community Trust (administrative fund T001), in the implementation of their communications strategy to welcome New Arrivals.	\$245,000.00	

CRITICAL NEEDS

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
The Chicago Horticultural Society Project support for Windy City Harvest's VeggieRx program which addresses hunger and food insecurity in North Lawndale, Austin and Belmont-Cragin.	\$50,000.00	
The Network General operating support to an organization providing legal services focused on housing to survivors of gender-based violence in Chicago.	\$75,000.00	
The Resurrection Project The Resurrection Project's general operation to provide assistance to about 30,000 undocumented individuals in Illinois to apply for temporary protective status, work permits, and other programs that allow them to pursue a path toward legal status and access to quality jobs.	\$250,000.00	
United Way of Metro Chicago In support of continued service provided through the 211 Metro Chicago program.	\$200,000.00	
University of Chicago Urban Labs General operating support to an organization doing research on the housing needs of returning residents, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Wellington United Church of Christ General operating support to an organization providing housing and supportive services, with a focus on asylum-seekers, in Chicago.	\$80,000.00	

EDUCATION

TOTAL EDUCATION GRANTS: \$5,581,200.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Better Future Forward Project support for Better Future Forward's Addressing Financial Gaps initiative to improve success at City Colleges of Chicago and any four year school into which students transfer, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
Big Shoulders Fund Support for the Leonard and Bernice Lavin Scholarship Program. This grant is made from the The Leonard and Bernice Lavin Scholarship Fund of the Foundation.	\$50,000.00	
Big Shoulders Fund Support for the Leonard and Bernice Lavin Scholarship Program. This grant is made from the The Leonard and Bernice Lavin Scholarship Fund of the Foundation.	\$60,000.00	
Chicago Women in Trades Project support for the Advancing Equity and Inclusion for Women in Construction Initiative to strengthen alumni offerings on career pathways in the construction sector from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$ 150,000.00	\$150,000.00
City Colleges of Chicago Foundation City Colleges of Chicago Foundation	\$150,000.00	\$ 150,000.00
Economic Awareness Council Economic Awareness Council	\$285,000.00	\$285,000.00
Enlace Chicago Project support for the LVEC College Pipeline Project benefiting current and incoming college students in the Little Village neighborhood from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
HIRE360 Project support for Hire360's Training, Mentorship and Alumni Services project to build on successful alumni services programming, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
i.c. stars Project support for the Launching Future-Focused Technology Careers initiative providing two years of workforce development in tech skills, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Illinois Collaboration On Youth In support of Illinois Collaboration on Youth's general operations to champion the safety, well-being and success of Illinois' children, youth and families.	\$50,000.00	
Instituto del Progreso Latino In support of Instituto del Progreso Latino's nursing education programs and completing Instituto College's final nursing program accreditation goals by meeting the final phase of fulfilling sustainability goals in becoming a Title IV school offering Federal Student Financial Assistance Programs.	\$143,000.00	
Lift, Inc. Project support for the LIFT Chicago Family Economic Mobility Coaching initiative providing holistic two generation coaching model with wraparound supports, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
National Able Network, Inc. Project support for National Able Network's Information Technology Career Lab program placing and supporting graduates into information career pathways, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
One Million Degrees General operating support for One Million Degrees Supporting Community College Students Initiative to improve student success in community college, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$ 700,000.00	\$700,000.00
Per Scholas Project support for Per Scholas Chicago: Pathways to IT Careers initiative preparing individuals for high growth careers in IT from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
Rebuilding Exchange Project support for Evanston Rebuilding Warehouse's Alumni Services Education program to strengthen career pathways in the construction sector, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
Revolution Workshop Project support for Revolution Workshop's Career Growth Services and Construction Professional Pre- Apprenticeship program to strengthen career pathways in the construction sector, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
Scholarship America General operating support for organization providing scholarships to boys who are high school graduates in Cook County.	\$457,000.00	

EDUCATION

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
The Art Institute of Chicago General operating support on behalf of the Eleanor Swartz Fund at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$216,200.00	
The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois In support of the UIC Advancing Racial Equity project, from the Searle Funds at the Chicago Community Trust.	\$85,000.00	\$85,000.00
The Chicago Community Foundation/Elevated Chicago Support for Elevated Chicago to hire a consultant, Rudd Resources, to assist in the planning and development of Elevated Chicago's Symposia and other events, and educational and communications materials to increase public understanding and support of ETOD across the City of Chicago, with a particular emphasis on communities of color.	\$250,000.00	
The Chicago Community Trust General operating support for the Chicagoland Workforce Funders Alliance's efforts to improve postsecondary workforce training and two-year college completion, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
The Partnership for College Completion In support of the Partnership for College Completion Illinois Equity in Degree Completion Initiative, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
University of Chicago Urban Labs Project support for the CCC Black Student Learning Agenda 2.0 initiative providing data on improving Black student success at City Colleges, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$185,000.00	\$185,000.00
UtmostU In support of the Utmost U program, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
Year Up Project support for the Supporting Diverse Tech Talent initiative removing systemic barriers to opportunity in the tech field, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00

