

ROSE FOUNDATION
For Communities and the Environment
9/1/2005 – 8/31/2006

Environmental Restitution Funds		
<p>The Rose Foundation has developed a specialized program to act as trustee over restitution payments from litigation settlements, and administer grants to community organizations in conformance with the nexus of the settlement.</p>		
As You Sow Foundation <i>Shareholder Environmental Health Initiative</i>	\$25,000	For campaigns to create corporate and market shifts away from toxic ingredients in consumer products, including requiring supermarkets to label fish for mercury contamination, helping computer manufacturers develop e-waste responsibility programs, and eliminating carcinogens and toxins from cosmetics.
Bay Institute <i>Developing Key Components of a Delta Index</i>	\$16,000	To develop the Delta Index, which will educate the public about the ecological condition of the Delta, key stressors on the system, and opportunities to improve aquatic life.
California Communities Against Toxics Fiscal Sponsor: Agape Foundation <i>Travel Scholarships</i>	\$1,000	Travel Scholarships to annual toxics conference.
California Sportfishing Protection Alliance <i>Watershed Enforcers Project</i>	\$30,000	To build a new watershed monitoring and citizen enforcement network to protect sensitive watersheds from toxic pollution.
Center for Race, Poverty and the Environment <i>Emergency Funding</i>	\$1,500	To support community participation in agricultural runoff pollution regulatory hearings.
Clean Water Fund <i>Clean and Safe Water Initiative</i>	\$10,000	To improve the water quality of the San Francisco Bay and Delta regions by advocating and organizing health-protective clean-up plans; building momentum for pollution prevention through chemical polices that protect worker, environmental and consumer health; and facilitating community input into the development of risk reduction strategies for subsistence fishers.
Coalition for a Safe Environment <i>Consolidated Slip North Shore Restoration Preliminary Concept Plan</i>	\$3,599	To mitigate the impacts of the Port of Los Angeles on nearby communities by developing a wetlands restoration plan that would restore 20-30 acres of coastal waters and wetlands in the San Pedro Bay, which has already lost 99% of its wetlands.
Environment California Research & Policy Center <i>Clean Water Future for California (Delta Element)</i>	\$7,500	To help the State Water Board draft TMDL implementation policy that includes stopping new pollution from entering a polluted waterway, requiring cleanup of existing contamination, and ensuring sufficient flow to restore essential Delta habitat.
Environmental Law Foundation <i>Anti-degradation and Public Trust Project</i>	\$30,000	For a new, long-term project that would integrate two key legal theories – the anti-degradation clause of the federal Clean Water Act and the ancient “rights to waterways” concept of the Public Trust Doctrine – to create a comprehensive water resources protection framework.

