



Funds Distribution Report

Recipient Organization:
Byrd Barr Place

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Seattle, WA 98122

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Organization's General Goals:

Our programs help Seattle residents with basic human services—a warm home, food on the table, and immediate financial relief—so they can break the cycle of poverty and build self-sufficiency.

Date of Award:	Level:
2018 Q2	\$2,501 to \$5,000

For more information, please read the attached report from Byrd Barr Place.

8802 27th Ave NE
Tulalip, WA 98271
TulipCares.org

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August 6, 2019

Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund
Marilyn Sheldon
8802 27th Ave NE
Tulalip, WA 98271

Dear Ms. Sheldon,

We are pleased to provide this progress report on the Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund's 2018 grant to Byrd Barr Place. Thanks to your generous contribution, we have maintained operations for our food bank to meet the needs of low-income families in Seattle facing hunger.

Background

For decades, Byrd Barr Place's (BBP) Food Bank has been serving low-income, high-risk Seattle residents. Our Food Bank serves 44,000 bags of food to individuals and families annually, offering a variety of nutritious food to the city's most vulnerable population. BBP's Food Bank also provides a home delivery service to meet the needs of the elderly, disabled and families with infants. Our food bags include fresh produce, meat, dairy items, bread, canned and nonperishable goods, non-grocery items (shampoo, toothpaste, paper towels, formula, baby supplies, etc.).

Summary of Project Plan

BBP's Food Bank helped thousands in 2018, distributing more than 615,793 pounds of food to Seattle families and individuals open 150 days of the year. The financial program support of the Tulalip Charitable Fund has helped us to keep up with the demand and continue to serve the diverse people that walk in our Food Bank each week as well as serve the elderly, people with disabilities, and families with small children through our home delivery program. Your support has directly impacted our Food Bank, nutrition program, and staff and volunteer levels.

Achievements

With your grant funds, BBP achieved the following:

- We have invested in training opportunities and volunteer cultivation activities to increase the retention rate of volunteers in our program to great success. Last year 5,147 hours were donated by volunteers.
- In response to the rising number of homeless clients accessing BBP's food bank, we worked with local markets to increase the amount of donated, ready-to-eat foods to prepare more "no-cook" bags for clients without access to a kitchen.



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- As part of the City of Seattle Community Connectors program we have a dedicated individual working out of the food bank to assist food bank clients apply for services and seek additional resources they qualify for. 80% of clients receive one or more inter/intra-agency referral each year.

Challenges

- We have had some employee turnover as our Food Bank Coordinator moved on to a new opportunity outside the organization. However we replaced him with an internal candidate and the Food Bank is back to full staffing levels.

BBP has continued to support our community, thanks to organizations like the Tulalip Charitable Fund. Your support allows us to offer a helping hand to those who are less fortunate through our food, housing, and education programs. Please share our deep appreciation with your team for your ongoing generosity.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "ac", is positioned above the name and title of the signatory.

Andrea Caupain
CEO

Our report code is Q2 2018 14.2.
The food bank served 5,200 unique individuals in 2018.
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