HEALTH

TOTAL HEALTH GRANTS GRANTS: \$1,737,4520.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
AIDS Foundation of Chicago In support of an existing project for research and dissemination on barriers to Pre-exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) access in Illinois. Through a series of focus groups, AFC's Policy and Research teams will gather quantitative and qualitative data through the state of Illinois to better inform providers and advocates on the barriers being faced by communities in accessing PrEP and other sexual health services.	\$120,000.00	
Chicago House and Social Service Agency In support of Chicago House's work centered around wraparound services and social determinants of health as a method to end the HIV epidemic and support the goals of the Illinois in Getting to Zero plan of zero new infections by 2030.	\$90,000.00	
Equal Hope In support of a research project to investigate the factors contributing to the inappropriate utilization of emergency rooms for gynecological problems and to identify the barriers preventing women from seeking suitable follow-up care.	\$90,000.00	
Gift of Hope Community Foundation In support of Gift of Hope Community Foundation general operating to sustain and expand organ and tissue donations.	\$160,000.00	
Health & Medicine Policy Research Group Project support to advance medical education and research.	\$250,000.00	
Illinois Transplant Fund In support of Illinois Transplant Fund in their service to subsidize health insurance to individuals in need of an organ transplant. These grants must specifically be used to cover medical insurance premiums, a requirement for patients living in poverty to get on to the transplant list. In order to qualify for ITF support, applicants must: 1) have lived in Illinois for at least three years, 2) have started or are about to start evaluation in one of the Illinois transplant centers, 3) have family income below 200% in the federal poverty level and 4) requalify annually.	\$160,000.00	
Northeastern Illinois University General operating support to increasing access to non-traditional students in nursing in Chicago.	\$19,732.00	
Northeastern Illinois University General operating support to increasing access to non-traditional students in nursing in Chicago.	\$143,500.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Planned Parenthood of Illinois In support of Planned Parenthood of Illinois' continued family planning and related preventive health services to low-income individuals in medically underserved communities through Chicago and the Chicagoland region.	\$23,000.00	
Rush University Medical Center In support of RUSH University Medical College for scholarship funds for medical students with Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) status.	\$396,500.00	
Rush University Medical Center In support of RUSH University Medical College for scholarship funds for medical students with Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) status.	\$37,500.00	
Saint Anthony Hospital In support of Saint Anthony Hospital's Nurse and Community Health Worker Home Visiting program aimed at addressing chronic disease and social determinant of health inequities on the west and southwest sides of Chicago.	\$90,000.00	
The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois In support of University of Illinois Chicago's pilot project of developing an innovative integrative model of maternity care for Black mothers with high-risk pregnancies.	\$108,257.00	
University of Chicago In support of University of Chicago, Lupus Center in their ongoing studies of situ immune cell heterogeneity and spatial relationships in human lupus nephritis biopsies by developing new prognostic markers and identifying new therapeutic opportunities.	\$28,963.00	
University of Chicago Urban Labs In support of University of Chicago Urban Labs continued research on practices involving homeless service providers, homeless advocates, and the Chicago Continuum of Care, while promoting equitable housing, education and health outcomes in Chicago that alleviate human suffering.	\$20,000.00	

HOUSEHOLD WEALTH

TOTAL HOUSEHOLD WEALTH GRANTS: \$8,241,250.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Association House Project support for Association House's Workforce Training Programs: Financial Careers Training and Kitchen Training that provides participants with opportunities to gain the hard and soft skills needed to build life-long careers.	\$100,000.00	
Bottom Line, Inc. Project support for Bottom Line Chicago's Transforming Household and Community Wealth by Increasing College Completion Among First Generation Chicago Students Initiative which serves students from high school up to six years of postsecondary education and through six months post-graduation as students search for their first full-time job.	\$175,000.00	
Braven Project support for Braven's College to Career Fellowship, expanding economic opportunities for Black and Latine Chicagoans through strong first jobs.	\$100,000.00	
Bridges From School to Work Project support for Bridges from School to Work of Chicago's Initiative which improves employment and career outcomes for young adults with disabilities ages 18 to 21 by providing wraparound services to prepare them to succeed in good jobs with supportive employers.	\$100,000.00	
Brighton Park Neighborhood Council Project support of Brighton Park Neighborhood Council (BPNC)'s Financial Services and Workforce Development Program providing financial literacy skill-building, foreclosure prevention counseling, financial planning assistance, pre- and post-purchase homebuyer counseling, and connections to quality employment training and job placement opportunities in partnership with PODER.	\$175,000.00	
Cara Collective Project support for CARA's Comprehensive Workforce Development Supports and Compensation Initiative providing cash stipends to aid and incentivize job seekers' ability to secure and sustain a quality job.	\$200,000.00	
Carole Robertson Center for Learning Project support for the Grow Your Own Apprenticeship initiative providing educational and credentialing opportunities to community members	\$26,533.00	

HOUSEHOLD WEALTH

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Center for Community Self-Help The Center for Community Self-Help (Self-Help), in partnership with The Resurrection Project (TRP), the Hope Center Foundation of Chicago (HCF), and Lawndale Christian Development Corporation (LCDC), requests funding to support a proposal to Advance Sustainable Homeownership in the greater Chicago area.	\$280,000.00	
Chicago Commons Project support for Chicago Commons' Family Hub Initiative promoting economic mobility by addressing families needs through financial literacy, entrepreneurship, and job success skill development.	\$100,000.00	
Chicago Rehab Network To support the Center for Shared Ownership (CSO) - a collaborative effort between the Chicago Rehabilitation Network and the Chicago Community Loan Fund - in their efforts to preserve and support housing cooperatives, shared ownership models, and all other affordable housing options, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$ 150,000.00	\$ 150,000.00
Chicago State University Foundation Project support for the Chicago State University's Rise Academy, a first year tuition free student success program to promote student retention and graduation.	\$150,000.00	
City Colleges of Chicago Foundation Project support for City Colleges of Chicago (CCC)'s Patient Care Technician (PCT) to Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) Apprenticeship Project which will support the City Colleges of Chicago and its healthcare partners with tools to identify, screen, and build a support system for PCTs who wish to enroll in the PCT to ADN Pathway Program and achieve greater household wealth.	\$175,000.00	\$175,000.00
Defy Ventures, Inc. To support Defy Venture Illinois programs and services at existing and new sites.	\$75,000.00	
Evanston Rebuilding Warehous Project support for Rebuilding Exchange's Growing Building Trades Employment Pathways Initiative providing vocational training, skills development, and financial literacy to break cycles of poverty for trainees, graduates, and their families.	\$200,000.00	
FamilyFarmed In support of FamilyFarmed's programs.	\$100,000.00	

