

## 2016 Grants

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### Greater New London - \$57,000

**Child and Family Agency of Southeastern CT, Inc.**, New London - \$3,000

*To support early childhood education for infants, toddlers, and preschool-aged children in New London and Groton*

**Connecticut College**, New London - \$3,000

*To support the Family Literacy Initiative*

**Eastern Area Health Education Center**, Jewett City - \$5,000

*To support the Youth Health Service Corps program*

**Eastern Connecticut Housing Opportunities**, New London - \$3,000

*To support administrative costs of the New London County Downpayment Program for low-income, first-time homebuyers in New London County*

**F.R.E.S.H. New London**, New London - \$5,000

*To support the FRESH Youth Leadership Program*

**Habitat for Humanity of Eastern CT**, New London - \$5,000

*To support the construction of an affordable home at 7 Killeen Road in Montville*

**Higher Edge**, New London - \$7,500

*To provide intensive college access and success programming to low-income and first-generation college-bound students from New London County and Windham*

**New England Science and Sailing Foundation**, Stonington - \$2,500

*To provide STEM education enrichment to middle school youth from the New London area through interaction with the environment*

**New London County Fund to End Homelessness**, Gales Ferry - \$5,000

*To support the Shelter Diversion and Rapid Re-Housing program in southeastern CT*

**New London Homeless Hospitality Center**, New London - \$5,000

*To support general operating expenses of the shelter and daytime hospitality center*

**New London PLTI Collaborative**, New London - \$3,000

*To support PEP programming in New London*

**New London Youth Affairs**, New London - \$2,500

*To support the Early Childhood Family Center*

**Riverfront Children's Center, Inc.**, Groton - \$5,000

*To support preschool instructional programming*

**The Arc of New London County**, Norwich - \$2,500

*To support the ARC SPARCS (Student Peer Advocates Raising Community Support) Program*

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### Hartford County - \$66,500

**Boys & Girls Club of Bristol Family Center**, Bristol - \$5,000

*To support Power Hour, a program to help drive academic success for school-age youth*

**Capital Community College**, Hartford - \$4,000

*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Connecticut Pre-Engineering Program**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To support CPEP Ventures in New Britain and New Haven*

**Coalition for New Britain's Youth**, New Britain - \$5,000

*To support New Britain's cradle-to-career community partnership*

**Consolidated School District of New Britain**, New Britain - \$5,000

*To support the Summer Enrichment Experience*

**Friendship Service Center of New Britain, Inc.**, New Britain - \$15,000

*To support the development of North Street Apartments, an affordable housing project in New Britain.*

**Greater New Britain Teen Pregnancy Prevention, Inc.**, New Britain - \$2,500

*To support the Education Component at the Pathways/Senderos Center*

**Klingberg Family Centers**, New Britain - \$5,000

*To support a vocational education program for special needs/at-risk students attending Raymond Hill School in New Britain*

**Plainville Community Food Pantry, Inc.**, Plainville - \$3,000

*To support the provision of basic human needs*

**Prudence Crandall Center**, New Britain - \$3,000

*To support the Permanent Supportive Housing program*

**Rebuilding Together New Britain**, New Britain - \$2,500

*To support home repair and rehabilitation services for low-income homeowners in New Britain*

**The Bridge Family Center**, West Hartford - \$3,500

*To support the Parent Leadership Training Institute (PLTI) program in West Hartford*

**Tunxis Community College**, Farmington - \$6,000

*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**United Way of Southington**, Southington - \$ 500

*To support the Annual Campaign*

**United Way of West Central Connecticut**, Bristol - \$1,000

*To support the Annual Campaign*

**Wethersfield Early Childhood Collaborative**, Wethersfield - \$5,000

*To support PEP programming in Wethersfield*

**YWCA of New Britain**, New Britain - \$3,000

*To support the STRIVE Youth Development program for middle school girls from New Britain*

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### Marketwide - \$189,487

**Charter Oak State College Foundation**, New Britain - \$5,000

*To support the Women in Transition (WIT) Program*

**Early Childhood Funders Collaborative**, Hartford - \$10,000

*To partner with state government to create and sustain a coordinated system of care and education for young children*

