

# National Service in Oregon

## Year in Review

### MEETING NEEDS IN OREGON

Last year more than 3,800 Americans of all ages and backgrounds met local needs, strengthened communities, and expanded economic opportunity through national service in Oregon. The Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) invested more than \$12.8 million in federal funding to support cost-effective community solutions, working hand in hand with local partners to empower citizens to solve problems. AmeriCorps members and Senior Corps volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

National service participants served at more than 500 locations across Oregon, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, CNCS, its grantees, and project sponsors generated more than \$10.6 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Oregon in the last year. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.

### AMERICORPS



Last year, more than 800 AmeriCorps members met pressing local needs across Oregon, making a lasting impact in communities while gaining valuable skills and experience to advance their careers. AmeriCorps members serve in one of three programs:

- **AmeriCorps State & National** engages men and women in intensive service at thousands of locations across the country through nonprofits, schools, public agencies, tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to Oregon Volunteers, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.
- **AmeriCorps VISTA (Volunteers In Service To America)** taps the skills, talents, and passion of Americans of all ages to support community efforts to overcome poverty.
- **AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps)** is a full-time, team-based residential program for 18-24 year-olds. Members develop leadership skills by contributing to public safety, environment, and disaster projects. FEMA Corps, a unit of NCCC, focuses solely on disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than 20,000 Oregon residents have served approximately 26 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$64.1 million.

### SENIOR CORPS



Senior Corps taps the skills, talents, and experience of Americans age 55 and over to meet a wide range of community challenges. Last year, more than 2,900 Oregon seniors met critical community needs while contributing to their own health and well-being through one of three Senior Corps programs:

- **Foster Grandparents** serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to young people with exceptional needs.
- **Senior Companions** help seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes.
- **RSVP volunteers** conduct safety patrols, renovate homes, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services.

Last year, Foster Grandparents tutored and mentored 1,540 young people, Senior Companions helped 810 seniors live independently, and RSVP volunteers strengthened the impact of 90 organizations across Oregon.

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 Economic & Workforce Development	 Health & Aging
 Education	 Veterans and Military Families

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## At a Glance Report

AmeriCorps	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	32	125	378	\$1,212,651	\$2,109,859
AmeriCorps NCCC	13	13	136	-	-
AmeriCorps State	11	130	243	\$1,130,749	\$2,546,228
AmeriCorps VISTA	11	60	114	\$594,714	\$1,623,211
<b>AMERICORPS TOTAL</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>\$2,938,115</b>	<b>\$6,279,298</b>
Senior Corps	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	4	99	235	-	\$1,192,160
RSVP	7	99	2,602	-	\$641,827
Senior Companion Program	4	44	138	-	\$628,702
Senior Demonstration Program	1	9	18	-	-
<b>SENIOR CORPS TOTAL</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>2,993</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$2,462,689</b>
Other Funding	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding
State Commission Investment Funds	4	-	-	-	\$888,630
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$265,000
Training and Technical Assistance	4	-	-	-	\$34,886
<b>OTHER FUNDING TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$1,188,516</b>
<b>PROGRAM TOTALS</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>3,864</b>	<b>\$2,938,115</b>	<b>\$9,930,502</b>
<b>TOTAL CNCS FUNDING</b> (including Education Scholarships)					<b>\$12,868,617</b>
<b>TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT</b> (Non-CNCS Resources)					<b>\$10,674,597</b>
<b>TOTAL CNCS FUNDING + TOTAL LOCAL PROJECT SUPPORT</b>					<b>\$23,543,214</b>

National service programs continue to improve lives and communities in Oregon, with 459 AmeriCorps member and 2,164 Senior Corps volunteers currently serving.