HOUSEHOLD WEALTH

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Farmworker & Landscaper Advocacy Project Project support for Farmworker and Landscaper Advocacy Project's Empower Immigrants to Entrance to the Workforce and Clean Records to Access Better Jobs Initiative which will help low-wage immigrants ages 15 - 26 apply for work permits and expungement to enter the workforce in the Chicagoland region.	\$115,000.00	
Greater Auburn-Gresham Development Corporation Project support for Greater Auburn Gresham Development Corporation's Community Wellness and Economic Empowerment Network Initiative which is designed to address key social determinants of health by enhancing educational opportunities, improving access to quality employment, and fostering overall financial health within Chicago's Auburn Gresham community.	\$100,000.00	
Greater West Town Community Development Project Project support for Greater West Town Community Development Project's Enhanced Occupational Skills Training and Career Pathways Initiative providing vocational training for adults through programs that incorporate technical skills training with wraparound services, post-program support and job placement.	\$200,000.00	
Greenhouse Scholars Project support for its Whole Person College and Post-College Young Leaders Programs which serves Black and Latine students from Chicago and offers supports to students during college years and for a decade following college.	\$100,000.00	
Habitat for Humanity Chicago Habitat for Humanity Chicago (Habitat Chicago) will create a new loan product, considering income, the availability of vacant land, percentage of owner-occupied units, and the diversity of housing stock. Habitat Chicago will implement this new loan program in partnership with two HUD approved organizations: Oak Park Regional Housing Center (OPRHC) and Far South Community Development Corporation (FSCDC). Both organizations have a history of preparing homebuyers in the Habitat focus neighborhoods, while also fulfilling a service gap for Habitat Chicago qualified buyers.	\$280,000.00	
Hope Chicago Project support for Hope Chicago's Two-Gen Model - Resources and Supports providing student and parent Scholars comprehensive wraparound supports to complete postsecondary education and workforce development opportunities.	\$ 175,000.00	
IMAN Project support for IMAN's Green ReEntry Program which combines wraparound services and classroom training to provide vocational job opportunities in fields such as welding and carpentry to residents of Chicago Lawn and Englewood.	\$100,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
JARC Project support for Jane Addams Resource Corporation's Empowering Chicagoans through Manufacturing Careers Initiative promoting economic empowerment through vocational training (welding, computer numerical control, and mechanical assembly), education and financial empowerment for Chicago adults.	\$200,000.00	
LIFT Project support for LIFT-Chicago's Growing Wealth by Investing in Families Initiative which partners with parents to achieve economic mobility through holistic, two-generation coaching that includes quarterly cash infusions.	\$175,000.00	
LiftUp Communities General operating support for LiftUp Communities effort to accelerate the stability and mobility of low-wage workers	\$180,000.00	
Loyola University of Chicago Project support for Loyola's Arrupe Continuing Scholars Initiative providing academic resources, career planning, and social supports to address barriers to bachelor degree completion.	\$145,000.00	
Loyola University of Chicago Project support for Loyola's Arrupe Continuing Scholars Initiative providing academic resources, career planning, and social supports to address barriers to bachelor degree completion.	\$30,000.00	
Metropolitan Planning Council Metropolitan Planning Council's Change Lab project, which is designed to build the capacity of housing leaders and lenders. Through the Change Lab, MPC will provide curriculum and technical assistance to help the early implementation of equitable lending products that were designed by the Home Lending Program grantees.	\$10,000.00	
Metropolitan Tenants Organization In support of Metropolitan Tenants Organization in their engagement and expansion of Chicago Healthy Homes Campaign with a focus on developing early intervention models aimed at prevention of eviction and health hazards, particularly for low-income families with children.	\$50,000.00	
Neighborhood Housing Services of Chicago NHS Chicago, the Chicago Urban League, Woodstock Institute, and Self-Help Federal Credit Union builds upon work from the 2023 cohort and seeks to leverage new findings and direction to create new systems that allow for more flexible and uniquely suited capital necessary for LMI borrowers.	\$280,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
North Lawndale Employment Network Project support for The Financial Opportunity Center (FOC) at North Lawndale Employment Network which provides participants with a network of coaches for job placement, retention, and crafting paths for economic advancement.	\$175,000.00	
Northern Illinois University Project support for Education Systems Center at Northern Illinois University (EdSystems)'s Scaling Transformative Advanced Manufacturing Pathways (STAMP) Initiative, a collective impact partnership between EdSystems Center, the Illinois Manufacturers' Association Education Foundation, and regional collaboratives that provide high-quality college and career pathways, robust work-based learning and in-demand industry credentials for Black and Latine students.	\$100,000.00	
P33 General operating support for P33's efforts to increase representation of Black and Latine individuals in the tech sector in Chicago, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust	\$400,000.00	\$400,000.00
Revolution Institute Project support for Revolution Institute's Partnership Pathway Initiative providing vocational training focused on electronic vehicle and charging station repair while integrating development essential for cooperative community ownership.	\$100,000.00	
Revolution Workshop Project support for Revolution Workshop's Construction Pre-Apprenticeship Program which combines technical vocational skills training with employability, executive functioning, and financial capabilities training to help participants chart a path to prosperity.	\$200,000.00	
Skills for Chicagoland's Future Project support for Skills for Chicagoland's Future's Equitable Hiring through Employer Practice Change and Career Pathing Initiative that addresses barriers to equity in hiring and provides Chicagoans with job opportunities that help their families and communities thrive.	\$200,000.00	
The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois Project support for UIC's Become a Strategic Learner Program aiming to reduce gaps in retention and accelerate time to graduation for first generation students.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
The Chicago Community Foundation/Connecting Capital & Community In support of Connecting Capital and Community's Buyer Pipeline and Inventory Strategy.	\$685,000.00	