**Housing Development Fund**, Stamford - \$3,000

*To support the First Time Homebuyer Program*

**Jumpstart for Young Children**, New York - \$10,000

*To provide early literacy education to low-income preschool children in New Britain, New Haven, Storrs, and Windham*

**Liberty Bank Donald B. Wilbur Scholarship**, Middletown - \$1,000

*To fund a scholarship for a student from Liberty Bank's service area, in honor of former Liberty Bank board chairman Donald B. Wilbur*

**Liberty Bank Foundation Adult Education Program**, Middletown - \$34,000

*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Liberty Bank Foundation Early Literacy Grant Program**, Middletown - \$90,000

*To support early literacy programs in K-3 schools that assist in reducing the achievement gap between low-income students and their more affluent peers*

**Liberty Bank Foundation Scholarships**, Middletown - \$13,000

*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Liberty Bank Volunteer Hall of Fame Award**, Middletown - \$1,000

*2015 Volunteer Hall of Fame Donation - Marzena Bukowski*

**Liberty Bank/Rotary Club Thanksgiving Dinner Drive**, Middletown - \$57,487

*To match funds donated at Liberty Bank branches to provide Thanksgiving dinners for needy families*

**Local Initiatives Support Corporation**, Hartford - \$5,000

*To provide capacity building services and investments to affordable housing developers throughout Liberty Bank's footprint*

**Willard M. McRae Community Diversity Award**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To fund an award for a community leader who has championed the cause of diversity in Liberty's service area*

**Working Cities Challenge**, Hartford - \$60,000

*To support the Working Cities Challenge*

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### Middlesex County - \$116,950

**Adelbrook**, Cromwell - \$5,000

*To pay wages for work study training to high school juniors and seniors with developmental disabilities in Middlesex County*

**Business Industry Foundation of Middlesex County**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To support the Middletown Summer Youth Employment Program*

**Business Industry Foundation of Middlesex County**, Middletown - \$4,950

*To support the Hal Kaplan Middletown Mentor Program*

**Columbus House, Inc.**, New Haven - \$2,500

*To support the Middlesex Family Shelter & Services program*

**Connecticut Food Bank**, New Haven - \$3,000

*To support the Middletown Kids Backpack program*

**Green Street Teaching and Learning Center**, Middletown - \$3,000

*To support the Discovery After-School Arts and Science Program*

**HOPE Partnership, Inc.**, Old Saybrook - \$3,000

*To execute a social media plan aimed at building financial, volunteer, and community support for the creation of affordable housing*

**Mercy Housing & Shelter**, Hartford - \$5,000

*To support the Mercy Supportive Housing Services Program in Middlesex County*

**Middlesex Community College Foundation, Inc.**, Middletown - \$2,000

*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Middlesex County Coalition on Housing and Homelessness**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To support the geographic and financial expansion of the Coalition*

**Middlesex United Way**, Middletown - \$48,500

*To support the Annual Campaign*

**Middletown Emergency Warming Center**, Middletown - \$3,000

*To support an emergency winter warming center for homeless people in Middletown*

**Middletown Even Start Family Literacy Program**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To offset costs associated with the Family Lunch Program*

**Middletown Public Schools**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To support the 21st Century Learners in Action After-School Program*

**North End Action Team**, Middletown - \$5,000

*To support general operating expenses*

**Oddfellows Playhouse**, Middletown - \$3,000

*To support Theater Explorers, a theatre-based after-school program*

**St. Vincent DePaul Middletown**, Middletown - \$6,000

*To support the Meals and Community Assistance Programs*

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### Middlesex County *(continued)*

**The Connection, Inc.**, Middletown - \$3,000  
*To support the Eddy Shelter*

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### Naugatuck Valley - \$62,250

**BH Care**, Ansonia - \$500  
*To sponsor the Bowl-2-Benefit Fundraiser for the Umbrella Center for Domestic Violence Services*

