

# THE BARKER WELFARE FOUNDATION

**2018- 2019**

## ANNUAL REPORT & GUIDELINES

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The Barker Welfare Foundation is a private foundation established in Illinois in 1934 by Catherine Barker Hickox (1896-1970).

The mission of the Barker Welfare Foundation is to make grants to qualified charitable organizations whose initiatives improve the quality of life, with an emphasis on strengthening youth and families and to reflect the philosophy of Catherine Barker Hickox, the Founder.

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The September 30, 2019 unaudited asset value of the Barker Welfare Foundation was approximately \$79,000,000. Grants paid October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019 totaled \$3,271,229 and were awarded to 266 organizations. In addition, a matching grant program made payments of \$136,182 for a grand total of \$3,407,411.

### GENERAL POLICY:

Grants are made to tax-exempt organizations which have received a ruling by the Internal Revenue Service that they are organizations described in Section 501 (c) (3) and classified in Section 509 (a) (1), (2), or (3) of the Internal Revenue Code (publicly supported organizations and their affiliates).

In advance of submitting a request, a telephone call is suggested to determine if the organization seeking to apply for a grant falls within the current general policy of the Foundation. It is recommended that all inquiries be sent through The Barker Welfare Foundation website ([www.barkerwelfare.org](http://www.barkerwelfare.org)) under the "Funding Inquiries" tab. Before submitting an inquiry, it is advisable to read the written policy below. Correspondence can also be emailed to [SusanDeMaio@BarkerWelfare.org](mailto:SusanDeMaio@BarkerWelfare.org) or [MallorydemaioSorise@barkerwelfare.org](mailto:MallorydemaioSorise@barkerwelfare.org)

If a request for a grant appears suitable, a Grant Process sheet, a Grant Application Form and a Checklist of required information will be sent.

1. Grants are made to tax-exempt organizations which have received a ruling by the Internal Revenue Service that they are organizations described in Section 501 (c) (3) and classified in Section 509 (a) (1), (2), or (3) of the Internal Revenue Code (publicly supported organizations and their affiliates).
2. Consideration will be given to applications from institutions and agencies operating in the field of health, welfare, education, cultural activities and civic affairs, primarily serving the metropolitan areas of Chicago (see #3), New York City (five borough of NYC) and Michigan City, Indiana.
3. Funding for metropolitan Chicago is by invitation only (initiated by the Foundation).
4. Grant Requests for Charter Schools will be accepted by invitation only (initiated by the Foundation).
5. In general, as a matter of present policy, appeals for the following will be declined:
  - A. Organizations not located in nor directly serving the areas defined in #2.
  - B. National health, welfare, or education agencies, institutions or funds.
  - C. Scholarships, fellowships, loans, student aid and appeals from individuals.
  - D. Medical and scientific research.
  - E. Private elementary and secondary schools, colleges, universities, professional schools and trade organizations.
  - F. Films, program advertising, conferences, seminars, benefits and fundraising costs.
  - G. Start-up organizations, start-up programs, emergency funds, and deficit financing.
  - H. Lobbying-related or legislative activities.
  - I. Endowment funds and intermediary organizations.

The foundation's fiscal year is October 1 through September 30. The following grants were paid in the twelve-month period ended September 30, 2019.

**CHICAGO**

<b>Academy for Urban School Leadership</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Academy for Urban School Leadership</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
to help meet the \$1 for \$1 Challenge Grant.	
<b>Alternatives, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Art Institute of Chicago</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Department of Learning and Public Engagement (LPE).	
<b>B.U.I.L.D., Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Intervention Program.	
<b>Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Metropolitan Chicago</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Chicago Child Care Society</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for a pledge of \$15,000 when \$15,000 is raised for General Operating Support.	
<b>Chicago Commons Association</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for Family Hub Program.	
<b>Chicago Historical Society</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for second payment on a pledge of \$75,000.00 payable over 3 years for the ala Cart Learning Stations.	
<b>Chicago Lighthouse for People Who are Blind or Visually Impaired</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Beatrice C. Mayer Senior Center.	
<b>Chicago Lighthouse for People Who are Blind or Visually Impaired</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	
<b>Chicago Public Library Foundation</b>	<b>\$30,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years to create 10 Early Learning Labs at 10 high-needs library branches. This grant is in memory of James R. Donnelley.	
<b>Chicago Symphony Orchestra</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Negaunee Music Institute at the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.	