HOUSEHOLD WEALTH

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
The Chicago Community Foundation/The Fund for Equitable Business Growth To help FEBG manage Next Level Exchange mentoring grant and advance the collaboration of BSO partnerships, particularly in the areas of capital access and educational resources sharing.	\$675,000.00	
The Chicago Community Trust General operating support for the Chicagoland Workforce Funders Alliance's efforts to create a more equitable workforce ecosystem	\$175,000.00	
The Chicago Scholars Foundation Project support for Chicago Scholars' Equity for Young Men of Color Initiative which will provide young men of color with the community, resources, skills and network to become economically mobile.	\$245,000.00	
Thrive Scholars Project support for Thrive Scholars' Expanding Impact for Economic Mobility Initiative which provides individualized direct-to-student support to Scholars on their six-year academic journey, including college advising, an academically rigorous program, social and emotional support, financial support, personal and mentoring, and career development.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
University of Chicago Urban Labs Project support for University of Chicago Urban Labs Inclusive Economies Labs' Closing the Racial Wealth Gap by Addressing Unmet Financial Need for Students of Color Initiative which will remove financial barriers to postsecondary success for students of color.	\$300,000.00	
UtmostU Project support for Network for Young Adult Success's UtmostU Post-Secondary Support Initiative providing comprehensive, tech-based, and data-driven programming to empower young adults in achieving their postsecondary and career aspirations.	\$115,000.00	\$115,000.00
Women Employed Project support for Women Employed's Health Care Careers Pilot Project Initiative to address barriers for healthcare staff who are trying to up skill into better-paying, in-demand healthcare jobs.	\$121,250.00	
Working Credit Project support for Working Credit's Building Credit and Economic Opportunities for Black and Latine Students at CCC Initiative providing credit building education and one-on-one counseling and coaching to enhance the financial stability and long-term financial security of post-secondary students, primarily Black and Latine individuals, at City Colleges of Chicago.	\$115,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Association House		
Project support of Xchange Chicago's Xchange Grand Crossing Initiative which expands services to develop tech apprenticeships, building wraparound services for supportive onramps into careers, and the creation of new business hubs operating on Chicago's South Side.	\$115,000.00	

ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITMENTS

TOTAL ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITMENTS GRANTS: \$3,221,863.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
A Just Harvest In support of the Second Annual Freedom Concert.	\$5,000.00	
AACF In support of Spring Forward, AACF's Youth Empowerment Fundraiser.	\$2,500.00	
Accelerator for America In support of the Advisory Council Meeting.	\$10,000.00	
Adler University In support of Building Community for Social Justice Campus Celebration.	\$5,000.00	
AdNet In support of the AdNet Conference 2024.	\$5,000.00	
Area III In support of the Area III 48th Leadership Conference.	\$5,000.00	
ART WORKS Projects In support of Storytelling for Change Public Engagement Events.	\$5,000.00	
Asian American Coalition of Chicago In support of the 41st Lunar New Year Celebration.	\$2,500.00	
Association House In support of the Association House and LUCHA merger.	\$125,000.00	
Austin African American Business Networking Association In support of Austin P.O.W.E.R. 5K.	\$5,000.00	
Austin Coming Together In support of 2024 ACT Membership Awards.	\$5,000.00	
Austin Coming Together In support of the 2023 ACT Membership Awards: Celebrating a Decade of Dedication.	\$5,000.00	
Better Boys Foundation In support of the Building Brighter Futures Center for the Arts 3rd Annual Galaween.	\$,000.00	
Beyond Hunger In support of Healthy Chef Challenge.	\$2,500.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Black Girls Dance In support of Mary, A Holiday Dansical.	\$5,000.00	
Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago In support of the 75th Summer Ball.	\$10,000.00	
Bright Promises Foundation In support of the Bright Promises Foundation 2024 Awards.	\$5,000.00	
Butterflies N Effect In support of Parenting and Pancakes.	\$1,275.00	
Care For Friends In support of Power Hope.	\$2,500.00	
Casa Central In support of Two Thirds Strategic Planning Process.	\$15,600.00	
Casa Central In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
CFLeads In support of the Investor Campaign.	\$10,000.00	
Chapin Hall Support of the Equity First Summer Associates program to guide and support early-career scholars of color to pursue equity-centered applied research.	\$70,000.00	
Chicago Advocate Legal, NFP In support of Access to Justice Gala.	\$5,000.00	
Chicago Chess Foundation In support of 10th Anniversary Celebration.	\$2,500.00	
Chicago Commons In support of the 130th Anniversary Gala.	\$5,000.00	
Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership In support of Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership Support.	\$20,000.00	
Chicago Cultural Performing Arts & Media Alliance In support of the Violence Prevention Awareness Community Dinner.	\$2,500.00	
Chicago Foundation for Women In support of CFW 39th Annual Luncheon.	\$3,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Chicago Innovation Foundation In support of the Chicago Innovation Awards.	\$1,500.00	
Chicago Learning Exchange In support of the Brother Mike Awards.	\$10,000.00	
Chicago Urban League In support of the 63rd Annual Golden Fellowship Dinner.	\$10,000.00	
Chicago West Side Chamber of Commerce In support of Midwest Fashion Week: Fashion for a Cause. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Resilience Partners NFP.	\$2,500.00	
Chicago Women in Philanthropy In support of CWIP's Annual Luncheon.	\$6,000.00	
Chicago Women in Trades In support of Let the Sparks Fly! 2nd Annual Welding Art Gala.	\$3,000.00	
City Year In support of the Ripples of Hope Fundraiser.	\$5,000.00	
Civic Federation In support of the 2024 Annual Civic Awards.	\$10,000.00	
College Unbound In support of the College Unbound Board Retreat.	\$5,000.00	
Commonwealth Foundation Collective In support of 2024 PROjectUS NERD Prom.	\$5,000.00	
Communities In Schools of Chicago In support of Invest. Ignite. Inspire.	\$5,000.00	
Cornerstone Community Outreach In support of Hope for Homes Day 2024.	\$2,000.00	
Court Theatre Fund In support of Standing Ovation: A Celebration of Charlie Newell.	\$5,000.00	
Deborah's Place In support of Hope for Homes Day 2024.	\$2,000.00	
Delta Institute In support of the 25th Anniversary Celebration.	\$5,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
DePaul University Support of research, data analytics and technical assistance focused on homeownership and home equity for Black and Latine residents in Chicago.	\$125,000.00	
Dion's Chicago Dream In support of Dream Draft.	\$5,000.00	
Englewood Arts Collective In support of EAC activities The Other Art Fair and EAC helps residents of unBlocked Englewood with their 1st ever Block Party. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Folded Map Project.	\$2,500.00	
Erie Neighborhood House In support of the Future of Promise Futuro de Promesa Awards Dinner.	\$5,000.00	
Facing Forward to End Homelessness In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
Faithful Few In support of The Spoken Word.	\$2,500.00	
Financial Health Network Funding for the Chicago Financial Health Pulse 2025 study on the financial health and wellbeing of Chicago's residents.	\$630,000.00	
Franciscan Outreach In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
Gads Hill Center In support of Many Paths, One Dream Annual Gala.	\$5,000.00	
Gambit Chicago In support of the 59th Street Garden Program and the Englewood Innovation Summit. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Resilience Partners NFP.	\$5,000.00	
Global Philanthropy Partnership In support of the Simmons Center for Global Chicago Symposium Series 2024.	\$5,000.00	
GoodKids MadCity-Englewood In support of the Englewood Gala.	\$5,000.00	
Guild Literary Complex In support of the Gwendolyn Brooks Open Mic Awards 30th Anniversary Event.	\$2,500.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
HACE In support of HACE's National Leadership Summit and Celebration.	5,000.00	
Heartland Alliance for Human Needs & Human Rights Support to stabilize safe harbor programs and services.	\$200,000.00	
Heritage Museum of Asian Art In support of Harmony in Diversity: AAPI Cultural Festival.	\$3,500.00	
Hey Benji Foundation In support of the Spring Benefit.	\$5,000.00	
HIP In support of Corazon Y Poder: Unleashing our Power conference.	\$10,000.00	
Historical Preservation Society of the Illinois Chapter of the Black Panther Party In support of Black Panther Party Heritage Trail in Illinois Launch.	\$2,500.00	
Holy Breath Conglomerates NFP Inc In support of Flags of Surrender.	\$2,500.00	
Housing Opportunities for Women In support of HOW 5K Plus.	\$2,500.00	
Hug a Child Make a Change In support of the 5th Annual Back to School Event honoring the late Janari Ricks.	\$2,500.00	
Humble Design In support of Welcome Home Chicago.	\$2,500.00	
Hyde Park & Kenwood Interfaith Council In support of the 3rd Annual Anti-Violence Summit.	\$2,500.00	
ICNC In support of Chicago Community Trust Leadership Team cooking class.	\$1,538.00	
ILA Creative Studio In support of Black Art Love Affair.	\$2,500.00	
ILBCF In support of "In It for the W.H.Y."-Policy Summit and Brunch.	\$5,000.00	
Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights In support of the ICIRR End-of-Year Celebration.	\$5,000.00	

