

Family Strengthening Small Grants Fund

Report on Grants Made in 2008

Boston Show Stoppers Roxbury, MA Fiscal Agent: Vine Street Community Center Support for girls basketball and recreational activities including a visit to the Basketball Hall of Fame, bowling and roller skating.	3,917	Summer
Bobbie Broadwater Outreach Program Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Vine Street Community Center Support for workshops: Casa Myrna Workshop focusing on teen dating and domestic violence; DARE Workshop, Arts & Crafts Workshop, Teen Parents Workshop and a Music Workshop.	1,225	Summer
The Drum Experience Roxbury, MA Fiscal Agent: Massachusetts Association of Minority Law Enforcement Officers, Inc. (M.A.M.L.E.O.) Support for a group of music students to take a trip to the Brooklyn Academy of Music in New York to see "Dance Africa 2008."	2,700	Spring
Emory Washington Fishing Expedition Roxbury, MA Fiscal Agent: Vine Street Community Center Continued support for the program that will engage 30 seniors and 25 youth on 10-15 fishing trips. Prior to the outings, training sessions are held that focus on the proper use of fishing equipment.	5,000	Spring
Friends of Yorkie for Peace Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Museum of the National Center of Afro-American Artists Support for the Violence Prevention Film Festival, Flix 4 Peace.	250	Spring
Bobby Mendes Peace Legacy Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Touchable Stories Continued support for various activities including the Parents & Children's Walk for Peace, Back to School Barbecue, and "Christmas with Bobby."	5,000	Spring

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Roxbury Action Program (RAP) Roxbury, MA Fiscal Agent: Edward L. Cooper Community Gardening and Education Center, Inc. Support for RAP's 40 th Anniversary Celebration that will be held at the Reggie Lewis Track and Athletic Center in November 2008.	5,000	Summer
SAT Prep Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Nigerian Youth Organization Support for SAT Preparation classes to be held at Roxbury Community College on Saturdays that will be taught by instructors supplied by Princeton Review.	5,000	Summer
Winthrop School Parent Council Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Boston Educational Development Foundation Continued support for activities that engage parents in the education of their children. Activities include curriculum nights, field trips and the creation of a website that will inform parents about after-school programs and upcoming family events.	1,470	Spring
Young Achievers Dorchester, MA Fiscal Agent: Friends of Young Achievers Support for the Read Young Achievers! project at the Young Achievers Science and Mathematics Pilot School. The project will provide each of the 340 students in grades K-8 with two books to start their own home library.	5,000	Summer
TOTAL GRANTS MADE IN 2008	\$34,562	