



# City of Seattle Community Funding Programs

The city of Seattle has a wide variety of funding programs that can help you make Seattle a great place to live, work, and play. There are funds to support physical enhancements, the arts, youth, technology, community-organizing, and environmental projects in the community.

Read below for brief information about each of the programs.



### NEIGHBORHOOD PROJECTS FUND

Funds of up to \$90,000 used for small-scale improvements to neighborhood streets or for major park maintenance projects (coordinated by Seattle Department of Neighborhoods, Seattle Parks and Recreation, and Seattle Department of Transportation).

### ARTS FUNDING PROGRAM

Provides funds to organizations and individuals to support arts and cultural activities through five funding programs (coordinated by the Office of Arts & Cultural Affairs).



### SYVPI COMMUNITY MATCHING GRANT

Provides matching funds of up to \$20,000 to neighborhood organizations for projects serving youth participating in the Seattle Youth Violence Prevention Initiative (SYVPI) (coordinated by SYVPI/Office for Education).

### NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING FUND

Provides matching funds to neighborhood groups and organizations for neighborhood-initiated improvement, organizing, or planning projects. Awards range from \$250 to \$100,000 (coordinated by Seattle Department of Neighborhoods).



### BILL WRIGHT TECHNOLOGY MATCHING FUND

Provides matching funds of up to \$20,000 to groups to increase technology literacy and access and to enhance electronic civic participation (coordinated by Department of Information Technology).

### TREES FOR NEIGHBORHOODS PROGRAM

Provides free trees, water bags, training, and ongoing support to Seattle residents in an effort to increase the city's tree canopy (coordinated by Seattle Public Utilities).



### ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT PROGRAMS

Provides funding to promote collaboration between the city and the community to improve our environment and help make Seattle a healthier, cleaner and greener city (coordinated by Seattle Public Utilities).

### PARKS AND GREEN SPACES LEVY OPPORTUNITY FUND

Provides funding for community-initiated park development or property acquisition. Projects are completed by Seattle Parks and Recreation.



### BRIDGING THE GAP LEVY LARGE PROJECTS FUND

Funds used for large scale transportation projects (over \$100,000) that are proposed by the community. Projects are completed by Seattle Department of Transportation.

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**Below is contact information for each funding opportunity or visit [www.seattle.gov/grants](http://www.seattle.gov/grants).**

## **NEIGHBORHOOD PROJECTS FUND**

For general information: 206-684-0719

For parks-related projects: Susanne Rockwell, 206-684-0902

For street-related projects: Luke Korpi, 206-684-5069

## **ARTS FUNDING PROGRAM**

CityArtist Projects: Irene Gomez, 206-684-7310

Civic Partners: Kathy Hsieh, 206-733-9926

Neighborhood & Community Arts: Kathy Hsieh, 206-733-9926

smART ventures: Kathy Hsieh, 206-733-9926

Youth Arts Program: Irene Gomez, 206-684-7310

## **SYVPI COMMUNITY MATCHING GRANT**

Mariko Lockhart, 206-233-7915

## **NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING FUND**

206-233-0093

## **BILL WRIGHT TECHNOLOGY MATCHING FUND**

Delia Burke, 206-233-2751

## **TREES FOR NEIGHBORHOODS PROGRAM**

Jana Dilley, 206-615-1668

## **ENVIRONMENTAL GRANT PROGRAMS**

Waste Prevention & Recycling Matching Grants: Veronica Fincher, 206-233-2534

Food Recovery Infrastructure Grants: Carl Woestwin, 206-684-4684

Aquatic Habitat Matching Grant Program: Kathy Minsch, 206-615-1441

## **PARKS AND GREEN SPACES LEVY OPPORTUNITY FUND**

Susanne Rockwell, 206-684-0902

## **BRIDGING THE GAP LEVY LARGE PROJECTS FUND**

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