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Illinois Unidos In support of the 4th Anniversary & CHW Celebration.	\$2,500.00	
Instituto del Progreso Latino In support of Una familia Annual Fundraising Gala.	\$5,000.00	
Instituto del Progreso Latino In support of the 2024 Una Familia Annual Gala.	\$10,000.00	
John Howard Association In support of the Annual Event.	\$2,500.00	
Kalapriya Center for Indian Performing Arts In support of the the fundraising event, She's Auspicious.	\$2,500.00	
La Casa Norte In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
Latino Policy Forum In support of Latinos on the Move: Claiming our Power.	\$5,000.00	
Latinos Progresando In support of MEX Talks.	\$5,000.00	
Leadership Greater Chicago In support of Celebrate Leaders.	\$10,000.00	
Leadership Greater Chicago In support of the Daniel Burnham Fellowship.	\$25,000.00	
Life Changing Family Services In support of Supporting Second Changes: A Fundraiser for Women Rebuilding After Incarceration.	\$5,000.00	
Little Black Pearl In support of Black Unplugged Fundraiser.	\$5,000.00	
Lugenia Burns Hope Center In support of the Hope Center Fundraiser.	\$5,000.00	
MALDEF In support of the 2024 Chicago Awards Gala.	\$2,500.00	
Mercy Housing Lakefront In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Metropolitan Planning Council In support of the 90th Anniversary Annual Event.	\$5,000.00	
Mikva Challenge Grant Foundation, Inc. In support of the 25th Anniversary Benefit.	\$5,000.00	
Minds Matter In support of Summer Cookout.	\$3,500.00	
Muslim Civic Coalition In support of the State of the Coalition Brunch 2023 – Rooted in Illinois, Impacting the Nation.	\$5,000.00	
NABJ Chicago Chapter In support of Chicago Nightcap Fundraiser.	\$5,000.00	
National Museum of Puerto Rican Arts & Culture In support of the 11th Annual Raices Gala.	\$5,000.00	
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National Public Housing Museum In support of A Place to Call Home: the National Public Housing Museum 2024 Gala.	\$5,000.00	
New Moms In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
North Lawndale Employment Network In support of the 19th Annual Sweet Beginnings Tea.	\$15,000.00	
OTV Open Television In support of #OTVTonight: A Window Into Love.	\$2,500.00	
PLAN4SUCCESS In support of the 9th Annual ELS Legacy Scholarship.	\$5,000.00	
Project Exploration In support of Project Exploration's Roaring 25th Anniversary Fundraiser.	\$2,500.00	
Project OneTen In support of the Summer Soiree Fundraiser.	\$3,000.00	
Puerto Rican Arts Alliance In support of Carlos Tortolero's Celebration Event.	\$5,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Reborn Ministries In support of the Gala for Garfield.	\$2,500.00	
Red Clay Dance Company In support of the Dance4Peace Concert.	\$5,500.00	
Reiki Brigade In support of Reiki Sessions and Classes for Incarcerated Youth.	\$3,000.00	
scaleLIT In support of Beyond Books.	\$5,000.00	
Serving People with a Mission In support of Igniting Change: The Rise of Servant Leadership; Program Graduation.	\$5,000.00	
SHE Society Incorporated In support of My Sister's Keeper.	\$5,000.00	
Sista Afya Community Care In support of Women in Wellness Awards Brunch.	\$5,000.00	
Sisters in Cinema In support of Sisters in Cinema Media Arts Center Grand Opening Week Event Series.	\$2,500.00	
Skills for Chicagoland's Future In support of the Annual Employment Champions Breakfast.	\$5,000.00	
Southside Together Organizing for Power In support of Youth Safety Summit.	\$2,500.00	
Spark Shop In support of Spark Shop's Annual Summer Fundraiser	\$2,500.00	
Star Farm Chicago In support of the September Soiree.	\$5,000.00	
Street Samaritans In support of Open Hearts Gala.	\$3,000.00	
Tellin' Tales Theatre In support of programming.	\$450.00	
The Art Institute of Chicago In support of the Black Harvest Film Festival.	\$5,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
The Black Star Project In support of Bronzeville's 4th Annual Juneteenth Community Celebration.	\$2,500.00	
The Brown House Experience In support of Trade Day (Southside).	\$5,000.00	
The Chamber Foundation In support of the 32nd Annual Daniel H. Burnham Dinner.	\$5,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Chicagoland Workforce Funder Alliance In support of the Third Annual Chicagoland Workforce Development Symposium.	\$5,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Truth, Racial Healing and Transformation Greater Chicago In support of SELFF Care Grant Closing Ceremony and Panel Discussion.	\$5,000.00	
The Chicago Community Foundation/Truth, Racial Healing and Transformation Greater Chicago Implementation of We Rise Together, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,000,000.00
The Chicago Community Trust General operating support for organization that advances racial equity through narrative change, relationship building, and advocating for equitable policies and practices.	\$325,000.00	
The Chicago Public Library Foundation In support of the Chicago Public Library Foundation Awards.	\$12,500.00	
The Chicago Scholars Foundation In support of Charting Triumphs.	\$5,000.00	
The Chicago Student Refugee Coalition In support of Day of Dignity.	\$2,000.00	
The Community Foundation of Will County In support of general operations.	\$100,000.00	
The Journey Forward In support of Families Spring Forward 2024.	\$2,500.00	
The Night Ministry In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	