<b>Chicago Youth Centers</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for Out of School Time Program.	
<b>Classroom Inc. (Chicago)</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for a one-time grant toward the Million Words Read Digital Platform Component (\$550,000) of the \$1 million (\$1 for \$1) challenge grant.	
<b>Court Appointed Special Advocates of Cook County</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Erie Neighborhood House</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Child Care.	
<b>Field Museum of Natural History</b>	<b>\$50,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$150,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Native American Journey Exhibit.	
<b>Gads Hill Center</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for second payment on a pledge of \$75,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Brighton Park Early Childhood Education Center Capital Campaign.	
<b>Greater Chicago Food Depository</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Housing Opportunities &amp; Maintenance for the Elderly, Inc. (H.O.M.E.)</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Lyric Opera of Chicago</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for Lyric Opera's Unlimited Education and Community Engagement Programs.	
<b>Museum of Science and Industry</b>	<b>\$30,000.00</b>
for second payment on a pledge of \$90,000.00 payable over 3 year for the Air Conditioning Modernization Project for the Collections Department.	
<b>Noble Network of Charter Schools</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Planned Parenthood Illinois</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Chicago Health Adolescent and Teens (CHAT) Program.	
<b>Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Pediatric Charity Care Program.	
<b>Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Vocational Rehabilitation Program.	
<b>Thresholds</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for second payment on a pledge of \$75,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Homeless Families Program.	

<b>Youth Guidance</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support for the BAM and WOW programs in the Chicago Public Schools.	
<b>YWCA of Metropolitan Chicago</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>MICHIGAN CITY</b>	
<b>Citizens Concerned for the Homeless, Inc.</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support of Grace Learning Center, Keys for Hope, Community PADS Emergency Shelter and the Sand Castle Shelter.	
<b>Citizens Concerned for the Homeless, Inc.</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
for the Food Rescue Program.	
<b>Dunbrook, Inc.</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Family Advocates, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Friends of Barker Civic Center, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for Youth and Family Programs.	
<b>Friends of Barker Civic Center, Inc.</b>	<b>\$54,200.00</b>
for the Plaster Project.	
<b>Friends of Barker Civic Center, Inc.</b>	<b>\$43,500.00</b>
for General Operating Support.	
<b>International Friendship Gardens Music Festival, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for The Friendship Botanical Gardens 2019 Capital Improvement Initiative.	
<b>Jack &amp; Shirley Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Jack &amp; Shirley Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>
for a match of \$20,000 when \$20,000 for General Operating Support.	
<b>Junior Achievement (Michigan City)</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
for the Elementary Economics K-12th grade in all Michigan City Schools.	
<b>LaPorte County Meals on Wheels, Inc.</b>	<b>\$14,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$28,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Together we CAN Deliver Program.	
<b>Open Door Community Alliance, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Adolescent Health Center.	
<b>Open Door Community Alliance, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Medication Assistance Program.	