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### AmeriCorps

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Scholarships	Federal Funding	Current Participants
Albany	YouthBuild Lebanon, OR Community Services Consortium	AmeriCorps National	1	25	\$42,714	\$68,913	-
Ashland	Oregon Business Unit The Nature Conservancy	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Ashland	Rogue Rowing Up2Us, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,960	\$5,734	1
Bend	Bend Area HFH Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	3	\$17,760	\$40,290	2
Bend	Construction on 5 homes on James Drive (January 10 - April 12, 2019) Bend Area Habitat for Humanity	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	9	-	-	-
Bend	Deschutes NF Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,920	\$11,122	-
Bend	Heart of Oregon AmeriCorps Heart of Oregon	AmeriCorps State	2	52	\$161,274	\$330,492	21
Bend	Notre Dame AmeriCorps - Bend Notre Dame Mission Volunteers Program, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	5	9	\$50,320	\$82,232	7
Bend	SCA OR Student Conservation Association, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	5	15	\$36,198	\$4,659	1
Bend	YouthBuild VISTA Initiative YouthBuild USA, Inc	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$12,115	\$33,696	2
Corvallis	Restoration of Habitats in the Willamette Valley, Oregon (November 5 - December 17, 2019) Institute for Applied Ecology	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	12	-	-	-
Corvallis	Siuslaw NF Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Eugene	Access the Law Equal Justice Works	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$1,253	\$2,640	-
Eugene	Central Lane, HFH of Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Eugene	Community Stewardship Corps Northwest Youth Corps - OR	AmeriCorps State	7	31	\$70,852	\$131,143	-
Eugene	Eugene Parks and Open Space Site Improvements (February 22 - March 28, 2019) City of Eugene Parks and Open Space	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	11	-	-	-
Eugene	Mt. Adams Institute Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,960	\$5,561	-
Eugene	Northwest Youth Corps The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	9	36	\$63,204	\$8,510	1
Eugene	OYSI - Northwest Youth Corps The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	8	44	\$112,874	\$239,552	6
Eugene	RARE 2019-2022 University of Oregon	AmeriCorps State	29	29	\$171,680	\$332,859	27
Eugene	TIP - Northwest Youth Corps The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	2	6	\$9,397	\$23,702	-
Forest Grove	Partnerships for Student Achievement Forest Grove School District	AmeriCorps State	13	15	\$86,365	\$200,021	10
Garibaldi	Tillamook Estuaries Partnership Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,920	\$11,122	1

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Gates	Fish Pond and Gold Course Construction for Camp (March 29 - April 10, 2019) Upward Bound Camp for Persons with Special Need's Inc	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	11	-	-	-
Gresham	College Possible Portland College Possible	AmeriCorps National	1	19	\$100,640	\$155,504	13
Hillsboro	Willamette West HFH Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	2	\$11,840	\$26,860	-
John Day	Fire mitigation and response (April 24 - August 27, 2019) Malheur National Forest	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	8	-	-	-
John Day	Malheur NF Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,920	\$11,122	1
Merlin	Wildfire Mitigation, Rehabilitation and Flight Enclosure Build (February 22 - April 12, 2019) Wildlife Images Rehabilitation and Education Center	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	11	-	-	-
Newberg	Remnant Initiatives Remnant Initiatives	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	2
Oregon City	Clackamas County Social Services Clackamas County Social Services	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$12,290	\$34,275	1
Pendleton	Impact Mentoring Program Impact Pendleton	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	2
Portland	Agricultural Business Incubator Garden Development (April 24 - May 22, 2019) Wisdom of the Elders	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	9	-	-	-
Portland	AmeriCorps Connect2Complete Oregon Campus Compact	AmeriCorps State	10	11	\$65,295	\$165,310	15
Portland	Campus Compact of Oregon Standard Grant Oregon Campus Compact	AmeriCorps VISTA	15	32	\$115,884	\$316,301	16
Portland	Campus Compact of Oregon VISTA Operational Grant Oregon Campus Compact	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$5,920	\$16,125	-
Portland	Cascadia Behavioral Healthcare Health360	AmeriCorps National	1	2	\$11,840	\$24,650	2
Portland	Catholic Charities of Oregon Catholic Charities USA	AmeriCorps National	1	2	\$11,735	\$22,624	-
Portland	CCUSA New Americans & Family Strengthening Catholic Charities USA	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	2
Portland	CL Environmental Stewards The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Portland	College Possible IV College Possible	AmeriCorps State	7	19	\$112,655	\$226,841	26
Portland	Community building in affordable housing networks (November 5 - December 17, 2019) The City Repair Project	AmeriCorps NCCC	2	12	-	-	-
Portland	Confluence Environmental Center Confluence Environmental Center	AmeriCorps State	18	22	\$121,360	\$297,906	19
Portland	EC Portland AARP Foundation	AmeriCorps National	7	17	\$21,299	\$47,373	19
Portland	FoodCorps Oregon FoodCorps, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	8	9	\$53,280	\$95,428	10