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The Night Ministry In support of Hope for Homes Day.	\$2,000.00	
The Remix Project In support of Final Learning Music Production.	\$2,500.00	
This Is Life In support of Chucks & Pearls Fundraiser Brunch.	\$3,000.00	
Touch Gift Foundation In support of Hatch Day Reloaded Back-to-School Celebration.	\$5,000.00	
Umuwi Ethnic Studies In support of A Fireside Chat with Dr. Bettina L. Love and Dr. David Omotoso Stovall, hosted by Umuwi Ethnic Studies. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Un Learning Space NFP.	\$2,500.00	
Umuwi Ethnic Studies In support of A Fireside Chat with Dr. Bettina L. Love and Dr. David Omotoso Stovall, hosted by Umuwi Ethnic Studies. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Un Learning Space NFP.	\$2,500.00	
UNCF In support of the UNCF Chicago A Mind Is...Gala	\$5,000.00	
United Way of Metro Chicago In support of the Neighborhood Awards Luncheon.	\$5,000.00	
University of Illinois Foundation In support of UIC School of Music Latin American Music Festival.	\$5,000.00	
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Uplifting Health In support of Health for the Homeless.	\$5,000.00	
Urban Warriors In support of Community in Conversation 2024 Series.	\$2,500.00	
Voice of the People in Uptown In support of Sweet Home Uptown 2024.	\$5,000.00	
Wellness with Bella In support of the Black Youth Leadership Summit.	\$5,000.00	

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Women Employed In support of the 51st Working Lunch.	\$5,000.00
Woodlawn Chamber of Commerce In support of Celebrating Woodlawn, A Neighborhood Growing Stronger: Woodlawn Chamber of Commerce Winter Reception.	\$5,000.00
Youth Crossroads, Inc. In support of Youth Crossroads 50th Anniversary Celebration.	\$2,500.00
YWCA Metropolitan Chicago In support of the 52nd Annual Leader Luncheon: SHE the People.	\$5,000.00