<b>Reins of Life, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Brooklyn Botanic Garden Corporation</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Exalt Youth</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Children's Education Programs		for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Save The Dunes Conservation Fund, Inc.</b>	<b>\$1,500.00</b>	<b>Brooklyn Youth Chorus Academy, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Fresh Youth Initiatives, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
for feasibility /assessment study for restoration of Michigan City's Barker House (former home of Marjory Barker).		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Choral Music Education and Performance Program.		for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Shirley Heinze Land Trust</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	<b>Carnegie Hall Corporation</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Friends of Wheels, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
To create signage for both Shirley Heinz & Save the Dunes.		for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Link Up in New York City		for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for To and Through College Program.	
<b>Social and Learning Institute for the Disadvantaged, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Center for Alternative Sentencing and Employment Services, Inc.</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>Girls Educational and Mentoring Services, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Youth Service Bureau of LaPorte County, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Central Park Conservancy</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>	<b>Girls Incorporated of New York City, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for first payment on pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$125,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Playground Initiative.		for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>NEW YORK</b>		<b>Central Park Conservancy</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>	<b>Go Project, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Adaptive Design Association, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	for prepayment on a pledge of \$125,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Playground Initiative.		for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		<b>Chess-in-the-School, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Goddard-Riverside Community Center</b>	<b>\$30,000.00</b>
<b>American Museum of Natural History</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	for first payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for first payment on a pledge of \$60,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 year for the Education Programs at the American Museum of Natural History.		<b>Children's Aid Society</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Good Shepherd Services</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
<b>Art Therapy Outreach Project Corporation</b>	<b>\$7,000.00</b>	for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Next Generation Center.		for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for the installation of a fire alarm and fire suppression system at Green House residential program in the Central Bronx.	
for final payment on a pledge of \$14,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		<b>Church of the Holy Apostles</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Grand Street Settlement, Inc.</b>	<b>\$35,000.00</b>
<b>Arts Connection</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for second payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years to support construction of the early childhood and youth program spaces.	
for first payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for general operating support.		<b>City Harvest, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>Grand Street Settlement, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>Asphalt Green, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	for first payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for prepayment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years to support construction of the early childhood and youth program spaces.	
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Recess Enhancement Program (REP).		<b>City Parks Foundation</b>	<b>\$9,000.00</b>	<b>Green Guerillas, Inc.</b>	<b>\$6,500.00</b>
<b>Association to Benefit Children</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	for final payment on a pledge of \$18,000.00 payable over 2 years for City Parks Learn.		for first payment on a pledge of \$13,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00; payable June 19 (\$12,500.00) & November 2019 (\$12,500.00) for two new therapy rooms: 115th Street Clinic in the East Harlem Health Action Center and the South Bronx Clinic - Early Childhood Therapeutic Center.		<b>Classroom, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Harlem Educational Activities Fund, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>Avenues for Justice</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for HEAF Continuum.	
for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		<b>Coalition for the Homeless, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Harlem School of the Arts</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
<b>Battery Conservancy, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the First Step Job Training Program.		for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 year for the Battery Urban Farm.		<b>Council on the Environment Inc. (GrowNYC)</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Health Advocates for Older People, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>Breakthrough New York, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	for first payment on a pledge of 25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Grow NYC.		for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Healthy Aging Program.	
for General Operating Support		<b>Door - A Center for Alternatives, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Henry Street Settlement</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
<b>Brooklyn Academy of Music, Inc.</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$45,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	
for first payment of a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for BAM Education Programs.		<b>Dorot, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,000.00</b>	<b>Hope Program, Inc.</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>
		for final payment on a pledge of \$24,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Homelessness Prevention Program and Aftercare Services.		for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	

