




North Dakota by the Numbers


 **1,013**
Members & Volunteers **223**
Service Locations **\$4.3m**
Total Investment

Meeting Needs in North Dakota

Last year more than 1,000 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in North Dakota. AmeriCorps invested more than \$3.4 million in federal funding to support cost-effective community solutions, working hand in hand with local partners to empower individuals to help communities tackle their toughest challenges.

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

AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers served at more than 200 locations across North Dakota, 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 \$799.4 thousand in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in North Dakota last year. This local support strengthened community impact and increased the return on taxpayer dollars.



What is AmeriCorps?

AmeriCorps is the federal agency for national service and volunteerism. AmeriCorps provides opportunities for Americans of all backgrounds to serve their country, address the nation's most pressing challenges, improve lives and communities, and strengthen civic engagement.



Bringing Out the Best in America

More than 250,000 AmeriCorps members and AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers serve each year, empowering millions more to meet needs in their communities. By bringing people together to serve communities, AmeriCorps is making service to others an indispensable part of the American experience.



Segal AmeriCorps Education Award

After successful completion of service, AmeriCorps members earn a Segal AmeriCorps Education Award to pay for qualified educational costs. Since 1994, more than 2,400 North Dakota residents have served approximately 2.7 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$6.2 million. Higher education institutions and other organizations in North Dakota have received more than \$4.1 million in education award payments since 1994.

Our Programs and Initiatives

AmeriCorps State and National awards grants to organizations to engage individuals in sustained service to address local, regional, and national challenges. Thousands of opportunities exist 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 North Dakota State Commission on National and Community Service, the Governor-appointed State Service Commission, which in turn awards grants to organizations to respond to local needs.

AmeriCorps VISTA places individuals with nonprofit organizations, public agencies, and tribal governments to expand reach and deepen impact in making sustainable change that alleviates the impact of poverty. Through fundraising, volunteer recruitment, program development, and more, AmeriCorps 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 18-26-year-olds. Whether building homes for families in need or accelerating our nation's capacity to respond to a crisis, AmeriCorps NCCC members engage in a variety of community identified projects during their service term, while developing leadership, teamwork, and professional 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 aged 55 and older in providing one-on-one mentoring and academic support to children with special or exceptional needs. In 2020, Foster Grandparents in North Dakota served more than 40 young people with special needs.

AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companions provides grants to organizations to engage low-income Americans aged 55 and older in providing supportive, individualized services to help homebound seniors and other adults maintain their dignity and independence. In 2020, Seniors Companions in North Dakota provided independent living support to more than 270 individuals.

AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP provides grants to organizations to engage Americans aged 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. It is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to deepen ties to communities, expand racial equity, and solidify service to others as a national commitment.

9/11 National Day of Service and Remembrance 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 since Sept. 11, 2001.

Learn More

To see other reports about national service in North Dakota, email ND@cns.gov.

To learn more about AmeriCorps, visit: [AmeriCorps.gov](https://www.americorps.gov).



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Members & Volunteers



223
Service Locations



\$4,269,749
Total Investment

Program Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps Indian Tribes	1	1	2	\$5,975	\$9,999
AmeriCorps National	1	2	3	\$4,917	\$635
AmeriCorps NCCC	4	4	30	-	-
AmeriCorps State	4	63	95	\$267,095	\$414,773
AmeriCorps VISTA	4	9	48	\$182,109	\$511,032
AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal	14	79	178	\$460,096	\$936,438

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AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	1	4	55	-	\$356,991
AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	1	110	700	-	\$935,812
AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	1	30	80	-	\$372,024
AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal	3	144	835	-	\$1,664,827

Other Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
State Commission Investment Funds	1	-	-	-	\$306,050
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$102,842
Subtotal	2	-	-	-	\$408,892

Total Program Funding					\$3,010,158
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Awards					\$3,470,254
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)					\$799,496
Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project Support					\$4,269,749

