

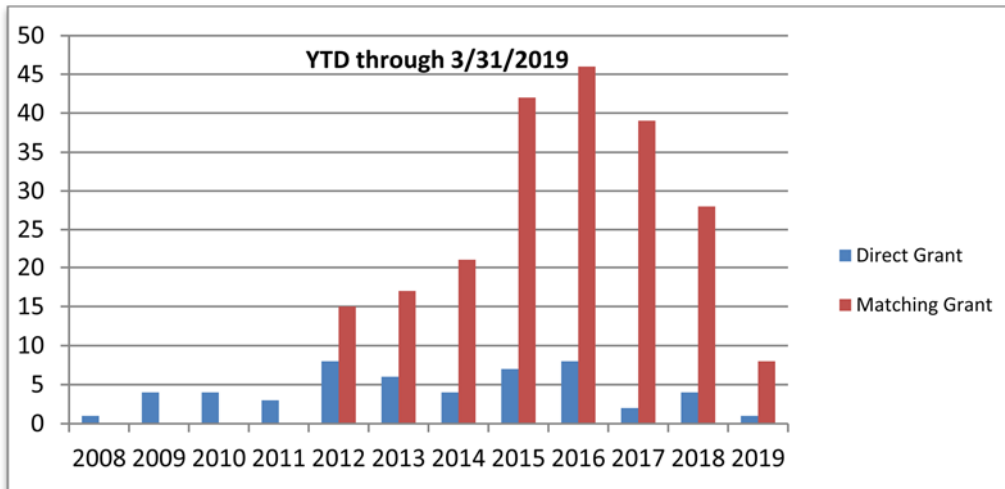
REACH YEAR-END SUMMARY

Total Number of Grants by Year

As of 3/31/2019 the REACH board has approved 8 (eight) matching grants and 1 (one) direct grant (see chart below for the complete history).

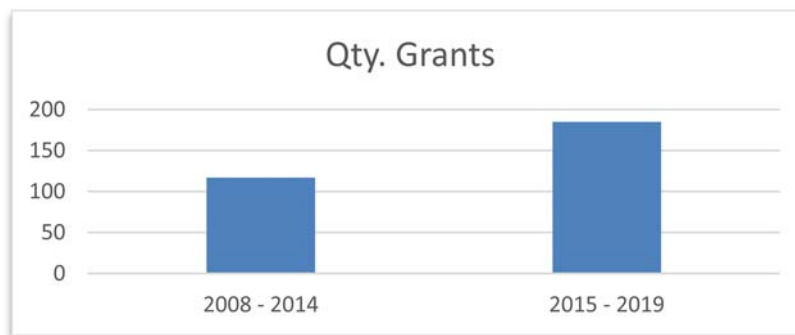
Since our inception we have issued a total of 306 matching and direct grants.

Thank you to everyone who have submitted applications on behalf of their co-workers.



Fund Balance as of 3/31/2019 is \$1,166,746 – **THANK YOU TO ALL OUR DONORS!!!!**

Please note the dramatic growth in grants for the following periods (see chart below)



- 2008 – 2014 – Total of 117 grants issued (Average of 17 per year)
- 2015 – 2019– Total of 185 grants issued (**Average of 44 per year)
- **This demonstrates the need for your continued support of REACH.**

As of 3/31/2019 we have issued grants totaling \$24,279 for the year. Since our inception we have granted \$670,828.

****2019 Prorated to reflect YTD avg****

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Current Initiatives

- Inclusion of Westar into our REACH program update – Initial planning stages of the fund raising across the Evergy footprint continues.
- Alex Savoy is the new Treasurer replacing Pam Budd (retired)
- Verdis Green is the new Chairman replacing Joe Medina who has served for the past 4 years.

Board initiated Events for 2019

- REACH Car Show and Poker Run – Saturday, August 10, 2019 – Registration is currently open and feel free to visit our website for additional details.
- REACH 5k Fun Run/Walk – See our website for a future announcement of this event.

Meet your Board Members:



****Important Information Concerning Your Donations****

Thank you for your continued support for REACH throughout the years. Your donations have made a difference in hundreds of lives of our coworkers.

As you have learned, the Cornerstone Program is underway.

The Cornerstone Program is the combination of the first two projects on the Evergy roadmap: The Human Resources systems consolidation project and the PeopleSoft Enterprise Financial System/Finance Supply Chain Management consolidation project.

As part of the program, we will no longer offer continuous giving. Starting January 2020, the automatic deduction will no longer be taken out of your paycheck as a continuous donation. However, through the Employee Giving Campaign, you will have the option of donating to REACH at your current giving level through the online platform which will restart your donation in January 2020. Moving forward, each of us will have the opportunity to review and renew our donations during the Employee Giving Campaign in September each year.

While we understand this will be an impactful change, it will add simplicity and efficiency to our processes. For continuous donors, please be sure to watch for a letter from Human Resources stating what you currently donate. The amount can also be found on your paystub.

If you have questions, please contact REACH at reach@kcpl.com.

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