

Report: Foundation Investments Pay Off in WA Nonprofits

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Nonprofit groups can have a tough time raising money in any economy, but a new report says they're worth every penny of the donation dollars they receive from charitable foundations for the causes they support.

The study of 20 nonprofits in the Northwest included seven in Washington, working on advocacy issues ranging from homelessness prevention to immigrants' rights. It tracked all the foundation money they received, and found the groups were able to leverage every dollar, about 150 to one.

Aaron Dorfman, executive director of the National Committee for Responsive Philanthropy, says individuals can take a hint from the results.

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