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## Oregon Jewish Community Foundation NEWS

### OJCF DONORS AWARD OVER \$290,700 IN JANUARY 2003 GRANTS

Portland, OR – The Donor-Advisors of the Oregon Jewish Community Foundation awarded a total of \$290,726 in January Grants to thirty-five organizations. OJCF is a family of well over 100 charitable funds dedicated to creating, promoting, and facilitating a culture of giving and serves as a permanent repository of funds available to safeguard the quality of Jewish communal life in Oregon and Southwest Washington. Recipients of January Awards included the following:

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Amount Awarded</u>
1000 Friends of Oregon Total	\$1,000.00
ACLU of Eastern Missouri Total	\$1,000.00
Aleph Bet Jewish Day School Total	\$540.00
B'nai B'rith Men's Camp Association Total	\$600.00
Bridges Total	\$1,000.00
Cedar Sinai Park Total	\$1,720.00
Congregation Shaarie Torah Total	\$5,650.00
Contemporary Art Museum St. Louis Total	\$1,000.00
Doctors Without Borders Total	\$250.00
First Unitarian Church Total	\$500.00
Forest Park Forever Total	\$1,000.00
International Rescue Committee Total	\$250.00
Jewish Federation of Palm Springs and Desert Area Total	\$750.00
Jewish Federation of Portland Total	\$144,360.00
KBPS Total	\$250.00
KMHD Radio Total	\$250.00
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center Total	\$2,500.00
Mississippi River Basin Alliance Total	\$1,000.00
Mittleman Jewish Community Center Total	\$22,500.00
Morasha/Melton Adult Mini School Total	\$1,260.00
Northwest Christian Community Foundation Total	\$31,830.00
Oregon Health Sciences Foundation Total	\$1,750.00
Oregon Jewish Community Foundation Total	\$47,700.00
Oregon Jewish Museum Total	\$600.00
Oregon Natural Resources Council Total	\$1,000.00
Oregon Public Broadcasting Total	\$250.00
Planned Parenthood of the Columbia/Willamette Total	\$1,000.00
Portland Audubon Society Total	\$1,000.00
Portland Public Schools Foundation Total	\$300.00
PSU Center for Japanese Studies Total	\$2,000.00
South Metro Jewish Congregation Total	\$5,000.00
Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance Total	\$1,000.00
Trailnet Total	\$2,500.00
United Way of the Columbia/Willamette Total	\$750.00
YWCA Total	\$6,666.67
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$290,726.00</b>

Since July 1, 2002, OJCF Donor Advised Funds received gifts of \$1,788,750, and granted out \$1,025,436, including the above January disbursements. OJCF offers a variety giving vehicles including donor advised funds and charitable trusts. We provide educational services for donors interested in leaving a charitable legacy. The Foundation invests the money and provides the donor with the maximum tax deductions. These planned gifts can support a specific Jewish and/or secular charity. OJCF also assists Jewish organizations in securing permanent endowments through consultation and marketing activities. If you would like to set up a Donor Advised or scholarship fund the OJCF, please visit our website at [www.ojcf.org](http://www.ojcf.org) or contact John Moss (action@ojcf.org) at: The Oregon Jewish Community Foundation, 610 SW Broadway, Suite 407, Portland, OR 97205, (503) 248-9328.