POLICY CHANGE

TOTAL POLICY CHANGE GRANTS: \$5,004,000.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Arts Alliance Illinois To engage artists who are often contract workers in coalitions advocating workforce policy changes and building coalitions that advocate for policies that support workers in the creative economy with a focus on equity, access and racial justice.	\$45,000.00	
Center for Community Progress Efforts to inform the implementation of necessary property tax sale reforms and develop additional legislation to reduce vacant, abandoned, or deteriorated properties to preserve and increase wealth in Black and Latine communities	\$100,000.00	
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Center for Equity, Effectiveness, and Efficiency in Local Government In support of C3E's participant-centered approach to the research and development of DEI training that equip local government leaders and staff on how to operationalize racial equity, diversity, and inclusion into their day-to-day work and services.	\$75,000.00	
Center for Equity, Effectiveness, and Efficiency in Local Government In support of C3E's participant-centered approach to the research and development of DEI training that equip local government leaders and staff on how to operationalize racial equity, diversity, and inclusion into their day-to-day work and services.	\$75,000.00	
Center for Neighborhood Technology Continued involvement and leadership of organizations in this Transportation Equity Network coalition and other related coalitions.	\$100,000.00	
CHANGE Illinois To ensure the successful implementation of the State of Illinois' ban on prison gerrymandering to take effect in 2025 and build support for people- and community-powered, transparent ward redistricting, and improved ballot access.	\$50,000.00	
Chicago Community and Workers' Rights To support advocacy efforts that will create the policy environment where worker-owned businesses can thrive and have access to capital.	\$25,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Chicago Jobs Council For advocacy efforts that increase access to family-sustaining jobs and remove structural barriers to employment that disproportionately affect people of color.	\$100,000.00	
Chicago Latino Caucus Foundation General operations and administration of the Chicago Latino Caucus Foundation Leadership Academy which fosters a pipeline of Latine leaders ready to assume leadership positions in City elected and appointed positions.	\$75,000.00	
Chicago Lawyers' Committee for Civil Rights To provide general operating support for legal, policy, and advocacy initiatives that address systemic barriers to equitable housing, education, and economic opportunities.	\$50,000.00	
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Chicago Urban League To support the Chicago Urban League's Research and Policy Center for their participation in the Housing Policy Task Force.	\$75,000.00	
Chicago Votes In support of Chicago Votes's general operation to promote civic engagement and voting among young people throughout the city.	\$50,000.00	
Chicago Women in Trades Ongoing work to support legislation that will reduce barriers to workforce development.	\$75,000.00	
Civic Consulting Alliance General operating support to advance systems level solutions in partnership with the city and county to increase Black and Latine homeownership, increase economic mobility and build community wealth.	\$250,000.00	
COFI To support family-led and -centered policy and advocacy efforts around increasing income supports for low-income Black and Latine families.	\$125,000.00	
Covenant House Illinois In support of CHIL's Quality Assurance Initiative that will allow them to more efficiently comply with their current government grants, as well as sustainably scale their programming to offer housing and programming support for youth experiencing homelessness and other forms of instability on Chicago's Westside.	\$75,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
DEVCORP NORTH (dba Rogers Park Business Alliance) In support of Rogers Park Business Alliance to bridge funding that will sustain their support of Black and Latinx-owned small businesses while waiting for reimbursement from government grants.	\$50,000.00	
E.G. Woode In support of community outreach to bolster the co-creation of the Englewood CBT (Community Benefit Trust) which is a legal structure that allows local residents to have direct ownership in commercial real estate. Funds will be used compensate community partners and neighborhood residents to participate in the creation of the Englewood CBT structure and terms. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, TEAMWORK ENGLEWOOD.	\$14,840.00	
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Economic Security Project To support efforts that build momentum for policy reforms that improve economic security for Chicagoans and Illinoisans including guaranteed income, child and earned income tax credits and public options.	\$150,000.00	
Edgar Fellows In support of Edgar Fellows general operation to bolster the policy landscape of public sector, nonprofit, and elected leaders to develop policies and solutions to issues impacting Illinois and Illinoisans.	\$35,000.00	
Entrepreneurs Academy In support of Entrepreneurs Academy's capacity to better manage and apply for government grants to support their workforce development programming that helps returning citizens and people who have been involved in the justice system learn a skill or trade in which they can work independently.	\$75,000.00	
Forefront In support of general operations including membership, annual events, policy and advocacy initiatives, the Grantmaker Institute, and Mission Sustainability Initiative in order to strengthen Illinois' nonprofit sector.	\$150,000.00	
Forefront In support of the Equitable Access and Capacity Initiative, housed at Forefront, which is a time-bound initiative aimed at providing technical assistance and training to smaller nonprofit organizations to be able to access and comply with federally funded government grants as it aligns with the Trust's Equitable and Inclusive Economic Recovery Strategy.	\$250,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Housing Action Illinois To help Housing Action Illinois continue leadership of the Illinois Community Reinvestment Act (IL CRA) Coalition.	\$189,000.00	
IHCC In support of IHCC's capacity to manage grants and contracts they receive from federal, state, city, and county agencies that enable them to connect Latinx small businesses with government-funded programs to stabilize and help them grow.	\$100,000.00	
Illinois Action for Children To support the We, the Village coalition leading work to support early childhood workforce development and develop parents as advocacy leaders.	\$75,000.00	
Illinois Black Advocacy Initiative General operating support for economic and state budget advocacy efforts. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Metropolitan Family Services.	\$200,000.00	
Illinois Coalition for Immigrant and Refugee Rights To support coalition building efforts in its 2024 state platform aimed at creating equitable wealth policy informed by grassroots community advocacy.	\$140,000.00	
Illinois Legislative Latino Caucus Foundation In support of general operating support to increase representation of Latinx issues in policy advocacy and bolster Latinx leadership.	\$75,000.00	
Illinois PIRG Education Fund To advocate for reforms that protect consumers from utility and inequitable car insurance rate hikes.	\$50,000.00	
Ladies of Virtue In support of strengthening Ladies of Virtue's capacity to comply with government grants that fund their mentoring, out-of-school enrichment, and college readiness programs offered to Black girls.	\$50,000.00	
Latino Policy Forum General operating support to strengthen Latino Policy Forum's capacity to lead, inform and collaborate with others to realize its mission, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$325,000.00	\$325,000.00
Lawndale Christian Legal Center In support of increasing LCLC's capacity to comply with ARPA-funded grants while identifying replacement revenue to sustain the organization's ability to provide employment, housing, mental health, substance abuse, medical, and other social resources to justice-involved youth on Chicago's west side.	\$50,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Legal Action Chicago To support advocacy efforts to reform court-based debt collection practices and the delinquent property tax sale system that have a disparate racial impact on Black and Latinx individuals and households, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$85,000.00	\$85,000.00
Logan Square Neighborhood Association To support LSNA's administration, research, and coalition building efforts as part of the Illinois Community Land Trust Task Force.	\$75,000.00	
National Alliance of Latin American and Caribbean Communities Support Alianza America's coordination of a trip to Colombia and Mexico for public and nonprofit leaders in Chicago and Illinois to learn about the root causes of Venezuelan migration, and how these two countries respond to the surge in migrants settling in or transiting through them.	\$25,000.00	
New America In support of New America Chicago's Civic Space initiative to develop and advance community-informed solutions to increase financial security for low-income Chicagoans.	\$89,500.00	
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NHS Chicago NHS' continued leadership of the Housing Policy Task Force and its efforts to enhance the accessibility of homeownership for low-income people of color.	\$175,000.00	
One Fair Wage General operating support to advance efforts to increase income and quality employment opportunities for workers in the restaurant and gig workforce.	\$50,000.00	
Raise the Floor Alliance To support the leadership of, organizing and public policy campaigns for the Secure Jobs Act and Work Without Fear Act.	\$140,000.00	
Reform for Illinois To support general operation and efforts to increase transparency in electoral campaigns as well as ballot access for underrepresented groups.	\$25,000.00	
Small Business Majority General operating support for policy advocacy and systems reform efforts to increase access to capital for entrepreneurs of color in disinvested communities.	\$75,000.00	

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
The Partnership for College Completion To support the Coalition for Transforming Higher Education Funding and advocate efforts to increase equity in the state of Illinois' higher education funding formulas.	\$150,000.00	
The Resurrection Project In support of building The Resurrection Project's capacity to serve a sub-granting entity on behalf of government agencies to help deploy government funding to organizations providing human services.	\$100,000.00	
The Resurrection Project In support of The Resurrection Project's leadership in the Here to Work Campaign to help undocumented people obtain work permits.	\$7,000.00	
The Resurrection Project In support of The Resurrection Project's leadership in the Here to Work Campaign to help undocumented people obtain work permits.	\$93,000.00	
The Shriver Center on Poverty Law To support policy and advocacy efforts that will alleviate poverty and promote economic mobility among low- and moderate-income households.	\$140,000.00	
University of Chicago Urban Labs "(In)Sights: PhotoVoice in the Chicago Resilient Communities," an exhibition that captures the stories of impact of the City of Chicago's direct cash assistance pilot through the eyes of participants.	\$50,000.00	
Woodstock Institute Research, policy development, and advocacy efforts to expand access to safe and affordable loans for consumers, homeowners and small businesses.	\$250,000.00	
Workers Center for Racial Justice WCRJ's 2024 and 2025 advocacy campaign around policies intended to increase economic security and job quality for Black workers and families, and support returning citizens in the workforce.	\$50,000.00	
Young Invincibles Support of the Youth Advocates Program and to advocate for policy reforms and initiatives that address the higher education needs of young adults age 18-34.	\$75,000.00	