Environmental Protection Information Center <i>National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Lawsuit</i>	\$15,000	To support a lawsuit that seeks to establish an important legal precedent mandating that logging operators obtain federal water pollution control permits for logging operations.
Friends of Sausal Creek <i>Community Outreach and Volunteer Recruitment</i>	\$10,000	For restoration and native re-vegetation of the 2,656-acre Sausal Creek Watershed, by marshaling hundreds of community members (including 80 different school, youth and neighborhood groups) who volunteer thousands of hours to help restore native plant communities and propagate over 35,000 native plants.
Ma’at Youth Academy <i>General Support</i>	\$15,000	For environmental education to increase academic achievement levels and improve the quality of life for communities of color and low-income residents in Richmond and West Contra Costa County. Projects include conducting safe fish consumption workshops at WIC clinics, health centers and high schools.
Natural Resources Defense Council <i>Ecwise</i>	\$25,000	To promote “Ecwise Certified,” a least-toxic pest control label. The project will recruit local governments, utilities, nonprofits and businesses to recognize and promote the certification, certify at least 10 pest control operators and generate widespread media coverage on the new label.
Natural Resources Defense Council <i>Western Water Project</i>	\$12,250	To encourage responsible management of state and federal water projects in the Delta, to improve Delta water quality, and prepare and implement an effective vision for the future of the Delta.
Northern California Grantmakers <i>Summer Youth Project</i>	\$1,000	Supports San Francisco Bay-related elements of a pooled fund that supports youth programs.
Pacific Institute <i>Costs of Goods Movement Project</i>	\$25,000	To help affected communities advocate for protection from the increasing transportation of good through their neighborhoods and communities.
Physicians for Social Responsibility, San Francisco Bay Chapter <i>Pediatric Environmental Health Toolkit</i>	\$10,000	For distribution of the “Pediatric Environmental Health Toolkit” that contains information that helps families reduce exposures to lead, arsenic, pesticides, asbestos, particulates and other common pollutants.
Restore the Delta Fiscal Sponsor: Friends of the River <i>General support</i>	\$35,000	Seed money to launch a new coalition of environmental, business and agricultural interests. The coalition’s goal is to find common ground amongst diverse interests to build a broad citizen-based campaign to restore the Delta by repairing levees, reducing pollution, increasing water flows, and creating a new state-run Delta Conservancy.
Revive the San Joaquin <i>Speakers Bureau Logistical Support</i>	\$5,000	Promote a collective stewardship ethic that sustains the economic, environmental, and recreational benefits of a healthy San Joaquin River.
River of Words <i>Re-membering Cordonices</i>	\$5,735	For a poetry and art contest that encourages environmental awareness and stewardship amongst young people. The Re-membering Cordonices project focuses attention locally on a major creek in Berkeley. A central feature of the project is the development of a curriculum that integrates historic wisdom regarding

		creek stewardship, the memories of elders in the community, and youth energy to examine and investigate current creek conditions.
San Bruno Mountain Watch <i>Water Pollution Litigation Project</i>	\$5,000	Watchdog the Hillside Landfill on the west slope of San Bruno Mountain for compliance with state and federal water pollution laws.
San Francisco Baykeeper <i>General Support for the Deltakeeper Chapter</i>	\$35,000	For protection and restoration of the Sacramento – San Joaquin Delta, the largest estuarine system on the Pacific Coast. Activities include investigating sewage spills; watchdogging of discharge permits; participating in the development of a mercury clean plan to address historic toxic contamination from old mines; watchdogging municipal stormwater discharge permits; advocating for the enforcement of new interim state rules designed to control agricultural pollution; protecting the Delta’s salmon fishery; and educating the public to build an informed constituency for Delta stewardship.
San Francisco Baykeeper <i>Healthy Waters Education Program</i>	\$45,000	To promote resource stewardship, increase knowledge of water quality issues and pollution impacts and encourage awareness of aquatic systems by educating high school and college students, government officials, community leaders and the public about the value of the San Francisco Bay-Delta estuary.
San Francisco Baykeeper	\$1,000	General Support
San Joaquin Audubon <i>For the Watershed Enforcers Project</i>	\$80,000	For citizen enforcement of state and federal water quality statutes in the southern Delta, San Joaquin River and tributaries.
Sierra Nevada Alliance <i>For Travel Scholarships</i>	\$2000	Supports travel scholarships allowing grassroots activists to attend a conference related to Sierra Nevada watersheds.
SPAWNERS (Fiscal Sponsor: The Watershed Project) <i>General Support</i>	\$5,000	For community-based stewardship of the San Pablo Creek watershed. Activities include organizing volunteer restoration activities, training students in habitat assessment and restoration, hosting an Adopt-A-Creek Day, and creating materials about creek restoration that are distributed through the local library.
Stockton Standing Up <i>General Support</i>	\$14,000	To protect the waters around the Port of Stockton from toxics that would be stirred up by a large-scale dredging project. The area has been contaminated by decades of use by the Navy.
Sustainable Conservation <i>Brake Pad Partnership</i>	\$9,940	For finalizing a comprehensive and technically accurate study of the deposition of brake pad debris to the San Francisco Bay. The study will be the basis for implementation plans developed in cooperation with manufacturers to reduce copper, and will educate the general development of copper TMDLs for the Bay.

