Guided by our Core Commitments, we **explore** community needs, we **create** plans to address the needs, we **raise** and **invest** (grant) financial resources, and we **evaluate** our impact.

Federation’s work focuses on achieving these Core Commitments:

- Expand and strengthen an **engaged, vibrant, and flourishing** St. Louis Jewish community
- Secure the **well-being and safety** of individuals within the St. Louis Jewish community
- Strengthen our **connection to Israel** and the Jewish people worldwide
- Develop the **financial & human resources** and **infrastructure** needed by our community
OUR IMPACT

Our work impacts all parts of our community.

We approach evaluation as a collaborative opportunity for both Federation and our Community Partners to learn about our impact and how we might improve our work to best serve our community. It is through our community investments that we support our partners in creating impact aligned with our priorities. This section of the report highlights some of what we’ve learned to date.

To learn more about how we measure impact and for a full report, visit JFedSTL.org/community-impact/impact-evaluation.
PRIORITIES: Early Childhood and Families with Young Children; School-Age Youth; Young Adults

Our investments helped BBYO-St. Louis Council, Chabad Jewish Center of St. Charles County, Chabad on Campus, Epstein Hebrew Academy, Esther Miller Bais Yaakov, The J, Jewish Federation’s Community Leadership & Engagement, Jewish Student Union, MaTovu, Next Dor STL, Saul Mirowitz Jewish Community School, and Torah Prep School create the following impact:

**OUR IMPACT**

VIBRANT JEWISH COMMUNITY

1,897 families with kids engaged in meaningful Jewish programming

78% of participating families created more Jewish experiences at home

637 teens engaged

80% of participating teens reported strengthened Jewish identities

“I now feel at home in St. Louis, knowing that I have a place I can trust and feel welcome.”

-young adult participant
OUR IMPACT
WELL-BEING & SAFETY

PRIORITY: Older Adults at Risk
Our investments helped Covenant Place, Crown Center for Senior Living, the J, Jewish Family Services, and NORC create the following impact:

28,259 homemaker services hours provided to older adults

44,085 affordable, nutritious meals*

437 older adults were served
275 of which were Jewish

“The café staff are my source of delight, and being part of the program made me feel connected to a broader, caring community.”
—meal participant

*COVID Response Fund investments supported an increased need for meals
PRIORITY: Israel Education and Engagement
Our investments helped Chabad on Campus, Jewish Federation’s Community Leadership and Engagement, and The J create the following impact:

“Hosting a Shinshin was an amazing experience for our family. We loved sharing recipes for Israeli food, having our kids exposed to Hebrew language, and getting to know a genuinely amazing young person who we now consider family.”
—host family

4,662 St. Louisans engaged by Israeli Shinshinim and Shlichim

Shinshinim were hosted by B’nai Amoona, Camp Ben Frankel, Israeli Scouts, Kol Rinah, Saul Mirowitz Jewish Community School, Shaare Emeth, Temple Emanuel, Temple Israel, and United Hebrew.

PRIORITY: Social Welfare in Yokneam and Megiddo
Our investments helped Leket Israel create the following impact:

“The exciting news is that the at-risk teens we serve from the Moshavim program come every Thursday to pack the fruits and vegetables into baskets and deliver them to families in need.”
—Partnership Director

232 people in need each received 1 lb. of produce daily in Federation’s partnership regions, Yokneam and Megiddo
OUR IMPACT
INFRASTRUCTURE

PRIORITIES: Recruit and Develop Lay Leaders to Serve the Jewish Community; Attract and Retain High Quality Professional Staff for Jewish Organizations; Promote and Increase Opportunities for Collaboration among Jewish Organizations and Service Agencies

Our investments helped Jewish Federation’s Community Leadership and Engagement create the following impact:

600 identified professionals in the Jewish community

6 =10 people

300 (50%) were engaged in JProSTL programming

"JPro has helped me understand the way I lead within my own work, build professional relationships, and encouraged me to explore new ideas. As a long time professional who isn’t Jewish, JPro has helped me feel connected and appreciated."
- Jewish Early Childhood Director

40 individual coaching sessions with professionals representing 25 local organizations
OUR IMPACT

COVID RESPONSE

FUND INVESTMENTS

110 unique individuals received cash assistance totaling $171,766

300+ Jewish households visited a Jewish Food Pantry

85 PERCENT of HKJFP’s Jewish clients received more than the normal 10 days’ worth of food each month

60 people served by Jewish Community Employment Services

47 PERCENT obtained jobs

77% of those jobs provided a livable wage

150+ lay and professional leaders enhanced their skills at 3 workshops

47

60

110

300+

85

47

77

150+
ROADMAP TO IMPACT: ADDRESSING CRITICAL MENTAL HEALTH NEEDS

MENTAL HEALTH & WELL-BEING IS A PRIORITY FOR FEDERATION.

Core Commitment: Well-being & safety

Mental health and well-being emerged as one of our community’s top challenges during the COVID-19 pandemic.

1. THE NEED

Local young adults have had more trouble coping with the psychological effects of the pandemic than other age groups.

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<th>Ages 18-34</th>
<th>All respondents</th>
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Source: Brandeis Building Resilient Communities Study, June 2020

However, the need is widespread throughout the community.

61 PERCENT of respondents to a community leadership survey reported that their constituents are experiencing mental health challenges - a higher percentage than any other need.

2. CREATING CHANGE

We convened community partners to develop strategies to address the needs of young adults, which informed our broader community response.

3. MEASURING IMPACT

We’ve learned that both clinical and community supports are essential to promoting resilience and wellness.

Desired outcomes:

- Improve Jewish community capacity to respond to mental health challenges.
- Increase mental and emotional well-being.
- Reduce barriers to accessing services.
- Normalize mental healthcare.
- Strengthen Jewish community connection to support resilience.

Multi-pronged approach to address these mental health needs:

- Community mental health trainings
- Community Impact Investments to JFS and BBYO
- Supporting Day School student needs
- Young adult mini grants for pilots
- Mental Health Access Fund Pilot to reduce cost barriers
- Request for Proposals from local Jewish organizations
This section of the report highlights community investments in our partners. The investments included in the list align with Federation’s Core Commitments and priorities; the list is not inclusive of all investments from Supporting Foundations and endowments.

Federation makes investments in the work of our Community Partners in alignment with our Core Commitments and towards outcomes in our priority areas. We recognize that our partners do more work in alignment with our Core Commitments than what we invest in; this listing only reports on the areas of alignment in which we’ve made an investment.

**LOCAL PARTNERS**

**ADL HEARTLAND**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

**AGEWELL ST. LOUIS/OLDER ADULT COLLABORATIVE**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $25,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $140,000

**AGUDAS ISRAEL OF ST. LOUIS**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,993

**AISH HATORAH**
Vibrancy
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000

**American Jewish Committee**
Well-Being & Safety; Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $19,000

*Endowments & Other Grants includes select Community Impact controlled endowments, dollars Federation raised from other foundations to support partner initiatives, strategic sponsorship, and other Federation grants.*
LOCAL PARTNERS

BAIS ABRAHAM CONGREGATION
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $5,000

BBYO - ST. LOUIS CHAPTER
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $20,500
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $20,500

CENTRAL REFORM CONGREGATION
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $12,750
Endowments & Other Grants: $3,081

CHABAD AT MIZZOU
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $7,500

CHABAD JEWISH CENTER OF ST. CHARLES COUNTY
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $15,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $4,000

CHABAD OF CHESTERFIELD INC
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500

CHABAD OF GREATER ST. LOUIS
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500

CHABAD ON CAMPUS (WASHU)
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $112,000
COVID Response: $866.06
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $1,500

