Corporation for NATIONAL & COMMUNITY SERVICE

Maine 2007 - 2008

Meeting community needs in Maine. More than **9,100** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **29** national service projects across Maine. Serving with national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, restore the environment, respond to disasters, build nonprofit capacity and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will commit more than **$6,700,000** to support Maine communities through three national service initiatives:

Senior Corps: More than **2,600** seniors in Maine contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **2,200** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **570** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, participate in environmental projects, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **510** groups across Maine.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **300** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, public safety and other pressing needs in communities across Maine. Roughly three-quarters of all AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Maine Commission for Community Service, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by the Corporation directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals will serve through AmeriCorps*VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award of up to $4,725 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **3,200** Maine residents have qualified for Segal Americorps Education Awards totaling more than **$10,700,000**.

Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to support efforts to engage more than **6,100** Maine students in community service linked to academic achievement and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service learning, improves communities while preparing young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. In addition to providing grants, Learn and Serve America serves as a resource on service and service-learning to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

Together with the USA Freedom Corps, the Corporation for National and Community Service is working to build a culture of citizenship, service, and responsibility in America. To learn more about the Corporation or any of its programs, visit www.nationalservice.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.

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Maine At a Glance

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants		Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	2	277		$926,134
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	5	2,205		$459,642
Senior Companion Program	2	146		$468,132
Senior Corps Total	9	2,628		$1,853,908

AmeriCorps	Program Sites	Participants [1]	Education Award [2]	Program Funding
AmeriCorps*State (Competitive)	1	78	$141,750	$313,028
AmeriCorps*State (Formula)	1	70	$217,350	$500,000
AmeriCorps*National	3	64	$191,363	$383,239
AmeriCorps*VISTA	39	69	$326,025	$914,004
AmeriCorps*NCCC	3	N/A	N/A	N/A [3]
Education Awards Program (National)	6	28	$4,725	$400
AmeriCorps Total	53	309	$881,213	$2,110,671

Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Participants	Subgrantees	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	2	3,229	17	$1,605,000
Higher Education		2,963	10	N/A
Learn and Serve America Total	2	6,192	27	$1,605,000

Administrative Funds				Program Funding
Disability Outreach				$36,500
Program Development & Technical Assistance				$97,500
State Commission Administration				$140,297
Administrative Funds Total		N/A		$274,297
Program Totals	64	9,129	$881,213	$5,843,876

Total Corporation Funding (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards) $6,725,089

[1] This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2007 - 2008 program year. For AmeriCorps*VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

[2] This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Maine. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.

[3] Maine is served by the AmeriCorps*NCCC campus located in Perry Point, Maryland. In the past year, AmeriCorps*NCCC teams have served on projects in Portland, Sanford and Wells.

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Senior Corps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name ***Sponsor Organization*** *(if different)*	Number of Participants	Program Type
Bangor	Penquis Cap FGP *Penquis Community Action Program*	119	Foster Grandparent Program
Bangor	UMaine Center on Aging RSVP *University of Maine System*	478	RSVP
Orono	Senior Companion Program *University of Maine System*	108	Senior Companion Program
Portland	Cumberland/York FGP *People's Regional Opportunity Program*	158	Foster Grandparent Program
Portland	PROP Senior Companion Program *People's Regional Opportunity Program*	38	Senior Companion Program
Presque Isle	Aroostook RSVP *Aroostook Area Agency on Aging*	500	RSVP
Rockland	Penquis Coastal RSVP *Penquis Community Action Program*	252	RSVP
Scarborough	RSVP of Southern Maine *Southern Maine Agency on Aging*	475	RSVP
Waterville	Healthreach RSVP *HealthReach Network*	500	RSVP
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		2,628	

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AmeriCorps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Augusta	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Augusta	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Augusta	Maine Conservation Corps	78	AmeriCorps*State
Augusta	Community HealthCorps- Maine PCA *Maine Primary Care Association*	14	AmeriCorps*National
Augusta	Maine Conservation Corps *National Association of Service & Conservation Corps*	1	Education Awards Program
Augusta	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	6	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Augusta	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bangor	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bar Harbor	Acadia National Park *Student Conservation Association*	2	Education Awards Program
Bar Harbor	Northeast Regional Office *Student Conservation Association*	2	Education Awards Program
Belfast	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Biddeford	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Biddeford	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Boothbay Harbor	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Corinth	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Damariscotta	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Ellsworth	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA

