



Montana

2009 - 2010

Meeting community needs in Montana. More than **8,300** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through **47** national service projects across Montana. 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 **\$9,300,000** to support Montana communities through three national service initiatives:



Senior Corps: More than **5,700** seniors in Montana 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 **4,050** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **920** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **890** groups across Montana.



AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **1,100** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic and other pressing needs in communities across Montana. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Montana Commission on 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 that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **5,500** Montana residents have served more than **5 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$11,000,000**.



Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to engage more than **1,500** Montana 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. Learn and Serve America also provides curricula and other resources to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. The Corporation annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and Learn and Serve America, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 202-565-2799.

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants	Program Funding
Foster Grandparent Program	5	373	\$1,146,494
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	15	5,136	\$1,097,629
Senior Companion Program	3	252	\$821,209
Senior Corps Total	23	5,761	\$3,065,332

AmeriCorps¹	Program Sites	Participants²	Education Award³	Program Funding
AmeriCorps State Competitive	3	859	\$1,693,963	\$2,294,400
AmeriCorps State Formula	7	123	\$208,675	\$537,978
AmeriCorps National	0	N/A	\$1,892,900	\$50,000
AmeriCorps NCCC	1	N/A	N/A	N/A ⁴
AmeriCorps VISTA	5	77	\$363,825	\$1,298,297
AmeriCorps Total	16	1,059	\$4,159,363	\$4,180,675

Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Participants	Subgrantees	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	2	1,509	8	\$225,000
Learn and Serve America Total	2	1,509	8	\$225,000

Administrative Funds	Program Funding
Disability Outreach	\$97,609
Program Development & Technical Assistance	\$94,461
State Commission Administration	\$125,000
Administrative Funds Total	N/A
Program Totals	\$7,788,077

Total Corporation Funding (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards) \$11,947,440

¹ This chart does not include AmeriCorps sites, participants, or funding provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

² This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2009 - 2010 program year excluding Recovery Act positions. For AmeriCorps VISTA and the Education Awards Program, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

³ This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Montana. 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.

⁴ Montana is served by the AmeriCorps NCCC campus located in Sacramento, California. In the past year, AmeriCorps NCCC teams have served on projects in Virginia City.



Senior Corps in Montana

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	Number of Participants	Program Type
Baker	RSVP of Fallon County <i>Fallon County</i>	125	RSVP
Billings	St. Vincent Healthcare Foster Grandparent Program <i>St. Vincent Hospital & Health Center</i>	75	Foster Grandparent Program
Billings	RSVP Yellowstone County <i>Yellowstone County Council on Aging</i>	731	RSVP
Bozeman	RSVP of Southwest Montana 09 <i>Human Resource Development Council District IX, Inc.</i>	430	RSVP
Butte	Butte School No. 1 - RSVP <i>Butte School District #1</i>	245	RSVP
Glendive	Eastern Montana SCP <i>Action For Eastern Montana</i>	59	Senior Companion Program
Glendive	Dawson/Wibaux RSVP <i>Dawson County Commissioners</i>	300	RSVP
Great Falls	Cascade County FGP <i>Cascade County Commissioners</i>	70	Foster Grandparent Program
Great Falls	Cascade County RSVP dba: North Central MT RSVP <i>Cascade County Commissioners</i>	612	RSVP
Hamilton	Area VI RSVP <i>Western Montana Area VI on Aging</i>	208	RSVP
Havre	Hill County RSVP <i>Hill County Council on Aging</i>	200	RSVP
Helena	Helena FGP <i>Rocky Mountain Development Council, Inc.</i>	106	Foster Grandparent Program
Helena	Helena SCP <i>Rocky Mountain Development Council, Inc.</i>	151	Senior Companion Program
Helena	Tri-County RSVP <i>Rocky Mountain Development Council, Inc.</i>	400	RSVP
Kalispell	RSVP of Flathead County <i>Flathead County Commissioners</i>	475	RSVP
Miles City	Miles City RSVP <i>City of Miles City</i>	230	RSVP



