



# WOMEN'S FUND

OF SANTA  
BARBARA



IMPACT REPORT 2025-2026

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**By pooling our charitable donations** into a significant grants pool and researching our community needs, we are changing the lives of women, children, and families in south Santa Barbara County.

**2004**

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Founded with  
**\$140,000 grants pool**

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**2026**

**\$1,375,000  
grants pool**



**1,450+  
members**

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The Women's Fund of Santa Barbara is the **nation's largest volunteer-led** giving circle by membership.

CHANGING LIVES TOGETHER SINCE 2004



**80 nonprofits**

awarded essential funds

**173 programs**

supported by our grants

**100,000+ people**

helped by projects we funded

**\$14,120,000**

donated



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**TOP CRITICAL NEEDS ADDRESSED SINCE 2004:**



Family Support Services



Housing Assistance



Mental Health

# CHANGING LIVES TOGETHER

**The Women's Fund of Santa Barbara** transforms lives by addressing our region's most pressing challenges. When one child, mother, or senior is supported, the impact radiates, strengthening the lives of everyone around them and our entire community. Our grants provide the vital capital for local agencies to:

- Expand proven programs to reach more neighbors.
- Launch innovative new initiatives.
- Upgrade essential facilities and equipment.
- Sustain core operations with critical gap funding to keep doors open.

These pages describe just **two of the more than 170 grants** that the Women's Fund has funded.

## MENTAL WELL-BEING



“ I understand how intimidating it can be to take that first step into counseling. As the Clinic Intake Specialist at New Beginnings, I get to be the person who says, 'You're in the right place.' It's a privilege to welcome our clients and help them connect with life-changing services. When a client tells me how 'comfortable' or 'welcoming' they feel in our office, it reinforces the importance of our work. ”

— *Aida Mendoza, New Beginnings Clinic Intake Specialist, a position funded by the Women's Fund*

**Access to mental health care** can mean the difference between hope and despair. As more Santa Barbara County residents are being diagnosed with depression and serious mental illness, the Women's Fund remains a vital partner. Since 2004, we have contributed over \$2 million toward mental health assistance. In 2025, we provided a **two-year, \$150,000 grant** to **New Beginnings Counseling Center** to expedite its client intake process, serving more patients and reducing wait times for approximately 860 clients annually.

# CHANGING LIVES TOGETHER

## SAFE CHILDCARE

“ Thank you to the Children’s Resource & Referral program for walking alongside me through every stage of the childcare licensure process and for believing in us providers. They guided me through every step with patience and dedication. Their work has a powerful impact on our community and on the families we serve. ”

— *Dennys Ariadna Valencia, Licensed Childcare Provider*

Santa Barbara County continues to have a **critical shortage of childcare**, a need that the Women’s Fund has been committed to addressing through numerous grants. In 2025, we awarded a **\$200,000** two-year grant to **Children’s Resource and Referral**. This funding allows them to expand their childcare licensing program, guiding 60 women as they launch licensed in-home childcare centers. Not only does this create **quality, affordable childcare** for up to 480 children in our underserved communities, but it also provides stable jobs for the caregivers.



# MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS

Building a legacy of local impact, the Women's Fund has granted over **\$14 million** to nonprofits to address the following critical needs of women, children, and families in our community.

COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS	AMOUNT	% OF TOTAL
<b>FAMILY SUPPORT</b> Basic needs, case management, elder care, foster care, disability support services, parent education, legal assistance	<b>\$2,445,000</b>	<b>17%</b>
<b>HOUSING</b> Housing placement and retention, case management, personal care services, legal assistance, intervention to prevent homelessness, affordable housing development	<b>\$2,340,000</b>	<b>17%</b>
<b>MENTAL HEALTH</b> Prevention and intervention; counseling, treatment, addiction recovery	<b>\$2,020,000</b>	<b>14%</b>
<b>HEALTH CARE</b> Physical, dental, vision care; health navigation; women's health: preventive care: hospice services	<b>\$1,605,000</b>	<b>11%</b>
<b>EARLY CHILDHOOD SUPPORT (AGES 0-5)</b> Childcare, pre-school, transitional kindergarten; teacher and childcare provider training and support	<b>\$1,495,000</b>	<b>11%</b>
<b>EDUCATION</b> Academic and literacy support, including tutoring and academic advising; special education, dropout prevention, employment skills development	<b>\$1,330,000</b>	<b>9%</b>
<b>YOUTH SUPPORT (AGES 6-21)</b> Leadership development, mentoring, enrichment, recreation; juvenile justice programs, including prevention, diversion, and rehabilitation	<b>\$1,325,000</b>	<b>9%</b>
<b>FOOD SECURITY AND NUTRITION</b> Food cultivation, collection, preparation, and distribution; nutrition education	<b>\$835,000</b>	<b>6%</b>
<b>PERSONAL SAFETY</b> Trauma intervention and prevention services for those who have experienced bullying, domestic abuse, sexual assault, human trafficking, or other forms of violence	<b>\$725,000</b>	<b>5%</b>
<b>TOTAL AWARDED SINCE 2004</b>	<b>\$14,120,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

# PAST GRANTEES

2nd Story Associates  
AHA! - Attitude. Harmony.  
Achievement.  
All For One Youth and Mentoring  
Alpha Resource Center of Santa  
Barbara  
Alzheimer's Association California  
Central Coast Chapter  
Angels Foster Care of Santa Barbara  
Breast Cancer Resource Center  
CADA - Council on Alcoholism and  
Drug Abuse  
CALM  
Carpinteria Children's Project  
CASA - Court Appointed Special  
Advocates  
Casa Pacifica  
Casa Serena  
Catholic Charities of Santa Barbara  
Cecilia Fund, The  
Channel Islands YMCA  
Children and Family Resource  
Services  
Children's Project Academy  
Children's Resource & Referral of  
Santa Barbara County  
City Net  
CommUnify  
Conflict Solutions Center  
DignityMoves  
Doctors Without Walls - Santa  
Barbara Street Medicine  
Domestic Violence Solutions  
Dos Pueblos Engineering Academy  
Easy Lift Transportation  
Family Service Agency  
Food From the Heart of Santa  
Barbara  
Foodbank of Santa Barbara County  
Freedom 4 Youth  
Friends of the Santa Barbara Public  
Library  
Future Leaders of America  
Garden Court, Inc.  
Girls Inc. of Carpinteria  
Girls Inc. of Greater Santa Barbara  
Goleta Education Foundation  
Good Samaritan Shelter  
Hillside House  
Independent Living Resource Center  
Isla Vista Public Improvement  
Corporation  
LEAP: Listen. Engage. Advocate.  
Partner  
Legal Aid Foundation of Santa  
Barbara  
Media4Good  
Mental Wellness Center  
Mothers' Helpers  
New Beginnings Counseling Center  
Palabra  
PATH Santa Barbara  
PathPoint  
People's Self-Help Housing  
Planned Parenthood  
Sanctuary Centers of Santa Barbara  
Santa Barbara County Immigrant  
Legal Defense Center - ILDC  
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Santa Barbara Neighborhood Clinics  
Santa Barbara Police Activities  
League  
Santa Barbara Public Library  
Foundation  
Santa Barbara Rescue Mission  
Sarah House  
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Community Transformation  
SBCC Foundation - Santa Barbara  
City College Foundation  
SEE International  
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St. Vincent's  
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Assault  
Storyteller Children's Center  
TRADART Foundation  
Transition House  
United Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa  
Barbara County  
Unity Shoppe  
WillBridge of Santa Barbara  
Women's Economic Ventures

# 2025 – 2026 GRANT RECIPIENTS

The Women's Fund awarded \$1,275,000 to the following agencies in May 2026:



**AHA Attitude, Harmony, Achievement - \$150,000** gap funding over two years to sustain in-school social-emotional learning programs led by facilitators to help teens build emotional management, deep listening, and social skills.



**Angels Foster Care - \$60,000** to replace an aging vehicle with a new hybrid SUV to transport foster children to medical appointments, court hearings, and family visitations.