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Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Fort Kent	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Indian Island	National Society for American Indian Elderly VISTA Project *National Society for American Indian Elderly*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lewiston	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lewiston	VolunteerMaine *Maine Commission for Community Service*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lewiston	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lincolnville	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Lubec	Community HealthCorps-Lubec, ME *Regional Medical Center at Lubec*	13	AmeriCorps*National
Milbridge	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Millinocket	Baxter State Park *Student Conservation Association*	16	Education Awards Program
New Gloucester	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Orono	University of Maine *Middlebury College*	3	Education Awards Program
Portland	BGC of Greater Portland *Boys & Girls Clubs of America*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Portland	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Maine Time Dollar Network *Portland Time Bank*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	12	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Portland	Community Resource Corps *Training Resource Center*	70	AmeriCorps*State
Portland	Emergency Response Corps *Training Resource Center*	37	AmeriCorps*National

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Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
Portland	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Presque Isle	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Presque Isle	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Readfield	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Rockland	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Rockland	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Saco	Ferry Beach Ecology School *Student Conservation Association*	4	Education Awards Program
Searsport	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
South Portland	Northern New England Campus Compact Collaboration *Campus Compact for NH VISTA*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Topsham	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterville	Waterville Area BGC *Boys & Girls Clubs of America*	N/A	Education Awards Program
Waterville	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Waterville	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Westbrook	Independent Transportation Network *Independent Transporation Network*	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Westbrook	FIRST AmeriCorps VISTA Program *US Foundation for the Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Westbrook	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Wiscasset	Communities for Children And Youth *State Planning Office, Maine Executive Department*	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA

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AmeriCorps in Maine

Primary City	Program Name *Sponsor Organization (if different)*	# of Members	Program Type
York	UMaine Center on Aging *University of Maine*	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Total Number of AmeriCorps Members		**309**	

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing.

Learn and Serve America in Maine

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Augusta	*Maine Department of Education*	*N/A*	*K-12 School-Based*
Bangor	UTC	4	K-12 School-Based
Belfast	Troy Howard Middle School	225	K-12 School-Based
Brunswick	Bowdoin College	550	Higher Education
Calais	Calais Middle/High School	75	K-12 School-Based
Cumberland	MSAD 51, Cumberland	64	K-12 School-Based
Deer Isle	Deer Isle	10	K-12 School-Based
Fairfield	Kennebec Valley Community College	150	Higher Education
Falmouth	Maine Educational Center for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing	15	K-12 School-Based
Farmington	University of Maine Farmington	110	Higher Education
Holton	Region II School of Applied Technology	7	K-12 School-Based
Jackman	Forest Hills School	11	K-12 School-Based
Lewiston	*Kids Consortium, Inc.*	*N/A*	*K-12 School-Based*
Lewiston	Maine Campus Compact	N/A	Higher Education
Lewiston	University of Southern Maine	1,022	Higher Education
Lewiston	University of Southern Maine- Lewiston/Auburn Campus	465	Higher Education
Madawaska	Madawaska Schools	94	K-12 School-Based
Madison	MSAD 59, Madison	280	K-12 School-Based
Mt. Desert	Union 98, MDI	224	K-12 School-Based
Old Town	Old Town Schools	204	K-12 School-Based
Portland	Andover College	76	Higher Education
Portland	Maine College of Art	63	Higher Education
South Portland	Southern Maine Community College	130	Higher Education
Southwest Harbor	MDI - Pemetic Elementary School	548	K-12 School-Based
Standish	St. Joseph's College	397	Higher Education
Topsham	MSAD 75 - Mt. Ararat High School	59	K-12 School-Based
Westbrook	Westbrook School Department	166	K-12 School-Based
Winthrop	Winthrop Public Schools	837	K-12 School-Based
York	York School Department	406	K-12 School-Based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		6,192	

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