



TulalipCares.org

Tulalip Charitable Contributions Funds Distribution Report

NAME OF AGENCY: Operation Nightwatch

DATE OF AWARD: 2017 Q2

ADDRESS: 1265 S. Main St. #300, Seattle, WA 98144

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GENERAL GOALS: Operation Nightwatch reduces the impact of poverty and homelessness, in keeping with Jesus' teaching to love our neighbors.

SPECIFIC USE FOR THIS AWARD:

This award was used for administrative and program expenses. For more information see the following report from Operation Nightwatch.



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Dear Marilyn and Tulalip Tribes Foundation,

Thank you again for your support of Operation Nightwatch, and the \$2,800 you granted for our Bus Ticket Home and Back To Work projects.

A certain number of our homeless friends are simply stuck in Seattle. They have a place to go, but no way to get there. Often times they have an out-of-town relative or friend who will agree to give them a place to stay. Occasionally, there is a work opportunity which includes housing; and in very few cases we have a client who needs long term (six months or more) treatment of some kind. The goal of this program is to resolve someone's homeless condition. Since receiving the grant in September of 2017, we have assisted six homeless people in getting off the streets. These six went to family or friends in Kentucky, Maine, New York, Texas, and Georgia. Costs went exclusively for bus tickets and fast food cards so they could eat on their long journeys.

We also helped two homeless people with work-related support. One guy was able to secure his legal identification, and has returned to work. He continues to check in occasionally and is grateful for the help Nightwatch gave him, thanks to support from the Tulalip Tribes Foundation. A second worker we helped just got a living-wage job and should be able to move from the transitional program which has been housing her.



We have spent \$2,142.49 since September 13, 2017, and anticipate the balance will be gone in a few more months. The money is used directly for the clients served, with nothing for underwriting staff expenses or overhead. The balance of the \$2,800 is held as designated funds and cannot be used for other purposes.

Thank you again for this support and for all the ways that the Tulalip Tribes Foundation has been making this a better community for all.

Serving the Night Community in the Name of Christ

You may be interested to note that we have a nice working relationship with the Seattle Indian Service Center which relocated from the Pearl Warren Building to the Rainier Center building, directly across from Operation Nightwatch. We have been able to place several of their elders in our senior housing program which is on the upper two floors of the Nightwatch building, and serves formerly-homeless seniors aged 62 and older. I believe you have supported their program as well.

All the best to you and your members in your many interests.

Sincerely,



Rev. Rick Reynolds
Executive Director

Please come visit if
you get down this
way. All the best
to Tulalip Tribes
with love + appreciation
Rev. Rick Reynolds