**Community Partners in Caring - \$62,500** to support new staff to recruit and train volunteers who will provide door-to-door transportation and social interaction for local seniors and adults with disabilities.



**Family Service Agency of Santa Barbara County - \$200,000** gap funding over two years for a full-time school therapist to provide mental health screenings, crisis response, and counseling to local junior high and high school students.



**Friendship Adult Day Care Center - \$82,500** to hire a Transportation Coordinator and part-time driver to provide safe, reliable facility transport for members living with dementia.



**Mission Scholars - \$150,000** over two years to partially fund a staff position for one-on-one mentorship, career coaching, and leadership workshops to help low-income, first-generation students apply for and graduate college, and secure employment.

# 2025 – 2026 GRANT RECIPIENTS



**Planned Parenthood California Central Coast - \$200,000** gap funding over two years to keep its Santa Barbara Health Center open and provide essential reproductive healthcare to its patients.



**Santa Barbara Meals on Wheels - \$100,000** gap funding over two years to sustain existing affordable food delivery services and wellness checks for homebound seniors living in the city of Santa Barbara.



**Santa Barbara Rescue Mission - \$150,000** to remodel an existing storage space into an eight-bed dormitory to provide stabilization and trauma-informed care for women awaiting addiction treatment.



**Veggie Rescue - \$120,000** to purchase a refrigerated truck to safely transport and deliver surplus fresh and packaged food to its nonprofit partners.



LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR CURRENT GRANTEES HERE



LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR PAST GRANTEES HERE

# 2025 FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

The Women's Fund is proud to report these financial results thanks to our generous members, sponsors, and contributors. We remain committed to efficiency and grants pool sustainability.

## REVENUE

Membership Contributions	\$ 1,263,664	85%
Sponsorships	79,786	5%
Donor Restricted Endowment Contributions	74,725	5%
Other Contributions	16,915	1%
Interest and Other Income	56,987	4%
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$ 1,492,077</b>	<b>100%</b>

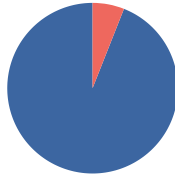
## EXPENSES

Grants and Education Programs	\$ 1,302,483	95%
Management and General	51,923	4%
Fundraising	16,230	1%
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,370,636</b>	<b>100%</b>

*In 2025, we awarded \$1,250,000 in grants.*

*For complete financials, visit our website at [womensfundsb.org/about/financials](https://www.womensfundsb.org/about/financials)*

**95 CENTS** OF EVERY  
**EXPENSE DOLLAR** GOES TO  
GRANTS AND EDUCATION



## NEW FOR 2026

In response to feedback from our members and local nonprofits, the Women's Fund is excited to announce the launch of a \$100,000 small grants pilot program. Agencies with budgets below \$500,000 can apply for grants of either \$10,000 or \$25,000 through a streamlined process. All 2025 members will have the opportunity to vote on these grants in the fall.

# LEGACY SOCIETY

We offer a special thanks to the members of the **Women's Fund Legacy Society**. These visionary donors have generously enhanced our endowment by contributing \$10,000 or more and/or including the Women's Fund in their estate plans.

Anonymous (4)  
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“Mel and I have faith in the Women's Fund to support the most qualified and deserving groups in our area and are honored to help their mission continue into future generations.”

— Susan Matsumoto and Mel Kennedy, Legacy Society Donors

# ENDOWMENT CONTRIBUTORS

**THE WOMEN'S FUND ENDOWMENT** helps ensure the sustainability of our organization as our membership grows and our outreach expands. Individual endowment donors as well Legacy society members help provide us with a permanent source of funding to support our mission. The principal remains invested, while over the long-term, investment income can be drawn to increase our grants pool and support educational programs and operations.

## 2025 ENDOWMENT CONTRIBUTORS

Melora Balson	In Memory of Stina Hans
Maria Black	In Memory of Stina Hans
Cynthia Brown	In Memory of Denise Hinkle
Angelica Clark	In Memory of Denise Hinkle
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# THANK YOU TO OUR SUPPORTERS

Our community supporters and member underwriters help offset our expenses for educational programs and operations by donating goods, services, as well as money.