Senior Corps in Montana

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	Number of Participants	Program Type
Missoula	Missoula FGP <i>Missoula Aging Services, Inc.</i>	53	Foster Grandparent Program
Missoula	RSVP of Missoula <i>Missoula Aging Services, Inc.</i>	400	RSVP
Missoula	SCP Missoula <i>Missoula Aging Services, Inc.</i>	42	Senior Companion Program
Polson	Polson FGP <i>Western Montana Area VI on Aging</i>	69	Foster Grandparent Program
Roundup	South Central Montana RSVP <i>Area II Agency on Aging</i>	300	RSVP
Sidney	Richland and McCone RSVP <i>Richland County Health Department</i>	310	RSVP
Wolf Point	Roosevelt County RSVP <i>Roosevelt County</i>	170	RSVP
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		5,761	



AmeriCorps in Montana

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	# of Members	Program Type
Billings	SVH Healthy Futures AmeriCorps Planning Project <i>St. Vincent Hospital & Health Center</i>	N/A	AmeriCorps State
Billings	Billings Metro VISTA Project (MVP) <i>City of Billings - Community Development</i>	7	AmeriCorps VISTA
Bozeman	Montana Conservation Corps <i>Montana Conservation Corps, Inc.</i>	175	AmeriCorps State
Butte	Montana Energy Corps <i>National Center for Appropriate Technology</i>	10	AmeriCorps State
Great Falls	Neighborhood Housing Services, Inc., of Great Falls	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Great Falls	Montana HomeOwnership Network	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Great Falls	Financial Economic Security Program Planning <i>Rural Dynamics Inc.</i>	N/A	AmeriCorps State
Helena	Young Adult Service Corps <i>Jobs for Montana's Graduates Foundation</i>	100	AmeriCorps State
Helena	Justice for Montanans Project <i>Montana Legal Services Association</i>	13	AmeriCorps State
Helena	Montana State Parks AmeriCorps <i>Montana Fish, Wildlife and Parks</i>	N/A	AmeriCorps State
Helena	Civic Engagement Planning <i>Office of the Montana Secretary of State</i>	N/A	AmeriCorps State
Helena	Montana Legal Services Association	33	AmeriCorps VISTA
Helena	Prevention Resource Center <i>Prevention Resource Center - MT DPHHS</i>	28	AmeriCorps VISTA
Helena	Montana Legal Services Recovery Project <i>Montana Legal Services Association</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Missoula	Campus Corps <i>The University of Montana</i>	670	AmeriCorps State
Missoula	Literacy Support Corps <i>Women's Opportunity & Resource Development, Inc.</i>	14	AmeriCorps State
Missoula	Montana Campus Compact <i>University of Montana - Montana Campus Compact</i>	30	AmeriCorps VISTA



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Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	# of Members	Program Type
Missoula	MTCC Recovery Act VISTA <i>University of Montana - Montana Campus Compact</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Sidney	Richland County Health Department	19	AmeriCorps VISTA

Total Number of AmeriCorps Members



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		1,105	

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 Montana

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Big Timber	Sweet Grass County High School	66	K-12 School-Based
<i>Box Elder</i>	<i>Chippewa Cree Tribe</i>		<i>K-12 School-Based</i>
Bozeman	Monforton School	185	K-12 School-Based
Dutton	Dutton-Brady K-12 Public Schools	101	K-12 School-Based
<i>Helena</i>	<i>Montana Office of Public Instruction</i>		<i>K-12 School-Based</i>
Lewistown	Lewistown Junior High	237	K-12 School-Based
Libby	Libby K-12 School District #4	331	K-12 School-Based
Livingston	Livingston Public Schools	54	K-12 School-Based
Missoula	Sentinel High School, Missoula	500	K-12 School-Based
Sand Coulee	Centerville Public Schools	35	K-12 School-Based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		1,509	

Notes: If no participants are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing, or the organization listed is the primary grantee and the participants are listed by its subgrantees.