

MARQUETTE GIVES

Midwest Regional Giving Committee Grants
\$350,000 to Minneapolis and Chicago Nonprofits

2008

During 2008, the Marquette Financial Companies Midwest Regional Giving Committee approved unrestricted general operating grants totaling \$350,000 to 37 nonprofit organizations serving residents of the Minneapolis, St. Paul, Minnesota and Chicago, Illinois metropolitan areas. Grants ranged from \$2,500 to \$20,000 for financial literacy education, affordable housing development, food shelves, and community economic development. The grants are considered and approved by a local committee in the region where Marquette operating companies are located.

Members of Marquette's 2008 Midwest Regional Committee and the MFC companies each represent are: Robert Rubenstein, Chair (Marquette Asset Management); Jenny Senecal (Marquette Financial Companies); Ann Bourg (Marquette Financial Companies); Greg Dames (Marquette Capital Partners); Tom Lake (Marquette Consumer Finance); David McFarland (Marquette Transportation Finance); Ed Ryczek (MFC Capital Funding) and Patrick Minea (NorthMarq Capital Group).

Marquette Financial Companies is a privately-owned financial services company headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota. For additional information about Marquette and its giving program, visit www.marquette.com.

Organizations receiving grants from the committee are:

Accessible Space, Inc.	\$7,500
Aeon Homes	\$10,000
Amherst H. Wilder Foundation	\$7,500
BestPrep	\$10,000
Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Chicago	\$15,000
Chicago Rehabilitation Network	\$10,000
City of Lakes Community Land Trust	\$5,000
CommonBond Communities	\$20,000
East Side Neighborhood Development Company, Inc.	\$5,000
FamilyMeans	\$5,000
Greater Chicago Food Depository	\$15,000
Greater Metropolitan Housing Corporation	\$15,000
HOPE Community	\$7,500
Housing Opportunities for Women	\$15,000
HousingLink	\$10,000
Junior Achievement of the Upper Midwest	\$5,000
Ladder Up-Financial Liberation	\$15,000
Latino Economic Development Center	\$5,000
Local Initiatives Support Corporation	\$15,000
Lutheran Social Services of Minnesota	\$5,000
Metropolitan Consortium of Community Developers	\$10,000
Metropolitan Economic Development Association	\$5,000
Minnesota Council on Economic Education	\$5,000
Minnesota Home Ownership Center	\$10,000
Neighborhood Development Center	\$20,000
Neighborhood Housing Services of Chicago	\$15,000
Neighborhood Housing Services of Minneapolis, Inc.	\$5,000
Peace Foundation	\$2,500
Plymouth Church Neighborhood Foundation	\$7,500
PRG, Inc.	\$5,000
Project for Pride in Living, Inc.	\$15,000
Salvation Army Northern Division	\$5,000
Second Harvest Heartland	\$7,500
St. Stephen's Human Services	\$5,000
Twin Cities Habitat for Humanity, Inc.	\$10,000
Twin Cities Local Initiatives Support Corporation	\$15,000
WomenVenture	\$5,000



MARQUETTE FINANCIAL COMPANIES PROUDLY DEDICATES 5% OF ITS PRE-TAX PROFITS TO PROGRAMS SUPPORTING AFFORDABLE HOUSING, FINANCIAL EDUCATION, COMMUNITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND HUMAN SERVICES

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