



NEW HAMPSHIRE
CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

Neil and Louise Tillotson Donor Advised Fund Committee

59 grants totaling \$2,129,616
March, June, September 2021

Grant awards were made to the following organizations:

Adaptive Sports Partners of the North Country, Franconia, NH received \$20,000 to increase sports and recreation programming for people with disabilities of Coos County.

Appalachian Mountain Club, Boston, MA received \$150,000 (over two years) to continue providing sustained, place-based, outdoor academic and youth development programming for youth, 4th through 12th grade.

Berlin & Coös County Historical Society, Berlin, NH received \$20,000 to complete the rehabilitation of the Maynesboro Stud Barn.

Bethlehem Redevelopment Association, Bethlehem, NH received \$50,000 (over two years) to support operations.

Bethlehem Trails Association, Bethlehem, NH received \$10,000 to continue designing and building a mountain bike skills park.

Brighton Community Forum, Island Pond, VT received \$20,000 to provide operating support.

Canaan Schools, Canaan, VT received \$10,000 to expand outdoor winter recreational opportunities for students

Catamount Film and Arts Company, Montpelier, VT received \$100,000 to purchase a mobile stage and support community events in Coös County.

Centre culturel et communautaire de Waterville, Waterville, QC received \$20,000 to develop user agreements with land owners and develop affordable outdoor programming.

Centre d'action benevole de la MRC de Coaticook, Coaticook, QC received \$17,472 to continue to support internet classes designed for the elderly and underserved and to maintain a tablet loan program.

Child Advocacy Center of Coös County, Lancaster, NH received \$20,000 (over two years) to provide operating support over two years

Cohos Trail Association, Lancaster, NH received \$12,500 to support a feasibility study focused on the development and operation of a building to serve as the association's headquarters.

Coös County Conservation District, Lancaster, NH received \$32,470 to purchase a 10' Great Plains No Till Drill to add to the Equipment Rental Program for farmers in Coös County and Essex County, Vermont.

Coös Cycling Club, Gorham, NH received \$27,500 to support the Gorham-based project to improve and expand mountain bike trails.

Coös Cycling Club, Gorham, NH received \$99,500 to improve and expand mountain bike trail networks in four North Country communities for ecological, economic, and community benefit.

Coös Economic Development Corporation, Inc., Lancaster, NH received \$10,000 to provide operating support.

Court Appointed Special Advocates of New Hampshire Inc., Manchester, NH received \$143,774 (over three years) to support the operations of CASA in Coös County to strengthen public awareness and increase the number of volunteer advocates for children in the judicial system.

Episcopal Diocese of New Hampshire, Concord, NH received \$10,000 to continue supporting the weekend Backpack program for five Coös County elementary schools

Essex County Natural Resources Conservation District, Brunswick, VT received \$10,000 to relocate an existing native tree nursery for improved access to resources and ability to accommodate more trees.

First New Hampshire Robotics, Nashua, NH received \$133,000 (over two years) to start and maintain FIRST robotics teams in schools and communities across the North Country, providing positive youth development and STEM workforce development opportunities.

Future Genius, Inc., Colchester, VT received \$6,000 to support weekly environmental summer camp opportunities for middle school students.

Garderie le Petit Moulin, St. Malo, QC received \$10,000 to purchase educational materials, furniture and equipment for a new daycare center in St. Malo.

Gilman Housing Trust, Inc., Newport, VT received \$70,000 (over two years) to support preventative medical services for seniors and community members with disabilities in Canaan, VT.

Gorham Public Library, Gorham, NH received \$7,811 to purchase a 5-year subscription to the NH Toy Library Network for Gorham and Berlin library users.

Great North Woods Center for the Arts, Colebrook, NH received \$20,000 to support unrestricted operating costs.

Harry Alan Gregg Foundation, Greenfield, NH received \$20,000 (over two years) to provide access to products and services to low-income Coös residents with disabilities.

Jefferson Public Library, Jefferson, NH received \$20,000 to purchase and install shelving for the new library building.

Kismet Rock Foundation, North Conway, NH received \$15,000 to provide scholarships for at-risk Coös youth to participate in a year-round development program.