<b>Hour Children, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Long Island Children's Museum</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for LICM4all program for visitors with physical and developmental disabilities.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	<b>New York Public Library, Astor, Lenox &amp; Tilden Foundations</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Summer Reading Program.	<b>\$17,500.00</b>
<b>Housing Plus Solutions, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Long Island Crisis Center, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>North Shore Land Alliance, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$75,000.00 payable over 3 years for the acquisition of the Humes Property, Mill Neck, NY.	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
<b>Hudson Guild</b> for a \$50,000 match when \$50,000 was raised for Renovation of the Fulton Neighborhood Senior Center.	<b>\$50,000.00</b>	<b>Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.</b> for the year-long study of the HD Live in Schools	<b>\$11,250.00</b>	<b>Operation Exodus Inner City, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the After School and Summer Achievement Program.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>Intrepid Museum Foundation, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Intrepid Museum Access Initiative.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$180,000.00 payable over 3 years for The Met: HD Live in NYC Schools only.	<b>\$60,000.00</b>	<b>Opportunities for a Better Tomorrow, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
<b>Island Harvest Ltd.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>Mind Builders Creative Arts Co.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Part of the Solution, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
Jacob A. Riis Neighborhood Settlement for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Minds Matter of NYC</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the College Acceptance + Success Program.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Partnership for After School Education, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Jericho Project</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Jericho Veterans Employment Program.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Momma's, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$7,000.00</b>	<b>Partnership with Children, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>King Manor Association of Long Island, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>National Dance Institute, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Peer Health Exchange, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support. In NYC only.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
<b>KIPP New York</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>Neighborhood Coalition for Shelter, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Per Scholas, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for Per Scholas New York Tech Training Program.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Lawyers Alliance for New York</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for Legal and Educational Assistance supporting Nonprofits that serve Children, Youth, Seniors, and Families.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	<b>Neighbors Together Corp.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Planned Parenthood of Nassau County, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Department of Training and Education.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
<b>LEAP, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>New Destiny Housing Corporation</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Planned Parenthood of New York City, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for Improving the Sexual and Reproductive Health and Knowledge of New York City Youth.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Learning Through an Expanded Arts Program, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Active Learning Leads to Literacy for English Language Learners (ALLL).	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>New York Botanical Garden</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Children's Education Program.	<b>\$25,000.00</b>	<b>Police Athletic League, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Youth Link Program.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Lenox Hill Neighborhood House, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for Older Adult Services program.	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>New York Common Pantry</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>Power My Learning, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Lincoln Center Institute: Focus Schools Program.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>New York Hall of Science</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Science Career Ladder (SCL) Program	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Prep for Prep</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Literacy, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Reading Buddies Program.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>New York Historical Society</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for New York Historical Society Education Programs.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Project Hospitality, Inc.</b> for relocation of Food Pantry.	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
<b>Little Orchestra Society/Orpheon, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Musical Connections: The School Partnership Program.	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>New York Landmarks Conservancy, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Sacred Sites Program.	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>Project Renewal, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Mobile Health Care for Homeless New Yorkers	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
		<b>New York Opportunity Network, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>		

<b>Publicolor, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,000.00</b>	<b>Search and Care, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Urban Dove, Inc.</b>	<b>\$14,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$14,000.00 payable over 2 years for Color Club.		for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for first payment on a pledge of \$28,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Queens Botanical Garden Society, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Service Program for Older People, Inc.</b>	<b>\$13,000.00</b>	<b>Urban Pathways, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 for Environmental Education Workshops for School Groups.		for first payment on a pledge of \$26,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Queens Community House, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Services for the Underserved, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Visions/Services for the Blind and Visually Impaired</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support for the Veteran's Services Division		for final payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years for VISIONS Vocational Rehabilitation Center for Legally Blind New Yorkers.	
<b>Queens Museum of Art</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Society of the Third Street Music School Settlement, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Wave Hill, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for the ArtAccess Program.		for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for to expand the School & Community Partnership Program.		for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for Wave Hill Education Programs	
<b>Reaching Out Community Services, Inc.</b>	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	<b>Solomon R. Guggenheim Foundation</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Whitney Museum of American Art</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$15,000.00 for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for On-Site School Programs.		for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating support of the Education Department.	
<b>Read Alliance, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>St. John's Bread and Life Program, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>Wildlife Conservation Society</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Read Alliance 2017-2018 School Year and Summer Reading Programs.		for first payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for Sustaining Conservation Education in New York and Beyond.	
<b>Reading Team</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>St. Luke's Chamber Ensemble, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>You Gotta Believe! The Older Child Adoption &amp; Permanency Movement</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for OSL Community and Education Programs.		for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Red Hook Initiative, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Stanley M. Isaacs Neighborhood Center</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Young Peoples Chorus of New York City, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for School Choruses Program.	
<b>Resources for Children with Special Needs, Inc. (Include NYC)</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Staten Island Children's Museum at Snug Harbor</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Other</b>	
for final payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Family Engagement Project.		Each year the Directors sponsor a limited number of proposals that (1) do not fall within the geographic areas described in #1 of the General Policy or (2) are organizations of special interest to the members of the founder's family or (3) are organizations that are of interest to the directors or were of interest to the founder.	
<b>Rocking the Boat, Inc.</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>	<b>Staten Island Institute of Arts and Sciences</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Assistance Dogs of the West</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for the thermal upgrade project being administered by the NYC Economic Development Corp.		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for Title 1 Education Program.		for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>ROW New York</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Strive International, Inc.</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>	<b>Astor Services for Families and Children</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for positive behavioral interventions and support (PBIS).	
<b>ROW New York</b>	<b>\$40,000.00</b>	<b>Student Leadership Network</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Avenues for Justice</b>	<b>\$3,015.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Community Boathouse & Learning Center Capital Campaign.		for final payment on a \$25,000.00 pledge payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		for General Operating Support.	
<b>Safe Horizon, Inc.</b>	<b>\$12,500.00</b>	<b>Sunnyside Community Services, Inc.</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Boys &amp; Girls Club Ridgefield</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 2 years for Five Fully Co-located Child Advocacy Centers (CAC).		for final payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.		first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	
<b>Safe Horizon, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Trust for Public Land-NYC</b>	<b>\$17,500.00</b>	<b>Boys &amp; Girls Club Ridgefield</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the StreetWork Program.		for first payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for Capital for the Playground Program.		for General Operating Support.	
<b>Sanctuary for Families, Inc.</b>	<b>\$20,000.00</b>	<b>Union Settlement Association of New York</b>	<b>\$15,000.00</b>	<b>Boys and Girls Club of Palm Beach County, Inc.</b>	<b>\$52,350.00</b>
for final payment on a pledge of \$40,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for first payment on a pledge of \$35,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support		for the Belle Glade Campaign.	
<b>SCAN New York Volunteer Parent Aides Association, Inc.</b>	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>United Neighborhood Houses of New York, Inc.</b>	<b>\$21,000.00</b>	<b>Boys' Club of New York, Inc.</b>	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
for first payment on a pledge of \$20,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Violence Prevention Program.		for final payment on a pledge of \$42,000.00 General Operating Support.		for the BCNY's Career Prep Program.	
		<b>University Settlement Society of New York</b>	<b>\$25,000.00</b>		
		for first payment on a pledge of \$50,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.			