Sustainable Opportunities in Land <i>Redwood Defense Project</i>	\$7,000	For protection of the redwood ecosystem in the Headwaters Forest area.
Tri-Valley Cares	\$180	General Support
TOTAL	\$487,704.00	

Northern California Environmental Grassroots Fund		
The Grassroots Fund is a pooled fund that helps to bridge the gap between organized philanthropy and small, community-based environmental organizations.		
Alpine Watershed Group <i>General Support</i> Alpine County	\$4,000	Support for citizen monitoring, watershed restoration, and "Alpine Creek Days" in Alpine County, which is the headwaters of 5 major rivers.
Berkeley Community Gardening Collaborative <i>General Support</i> Alameda County Fiscal Sponsor: Ecology Center	\$2,500	Empowering underserved people to become stewards of the land, eat healthy foods, and build community through participating in school, youth training and community gardens.
Butte Environmental Council <i>General Support</i> Butte County	\$5,000	Supports advocacy and litigation to protect one million acres of vernal pool habitat, and to protect northern California's dwindling water supply by preserving the lower Tuscan Aquifer.
California Communities Against Toxics <i>Annual Conference Travel Scholarships</i> Kern County	\$4,000	Travel scholarships for activists and presenters to attend an annual statewide conference of environmental health and justice activists.
Citizens for a Healthy Community <i>Preventing InEnTec Medical Waste Facility</i> Tehama County	\$5,000	Public outreach about the health hazards of burning medical waste and community organizing to oppose the siting of a medical waste incinerator near Red Bluff.
Citizens for Responsible Forest Management <i>General Support</i> Santa Cruz County	\$3,000	For watch-dogging of Timber Harvest Plans in the Central Coast Region, focusing on old-growth protection, riparian corridors, and protection of endangered Coho salmon and threatened Steelhead trout.
City Slicker Farms <i>General Support</i> Alameda County Fiscal Sponsor: Oakland Based Urban Gardens – OBUGS	\$5,000	For programs to increase food self-sufficiency for underserved populations in West Oakland through growing and distributing more than 20,000 pounds of locally-grown fresh organic produce.
Committee for Better Alpaugh <i>General Support</i> Tulare County	\$5,000	Leadership training and community education about environmental health issues that impact the predominately low-income Latino residents – most of whom are Spanish-speaking, monolingual farmworkers.

Common Vision <i>Fruit Tree Tour</i> Mendocino County Fiscal Sponsor: International Humanities Center	\$4,000	To help defray logistics of a 70 day, 40 school tour from Sacramento to San Diego planting over 1,000 trees. Plantings are integrated with West African agricultural drumming, hip-hop, sustainable ecology curriculum, and Common Vision’s veggie-powered forest-mural buses.
Community Clean Water Institute <i>Youth Action Team to Protect the Russian River</i> Sonoma County	\$2,500	An environmental science program for disadvantaged teens that covers the fields of water quality monitoring, ecotourism, watershed protection and restoration.
Community Water Center <i>General Support</i> Tulare County	\$5,000	Helping disadvantaged communities in the San Joaquin Valley advocate for safe, clean and affordable drinking water.
Concerned Residents Initiative <i>General Support</i> Sacramento County	\$4,000	Seed money to establish “first response” services and support to communities impacted by suspected disease clusters linked with environmental contamination.
EarthTeam Environmental Network for Educators & Teens <i>“Something’s in the Air” - An Air Pollution & Asthma Research and Action Project</i> Contra Costa County	\$4,500	Educate and activate high school students from low-income communities at 15 schools about the quality of air in their communities and the relationship between air pollution and asthma.
Ebbetts Pass Forest Watch <i>Community Action Program</i> Calaveras County	\$4,000	To educate and engage a broad base of emerging citizen and grassroots groups in local planning and environmental decision-making, especially around Calaveras County’s General Plan.
Ebbetts Pass Rivers and Trails Alliance <i>General Support</i> Calaveras County	\$4,000	To help open an office and visitor’s education center in an effort to protect and restore the rivers, streams and community trails of the Two Rivers region – encompassing the upper watersheds of the Stanislaus and Mokelumne Rivers.
Environmental Commons <i>Mendocino Partnership for the Precautionary Principle</i> Mendocino County Fiscal Sponsor: Redwood Coast Watershed Alliance	\$5,000	To watch-dog the implementation of the Precautionary Principle in Mendocino County. Mendocino County is only the second county in the entire U.S. to adopt this overarching policy framework.
Forest Issues Group <i>Sierra Framework Defense</i> Nevada County	\$5,000	Supports scientific research and litigation to halt the spraying of pesticides in the Tahoe National Forest by the US Forest Service.
Fresno Coalition Against the Misuse of Pesticides <i>General Support</i> Fresno County	\$5,000	For outreach about the health impacts of pesticides and to reduce toxic pesticide use in schools and neighborhoods. Also to translate materials into Spanish and Hmong, and promote alternative methods of pest management targeting landscape professionals.
Friends of the Dunes <i>Community Supported Dune Ecosystem Restoration</i> Humboldt County	\$2,000	To support hands-on volunteer restoration of the 80-acre Eureka Dunes Protected Area.