CHABAD - CENTRAL WEST END
Vibrancy
Staenberg Family Foundation: $1,500

CHESED SHEL EMETH SOCIETY
Infrastructure
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,150

CHEVRA KADISHA CEMETERY
Infrastructure
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,924

CONGREGATION B’NAI AMOONA
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
COVID Response: $4,769
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,706
Endowments & Other Grants: $2,770

CONGREGATION SHAARE EMETH
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,625
Endowments & Other Grants: $6,319

Congregation Temple Israel
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Endowments & Other Grants: $4,701
**LOCAL PARTNERS**

**COVENANT PLACE FOUNDATION**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $163,000
COVID Response: $30,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $7162
Women’s Auxiliary Foundation: $40,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $129

**CROWN CENTER FOR SENIOR LIVING**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $107,976
COVID Response: $30,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $58,688
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,980
Women’s Auxiliary Foundation: $25,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $166,181

**CULTURAL LEADERSHIP**
Well-Being & Safety
Lubin-Green Foundation: $1,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $1,000

**EPSTEIN HEBREW ACADEMY**
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $83,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $10,000

**ESTHER MILLER BAIS YAAKOV**
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $24,000
COVID Response: $10,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $1,000

**HILLEL AT WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN ST. LOUIS**
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $119,500
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $2,500
Endowments & Other Grants: $500

**STUDENT TO STUDENT**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**CONTRIBUTING PARTNERS**

**AMERICAN JEWISH JOINT DISTRIBUTION**
Community Impact Investment: $19,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $12,000
Well-Being & Safety

**CENTER FOR WOMEN'S JUSTICE (CWJ)**
Community Impact Investment: $1,500
Well-Being & Safety

**CHABAD - CENTRAL WEST END**
Community Impact Investment: $30,000
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry

**COVENANT PLACE FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $30,000
Well-Being & Safety

**ESTHER MILLER BAIS YAAKOV**
Community Impact Investment: $24,000
Well-Being & Safety

**JEWISH STUDENT UNION**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**KRAZ BERG FAMILY FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**LUBIN-GREEN FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $15,000
Well-Being & Safety

**NORC (NATURALLY OCCURRING SERVICES)**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**TPHERIS ISRAEL CHEVRA KADISHA**
Community Impact Investment: $227,000
Vibrancy

**ST. LOUIS KOLLEL**
Community Impact Investment: $176,500
Well-Being & Safety

**TOURAH PREP SCHOOL**
Community Impact Investment: $77,000
Vibrancy; Infrastructure

**THE ST. LOUIS JEWISH LIGHT**
Community Impact Investment: $30,000
Well-Being & Safety

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $5,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE ON ISRAELI AND JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTERS**
Community Impact Investment: $15,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**JEWISH STUDENT UNION**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**STUDENT TO STUDENT**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**BRIDGE TO ISRAEL**
Community Impact Investment: $5,000
Well-Being & Safety

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $15,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**ADL HEARTLAND**
Community Impact Investment: $19,000
Well-Being & Safety; Infrastructure

**AGUDAS ISRAEL OF ST. LOUIS**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Well-Being & Safety

**CENTRAL REFORM CONGREGATION**
Community Impact Investment: $20,500
Well-Being & Safety

**CHABAD - CENTRAL WEST END**
Community Impact Investment: $112,000
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry

**ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT FOR WOMEN**
Community Impact Investment: $1,172,506
Well-Being & Safety

**ST. LOUIS KOLLEL**
Community Impact Investment: $176,500
Well-Being & Safety

**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN**
Community Impact Investment: $30,000
Well-Being & Safety

**THE ROAD TO RECOVERY**
Community Impact Investment: $25,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $823,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**JEWISH STUDENT UNION**
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Vibrancy

