

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dan Kellogg

Renton Community Foundation took major steps during 2006 that led to both transition and growth. First, we moved from an all-volunteer organization to one led by Executive Director, Lynn Bohart, FAHP. Second, we surpassed the \$3 million mark in total assets. Additionally, we increased our networking capabilities, the number of funds under management, services to other charitable organizations in town, and our ability to manage and grow the vital resources we hold.

I'd like to extend my sincere appreciation to all the volunteers who donated their skills and talents over the years to bring us to this point, and to the many donors who showed their support by making a gift. Together, we have created a powerful organization that will provide charitable resources long into the future and help to guarantee a higher quality of life in our community.

VISION STATEMENT

The Renton Community Foundation's vision is to shine as an educational, artistic and humanitarian light, stimulating a climate of generosity and charitable giving in the Renton area.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Renton Community Foundation's mission is to strengthen and expand philanthropy as a way to improve the quality of life in the greater Renton area. We work to:

- Increase the flow of charitable dollars to the areas of need;
- Pool funds to enhance investment returns;
- Facilitate the success of member organizations; and
- Build an endowment to provide needed resources for future generations.

2006 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Jay Covington
Norma Cugini
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Executive Director

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

RCF hired its first Executive Director and the first formal office space was established thanks to the generosity of Hadley Law Offices.

In October, the board met to develop a 3-year strategic plan that resulted in a newly stated mission/vision statement and logo.

RCF granted over \$40,000 through its Circle of Giving program and reached \$3 million in assets.

RCF responded to fund-holder feedback by increasing the frequency and improving the format of our donor & financial reports.

RCF launched The Foundation Roundtable, a quarterly non-profit discussion group aimed at building stronger partnerships with, and improving services to, our fund-holders.

RCF established two new funds: St. Matthews Lutheran Church Endowment Fund to respond to human needs and build a stronger community, and the Renton Rotary Lewis Argano Scholarship Fund to provide scholarships to graduates of Renton High School.

RCF GRANTS & DISBURSEMENTS MADE IN 2006

Donor-Advised Funds

Maxwell Fund for Youth & Families (13 mini-grants to local schools and groups) \$9,000
O.J. Harper Engineering Children's Needs Fund (to Renton Clothes Bank) \$10,500
Sam Chastain Memorial Scholarship Fund (recreational scholarships to low income families) \$1,500
Beth Donofrio Memorial Fund (to Soroptimist of Renton for Special Olympics) \$1,000

RCF General Fund

Circle of Giving grants (to 18 local organizations, including RCF General Fund) \$40,300
To the American Cancer Society \$250

Agency-Advised Funds

Budkis Charbonneau Fund for Senior Emergency Pet Care (to benefit approximately 43 seniors & their beloved pets) \$13,256
City of Renton Sister Cities Fund (to deliver police car to Cuautla, Mexico) \$1,908
IKEA Performing Arts Center Fund (to purchase a grand piano) \$27,910
Valley Medical Center (to benefit the Breast Care Center) \$6,789
Renton High School Excellence in Education (mini-grants to Renton High School) \$4,959
Hazen High School "Beyond the Basics" Fund (to renovate & equip weight room) \$14,071
Total Grants in 2006 \$131,443

CIRCLE OF GIVING 2006

In 2006, over \$40,000 was collected from a total of 53 donors - the most money ever! All donors giving \$1,000 or more were invited to recommend to the board how the money would be distributed back to the community. On January 12, 2007, RCF awarded grants to 18 local agencies that provide vital programs and services to our community.