Friends of Garrity Creek <i>Save Garrity Creek and Habitat Project</i> El Sobrante, Contra Costa County	\$5,000	For legal assistance to preserve a spring-feed creek flowing into the San Pablo Bay that is being threatened by proposed development.
Friends of the Petaluma River <i>General Support</i> Sonoma County	\$2,000	Seed money to help launch a new organization dedicated to promoting community stewardship over the Petaluma River.
High Sierra Rural Alliance <i>Land Use Component of Urban Edge Boundary</i> Sierra and Plumas County	\$5,000	To protect Sierra Valley agricultural lands from urban development.
Kids in Parks <i>General Support</i> San Francisco Fiscal Sponsor: San Francisco Parks Trust	\$5,000	Experiential environmental education programs for students at two public middle schools serving mostly low-income families and people of color.
Klamath Basin Watershed Conference <i>General Support</i> Siskiyou, Modoc, Shasta, Del Norte County Fiscal Sponsor: Oregon-California Resource Conservation and Development Area Council	\$5,000	For a stakeholders conference that aims to create sustainable, community-based solutions to the crisis on the Klamath River. Stakeholders include farmers, ranchers, government employees, elected officials, tribal members, commercial fishermen and environmental groups.
Klamath Forest Alliance <i>General Support</i> Siskiyou County	\$5,000	For forest monitoring, advocating for the removal of dams on the Klamath River, prohibiting the use of dangerous pesticides by public land managers, and supporting environmental justice projects with the Klamath and Pit Rivers tribes.
Lassen Land & Trails Trust <i>General Support</i> Lassen County	\$5,000	For land preservation, development of a Lassen County Conservation Plan, and to hire an education director for summer nature camps for kids.
Mattole Restoration Council <i>Public Participation in Pacific Lumber's Mattole Watershed Analysis</i> Humboldt County	\$5,000	For geologic studies, stream surveys, and public education about Pacific Lumber's effort to decrease harvest restrictions, despite unstable terrain and downstream impacts.
MOMS – Making Our Milk Safe <i>General Support</i> Alameda County Fiscal Sponsor: Social and Environmental Entrepreneurs	\$4,000	Seed money to help launch a new environmental health organization seeking to build a grassroots movement of mothers to reduce chemical contamination of human breast milk through direct action, market-based campaigns and legislation.
Mount Shasta Bioregional Ecology Center <i>Save Medicine Lake Highlands Advocacy Project</i> Siskiyou County	\$5,000	Supports protection of the Medicine Lake Highlands from large-scale geothermal developments that threaten a near-pristine volcanic landscape and Native American cultural sites.