**TPHERIS ISRAEL CHEVRA KADISHA**
Community Impact Investment: $227,000
Vibrancy

**CITIZENS ASSOCIATION OF NORTH AMERICA**
Community Impact Investment: $20,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**JEWISH AGENCY FOR ISRAEL (JAFI)**
Community Impact Investment: $5,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION**
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Israel & Global Jewry

**ITIM**
Community Impact Investment: $5,000
Well-Being & Safety

**JERUSALEM COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY**
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN**
Community Impact Investment: $30,000
Well-Being & Safety

**THE ROAD TO RECOVERY**
Community Impact Investment: $25,000
Israel & Global Jewry

**JEWISH STUDENT UNION**
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Vibrancy

**TPHERIS ISRAEL CHEVRA KADISHA**
Community Impact Investment: $227,000
Vibrancy

**JEWISH STUDENT UNION**
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Vibrancy
LOCAL PARTNERS

ISRAELI AMERICAN COUNCIL - ST. LOUIS CHAPTER
Israel & Global Jewry
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,600

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER
Vibrancy; Well-Being & Safety; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $1,172,500
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $16,648
Staenberg Family Foundation: $47,300
Women’s Auxiliary Foundation: $5,125
Endowments & Other Grants: $32,184

JEWISH COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCIL
Vibrancy; Well-Being & Safety; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $285,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $23,600
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,600
Endowments & Other Grants: $1,500

JEWISH EARLY CHILDHOOD DIRECTORS COUNCIL
Vibrancy; Infrastructure
Lubin-Green Foundation: $15,000

JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES OF ST. LOUIS (JFS)
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $759,000
COVID Response: $160,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $28,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $94,634

JEWISH FEDERATION OF ST. LOUIS - DIRECT SERVICES + RESEARCH FUND
Vibrancy; Well-Being & Safety; Israel & Global Jewry; Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $1,573,006
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $10,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $330,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $200,000
Women’s Auxiliary Foundation: $37,036
Endowments & Other Grants: $15,736

JEWISH ROCK RADIO - JUDAISM ALIVE
Vibrancy
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $2,500
Lubin-Green Foundation: $5,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,600

JEWISH STUDENT UNION
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $38,500
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $7,500
Lubin-Green Foundation: $8,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $7,200
Endowments & Other Grants: $750

KOL RINAH
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,945

MARYVILLE UNIVERSITY
Well-Being & Safety
Staenberg Family Foundation: $18,000

MARYVILLE UNIVERSITY HILLEL
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $7,500
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $5,000

Endowments & Other Grants: $94,634
**LOCAL PARTNERS**

**MATOVU**
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $30,000

**MERS MISSOURI GOODWILL INDUSTRIES - JEWISH COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $110,000
COVID Response: $20,000

**NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN**
Infrastructure
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,038

**NEVE SHALOM**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500

**NEXT DOR STL**
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $20,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $4,000

**NORC (NATURALLY OCCURRING RETIREMENT COMMUNITY)**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $3,670

**NUSACH HARI B’NAI ZION CONGREGATION**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Endowments & Other Grants: $650

**SAUL MIROWITZ JEWISH COMMUNITY SCHOOL**
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $176,500
COVID Response: $20,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $3,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $3,758
Endowments & Other Grants: $750

**SHEVET KESIET - FRIENDS OF ISRAEL SCOUTS**
Vibrancy
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $2,500

**SHIR HADASH RECONSTRUCTIONIST COMMUNITY**
Infrastructure
Staenberg Family Foundation: $1,480

**ST. LOUIS KOLLEL**
Vibrancy
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $4,000

**STUDENT TO STUDENT**
Well-Being & Safety
Staenberg Family Foundation: $36,000

**TEMPLE EMANUEL**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Endowments & Other Grants: $1,363

**TEMPLE ISRAEL, SPRINGFIELD, MO**
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
LOCAL PARTNERS

THE ST. LOUIS JEWISH LIGHT
Vibrancy; Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $77,000
Kranzberg Family Foundation: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $138,000
Endowments & Other Grants: $136,000
Some of these investments are part of a multiyear, $1 million dollar investment in the Light.

