

About Your Community Foundation

SILICON VALLEY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Our goal is to be a leading voice and catalyst for innovative solutions to the region's most challenging problems.

OUR HISTORY

Silicon Valley Community Foundation launched in January 2007 through the landmark merger of Community Foundation Silicon Valley and Peninsula Community Foundation.

We are one of the largest community foundations in the nation, and currently have \$1.9 billion in assets and more than 1,500 philanthropic funds under management.

- We provide grants through advised funds, our supporting organizations and our Community Endowment Fund.

- In 2007 the community foundation awarded \$242 million in grants, including \$8 million from our endowment, and received \$292 million in contributions.

OUR PURPOSE

Silicon Valley Community Foundation serves our growing region in these ways:

- We provide donors easy and effective ways to give, resources to identify causes and networking opportunities with other like-minded donors.

- We convene and engage community leaders to identify needs and effect change.

- We partner with nonprofits through grantmaking and strategic initiatives to address challenging issues.

HOW TO GIVE

We accept a variety of gifts. For more information, please contact us:

donate@siliconvalleycf.org
tel: 650.450.5444

HOW TO APPLY FOR A GRANT

Under our new grantmaking strategies, we will move forward to support, encourage and partner with nonprofit organizations and with public and private institutions advancing the most promising approaches in these areas: Economic Security, Immigrant Integration, Education, Regional Planning, and a Community Opportunity Fund.

To learn more visit our website or contact us at grants@siliconvalleycf.org

LOCATIONS

Headquarters

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San Mateo, CA 94402-3046
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San José, CA 95113-2336
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Free community conference space is available to nonprofits at our office locations. Please visit our website for more information.

LEARN MORE

www.siliconvalleycf.org



Silicon Valley Community Foundation is confirmed in compliance with National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations.

VISION, MISSION AND VALUES

THE VISION of Silicon Valley Community Foundation is to be a comprehensive center for philanthropy that inspires greater civic participation throughout San Mateo and Santa Clara counties.

THE MISSION of Silicon Valley Community Foundation is to strengthen the common good, improve quality of life and address the most challenging problems. We do this through visionary community leadership, world-class donor services and effective grantmaking.

WE VALUE:

- Collaboration
- Diversity
- Inclusiveness
- Innovation
- Integrity
- Public Accountability
- Respect
- Responsiveness



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SERVING SAN MATEO AND SANTA CLARA COUNTIES

your **COMMUNITY**

Our community has long been a welcoming region and a place where people come to achieve their dreams, both large and small. Today Silicon Valley Community Foundation is dedicated to inspiring greater opportunities and civic participation in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties.

We partner with those who want to give back locally, nationally and internationally and provide maximum tax advantages from the simplest to the most complicated charitable gift.

We offer our donor partners resources for implementing their philanthropic vision, opportunities to share ideas with others who have similar interests and access to our expert grantmaking staff.

We support, encourage and partner with nonprofit organizations and institutions that are advancing the best ideas.

Join us in making our communities better for everyone. Start by learning more through our growing online library of resources, including reports on key issues facing our region, the Silicon Valley Index of the strength of our economy and health of our community, and our study of corporate philanthropy in Silicon Valley.

BE PART OF THE FUTURE TODAY.

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