<b>Brooklyn Youth Chorus Academy, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Choral Music Education and Performance Program.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>International Friendship Gardens Music Festival, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Pegasus Therapeutic Riding, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Caumsett Foundation, Inc.</b> for furniture and AV equipment for Environmental Education Classrooms.	<b>\$8,000.00</b>	<b>Jack &amp; Shirley Lubeznik Center for the Arts, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Philanthropy New York</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$4,850.00</b>
<b>Center for Alternative Sentencing and Employment Services, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Keeler Preservation Society, Inc.</b> for first and prepayment of the final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the Reintegrating and re-imagining the Keeler Tavern Historic Site.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Planned Parenthood of New York City, Inc.</b> for Improving the Sexual and Reproductive Health and Knowledge of New York City Youth.	<b>\$3,015.00</b>
<b>Chicago Historical Society</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Kids in Crisis, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for Safe Haven for Kids.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Power My learning, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$2,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$1,000.00</b>
<b>Citizens Concerned for the Homeless, Inc.</b> for GOS \$5,000.00, for Interfaith Community PADS; Homeless Men \$2,500.00, Homeless Women \$2,500.00.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Kitchen Angels, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Prep for Prep</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$3,015.00</b>
<b>City Squash, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>LaPorte County Meals on Wheels, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Prospects Opportunity &amp; Enrichment, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$7,500.00 payable over 3 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Communities in Schools of New Mexico</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Learning Through an Expanded Arts Program, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Reaching Out Community Services, Inc</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Door - A Center for Alternatives, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Manhattan School of Music</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for the MSM Outreach Program.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Reins of Life, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$4,400.00</b>
<b>Dunebrook, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$1,500.00</b>	<b>McLaren North Michigan Foundation</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Rhinebeck Science Foundation</b> for the General Fund.	<b>\$2,460.00</b>
<b>Esperanza Project for Battered Families</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>McLaren Northern Michigan Foundation</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years for Campaign for Building the Future of Health Care.	<b>\$40,000.00</b>	<b>Ridgefield Playhouse for Movies and The Performing Arts, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for Arts in Education Outreach Program.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Family Advocates, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.</b> for the year-long study of the HD Live in the Schools program.	<b>\$11,250.00</b>	<b>Ridgefield Playhouse for Movies and The Performing Arts, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$30,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Ridgefield Playhouse Capital Campaign Project.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>First Serve - NM, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.</b> for Lindemann Young Artist's Program	<b>\$10,000.00</b>	<b>Ridgefield Symphony Orchestra, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Founders Hall Foundation, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for Fitness Program.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.</b> for the HD Live in Schools.	<b>\$3,356.00</b>	<b>Ridgefield Veterans Memorial Community Association, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for Senior Luncheons for 2018-2019.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Girls Educational and Mentoring Services, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Museum of New Mexico Foundation</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 3 years for The New Mexico Museum of Art Centennial Campaign.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>	<b>Riverside Park Conservancy, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$14,000.00 payable over 2 years for Revitalizing Riverside's North Park.	<b>\$7,000.00</b>
<b>Girls Incorporated Santa Fe, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>National Dance Institute, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>Riverside Park Conservancy, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,000.00</b>
<b>Go Project, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>National Dance New Mexico, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>ROW New York</b> for the Community Boathouse & Learning Center Capital Campaign.	<b>\$3,015.00</b>
<b>Greater Chicago Food Depository</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>New York Common Pantry</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$3,828.00</b>	<b>Safe Horizon, Inc.</b> toward the \$50,000.00 match.	<b>\$10,000.00</b>
<b>Hope Program, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>New York Common Pantry</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>	<b>Saint Elizabeth Shelter Corporation</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
		<b>Norton Museum of Art, Inc.</b> for the New Norton Capital Campaign.	<b>\$30,000.00</b>		