TORAH PREP SCHOOL
Vibrancy
Community Impact Investment: $227,000
COVID Response: $20,973

TIPHERIS ISRAEL CHEVRA KADISHA
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500

TRADITIONAL CONGREGATION
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $2,680

U.CITY SHUL
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
United Hebrew Congregation
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Endowments & Other Grants: $2,781

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI, COLUMBIA
(VIZZOU) HILLEL
Vibrancy; Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $80,000

YOUNG ISRAEL OF SAINT LOUIS
Well-Being & Safety
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
Staenberg Family Foundation: $4,850
Endowments & Other Grants: $500

ISRAEL & OVERSEAS PARTNERS

Signifies organizations that are in or creating impact in our partnership regions of Yokneam and Megiddo.

AMERICAN JEWISH JOINT DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE (JDC)
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $555,000

BAT MELECH
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $5,000

BIRTHRIGHT ISRAEL FOUNDATION
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $40,000

CENTER FOR WOMEN’S JUSTICE (CWJ)
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $20,000

ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT FOR WOMEN
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $15,000
ISRAEL & OVERSEAS PARTNERS

**GIL OR: ELDERLY CENTER IN MEGIDDO**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

**Hand in Hand: Center for Jewish-Arab Education in Israel**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $12,000

**INTERAGENCY TASK FORCE ON ISRAELI ARAB ISSUES**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $1,000

**IREP – JEWISH FEDERATIONS OF NORTH AMERICA**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $5,000

**ISRAEL ACTION NETWORK (JFNA)**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $12,000

**ISRAEL MOVEMENT FOR REFORM AND PROGRESSIVE JUDAISM**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $30,000

**ISRAEL TRAUMA COALITION FOR RESPONSE AND PREPAREDNESS**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

**ITIM**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $20,000

**JERUSALEM COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

**JERUSALEM OPEN HOUSE FOR PRIDE AND TOLERANCE**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

**JEWISH AGENCY FOR ISRAEL (JAFI)**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $823,000

**JINDAS**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $15,000

**LEKET ISRAEL**
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $24,000
Staenberg Family Foundation: $1,800

**LION GLOBAL FOUNDATION**
Israel & Global Jewry
Staenberg Family Foundation: $10,800
ISRAEL & OVERSEAS PARTNERS

MACHSHAVA TOVA
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $5,000

MEGIDDO CO-EXISTENCE PROJECT
Israel & Global Jewry
Lubin-Green Foundation: $10,000

PARTNERSHIP 2GETHER (JAFI)
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $200,000
Lubin-Green Foundation: $50,000

QSCHOOLS
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $15,000

SHAHARIT: CREATING COMMON CAUSE
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $25,000

SHORESH INSTITUTION FOR SOCIOECONOMIC RESEARCH
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $20,000

THE ROAD TO RECOVERY
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

YEMIN ORDE
Israel & Global Jewry
Staenberg Family Foundation: $20,000

NATIONAL PARTNERS

YOKNEAM ASSOCIATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS
Israel & Global Jewry
Community Impact Investment: $10,000

Hillel International
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $16,500

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTERS ASSOCIATION OF NORTH AMERICA
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $19,000

JEWISH COUNCIL FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $9,500

JEWISH FEDERATIONS OF NORTH AMERICA - DUES
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $366,914

JPRO NETWORK
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $1,500

MOISHE HOUSE
Infrastructure
Community Impact Investment: $2,500
INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHT: PHYSICAL COMMUNITY SECURITY INITIATIVE

SAFETY & SECURITY IS A PRIORITY FOR FEDERATION.
Core Commitment: Well-being & safety

1. THE NEED

In 2020, the FBI reported 683 Hate Crimes committed against Jews.

