Funds Distribution Report



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Recipient Organization:

Bridge Disability Ministries

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Organization's General Goals:

Our services are shaped by our ecumenical Christian values. We do not discriminate against anyone because of race, religion, creed, gender, age, national origin, ethnicity, disability, sexual orientation or military status.

Date of Award: Level:

2018 Q2 \$2,501 to \$5,000

Specific Use for This Award:

This award was used for administrative and program expenses. For more information, please read the attached report from Bridge Disability Ministries.

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We are grateful for Tulalip Tribes' support of our 2018 Building Bridges Dinner and Auction held last September 29, 2018. Your grant of was used as one of the matching funds in our Make-A-Difference segment. Your gift helped us raised a total of \$130,000 in that segment from our guests that evening!

Expected Outcomes and Impact:

As the population in our service area rises, Bridge will be able to expand our programming to provide essential supports in the form of mobility medical equipment, social opportunities, and guardianship services—all of which aid individuals with disabilities to navigate their communities and live full lives.

In the coming year we hope to expand all of our service areas, providing more individuals with needed support, and deepening the quality of our already celebrated programs. We plan to keep pace with demand by distributing approximately \$5.2 million in mobility equipment to 3,078 to individuals in need. We also hope to expand our guardianship program, a move that will allow us to provide intensive support to 10-15 more people per year. Our spiritual connections program expects to provide almost 100 individuals with social and spiritual opportunities.

Historical Impact:

Bridge Disability Ministries has been a member of the Puget Sound disability advocacy community for over 30 years. In that time we have made our greatest impact among low-income people here in the greater Seattle area. In 2017 alone, we distributed \$4,100,000 in durable medical equipment to 2,749 individuals in need, served more than 75 people through our spiritual connections program, and provided 60 individuals with essential guardianship services. We have been recognized as a leader in disability services through the Seattle Foundation's Award for Innovative Programming, the Medina Foundation Management Excellence Award, and were recognized as a model for community ministry in the book "Spirituality and Intellectual Disability" ed. William C. Gaventa.