## COMMUNITY SUPPORTERS

Alpha Resource Center of Santa Barbara  
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Fran Adams  
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These generous individuals have contributed to our annual grants pool.

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# WOMEN'S FUND VOLUNTEERS

Two all-volunteer teams, the **Board of Directors** and the **Operations Management Team**, govern and manage the Women's Fund, aided by a few essential contractors and an outstanding team of committee members listed here. The Women's Fund has no paid employees, enabling us to devote our membership contributions to address the needs of women, children, and families in the south Santa Barbara community.

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**217 VOLUNTEERS  
AND WE ALWAYS  
WELCOME MORE!**

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*Donations of at least \$2,750 to the Women's Fund have been made by or on behalf of the following Individual Members:*

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Rebekka Putnam  
Lauren Schneider  
Alison Brainard  
Charmian Tallman  
Diane Webber

## **STRONG WOMEN+ (4)**

Charlotte Ackert#  
Fran Adams#  
Jacki Belt  
Stephanie Connaughton#  
**Eva Diaz**  
Kath Lavidge#  
Susan T. Richards  
Joan Young  
Barbara Hauter Woodward#

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Pamela Bigelow  
Cindy Billings  
Carrie Cooper  
Katharine DeWitt  
Kendra Epley  
**Sofie Langhorne**  
Judy Milam  
Anita R. O'Berg  
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Helissa Blumenthal  
Nancy Brock  
**Lilyan Cuttler**  
Michele K. Cuttler  
Julia Emerson  
Carolyn Groth-Marnat#  
Jere Lifshitz  
Bonnie Murdock  
Myra Nadler  
Carole Nicholas  
Nancy Patchen  
Jean Pettitt  
Lois G. Rosen  
Elissa B. Rubin  
Doris Schaffer  
Sandy Schoolfield#  
Lynn Sprecher  
**Carol Spungen**  
Debbi Spungen  
Grace Yoon\*  
Merryl Snow Zegar  
Patty Rich Zucherman

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Linda Bernson  
**Jayne Brechwald**  
Mary Jacob  
Virginia Johns  
Gail Johnson  
Donnalyn Karpeles  
Lois Phillips  
Arlene Ramirez  
Alice N. Sykes  
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Cathleen Costello  
Yvonne DeGraw  
Dorin Donohoe  
Rebecca Golgert  
**Irene Milton**  
Mary Raven  
Rechelle Ringer

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## TEN FOR ONE

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Diana Katsenes#  
Pamela Lombardo  
Carole MacElhenny##\*  
Penny Martin  
Diana O'Keeffe  
Michele Profant  
Charlotte Williams

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Mary Ellen Alden  
Michelle Avila  
Kristin Bergstrom  
Janet Budreski  
**Marita Hawryluk**  
Mary F. Luthy  
Kate Rees  
Nancy A. Rosenthal  
Cindy Yeoman

## TISH and MARY (4)

Jill Dexter  
Irene Falzone  
**Tish Gainey**  
Maureen Grattan  
Frances Hanna+  
Lauren Hanson  
Anne Hutchins  
Mary Grace Kaljian  
Karen Y. Kawaguchi  
Yvonne Neumann  
Peggy Smith  
Linda A. Stephens  
Dannell Stuart  
Natalie Taylor  
Billie Vrtiak

## TLC (10)

Mary Jane Baumgartner  
Sarah de Tagyos  
**Kathy Dunlap**  
Nancy Falberg  
Kathy Gallagher  
Melissa Gough  
Gaile Haslem  
**Maureen Kincannon**  
Cynthia Krueger  
Dawn Lucian  
Maggy McDermott  
Annetta Patrick  
Lynn Pearl

Candy Short  
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Pamela B. Strobel#  
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Karen Warshaw  
Nancy Werner  
Linda Whiston