**Boys & Girls Club of Greater Waterbury**, Waterbury - \$5,000  
*To support Project Learn*

**Bridge to Success Community Partnership**, Waterbury - \$5,000  
*To support the Bridge to Success Community Partnership, a cradle-to-career collective impact initiative*

**Children's Community School**, Waterbury - \$3,000  
*To support the Summer Bridges Program*

**City of Ansonia Police Department**, Ansonia - \$ 500  
*To sponsor Law Enforcement Appreciation Day*

**Greater Waterbury Interfaith Ministries, Inc.**, Waterbury - \$5,000  
*To support the Soup Kitchen and Emergency Food Pantry*

**Literacy Volunteers of Greater Waterbury**, Waterbury - \$3,500  
*To recruit and train volunteers who will teach local adults English, reading, and writing*

**Naugatuck Education Foundation, Inc.**, Naugatuck - \$1,000  
*To support educational programs that benefit students in the Naugatuck Public Schools*

**Naugatuck High School**, Naugatuck - \$ 750  
*To underwrite the cost of SAT Bootcamp for juniors at Naugatuck High School with financial need*

**Naugatuck Valley Community College Foundation, Inc.**, Waterbury - \$4,000  
*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Naugatuck/Beacon Falls Campership Fund, Inc.**, Southbury - \$1,500  
*To provide summer camping experiences for youth from Naugatuck and Beacon Falls whose families cannot afford to pay for camp*

**Neighborhood Housing Services of Waterbury**, Waterbury - \$2,500  
*To support the Almost Home Program*

**The Naugatuck Ancient Order of Hibernians**, Naugatuck - \$ 250  
*To provide meals on Wednesdays at the Naugatuck Senior Center*

**United Way of Greater Waterbury**, Waterbury - \$ 500  
*To support the Annual Campaign*

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### **Naugatuck Valley** *(continued)*

**United Way of Greater Waterbury**, Waterbury - \$3,000  
*To support the Flexible Assistance Fund to Prevent Homelessness*

**United Way of Naugatuck and Beacon Falls**, Naugatuck - \$2,000  
*To support the Annual Campaign*

**United Way of Naugatuck and Beacon Falls**, Naugatuck - \$13,000  
*To support the Annual Campaign (supplemental)*

**Valley United Way**, Shelton - \$1,500  
*To support the Annual Campaign*

**Waterbury Hospital**, Waterbury - \$4,000  
*To support the Summer Bridge Program*

**Waterbury Symphony Orchestra**, Waterbury - \$2,500  
*To provide support for an after-school music, cultural, and civic enrichment program for low-income Waterbury children*

**Waterbury Youth Service System, Inc.**, Waterbury - \$2,500  
*To support the Linking Academics to Life program*

**Wolcott Food Pantry**, Wolcott - \$ 750  
*To purchase food items for the Food Pantry and clients.*

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### **Greater New Haven - \$107,500**

**Agency on Aging of South Central CT, Inc.**, New Haven - \$2,500  
*To support the Experience Corps Tutoring and Mentoring Program*

**City of Meriden Youth Services Division**, Meriden - \$5,000  
*To support Summer Youth Employment in Meriden*

**Community Action Agency of New Haven, Inc.**, New Haven - \$5,000  
*To support the SMART Program (Single Mothers Actively Reaching the Top)*

**Community Soup Kitchen**, New Haven - \$5,000  
*To purchase food*

**Concepts for Adaptive Learning**, New Haven - \$4,500  
*To develop a three-year strategic plan for the future and viability of the CfAL organization*

**Connecticut Veterans Legal Center**, West Haven - \$5,000  
*To support legal services to help veterans avoid and recover from homelessness*

**Gateway Community College Foundation, Inc.**, North Haven - \$8,000  
*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**IRIS**, New Haven - \$5,000  
*To support the Summer Learning Program for refugee students living in greater New Haven*

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### Greater New Haven *(continued)*

**LEAP, Inc.**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support the Learning to Code Program*

**Liberty Community Services**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support the shelter diversion program*

**Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc.**, Meriden - \$5,000

*To remediate asbestos, radon, and lead issues in the domestic violence shelter in order to meet state requirements*