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Portland	Friends of Baseball Up2Us, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	-	-	-	-	1
Portland	Johnson Creek Reforestation (January 10 - February 21, 2019) Johnson Creek Watershed Council	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	10	-	-	-
Portland	Meals on Wheels People Equal Heart	AmeriCorps National	1	6	\$7,517	\$16,578	-
Portland	Mercy Corps Mercy Corps	AmeriCorps VISTA	9	9	\$53,455	\$145,704	13
Portland	Mercy Enterprise Corporation Mercy Enterprise Corporation	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	3	\$17,760	\$48,375	-
Portland	Metropolitan Family Service Metropolitan Family Service - Portland	AmeriCorps State	19	23	\$127,455	\$326,092	21
Portland	NE Portland Affordable Housing Repair (April 24 - July 18, 2019) Sabin Community Development Corporation	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	10	-	-	-
Portland	Open School Post Secondary Success Corps Open Meadow Alternative Schools, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	3	7	\$41,335	\$104,227	-
Portland	ORCC Washington Campus Compact c/o Western Washington University	AmeriCorps National	7	8	\$47,360	\$107,943	18
Portland	Oregon Jesuit Volunteer Corps Northwest	AmeriCorps National	30	37	\$219,390	\$406,545	34
Portland	Oregon Food Bank Share Our Strength	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$5,920	\$6,720	1
Portland	Oregon Public Health Partnership State of Oregon-DHS-Public Health Division	AmeriCorps VISTA	23	43	\$256,135	\$698,586	24
Portland	Playworks Portland Playworks Education Energized	AmeriCorps National	17	18	\$106,735	\$235,950	14
Portland	Portland/Metro East, HFH Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	5	\$29,600	\$67,150	-
Portland	RCC- Oregon/Washington American National Red Cross DC	AmeriCorps National	3	4	\$23,680	\$53,200	1
Portland	Rose City Rowing Club Up2Us, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,960	\$5,734	-
Portland	Rural Outreach Project Ethos, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	8	10	\$56,240	\$143,263	5
Portland	VISTA Innovation: CareOregon Social Determinants of Health CareOregon	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	6	\$35,520	\$96,750	6
Portland	YouthBuild Portland, OR Portland YouthBuilders	AmeriCorps National	1	67	\$121,819	\$197,240	55
Portland	YouthBuild VISTA Initiative YouthBuild USA, Inc	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	4	\$23,855	\$65,079	-
Redmond	Better Together-High Desert ESD High Desert ESD	AmeriCorps VISTA	3	8	\$47,360	\$129,000	-
Roseburg	NeighborWorks VISTA Program Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$2,580	\$7,070	-
Roseburg	Rebuilding Together NeighborWorks Umpqua Rebuilding Together, Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$6,095	\$15,192	1

