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Four Idahoans Select Local Nonprofits to Receive \$10,000 Grants in Celebration of Idaho Community Foundation's \$200M Milestone

Boise – The Idaho Community Foundation (ICF) is thrilled to announce the four winners of its \$200M Moment campaign—Idahoans from across the state who were randomly selected from over 2,200 entries to award a \$10,000 grant to a local nonprofit organization making a difference in their community.

This milestone celebrates ICF surpassing \$200 million in grants awarded to Idaho communities since its founding in 1988. To mark the occasion, ICF invited Idahoans to *Make More Good Possible* by entering for a chance to award a \$10,000 grant to a promising nonprofit in their region.

The 2025 \$200M Moment Winners and Grant Recipients are:

East Region: Jan Eastman of Pocatello selected <u>Community Suicide</u>
 <u>Prevention of Eastern and Southeastern Idaho</u>, which provides support, education, and resources to prevent suicide and support mental wellness throughout the region.

Entries from East Region: 413 across 16 counties

 North Region: Miriam Deuel of Coeur d'Alene selected Village of Hope CDA, which transforms the way children experience foster care by connecting community members to tangible ways they can support children and families in crisis.

Entries from North Region: 279 across 10 counties



• **South Central Region**: *Greg Pyle* of Twin Falls selected the <u>Children's Museum</u> of the <u>Magic Valley</u>, which provides hands-on learning experiences that spark imagination, curiosity, and lifelong learning for children and families in Southern Idaho.

Entries from South Central Region: 383 across 9 counties

• **Southwest Region**: Gilbert Moreno of Boise selected the <u>Boise Bicycle Project</u>, a community-driven nonprofit that uses bicycles to promote empowerment, education, and access to opportunity.

Entries from Southwest Region: 1,126 across 10 counties

Thanks to the generosity of donors across the state who helped double the original prize pool, each of these nonprofits will receive a \$10,000 grant from The Idaho Community Foundation.

Community celebration events will be held in each region later this month to honor the winners, their selected nonprofits, and the generosity that made this campaign possible. Event details will be announced soon on ICF's website and social media channels.

"This campaign was about more than a dollar amount—it was about putting Idahoans in the driver's seat of local philanthropy," said Steve Burns, President and CEO of The Idaho Community Foundation. "We're proud to celebrate the individuals, nonprofits, and donors who stepped up to support the people and places they care about most."

For more information on ICF's \$200M Moment and how you can support community philanthropy in Idaho, visit www.idahocf.org.

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philanthropy, helping generous Idahoans invest in the people, places, and causes they care about most. Now united with the Idaho Nonprofit Center, we're strengthening communities through philanthropy, elevating nonprofit impact, and connecting Idahoans to the heart of their communities. Our vision is simple: Idaho is a place of possibility where everyone contributes to thriving communities. Join the movement to build a culture of giving at www.idahocf.org or email us at info@idahocf.org.