MRC de Coaticook, Coaticook, QC received \$20,000 to design, build and promote 12 scenic lookouts as community gathering places throughout the MRC de Coaticook.

Municipality of Barnston-Ouest, Barnston-Ouest, QC received \$14,094 to create an interactive exhibit focused on the natural, cultural and historical significance of the Niger River area.

Nansen Ski Club, Milan, NH received \$15,000 to purchase a snowmobile-based grooming system and shelter.

New Hampshire Children's Trust, Inc., Concord, NH received \$20,000 to create a multi-media resource awareness campaign focused on family prevention supports.

New Hampshire Humanities, Concord, NH received \$4,200 to support established literacy programs and continuing education.

New Hampshire – Jobs for America's Graduates, Manchester, NH received \$75,000 to provide Berlin NH-JAG students with leadership, summer employment, and career training opportunities.

New Hampshire Public Radio, Concord, NH received \$20,000 to provide operating support for North Country operations.

NH Teen Institute for Prevention of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Inc., Manchester, NH received \$10,000 to provide camperships for 32 Coös-area middle school students to attend the Leaders in Prevention Program in 2022.

New Hampshire Institute for Civics, Concord, NH received \$30,000 (over two years) to support civics education programming in partnership with Coös County and northern Grafton County schools.

North Country Education Services, Gorham, NH received \$100,000 to promote quality social and emotional learning practices and policies in schools and organizations serving children and families in the greater Coös region.

North Country Health Consortium, Littleton, NH received \$300,000 (over three years) to provide operating support.

Northern Forest Canoe Trail, Waitsfield, VT received \$7,700 to establish public access to Nulhegan Pond and create a group campsite along the Connecticut River.

Randolph Mountain Club, Randolph, NH received \$20,000 to purchase and install solar-powered heat pump system at Stearns Lodge.

Ressource Communautaire en Sante Mentale "L'aveil" Coaticook, QC received \$41,565 to develop emergency accommodation services for vulnerable and at-risk community members.

Rozynski Center for the Arts, Barnston West, QC received \$24,810 to support facility upgrades to meet wheelchair accessibility and fire safety standards.

Rutland West Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc., West Rutland, VT received \$20,000 to support outreach and staffing of the HEAT Squad to increase household weatherization efforts.

The Salvation Army Northern New England Division, Portland, ME received \$6,000 to support the local food pantry, soup kitchen and emergency bill assistance program for community members.

Secret Sock Society, Franconia, NH received \$1,920 to purchase winter clothing and storage for North Country students for 2021/2022.

Special Olympics New Hampshire, Concord, NH received \$15,000 to establish Youth Activation Committees in 6 Coös high schools to advocate for the inclusion of students with disabilities.

St. Kieran Community Center for the Arts, Berlin, NH received \$1,300 to install fire safety signage and purchase an electronic "point of sale" system.

The Tilly Players, Colebrook, NH received \$2,500 to expand arts programming and events for local youth.

Town of Colebrook, Colebrook, NH received \$4,000 to expand year-round recreational programming for youth 7th - 12th grades.

Town of Stratford, Stratford, NH received \$20,000 to support renovations to the Meeting House (Grange Hall).

Tri-County Community Action Programs, Inc., Berlin, NH received \$30,000 to provide general operating support.

Trout Unlimited, Arlington, VT received \$20,000 to support a community-based outreach effort to design watershed restoration plans.

University of New Hampshire Foundation, Durham, NH received \$150,000 (over three years) to support technical assistance delivery by NH Small Business Development Center North Country circuit rider.

Vermont Energy Education Program, Montpelier, VT received \$20,000 (over two years) to provide STEM teaching partnerships, curricular resources and professional development over two years.

Victory Hill Sector, Victory, VT received \$20,000 to support youth trail work crews on Victory Hill's multi-use trail system.

VREC Vermont Rural Education Collaborative, Newport, VT received \$20,000 to diversify school library collections and offer sessions on equity for educators and community members.

Waypoint, Manchester, NH received \$7,500 to support families with children with chronic health conditions living in Coös County.

White Mountain Science, Inc., Littleton, NH received \$4,000 to expand the STEM Lendables Library to increase youth engagement.