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Notes: Data shown represents national service activity completed between January 29, 2021 and January 28, 2022. 1. Projects may be headquartered in other states. 2. The service location total may contain multiple counts of unique locations where multiple AmeriCorps projects operated. 3. Completed participants reflects all AmeriCorps members who completed service in North Dakota between January 29, 2021 and January 28, 2022. For AmeriCorps Seniors, this reflects all volunteers funded by grants completed during that same period. For AmeriCorps Seniors projects where 2021 service location data is unavailable, service locations associated with the project from the previous year are represented or are listed with no service locations. 4. The Education Awards figures represent the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that could be earned by AmeriCorps members who completed service in North Dakota. 5. AmeriCorps State and National, Foster Grandparent, and Senior Companion federal funding reflects the estimated proportionate annual share of the federal grant associated with the participants in this report. This includes any awarded federal American Rescue Plan funding except match replacement. AmeriCorps State and National placeholder grants have been excluded from this report. For AmeriCorps VISTA, funding reflects the national average cost per participant. RSVP funding appears in the state where the project is based and reflects the full amount awarded to operate the completed grant. 6. Total local project support reflects non-AmeriCorps cash and in-kind resources that AmeriCorps grantees committed to raise in support of their completed grants. This includes any awarded federal American Rescue Plan match replacement funding.

Program Funding

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding	Current Participants
Belcourt	TMBCI Promise Zone Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	37	\$118,066	\$331,572	21
Bottineau	SCA ND STUDENT CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC., THE	AmeriCorps National	2	3	\$4,917	\$635	-
Cooperstown	Cooperstown Community Activities Cooperstown Community Activities	AmeriCorps State	1	5	\$13,226	\$32,368	3
East Dunseith	Improve Indoor Program Spaces, Repair Trail, and Prepare Campsites (April 3 - April 29, 2021) International Peace Garden	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	7	-	-	-
East Dunseith	Support Facility Repair and Improvements (June 15 - June 25, 2021) International Peace Garden	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	9	-	-	-
East Fairview	Improve Historic Sites Through Restoration, Maintenance, and Repair (August 5 - September 10, 2021) Fort Buford State Historical Site	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	5	-	-	-
Fargo	Collective Community Impact Cultural Diversity Resources	AmeriCorps VISTA	2	4	\$20,378	\$56,451	4
Fargo	North Dakota Reading and Math Corps South East Education Cooperative	AmeriCorps State	43	55	\$125,328	\$312,241	54
Fargo	North Dakota Reading Corps- Educator Corps South East Education Cooperative	AmeriCorps State	12	25	\$107,384	\$17,300	29
Fargo	Prairie Roots Outreach Prairie Roots Community Fund	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$12,390	\$35,142	-
Fargo	United Way of Cass-Clay United Way of Cass-Clay	AmeriCorps State	-	-	-	-	3
Fort Totten	Spirit Lake Tribe Spirit Lake Tribe	AmeriCorps VISTA	-	-	-	-	2
Fort Yates	GED Project Sitting Bull College	AmeriCorps Indian Tribes	1	2	\$5,975	\$9,999	-
Minot	Souris Basin Community Builder Program Souris Basin Planning Council	AmeriCorps VISTA	4	5	\$31,275	\$87,867	4
Minot	Souris Basin Planning Council II Souris Basin Planning Council	AmeriCorps State	7	10	\$21,158	\$52,864	5
Tuttle	Converting a Vacant School to Serve as an Economic Development Hub (May 17 - June 13, 2021) Strengthen ND	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	9	-	-	-

AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal 79 178 \$460,096 \$936,438 125

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Dickinson	ND Senior Career Development ND Senior Career Development	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	4	55	-	\$356,991	55

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Fargo	LSSND - RSVP Grant Lutheran Social Services ND	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	110	700	-	\$935,812	-
Larimore	Tri-Valley Opportunity Council Tri-Valley Opportunity Council	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	-	-	-	-	1
Minot	LSS Senior Companions Lutheran Social Services ND	AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	30	80	-	\$372,024	-

AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal

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Other Funding

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Bismarck	North Dakota Department of Commerce	State Commission Investment Funds	-	-	-	\$306,050	-
Bismarck	North Dakota Department of Commerce	State Commission Operations Support	-	-	-	\$102,842	-

Subtotal

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Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)				\$799,496	
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