Maine   2008 - 2009

Meeting community needs in Maine. More than **9,200** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **28** national service projects across Maine. Serving with national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, restore the environment, respond to disasters, build nonprofit capacity and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will commit more than **$5,900,000** to support Maine communities through three national service initiatives:

Senior Corps: More than **2,400** seniors in Maine contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **2,300** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **660** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **510** groups across Maine.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **280** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, public safety and other pressing needs in communities across Maine. Roughly three-quarters of all AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Maine Commission for Community Service, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by the Corporation directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals will serve through AmeriCorps*VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24.   In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award of up to $4,725 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **3,500** Maine residents have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **$11,700,000**.

Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to engage more than **6,400** Maine students in community service linked to academic achievement and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service-learning, improves communities while preparing young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. Learn and Serve America also provides curricula and other resources to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

The Corporation for National and Community Service improves lives, strengthens communitites, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. Each year the Corporation engages more than four million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and Learn and Serve America. To learn visit www.NationalService.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.

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Maine At a Glance

Senior Corps

	Projects	Participants	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	2	269	$893,619
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	5	2,053	$449,254
Senior Companion Program	2	157	$477,596
Senior Corps Total	**9**	**2,479**	**$1,820,469**

AmeriCorps

	Program Sites	Participants [1]	Education Award [2]	Program Funding
AmeriCorps*State (Competitive)	1	58	$120,600	$260,858
AmeriCorps*State (Formula)	2	72	$265,700	$550,400
AmeriCorps*National	4	59	$187,875	$373,021
AmeriCorps*VISTA	35	66	$311,850	$894,795
AmeriCorps*NCCC	3	N/A	N/A	N/A [3]
Education Awards Program (National)	5	29	$137,025	$11,600
AmeriCorps Total	**50**	**284**	**$1,023,050**	**$2,090,674**

Learn and Serve America

	Grantees	Participants	Subgrantees	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	2	6,191	23	$685,000
Higher Education		275	2	N/A
Learn and Serve America Total	**2**	**6,466**	**25**	**$685,000**

Administrative Funds

	Program Funding
Disability Outreach	$48,365
Program Development & Technical Assistance	$96,000
State Commission Administration	$157,289
Administrative Funds Total	N/A	$301,654

Program Totals	**61**	**9,229**	**$1,023,050**	**$4,897,797**

Total Corporation Funding (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)   **$5,920,847**

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[1] This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2008 - 2009 program year. For AmeriCorps*VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

[2] This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Maine. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.

[3] Maine is served by the AmeriCorps*NCCC campus located in Perry Point, Maryland. In the past year, AmeriCorps*NCCC teams have served on projects in Wells, Sanford and Lincolnville.

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Senior Corps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization* (*if different*)	Number of Participants	Program Type
Bangor	Penquis Community Action Program FGP *Penquis Community Action Program*	112	Foster Grandparent Program
Bangor	UMaine Center on Aging RSVP *University of Maine System*	500	RSVP
Orono	University of Maine Senior Companion Program *University of Maine System*	122	Senior Companion Program
Portland	Cumberland/York FGP *People's Regional Opportunity Program*	157	Foster Grandparent Program
Portland	PROP Senior Companion Program *People's Regional Opportunity Program*	35	Senior Companion Program
Presque Isle	Aroostook RSVP *Aroostook Area Agency on Aging*	500	RSVP
Rockland	Penquis Coastal RSVP *Penquis Community Action Program*	248	RSVP
Scarborough	RSVP of Southern Maine *Southern Maine Agency on Aging*	475	RSVP
Waterville	HealthReach RSVP *HealthReach Network*	330	RSVP
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		2,479	

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Auburn	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Auburn	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Augusta	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Augusta	Maine Conservation Corps	58	AmeriCorps*State
Augusta	Community HealthCorps- Maine PCA *Maine Primary Care Association*	13	AmeriCorps*National
Augusta	University of Maine at Augusta *Middlebury College*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Augusta	Maine Conservation Corps *National Association of Service & Conservation Corps*	12	Education Awards Program
Augusta	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bangor	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bangor	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bangor	FIRST AmeriCorps VISTA Program *US Foundation for the Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bath	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bath	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Belfast	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Biddeford	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Fort Kent	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Freeport	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA

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AmeriCorps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Kennebunk	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Kennebunk	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lewiston	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lewiston	Bates College *Middlebury College*	1	Education Awards Program
Lewiston	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lubec	Community HealthCorps-Lubec, ME *Regional Medical Center at Lubec*	12	AmeriCorps*National
Milbridge	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Millinocket	Baxter State Park *Student Conservation Association*	9	Education Awards Program
Newcastle	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Orono	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Orono	University of Maine *Middlebury College*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Orono	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	BGC of Greater Portland *Boys & Girls Clubs of America*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Portland	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Community Resource Corps (Formula) *Goodwill Industries of Northern New England*	72	AmeriCorps*State
Portland	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	University of Southern Maine *Middlebury College*	6	Education Awards Program

AmeriCorps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name / *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Portland	Hour Exchange / *Portland Time Bank*	4	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	8	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Community Resource Corps / *Training Resource Center*	N/A	AmeriCorps*State
Portland	Emergency Response Corps / *Training Resource Center*	34	AmeriCorps*National
Presque Isle	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration / *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Readfield	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Rockland	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Searsport	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
South Portland	Southern Maine Community College / *Middlebury College*	N/A	Education Awards Program
South Portland	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Standish	Saint Joseph's College of Maine / *Middlebury College*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Steep Falls	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterville	Waterville Area BGC / *Boys & Girls Clubs of America*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Waterville	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration / *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterville	VolunteerMaine / *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterville	Communities for Children And Youth / *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Wells	York County Community College / *Middlebury College*	1	Education Awards Program

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization* (if different)	# of Members	Program Type
Westbrook	Communities for Children And Youth	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
	State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department		

Total Number of AmeriCorps Members	**284**	

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.

Learn and Serve America in Maine

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Auburn	*KIDS Consortium, Inc.*		*K-12 School-Based*
Augusta	*Maine Department of Education*		*K-12 School-Based*
Bangor	UTC	10	K-12 School-Based
Belfast	MSAD 34	221	K-12 School-Based
Brunswick	Bowdoin College	260	Higher Education
Calais	Calais Middle/High School	72	K-12 School-Based
Falmouth	Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	15	K-12 School-Based
Farmington	Mount Blue High School	850	K-12 School-Based
Gray	Gray-New Gloucester High School	57	K-12 School-Based
Guilford	Piscataquis Community High School	300	K-12 School-Based
Holton	Region II School of Applied Technology	70	K-12 School-Based
Jackman	Forest Hills School	36	K-12 School-Based
Lewiston	Bates College	15	Higher Education
Madawaska	Madawaska Schools	53	K-12 School-Based
Madison	MSAD 59	57	K-12 School-Based
Milo	Penquis Valley High School	400	K-12 School-Based
Mount Desert	Mount Desert Island Schools, Union 98	432	K-12 School-Based
Old Town	Old Town Schools	523	K-12 School-Based
Pittsfield	Maine Central Institute	485	K-12 School-Based
Readfield	Maranacook Community High School	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Skowhegan	Skowhegan Area High School	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Topsham	MSAD 75	186	K-12 School-Based
Topsham	MSAD 75 - Mt. Ararat High School	13	K-12 School-Based
Westbrook	Westbrook School Department	709	K-12 School-Based
Windham	Windham High School	N/A	K-12 School-Based
Winthrop	Winthrop Public Schools	414	K-12 School-Based
York	York School Department	1,288	K-12 School-Based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		6,466	

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