



## Idaho by the Numbers



963

Members & Volunteers



183

Service Locations



\$9.1m

Total Investment

## Meeting Needs in Idaho

Working hand-in-hand with local partners, AmeriCorps is investing more than \$4.8 million to support cost-effective community solutions in Idaho. This federal funding enables more than 950 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in Idaho.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers are preparing today's students for tomorrow's jobs, helping communities and families impacted by COVID-19, reducing crime and reviving cities, connecting veterans to services, fighting the opioid epidemic, helping seniors live independently, and rebuilding communities after disasters.

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers will serve at more than 150 locations across Idaho, including schools, food banks, homeless shelters, health clinics, youth centers, veterans' facilities, and other nonprofit and faith-based organizations. Through a unique public-private partnership, AmeriCorps and its partners generated more than \$4.3 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Idaho in the last year. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.

## What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the only federal agency tasked with elevating service and volunteerism in America. We provide opportunities for people of all ages and backgrounds to give their time and talent to strengthen communities across our country.

## A Cornerstone of Our National Culture

By bringing people together to serve communities, AmeriCorps is making service to others an indispensable part of the American experience. We offer individuals and organizations flexible ways to make a local impact through our programs and initiatives.

## Segal AmeriCorps Education Award

In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award that can be used to pay for trade school, college, or graduate school; or to pay back qualified student loans. **Since 1994, more than 6,600 Idaho residents have served approximately 9.6 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$20.9 million.**

### Our Programs and Initiatives

**AmeriCorps State and National** matches individuals with organizations that see service as a solution to local, regional, and national challenges. There are thousands of opportunities in locations across the country to serve with nonprofits, schools, public agencies, tribes, and community and faith-based groups. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to Serve Idaho, The Governor's Commission on Service and Volunteerism, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.

**AmeriCorps VISTA** places individuals with organizations that fight poverty, to build capacity and make sustainable change. Through fundraising, grant writing, volunteer recruitment, and so much more, AmeriCorps VISTA members gain experience and leadership skills that put them on track for a life of service in the public, private, or nonprofit sector.

**AmeriCorps NCCC** is a full-time, team-based, residential program for 18-24-year-olds. Whether clearing trails for a national park or building homes for families in need, AmeriCorps NCCC members engage in a variety of projects in multiple communities while developing leadership and teamwork skills. AmeriCorps NCCC FEMA Corps serves communities, in coordination with FEMA, through disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

**AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparents** provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans 55 and older in providing one-on-one mentoring and academic support to children with special or exceptional needs.

**AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companions** provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans 55 and older in providing supportive, individualized services to help older adults and adults maintain their dignity and independence.

**AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP** provides grants to organizations to engage Americans 55 and older in tutoring and mentoring youth, responding to natural disasters, supporting veterans and their families, and meeting other critical needs.

**Volunteer Generation Fund** supports voluntary organizations and state service commissions in boosting the impact of volunteers in addressing critical community needs.

**MLK Day of Service** is observed each year on the third Monday in January as "a day on, not a day off." MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities.

**9/11 Day of Service** calls Americans across the country to volunteer in their local communities in tribute to the individuals lost and injured in the attacks, first responders, and the many who have risen in service to defend freedom.

### Learn More

To see other reports about national service in Idaho, email [ID@cns.gov](mailto:ID@cns.gov).