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Roseburg North	Douglas/Josephine County Housing Maintenance (June 13 - July 18, 2019) United Community Action Network	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	10	-	-	-
Roseburg North	United Communities United Community Action Network	AmeriCorps State	14	24	\$116,239	\$288,075	15
Sherwood	Mt. Adams Institute Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,960	\$5,561	-
Sisters	YouthBuild Redmond, OR YouthBuild USA, Inc	AmeriCorps National	1	18	\$41,169	\$65,575	38
Spray	CL Environmental Stewards The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	1	3	\$4,698	\$635	-
Ukiah	Umatilla National Forest Mt. Adams Institute	AmeriCorps National	2	10	\$20,015	\$37,603	-
Veneta	Capacity Building for Camp and Outdoor School (November 4 - December 18, 2019) Camp Fire Wilani	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	12	-	-	-
Williams	CL Environmental Stewards The Corps Network	AmeriCorps National	1	3	\$4,698	\$635	-
Williams	Infrastructure Improvements for Environmental Education (January 10 - February 28, 2019) Pacifica-A Garden in the Siskiyou	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	11	-	-	-
Wilsonville	Sustainable National and State Afterschool Programs & Network Afterschool Alliance	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	2	\$11,840	\$32,250	1
<b>AMERICORPS TOTAL</b>			<b>329</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>\$2,938,115</b>	<b>\$6,279,298</b>	<b>459</b>

### Senior Corps

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Albany	FGP of Linn, Benton and Lincoln Counties Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments	Foster Grandparent Program	22	36	-	\$332,163	34
Albany	RSVP of Linn, Benton and Lincoln Counties Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments	RSVP	17	407	-	\$129,777	293
Albany	SCP of Linn, Benton and Lincoln Counties Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments	Senior Companion Program	-	-	-	-	21
Eugene	SCP of Lane County Lane Community College	Senior Companion Program	20	59	-	\$249,232	49
Medford	FGP of Southern Oregon Community Volunteer Network	Foster Grandparent Program	35	74	-	\$319,800	62
Medford	Jackson County Or RSVP Community Volunteer Network	RSVP	34	618	-	\$54,200	350
Oregon City	Clackamas County RSVP Clackamas County Social Services	RSVP	-	-	-	-	177
Oregon City	Clackamas County RSVP 2016-2019 Clackamas County Social Services	RSVP	4	189	-	\$105,797	-
Oregon City	Clackamas County SCP Clackamas County Social Services	Senior Companion Program	6	20	-	\$143,014	20



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Pendleton	Eastern & Central Oregon Foster Grandparent Program Community Counseling Solutions, Inc	Foster Grandparent Program	27	70	-	\$306,247	60
Pendleton	Eastern Oregon SCP Program of CCS Community Counseling Solutions, Inc	Senior Companion Program	13	29	-	\$132,426	24
Portland	Elders in Action Elders in Action	RSVP	1	100	-	\$114,928	-
Portland	Portland Experience Corps Metropolitan Family Service - Portland	Senior Demonstration Program	9	18	-	-	18
Portland	Tri-County Foster Grandparent Program Multnomah County	Foster Grandparent Program	15	55	-	\$233,950	54
Roseburg North	UCAN RSVP United Community Action Network	RSVP	27	840	-	\$96,020	470
Roseburg North	UCAN SCP United Community Action Network	Senior Companion Program	5	30	-	\$104,030	-
Springfield	RSVP of Lane County United Way of Lane County	RSVP	4	225	-	\$71,671	304
St. Helens	Columbia County RSVP Columbia River Fire and Rescue	RSVP	12	223	-	\$69,434	228
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### Other Funding

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Milwaukie	FY2019 CHC Surge Funding Jesuit Volunteer Corps Northwest	Training and Technical Assistance	-	-	-	\$10,446	-
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Portland	FY2019 CHC Surge Funding Oregon Volunteers	Training and Technical Assistance	-	-	-	\$5,510	-
Salem	Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC)	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$444,315	-
Salem	Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC)	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$265,000	-
Salem	Oregon Volunteers	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$444,315	-
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<b>PROGRAM TOTALS</b>			580	3,864	\$2,938,115	\$9,930,502	2,623
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