2006 CIRCLE OF GIVING GRANT RECIPIENTS - \$40,300

Salvation Army Renton & The Salvation Army Food Bank	Renton Clothes Bank
Renton School District	Skyway Boys & Girls Club
Renton Technical College Foundation	40 Assets - Renton
Communities in Schools of Renton	Northwest Harvest Capital Campaign
King County Sexual Assault Resource Center	Renton Area Youth & Family Services
Renton Annual Art Show	Vision House
Allied Arts of Renton	Renton IKEA Performing Arts Center
Pediatric Interim Care Center	HopeChest
	RCF Discretionary Fund

2006 CIRCLE OF GIVING

Members

(Gifts of \$1,000 or more)

Jack Alhadeff
Jim & Char Baker
Warren Barber & Fontes, P.S.
Bjorn & Jacquie Bayley
Harry & Janet Blencoe
Don & Susan Bressler
Jay & Sharee Covington
Alex & Norma Cugini
Robert & Mary Cugini
Larry Cutting
Tom & Kathy Dahlby
Gary Faull
Dr. Dolores Gibbons &
Dr. Milt Snyder
Dr. Mary Alice Heuschel
Dr. Mike Hardy
Kaye-Smith Enterprises, Inc.
Dan & Nancy Kellogg
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Steve & Marcie Maxwell
Mike & Mary Miller
King & Bunny Parker
Piazza Renton
Jim & Joy Poff
Chuck Pepka

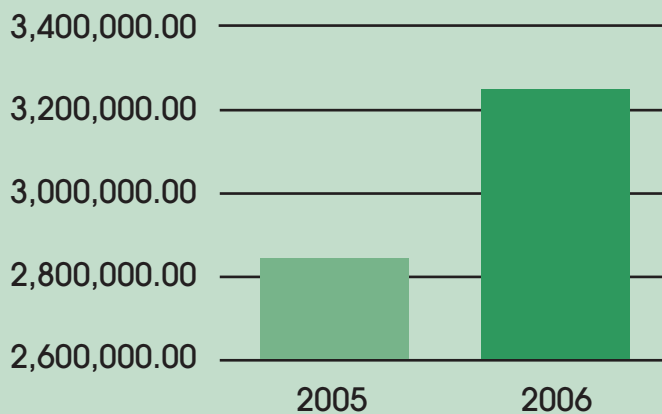
Don & Vicky Persson
Brian Quint
Robert & Elisabeth Rivily
Sally Rochelle
Richard & Cheryl Roodman
Bob Raphael
Tim & Kimberly Searing
Jim Sullivan

Donors

(Gifts of less than \$1,000)

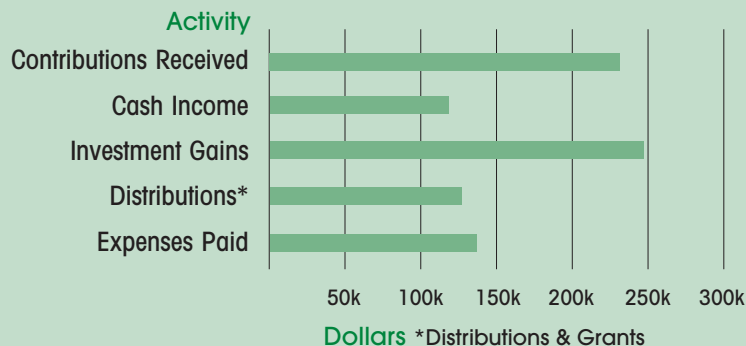
Nancy Osborn
John & Marsha Baumann
Michael & Janice Bernstein
Lynn Bohart
M. Celeste Brady
Ron Crockett
James & Carolyn Fenner
William Gaw
Dr. W. Michael Hairfield
Paul & Dorothy Henry
Bob & Kathy McBeth
McLendon Hardware
Rich & Becky Nickels
Dennis & Kathleen Stremick
Bill & Ekaterina Taylor
Chuck & Rondi Tiernan
Carmen Unti
Kirby & Kim Unti
Elaine S. Wells
Marlene & Roger Winter

Total Assets 2006



Steve and Marcie Maxwell present a grant from the Maxwell Fund for youth and families.

Fund Activity 2006



For more information on how to support the causes in your community, contact us at:

425 687-4622 or
www.rentonfoundation.org.