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Joan Ariel  
Becky Blake  
Ann Blanton  
Ellen Broidy  
Sarah Carr  
Merith Cosden  
Judy Egenolf  
Regina Fletcher  
Diane Giles  
Shannon Gordon  
Sandra Grasso-Boyd  
Peggy Grossman  
Sally Hamilton  
Barbara Cronin Hershberg  
Vicki C. Johnson  
Linda Love  
Jo Magistad  
Barbara Margerum  
Kate Mead  
Maureen Murdock  
Marjorie Palonen  
Stephanie Rachford  
**Bonnie Ray**  
Patricia Reilly Stark  
**Anne Santorelli**  
Anne Sprecher

## TROOP SANTA BARBARA (2)

Julianna Acos  
Jenny Agnini  
Morgan Bluhm  
Beth Boire  
Melissa Brown

Jessica Campora  
Alyse Dale  
Carly Daulton  
Briana Deignan  
Brittany Dobson  
Andrea Fonk  
Natalie Greenside  
Mallory Hatcher

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Amanda Kinsley  
Austin Lampson#  
Kellie Lee  
Alexandra Mohamadi  
Megan Phillips  
Madeleine Radman  
Heather Triplett

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Jordan Benshea  
**Megan Birney Rudert**  
Kristi Birney  
Ellyn Cole  
Meredith Jacobsen  
**Rachel Johnson**  
Laura McGlothlin  
Dawn Mitcham  
Christine Raimer  
Elizabeth Wagner  
Michelle Weinman

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Bobbie Fletcher  
Gabby Hayes  
Kate Jarvis  
Lexi Kinne  
Jessie Lickstein  
Brandi Polzien  
Cami Stettler

**169 NEW MEMBERS  
JOINED IN 2025**

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Judith Cleary  
Lani Duke  
Ann Dwelley  
Melissa Honig  
Janet Kelleway  
Kate Silsbury  
**Parm Williams#**

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Diane Byun  
Courtney DeSoto  
Angela Greenspan  
Cristi Michelon Vasquez  
Kate Mitchell  
**Kelsey Samuel**  
Jessica Sierra

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**Caryl Bowman**  
**Judi Brooks**  
Kris Buck  
Sue Douglas  
Gloria Easter  
Ellen Kenoss  
Mary Maxwell  
Elaine Nicol  
Mitzi Overland  
Victoria Sjollem  
Joyce Ann Tamborello  
Sue Wagner

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Charlene Aguilar  
Kate Borger  
**Renee Courington#**  
Christina Davis  
Lauri Gariffo  
Celeste Kafri  
Sibyl King  
Janice Lawson  
Mona Motte Wilds  
Manouri Nissanka  
Nicki Parr  
Lily Sanders  
Kerrie Smith  
**Julie Sorenson**  
Stephanie Stark  
Melissa Trimble  
Haoyue Xu  
Hollie Zepke-Price

## WE CAN'T SAY NO (2)

Ariel Anderson  
Claudia Chotzen  
Kari Eiler  
Doedy Galloway  
Barbara Hill  
Susan Hubbard  
Karen Keggs  
Christina Leveque  
Maxine Makover  
**Andrea Miller**  
Meg Morrera  
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Pam Caswell  
Marianne D'Emidio  
Caston  
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Carol North Dixon  
Gaby Edwards  
Jessica Hoagland  
Susan Johnson  
**Ann Lippincott#**  
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Julia Elman  
Susan F. Evans  
Judy Horn  
Rosemary Mutton  
Beth Prinz  
Terin Smith  
**Teresa Sutherland**  
Pat Sweem  
**Carol Weingartner**

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Lauralee Anderson  
Mary Becker  
Deva Dalporto  
Janet DeBard  
Rosalind Amorteguy  
Fendon  
Debbie Fisher

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**Michele Neely Saltoun**  
Sherry Robin  
Deborah Samuel  
Linda Schmitt  
**Heather Sourial Craigie**  
Anne Smith Towbes#\*

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Donna Coolidge  
Maureen Ellenberger#  
**Mindy Fogg**  
Carol V. Greene  
**Robin A. Masson#**  
Revae Moran  
Carrie Mullen  
Pat Riezman

