



**CHARITABLE  
CONTRIBUTIONS**

8802 27th Ave NE  
Tulalip, WA 98271

**TulalipCares.org**

# Funds Distribution Report

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**Recipient Organization:**  
**Tacoma Historical Society**

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**Organization's General Goals:**  
Tacoma historians and history buffs formed the Society out of the need for a repository that would help Tacoma tell its story to visitors and future generations.

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<b>Date of Award:</b>	<b>Level:</b>
2018 Q1	\$400 to \$2,500

**Specific Use for This Award:**  
This award was used for administrative and program expenses. For more information, please read the attached report from Tacoma Historical Society.

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# TACOMA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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January 31, 2019

*Preserving, Presenting,  
and Promoting  
Tacoma's History*

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**Tulalip Tribes Charitable Fund**

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It is with deep gratitude that Tacoma Historical Society thanks you again for your grant of [REDACTED] that we received on May 31, 2018. Tulalip Tribes 14.2 funds provided operating support for basic facility rent, a vital part of our daily operations.

Your support comes at a time of transition and opportunity. We are currently looking forward to moving the retail and exhibit portions of our operations to Tacoma's historic Old City Hall. (The clock tower pictured in our logo.) Currently owned by the city of Tacoma, the building's sale and renovation is under negotiation, with an expected completion date in the fall of 2020. Once our place in that building is secured, we will move forward with finding a suitable location for our research center and safe storage of our collection items.

In the meantime, we have extended our current lease in the historic Provident Building to ensure continuity. Most importantly, with Tulalip Tribes community impact funds we have rented additional basement storage rooms. Volunteers moved bulky and oversized items downstairs, assuring that Tacoma Historical Society has room to continue accepting new donations during this transition period.

Thank you again for your help in supporting our efforts to safely preserve, present and promote Tacoma's history.

With much appreciation,

Deb Freedman, treasurer

Bill Baarsma, president

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