<b>Sanctuary for Families, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>Santa Fe Botanical Gardens</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 2 years for Children Discover Nature.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>Santa Fe Recovery Center, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Services for the Underserved, Inc.</b> to cover direct service costs for Veterans that are not funded by existing Federal (VA) grants (i.e., housing, employment, transportation, etc.) in the Veterans Division at SUS.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Social and Learning Institute for the Disadvantaged, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$6,400.00</b>
<b>Solace Crisis Treatment Center, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$10,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Building Renewal Fund.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>St. John's Bread &amp; Life Program, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$8,015.00</b>
<b>St. John's Bread &amp; Life Program, Inc.</b> for the purchase of milk.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>St. John's Bread &amp; Life Program, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$5,000.00</b>
<b>St. Vincent's Hospital Foundation</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$25,000.00 payable over 3 years for the Capital Campaign for CHRISTUS St. Vincent New Wing and Private Rooms.	<b>\$7,500.00</b>
<b>Think New Mexico</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Thresholds</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$3,500.00</b>
<b>Visiting Nurse Association of Ridgefield, Inc.</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 over 2 years for the Well Child Clinics.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Wildlife Conservation Society</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$3,020.00</b>
<b>Wildlife Conservation Society</b> In honor of Libby DelGreco.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Women's Center of Greater Danbury, Inc.</b> for first payment on a pledge of \$5,000.00 payable over 2 years for General Operating Support and additional gift of \$250.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>
<b>Yale University - Art Gallery</b> for final payment on a pledge of \$100,000.00 payable over 3 years for General Operating Support for the Conservation Department.	<b>\$40,000.00</b>
<b>Youth Service Bureau of LaPorte County, Inc.</b> for General Operating Support.	<b>\$2,500.00</b>

#### HOW TO APPLY

To apply, a brief telephone call is suggested describing the organization and the request for which funds are being sought. You may now complete an online inquiry at [www.Barkerwelfare.org](http://www.Barkerwelfare.org). If the request falls within the current scope of the Foundation's interests, the applicant will be asked to complete an application and supply additional information as required.

The Foundation Board meets twice per year. For the spring meeting, completed proposals must be received before February 1 and for the fall meeting, before August 1.

Because the Foundation receives many more requests than it can fund, applicants may be notified at anytime during the process that funds are not available. Should we decline to support a proposal, we ask applicants to wait at least one year before reapplying. In accordance with The Barker Welfare Foundation's policies, we do not provide feedback of any kind on inquiries that have not been invited to submit a full application.

The Foundation cannot accept more than one proposal within a twelve-month period. Organizations who are approved for a grant will receive the funds approximately six weeks after the Directors meet. Please write to the office listed below:

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