## WOMEN IN ACTION (2)

Karen Smith Bogart  
Suzanne Brown  
**Kathryn Dinkin**  
Mary Leslie  
Rhonda McFarlane  
Lorraine Reichel  
Eileen Schuler  
Kathy Scroggs  
Missy Sheldon  
Patty Six  
Suzanne Weintraub  
Wendy Weiss

## WOMEN OF ARB (2)

**Diane Bailey**  
Barbara Caballero Munoz  
Kristen Desmond  
Joanne Funari  
Annette Jorgensen  
Michelle Martinich  
Stephanie Olson  
Holly Onak  
Crystal Rem  
Angela Sanchez  
Jeannette Shade  
Alyssa Shapiro  
Laurel Sykes

## WOMEN OF HONOR

Patti Duell  
Robin Martinelli  
**LuAnn Miller**  
**Dede Nonn**  
Kitty Peri  
Mona Rotella  
Sara Skrinski  
Sandra Stingle  
DiAnne Voorhees  
Francesca Peri  
Connie Wernet

## WOMEN ON A MISSION

Dianne Duva  
Emily Engel  
Michelle Erickson  
Kate Faust  
Cami Ferris-Wong  
**Nancy Martz\***  
Angie McGrath  
Kristin McWilliams  
Kendall Pata  
Lizzie Peus  
Carrie Randolph

## WOMEN WHO CARE (5)

Nan Bedford  
Mary-Ellen Birkett  
Jackie Carrera  
Susan Case#  
Julie Denny  
Patti Daley  
Gail Elnicky  
Andrea Eltinge  
Angela Foote  
Lynn Gamble  
Pamela Houck  
Danielle Levi Alvares  
Patricia Sherman  
**Sally Tannenbaum**  
Susie Thomason

Gail Thompson  
**Holiday Vaill**  
Dale Van Mill

## WOMEN WITH PURPOSE

**Florrie Burke**  
Laura B. Kuhn  
**Chris McNamara**  
Suzanne Mellichamp  
Melanie Mitchel  
Janet Mullen  
Berni Newitt  
Joyce Pettit  
Judy Weisman

## WOMEN'S FORUM

Tina Berg  
Meg Burnham#  
Nori Francis  
Perri Harcourt##\*  
Cydney Justman  
**Christy Kelso**  
Karen Mora  
**Lynn Scarlett**  
Anne Smith Towbes##\*  
Anonymous

## YES WE CAN!

Elisa Atwill  
**Kathleen Barnato**  
Laurie Counihan-Childs  
Danyel Dean  
Ann Diener  
Shelley J. Hurst  
Betsy Ingalls  
Jessica Kolbe  
Annemari Lillep  
Whitney W. McDowell  
Patricia Rachel Schwartz  
Martha Shilliday  
Sarah L. Stokes  
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# ABOUT THE WOMEN'S FUND

## OUR MISSION

The Women's Fund of Santa Barbara is a volunteer-led collective donor organization that enables women to combine our charitable dollars into significant grants addressing the critical needs of women, children, and families in south Santa Barbara County.

The Women's Fund educates and inspires women to engage in making lasting change in our community.

## HOW WE WORK



**COMBINE** donations into grants pool



**RESEARCH** potential grantees



**VOTE** on nonprofits to fund



**CELEBRATE** new grantees



**LEARN** about community issues

# PLEASE JOIN US



Simply make your donation and join as a Group Member, an Individual Member, or both.



**Group Members** contribute a suggested minimum \$275 each to collectively raise at least \$2,750 for a vote. Some groups raise enough for multiple votes. Groups review the ballot of potential grants and vote together to select specific projects.



**Individual Members** make a donation of \$2,750 or more annually and each casts her own vote after reviewing the ballot of potential grants. Individual members also have the opportunity to participate in ballot review discussions groups.

Women who join by December 31 are eligible to vote on the grant awards in the following year.

- **ALL WOMEN ARE WELCOME TO JOIN**
- **NO INVITATION NECESSARY**
- **NO FUNDRAISING EVENTS**
- **NO MEMBERSHIP DRIVES**



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