

Fall 2021 Grantees by Program Area

The Longwood Foundation grantees are working to create lasting impact for the residents, environment, and culture of the state of Delaware and southern Chester County, Pennsylvania. We are excited to announce the 28 fall 2021 grantees.

ARTS

Delaware Art Museum

\$1,000,000 in support of museum operations.

Cityfest

\$425,000 in support of their Urban Artist Exchange, a neighborhood revitalization project in Wilmington's East Side.

Friends of Hockessin Colored School #107

\$250,000 in capital support to restore the former school site and offer programming as a center for diversity, equity, and inclusion.

The Delaware Contemporary

\$100,000 in support of museum operations.

Rehoboth Beach Historical Society

\$30,000 in support of the purchase of a new heating, ventilation, and air conditioning system for the facility.

CIVIC

Wilmington Library

\$360,000 in capital support to expand the North Branch of the Library.

Leadership Delaware

\$200,000 in support of their operations and efforts to develop leaders in Delaware.

Caesar Rodney Institute

\$162,500 towards operations and strengthening their capacity and sustainability through the hiring of a Director of Development.

Delaware Safety Council

\$115,000 towards their efforts to build internal capacity and support membership development expenses.

Delaware Community Reinvestment Action Council

\$100,000 towards the operations and growth of their nonprofit law firm which assists with estate planning, contract law, tax planning and legal advice.

EDUCATION

Delaware Technical & Community College

\$1,200,000 to renovate and expand the Culinary Arts site at the Stanton Campus.

Summer Learning Collaborative

\$500,000 towards the expansion and continuation of their Community Mentor Network aimed at responding to COVID learning loss through year-round high-dosage tutoring.

United Way of Delaware

\$500,000 in support of the efforts of the Delaware Racial Justice Collaborative learning pod collaborative and Freedom Schools.

DelawareCAN (50CAN)

\$400,000 in support of general operations.

4th-Dimension Leaders

\$200,000 in support of general operations and scaling their Equity Practitioner Program.

ENVIRONMENT

Conservation Innovation Fund

\$200,000 in support of their Revolving Water Fund business model which addresses water quality issues in the Brandywine-Christina Basin Watershed.

HOUSING

Lutheran Senior Services

\$150,000 in capital support towards bathroom renovations.

SOCIAL SERVICES

Kingswood Community Center

\$1,600,000 in capital support for the construction of a new facility.

Center for Structural Equity

\$600,000 towards addressing structural violence and gun violence in Wilmington.

Reach Riverside

\$500,000 in support of their Hurricane Ida relief efforts. (off-cycle grant)

Amanecer Counseling & Resource Center

\$442,338 to address the shortage of licensed, bilingual, culturally responsive, and trauma-informed behavioral health professionals in the state.

SOCIAL SERVICES (continued)

Delaware Center for Justice

\$415,000 to build internal capacity and to support staff and board training in diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging, as well as in leadership.

Boys and Girls Clubs of Delaware

\$300,000 in capital support towards the expansion of their Oak Orchard Club facility in Millsboro.

Limen House

\$150,000 in capital support towards repairs to their women's sober living facility and to purchase vehicles for resident transportation needs.

American Red Cross

\$90,000 towards their Hurricane Ida relief efforts. (off-cycle grant)

Make-A-Wish Foundation of Philadelphia, Delaware & Susquehanna Valley

\$90,000 to build operational capacity in support of expanding their fundraising efforts.

United Way of Chester County

\$90,000 towards their Community Impact and Innovation Fund.

United Way of Southern Chester County

\$76,000 towards their Community Impact Fund.

Note that annual grant payments made to Longwood Gardens and the Community Education Building are not represented here.