**Music Haven**, New Haven - \$2,500

*To support Music 101 intensive programming for third and fourth graders*

**Neighborhood Housing Services of New Haven**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support Phases II and III of the Affordable Rental Program*

**Neighborhood Music School**, New Haven - \$2,500

*To support the After-School Arts Academy program*

**New Haven Reads**, New Haven - \$3,500

*To support literacy programming for pre-kindergarten and kindergarten students*

**New Reach**, New Haven - \$3,000

*To support the Life Haven Emergency Shelter for Women and Children*

**Solar Youth**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support the Youth Educator internship program, which trains low-income teenagers to provide hands-on environmental education to younger children*

**Spanish Community of Wallingford**, Wallingford - \$5,000

*To support the Adelante America Youth Leadership Program*

**Squash Haven Inc.**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support the Afterschool Academic and Enrichment Program for Middle School students*

**St. Martin de Porres Academy**, New Haven - \$2,500

*To support the Graduate Support Program*

**United Way of Greater New Haven**, New Haven - \$4,500

*To support the Annual Campaign*

**United Way of Meriden and Wallingford**, Meriden - \$4,000

*To support the Annual Campaign*

**Women and Families Center**, Meriden - \$5,000

*To support Open DOHR, a vocational training program for low-income adults*

**Yale Peabody Museum of Natural History**, New Haven - \$5,000

*To support EVOLUTIONS, a science and college focused afterschool program*

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### Norwich/Willimantic - \$102,000

**ACCESS Community Action Agency, Inc.**, Willimantic - \$3,000  
*To support the Access to Employment Program*

**Catholic Charities Diocese of Norwich**, Norwich - \$5,000  
*To support the Emergency Basic Needs Fund and case management services*

**Connecticut Invention Convention, Inc.**, Hartford - \$5,000  
*To support CIC programming in Norwich during the 2016-2017 school year*

**Covenant Soup Kitchen**, Willimantic - \$5,000  
*To support the on-site meals program*

**Eastern CT Workforce Investment Board Inc.**, Franklin - \$7,500  
*To support the summer youth employment program in Eastern CT*

**Habitat for Humanity - Windham Area**, Willimantic - \$5,000  
*To support the construction of an affordable home at 199 Ivanhill Street in Willimantic*

**Holy Family Home and Shelter**, Willimantic - \$3,000  
*To support general operating expenses.*

**Madonna Place**, Norwich - \$3,000  
*To support the Family School Connection Program*

**Norwich Community Care Team**, Norwich - \$3,500  
*To support the Rapid Re-housing and Shelter Diversion program*

**Norwich Safety Net Team**, Norwich - \$2,500  
*To support the Golden Wishes Program and the Job Related Incidentals Fund*

**Nutmeg Big Brothers/Sisters**, Hartford - \$2,500  
*To support site-based mentoring programs at elementary and middle schools in the town of Windham.*

**Quinebaug Valley Community College Foundation**, Danielson - \$6,000  
*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**Sacred Heart Educational Center**, Baltic - \$2,000  
*To support the summer and school-year tutoring program*

**St. Vincent de Paul Place - Norwich**, Norwich - \$5,000  
*To support general operating expenses*

**Three Rivers College Foundation**, Norwich - \$8,000  
*To provide scholarships for low/moderate-income students with financial need*

**United Way of Central and Northeastern CT**, Hartford - \$8,500  
*To support the Annual Campaign*

**United Way of Southeastern CT**, Gales Ferry - \$15,000  
*To support the Annual Campaign*



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### Norwich/Willimantic *(continued)*

**Windham Area Interfaith Ministry**, Willimantic - \$3,500  
*To support the Unmet Needs Fund*

**Windham County Homeless Coalition/Continuum of Care**, Willimantic - \$3,000  
*To support the Windham Homeless Intervention Fund*

**Windham Regional Community Council**, Willimantic - \$2,500  
*To support the Windham Youth Core/GROW Windham*

**Windham Regional No Freeze Hospitality Center, Inc.**, Willimantic - \$3,500  
*To support general operating expenses of the shelter*

**Total Awarded: \$701,697**