



Tulalip Charitable Contributions Funds Distribution Report

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GENERAL GOALS: We seek to bear witness to the radically transforming power of God's love.

SPECIFIC USE FOR THIS AWARD:

This grant was used to support the operations and programs of this Charity.

For more information, please see the attached report from Olympic View Community Church.



Olympic View Community Church

Outreach Youth Program

Tulalip Cares Funding Report

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Bobbi Dykema, PhD

2015-2016 was a tremendous year for the Olympic View youth outreach program. At least 85 discrete youth were served, ages 7-17, from across the North Seattle map. Youth from the Magnuson housing complex became a regular part of the group, as did additional youth from Nathan Hale, Roosevelt, and several alternative high schools.

One of the highlights for this fiscal year was sending 13 youth to the Church of the Brethren Western Regional Youth Conference at the University of La Verne in southern California. We gathered with youth from the Pacific Southwest district for a weekend of learning about the principles of Kingian nonviolence. Funds from Tulalip Cares helped support this important opportunity, and new leadership skills on the part of the youth who attended has been evident ever since.

Approximately [REDACTED] of our [REDACTED] grant went toward salary of our Director of Youth Ministry, which is a paid position at 8 hours per week. Craft supplies, back-to-school books, and Christmas gifts accounted for about [REDACTED]. The books were selected and given to students in the Seattle school district whose school year began late due to teacher strikes. [REDACTED] was used to support a number of youth in attending summer camp in August 2015, as well as Christian Citizenship Seminar in April 2016, which involved travel to New York and Washington, DC for one student to learn about issues of mass incarceration and then meet with her elected representatives to speak with them about this issue. [REDACTED] went to help sponsor the event 12 Baskets and a Goat, a performance of Ted & Co. in April 2016 which several youth participated in at the Seattle Mennonite Church.

We are grateful to the Tulalip Cares Charitable Foundation for its support of our youth program. One of our young men was accepted to Washington State University in Pullman for the fall, and many have been succeeding in school quite dramatically compared with last year. We have offered support for families, positive opportunities and experiences for youth, and a caring community for all who enter our doors. Thank you for helping us make a difference in the lives of these youth.