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

TOTAL SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS: \$4,648,000.00

	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Advocates for Urban Agriculture Support the continuation of the capacity building re-grant program and technical assistance for urban growers, aligning with the building supply-side skills strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$290,000.00	\$290,000.00
Angelic Organics Learning Center Support the launch of a regenerative livestock incubator program and farmer-focused training which aligns with the building supply-side skills and land access strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$135,000.00	\$135,000.00
Artisan Grain Collaborative Support Artisan Grain Collaborative's operations to enhance the network through membership engagement and programmatic work which aligns with the building supply-side skills strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Global Philanthropy Partnership.	\$235,000.00	\$235,000.00
Basil's Harvest In support of Regenerative Agriculture in the Heartland, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$50,000.00	\$50,000.00
Chicago Food Policy Advisory Council NFP Support the continued critical technical assistance for both institutions and suppliers to reach the goals of the Good Food Purchasing Program, in alignment with the strengthening supply-side business practices and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Elawa Farm Foundation Support to strengthen a network of Northern Illinois farmers to collaborate on market opportunities, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
FACT Support FACT in helping farmers establish and expand operations sustainably and increase the availability of locally produced proteins in the Chicago market, aligning with the strengthening supply-side business practices and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Faith in Place Support Faith in Place in helping the faith community contribute underutilized resources such as land, kitchen facilities, and labor to the success of a resilient local food system, in alignment with the land access, supply side skills, and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$125,000.00	\$125,000.00
FamilyFarmed Support Good Food Accelerator programming, which helps build the market for sustainable local food by helping food and farm businesses establish themselves and grow. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00
Fresh Taste Support Austin Fresh, a collaborative grant making program which increases access to healthy food and green space in the Austin neighborhood, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Austin Fresh is a renewal request for the fifth year and aligns with the building supply-side skills and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Forefront.	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00
Fresh Taste Support staff to allow for professional oversight and coordination, project management, and support of collaborative funding initiatives while also holding space for the emergence of new ideas and ways of working to support the local food system, in alignment with the attracting capital strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity and is critical to the work of reducing fragmentation in the food system. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Forefront.	\$90,000.00	\$90,000.00
Fresh Taste Support the North Lawndale Fresh collaborative grant making program, which increases access to healthy food and green space in the North Lawndale neighborhood aligning with the building supply-side skills and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Forefront.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
Fresh Taste For the Illinois Regenerate Agriculture Initiative, created to build a sustained research, education, and outreach effort in regenerative agriculture at the University of Illinois at Champaign, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Forefront.	\$270,000.00	\$270,000.00

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Green City Market Support Green City Market in providing local, sustainable farmers through media relations, marketing, and merchandising strategies, in alignment with the strengthening supply-side skills and attracting capital strategies of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$125,000.00	\$125,000.00
Grow Greater Englewood Support of Englewood Village Farms, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
Illinois Environmental Council Education Fund Support engaging coalition partners and educating decision-makers to create a strong local food economy aligning with the building supply-side skills strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity and helps to reduce fragmentation among organizations and advocates for local food system policy design, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
Illinois Stewardship Alliance To support Growing Farmer Leadership, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00
Just Roots Support providing technical support to neighboring, community-based organizations pursuing long-term urban agriculture initiatives on Chicago's near south side, in alignment with the strengthening supply-side skills strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$90,000.00	\$90,000.00
Liberty Prairie Expand the Liberty Prairie Farm Store and share stories of the farms, farmers and, food entrepreneurs, in alignment with the attracting capital strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
McHenry County College In support of Pathways to Farm Business Viability, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
NeighborSpace Support of food production on publicly owned underutilized land in Chicago and Cook County, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$80,000.00	\$80,000.00
Plant Chicago Support food access, markets and the indoor victory garden project aligning with the building supply-side skills strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$75,000.00	\$75,000.00

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	Total Grant	Searle Funds
Seven Generations Ahead In support of the Wasted Food Project, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$100,000.00	\$100,000.00
Star Farm Chicago To support the development and launch of a sustainable food hub facility and increase in urban farm production, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$150,000.00	\$150,000.00
The Chicago Community Trust Support to fund consultants and pay for any administrative costs related to the execution of the Food:Land:Opportunity programing, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$300,000.00	\$300,000.00
The Chicago Community Trust For administering the comprehensive set of activities to celebrate, evaluate, and plan for the future of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$200,000.00	\$200,000.00
The Conservation Fund Support the operations of the Chicago Metro/Midwest Farms Fund, a first-of-its-kind national conservation program established in the region by The Conservation Fund in 2022 to address secure and affordable access to farmland which aligns with the land access strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	\$305,000.00	\$305,000.00
The Land Connection Support ongoing development and activities of Illinois FarmLink to connect farmers and farmland owners, in alignment with the land access strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	250,000.00	250,000.00
The Land Conservancy of McHenry County Support the growth of the local food system in McHenry County by working with local landowners and supporting farmland preservation, in alignment with the increasing access to land strategy of Food:Land:Opportunity. Grant made from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.	135,000.00	135,000.00
This Old Farm Support to create a network of small meat processors to assess challenges and opportunities, from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust. Grant made via fiscal sponsor, Elawa Farm Foundation.	100,000.00	100,000.00
Urban Growers Collective Project support for forestry work on or near streets, parks, gardens, and natural open spaces. Also, to educate the general public on the history and benefits of forestry.	68,000.00	