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### Program Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	1	1	24	\$39,333	\$97,710
AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	1	10	-	-
AmeriCorps State	5	66	209	\$836,132	\$1,235,661
AmeriCorps VISTA	14	30	43	\$260,335	\$739,647
<b>AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>286</b>	<b>\$1,135,800</b>	<b>\$2,073,018</b>

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Foster Grandparent Program	3	58	179	-	\$814,488
RSVP	2	26	448	-	\$158,966
Senior Companion Program	1	1	50	-	\$285,058
<b>AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$1,258,512</b>

### Other Funding

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AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	2	-	-	-	\$87,250
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$265,000
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$352,250</b>

Total Program Funding					\$3,683,780
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Scholarships					\$4,819,580
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)					\$4,354,036
<b>Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project Support</b>					<b>\$9,173,616</b>

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City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
Boise City	Jannus Arizona State University	AmeriCorps National	1	24	\$39,333	\$97,710
Boise City	Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity Serve Idaho The Governor's Commission on Service and Volunteerism	AmeriCorps State	-	20	\$123,900	\$70,631
Boise City	US2020 STEM VISTA Citizen Schools, Inc. (ACTIVE)	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Boise City	Idaho Department of Correction Idaho Department of Correction	AmeriCorps VISTA	7	8	\$49,010	\$139,122
Boise City	Idaho Youth Ranch Idaho Youth Ranch	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	2	\$11,840	\$33,696
Boise City	Meaningful Resident Services Northwest Real Estate Capital Corporation	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Boise City	The Jesse Tree of Idaho The Jesse Tree of Idaho	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	7	\$41,165	\$117,213
Boise City	Washington Campus Compact VISTA Project Washington Campus Compact c/o Western Washington University	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Coeur d'Alene	US2020 STEM VISTA Citizen Schools, Inc. (ACTIVE)	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Coeur d'Alene	Best Future for Idaho Youth United Way of North Idaho	AmeriCorps VISTA	6	7	\$42,265	\$120,105
Eagle	LEAP Charities LEAP Charities	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	4	\$24,230	\$68,838
Idaho Falls	Bonneville Youth Development Council, Inc. Bonneville Youth Development Council LLC	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Idaho Falls	US2020 STEM VISTA Citizen Schools, Inc. (ACTIVE)	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
Leadore	Public Lands Improvement Project on the Salmon- Challis National Forest (June 22 - August 24, 2020) Salmon-Challis NF, North Zone District	AmeriCorps NCCC In-State Projects	1	10	-	-
Meridian	Idaho Statewide Opioid Recovery Support Project Recovery Idaho, Inc	AmeriCorps VISTA	5	7	\$42,265	\$120,105
Moscow	Palouse-Clearwater Environmental AmeriCorps Program Palouse-Clearwater Environmental Institute	AmeriCorps State	12	18	\$111,510	\$278,550
Moscow	Idaho Positive Youth Development AmeriCorps University of Idaho	AmeriCorps State	19	38	\$122,064	\$304,703
Moscow	Backyard Harvest Backyard Harvest	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571

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Nampa	Teach For America Idaho Teach For America	AmeriCorps State	23	39	\$241,605	\$39,000
Pocatello	Idaho Healthcare for Children and Families (IHCF) AmeriCorps Idaho State University	AmeriCorps State	12	94	\$237,052	\$542,777
Pocatello	Big Momma's House Big Momma's House	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571
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Blackfoot	FGP of South East Idaho, Inc. II FGP of South East Idaho, Inc.	Foster Grandparent Program	-	36	-	\$9,122
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Boise City	The Foster Grandparent Program of the Treasure Valley Jannus1	Foster Grandparent Program	34	59	-	\$327,868
Coeur d'Alene	SCP of North Idaho Panhandle Health District	Senior Companion Program	1	50	-	\$285,058
Lewiston	Washington-Idaho Volunteer Center RSVP Washington-Idaho Volunteer Center, Inc.	RSVP	12	288	-	\$87,285
Pocatello	SEICAA-RSVP Southeast ID Community Action Agency	RSVP	14	160	-	\$71,681
<b>AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal</b>			<b>85</b>	<b>677</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$1,258,512</b>
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Boise City	Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity Boise Valley Habitat for Humanity	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$37,417
Boise City	United Way of Treasure Valley II United Way of Treasure Valley	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$49,833
Boise City	Serve Idaho The Governor's Commission on Service and Volunteerism	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$265,000
<b>Subtotal</b>			<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$352,250</b>
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