

Financial

Idaho Women's Charitable Foundation 2006-2007 Board of Directors

Looking & Giving Forward:

January 1 – December 31, 2006

*Funds in Idaho Community Foundation
IWCF's Pooled and Members' Philanthropic Gift
Funds in Idaho Community Foundation.**

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| Beginning Balance | 104,312.30 |
| Contributions | 100,074.91 |
| Distributions | (155,773.80) |
| Ending Balance | 48,613.41 |

Hollis Brookover
Susan Chaloupka
Vicky Coelho
Gena Delucchi
Debra Guth
Beth Geagan

Mary Holden
Deb Holleran
Kim Liebich
Anne-Marie Lodge-Vavrek
Alicia Ritter
Susan Smith

*Funds in IWCF Grants and Operating Accounts
(Form 990)*

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| Beginning Balance | 11,308.00 |
| Contributions & Interest | 131,148.00 |
| Expenditures | (38,366.00) |
| Ending Balance | 104,090.00 |

** In the 4th quarter of 2006, IWCF moved toward financial independence, and assumed control of its members' contributions. Through the end of 2006, ICF continued to disburse funds from both the Pooled and Members' Philanthropic accounts.*



Idaho
Women's
Charitable
Foundation

The Idaho Women's Charitable Foundation educates women about emerging community needs, and inspires them to make informed, focused investments that strengthen the community and improve our quality of life.

*Five Years
of Focused,
Informed Giving for
Maximum Impact*

A Message from the President

Looking Back: Year In Review

In the Fall of 2001, a small group of us founded an organization whose mission it was to inspire women with the power of collaborative philanthropy. This past fall, the IWCF celebrated five years of focused, informed giving.

Thirty motivated women joined during our inaugural year, this year's membership topped 200. Our first year grant award was \$19,750, five years later 13 Southwest Idaho organizations have received nearly \$260,000 from our pooled grants fund. And, over the five years, individual members have directed more than \$235,000 to hundreds of organizations of their choice.

This year was proof positive that our philanthropic model is alive and well. From our anniversary celebration to receiving the Outstanding Foundation Award by the Boise Chapter of the Association of Fundraising Professionals, we have much to feel good about.

IWCF members don't just give back. They "give forward" – ahead of the need – to make a real impact. We are confident of what the future holds for our mission and our community, and look forward to the next five years of collaborative philanthropy.

Our Membership: Giving Forward

We have 210 members, an increase of 17 over last year. Over the past five years, our retention rate has been an amazing 95 . This past year, our members made \$110,000 in individual designations to more than 150 organizations.

Pooled Grants: \$85,000 Invested in our Community

Thirty-five members participated in our extensive community grants process.

2006 pooled grant recipients in our five interest areas include:

Arts: \$10,000

Idaho Public Television

"Color Me Conscience" Documentary

Basic Needs/Economic: \$25,000

Life's Kitchen

Culinary Instructional Programs

Education: \$20,000

Whitney Elementary School

Math Improvement Project

Environment: \$10,000

Community Gardens of Boise

Community Garden Site

Health: \$20,000

Children's Free Dental Clinic

IWCF Members Celebrate Five Years

In September, we celebrated our five-year anniversary at an event titled, "*Giving Forward: Philanthropy Redefined.*" We attended break out sessions on mission-related investing, women's philanthropy and our community's greatest needs. New York University scholar Claire Gaudiani gave our keynote address, reminding us of the indelible power of women's philanthropy.

IWCF Members: Informed Investors

The education committee sponsored in-depth issue forums on three of our five focus areas:

- *November: Basic Needs* – The impact of emerging refugee populations.
- *January: Arts* – The impact of arts over our lifetime.
- *February: Environment* – How personal choices and philanthropic investments influence climate change.

IWCF Board: Eye Toward the Future

The IWCF Board moved ahead with its strategic planning process, intently focused on systems building and sustainability. As a testament to this work, we are now 100