North Coast Action <i>General Support</i> Mendocino County	\$5,000	For community-based monitoring, research and outreach regarding the health hazards of toxic contamination of the 434-acre Georgia Pacific mill site, which stretches for four miles along the waterfront of Fort Bragg.
Northern California Recycling Association <i>Litigating to Overturn the Approval of the Potrero Hills Landfill Expansion</i> Alameda County	\$5,000	Legal challenge to the expansion of a landfill that leaches into the Suisun Marsh.
Noyo Headlands Unified Design Group <i>Outreach and Engagement</i> Mendocino County Fiscal Sponsor: Coastal Land Trust	\$5,000	For outreach, education and engagement of city planners, the coastal community and “green investors” regarding toxic clean up and sustainable redevelopment of the abandoned and heavily contaminated 434-acre Georgia Pacific mill site in downtown Fort Bragg.
OVC Foundation <i>Defense of Water Resources in the Owens Valley</i> Inyo County	\$5,000	Maintain legal pressure on the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power to implement court-ordered, but delinquent, mitigation projects in the Owens Valley.
Resource Restoration <i>Leadership Project</i> Mendocino County	\$5,000	To provide technical resources and assistance to a number of grassroots community organizations working to improve long-term forest and fisheries stewardship.
San Francisco Bay Flyway Festival <i>Flyway Festival Environmental Education Program</i> Vallejo, Solano County	\$5,000	For distribution of the environmental education program of the Flyway Festival, which provides free sessions on conservation, wetlands restoration, pollution prevention and wildlife protection to over 7000 people in an underserved part of the Bay Area.
Sebastopol Water Information Group <i>Sebastopol Area Well Monitoring/Public Education</i> Sonoma County	\$5,000	For well water monitoring, data collection and analysis to advance the understanding of local groundwater resources in order to safeguard a viable water supply for the future.
Solar Richmond <i>Richmond Solar Affordable Housing Program</i> Contra Costa County Fiscal Sponsor: West County Toxics Coalition	\$5,000	Solar installation job training program for at-risk youth. The youth will install solar panels on ten low-income homes.
Sustainable Nations Development Project <i>General Support</i> Humboldt County Fiscal Sponsor: Seventh Generation Fund	\$4,000	For intensive, hands-on training of Native Americans on the Hoopa Valley Indian Reservation in renewable energy technologies including micro-hydroelectric, solar and wind generation, as well as sustainable building techniques.
Travel Scholarships	\$2,900	Travel scholarships for 21 volunteers and staff of grantee organizations to attend fundraising training and organizational capacity building conference in San Francisco.

West Oakland Asthma Coalition <i>General Support</i> Alameda County	\$4,500	Community education about the environmental causes of asthma in a neighborhood where children are seven times more likely to be hospitalized for asthma than other children in California.
Wilderness Art & Literacy Collaborative <i>General Support</i> San Francisco Fiscal Sponsor: Tides Foundation	\$4,000	For habitat restoration and field studies in McLaren Park and Bayview Hill as part of an integrated environmental education curriculum serving at-risk students from Balboa High and Downtown Continuation High School.
Wildplaces Ecological Restoration and Education <i>General Support</i> Tulare County	\$5,000	Operational support for rangeland and oak woodland restoration projects; ranch stewardship tours in cooperation with local ranchers; youth education and career development with disadvantaged and other youth; native plant nursery; and invasive plant management.
Winnemem Wintu Tribe <i>General Support</i> Sacramento County Fiscal Sponsor: Environmental Justice Coalition for Water	\$5,000	For stewardship of the McCloud, Sacramento and Pitt River watersheds, including the restoration of salmon populations and opposition to the enlargement of the Shasta Dam.
Wolf Creek Community Alliance <i>Unified Assessment of Proposed Developments</i> Nevada County	\$3,000	Expand an existing pilot stream assessment program and work cooperatively with developers and government agencies to minimize development impacts on waterways.
TOTAL	\$192,900.00	