2. CREATING CHANGE

In 2019, Jewish Federation made a significant investment to provide physical security enhancements to Jewish community organizations and congregation buildings.

The Director of Community Security conducted security audits and coordinated the addition of enhancements based on the unique needs of each organization and congregation. Physical security enhancements included building bollards and barriers, secure doors and hardware, and window security laminate.

3. MEASURING IMPACT

$350,000 to enhance physical security in our community.

These enhancements aim to mitigate the threat of active attackers. The multi-year project is now complete and helped strengthen the physical security of 30 local Jewish organizations and congregations.

53 PERCENT of respondents to a Pew Research Center study said that, as a Jewish person in the US, they personally feel less safe today (2020) than they did five years ago.
2021 COMMUNITY IMPACT INVESTMENTS

Community Impact Investments by Partner Locations

- NATIONAL $415,000 (5%)
- ISRAEL/OVERSEAS $1.88 M (24%)
- LOCAL $5.58 M (71%)

$7.8 MILLION

Dollars Invested by Core Commitment

- VIBRANCY $2,325,761 (30%)
- WELL-BEING & SAFETY $2,153,277 (27%)
- CONNECTION TO ISRAEL $2,576,813 (33%)
- INFRASTRUCTURE $826,045 (10%)

$689,663 of the $2.5 million are local investments in Israel education & engagement

74 Community Partners Worldwide received Community Impact Investments in 2021
We make Community Impact Investments in the work of our Community Partners in alignment with our Core Commitments and towards outcomes in our priority areas. Through a partnership with our lay leaders, we use three key factors in our Community Impact Investment process:

**Community Needs**
We use data - collected through needs assessments, the community study, and what we are hearing from partners - to understand the needs of our community and its members.

**Relationships**
We build and maintain strong and trusting relationships with our Community Partners.

**Learning and Improvement**
We focus efforts around evaluation; we work with our partners to evaluate their work and aim to empower our partners to use evaluation as a tool for learning and improvement.
COVID RESPONSE FUND INVESTMENTS

Federation’s COVID-19 Community Response Fund has provided urgently needed support to vulnerable people in Jewish communities throughout the greater St. Louis area, including food, mental health services, and economic assistance. The fund has also helped to meet the critical and ongoing needs of our Jewish communal organizations so that they can continue to operate during these challenging times.

$953,000 RAISED from 549 donors

$841,722 invested/committed (as of 12/31/2021)

$111,278 remaining

$225,000 invested from the JFNA Match

$616,722 invested from the COVID Response Fund

COVID Response Fund Investments by Need

- Food Security $304,269
- Mental Health $160,000
- Cash Assistance $200,350
- Organization Capacity $177,103

79% INVESTED IN BASIC HUMAN NEEDS
COMMUNITY IMPACT LAY LEADERSHIP
Vice Chair, Community Impact: Craig Rosenthal
Board Chair: Greg Yawitz

Assessment & Planning Subcommittee
Chair: Tim Stern
Co-Chair: Rob Wasserman
Subcommittee Members: Anna Shabsin,
Betsy Garland, Dalia Oppenheimer, Dan Friedman,
Erica Buchalter, Ian Silberman, Laura Chaise,
Les Sterman, Melanie Winograd, Randy Green

Investment & Evaluation Subcommittee
Chair: Burt Garland
Co-Chair: Emily Stein MacDonald
Subcommittee Members: Blair Kweskin, Caroline
Goldenberg, Elizabeth Lieberman, Jennifer Deutsch,
Jim Deutsch, JoAnne Levy, Monique Parasram Levy,
Steve Gallant, Sue Schlichter

Israel & Overseas Subcommittee
Chair: Shira Berkowitz
Subcommittee Members: Rabbi Brigitte Rosenberg,
Burt Garland, Fran Balk, Jenny Wolkowitz,
Julia Mendelow, Lisa Graivier Barnes,
Sherri Frank Weintrop

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