Donor Advised Funds										
The Rose Foundation works closely with individual donors to help them design and implement philanthropic goals.										
Arc Ecology	\$4,750	Supports state and federal policy development and technical assistance to communities to reduce toxic contamination in the San Francisco Bay area.								
Community Technical Assistance Contracts	\$79,537	Technical assistance contracts to provide expert assistance for community-based organizations helping governmental agencies develop pollution remediation or discharge standards.								
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Fiscal Sponsorship Funds		
The Rose Foundation provides sponsorship, development and management assistance to selected projects whose goals directly further the Foundation's own mission.		
Phillip and Sala Burton Center	\$9,400	Creation of a human rights center dedicated to the principle that human rights, labor, and environmental standards serve as shared values of our global society.
California Solar Project	\$18,800	Supports an environmental/labor partnership to promote residential solar development and the creation of family wage jobs in the solar industry.
Coalition of Concerned Citizens of Point Richmond	\$59,101	Preservation of public access to the waterfront in the Point Richmond area.
EnviroSpec	\$4,700	To utilize the purchasing power of business, government agencies and institutions to encourage manufacturers to make cleaner and greener products.
Friends of the Petaluma River	\$940	Community-based watershed protection of the Petaluma River and tributaries.
Housing Opportunities Make Economic Sense	\$2,820	Public education about land management, development density and affordable housing issues in Alameda.
Investor Environmental Health Network	\$181,739	A collaborative partnership of institutional investors and non-governmental organizations concerned about the market and health risks associated with corporate toxics policies.
NaturalEquity	\$29,400	To enhance human welfare by building equity in the natural environment by demonstrating, through direct incentive approaches, how economic development and environmental conservation can be compatible.
No Wetlands Landfill Expansion	\$8,431	To limit the environmental and health impacts of a landfill that is on the edge of an environmentally sensitive marsh and the Petaluma River estuary.
North Coast Nature Center	\$935	To support a nature center in Crescent City.
Redwood Economic Development Institute	\$53,839	Support for the ongoing development of model eco-tourism projects on California's North Coast.
Russian River Watershed Council	\$287	Community education, watershed policy development, and restoration activities in the Russian River area.
Strategies for a Green Economy	\$58,967	To study the economic benefits of coral reef restoration in Indonesia, review the benefits of marine sanctuaries off the California Coast, and establish conservation agreements that secure investments in local communities in exchange for conserving natural resources.
Wilderness Reflections	\$396	Scholarship fund for low-income, at-risk youth to participate in wilderness trips designed to help people find the inspiration to meet life's challenges and connect with their natural environment.
TOTAL	\$429,755.00	

New Voices are Rising		
<p>New Voices Are Rising strives to develop young leaders in low-income communities and communities of color in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties by helping young people gain the skills and experience in civic engagement required to tackle the many problems – especially environmental health problems that disproportionately impact their communities.</p>		
Down's Memorial United Methodist Church Oakland	\$8,000	For expenses related to New Voters Are Rising, a joint project between the Rose Foundation and Downs Memorial.
West Oakland Environmental Indicators Project Fiscal Sponsor: Pacific Institute	\$4,000	To provide science-base information on environmental and social conditions to neighborhood residents to help them revitalize and clean up their communities.

Anthony Grassroots Prize and the Meade Clean Air Prize		
<p>The Rose Foundation host two prizes that are awarded each year around Earth Day. The Anthony Grassroots Prize recognizes an outstanding example of environmental stewardship. The Meade Clean Air Prize recognizes outstanding achievement in furthering the public's understanding of air pollution. In 2006, there were two winners of the Meade Clean Air Prize.</p>		
Dana Dillworth <i>Winner of the Anthony Grassroots Prize</i>	\$1,000	For her work with the Citizens' League for Environmental Action Now in Brisbane. Ms. Dillworth helped to found CLEAN 15 years ago, to give the local community a voice in the redevelopment of a 600-acre parcel of bay fill that is severely contaminated from decades of industrial activity.
William Kelly <i>Winner of the Meade Clean Air Prize</i>	\$1,000	For a series of articles published in the LA Weekly that provided insight about the backroom Sacramento wheeling and dealing over adding ethanol into gasoline and the pitfalls of liquefied natural gas terminals.
Mark Grossi <i>Winner of the Meade Clean Air Prize</i>	\$1,000	For his reporting in a year-long series of articles in the Fresno Bee on the air pollution impacts of citing new dairies in Fresno County and other places in the Central Valley.

President's Fund		
<p>The President's Fund provides small discretionary grants to a variety of community and environmental projects.</p>		
Holy Names High School	\$1,000	Hurricane Katrina Relief Fund

TOTAL ALLOCATIONS: \$1,213,345