



## Wyoming by the Numbers

 **707**

Members &amp; Volunteers

 **150**

Service Locations

 **\$5.4m**

Total Investment

## Meeting Needs in Wyoming

Last year more than 700 Americans of all ages and backgrounds united to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and expand opportunity through national service in Wyoming. AmeriCorps invested more than \$4.3 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 100 locations across Wyoming, 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 \$1.0 million in outside resources from businesses, foundations, public agencies, and other sources in Wyoming 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 3,200 Wyoming residents have served approximately 3.4 million hours and earned education awards totaling more than \$7.8 million. Higher education institutions and other organizations in Wyoming have received more than \$6.5 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 ServeWyoming - Wyoming 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 Wyoming served more than 340 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 Wyoming provided independent living support to more than 310 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.

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## Learn More

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



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**\$5,360,087**  
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## Program Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps National	5	10	23	\$57,771	\$38,115
AmeriCorps NCCC	2	2	22	-	-
AmeriCorps State	7	9	104	\$244,086	\$601,685
AmeriCorps VISTA	8	33	59	\$250,854	\$704,337
<b>AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>\$552,710</b>	<b>\$1,344,137</b>

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AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	2	41	134	-	\$903,952
AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	2	37	290	-	\$204,564
AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	1	18	75	-	\$351,840
<b>AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>499</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$1,460,356</b>

## Other Funding

	Projects	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding
AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	1	-	-	-	\$25,439
State Commission Investment Funds	1	-	-	-	\$240,628
State Commission Operations Support	1	-	-	-	\$545,000
Volunteer Generation Fund	1	-	-	-	\$160,918
<b>Subtotal</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$971,985</b>

Total Program Funding					\$3,776,478
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Awards					\$4,329,188
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)					\$1,030,898
<b>Total AmeriCorps Funding + Total Local Project Support</b>					<b>\$5,360,087</b>

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### Program Funding

City	Project Name Sponsor Organization	Program Type	Service Locations	Completed Participants	Education Awards	Federal Funding	Current Participants
Casper	ServeWyoming Serve Wyoming	AmeriCorps VISTA	6	8	\$10,743	\$29,760	4
Casper	The Science Zone The Science Zone	AmeriCorps State	-	-	-	-	2
Cheyenne	Equal Justice Wyoming Equal Justice Wyoming	AmeriCorps VISTA	5	7	\$43,365	\$122,997	5
Evansville	Increasing Food Security in Wyoming FOOD BANK OF THE ROCKIES, INC.	AmeriCorps State	1	4	\$14,648	\$42,537	3
Green River	City of Green River City of Green River	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,195	\$17,571	-
Jackson	Building Capacity for Out-of-school STEM Learning Teton Science Schools	AmeriCorps State	1	27	\$46,993	\$133,093	-
Jackson	Montana Conservation Corps, Inc. Montana Conservation Corps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	1	1	\$2,360	\$4,467	-
Jackson	Teton Area, HFH of the Greater Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$6,195	\$15,479	-
Kelly	CL Environmental Stewards Corps Network, The	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,360	\$305	1
Kelly	SATA Stewards 2020 Conservation Legacy	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,322	\$1,147	-
Kelly	SCA WY STUDENT CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION, INC., THE	AmeriCorps National	4	14	\$26,687	\$3,429	2
Kemmerer	CL Environmental Stewards Corps Network, The	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$2,360	\$305	-
Laramie	Action Resources International Action Resources International	AmeriCorps State	1	21	\$42,546	\$122,442	10
Laramie	Action Resources International IV Action Resources International	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$12,390	\$35,142	-
Laramie	Action Resources International V Action Resources International	AmeriCorps VISTA	12	32	\$126,658	\$354,555	9
Laramie	Campus Compact 2020-2021 Campus Compact	AmeriCorps National	1	1	\$6,195	\$15,945	1
Laramie	Improving Food Resiliency in Jackson County, CO, Albany, WY & Wind River (May 22 - July 10, 2021) Feeding Laramie Valley	AmeriCorps NCCC	1	10	-	-	-
Laramie	Improving Food Resiliency in the Laramie Valley (November 19 - December 20, 2021) Action Resources International	AmeriCorps NCCC	2	12	-	-	-
Laramie	Wyoming Conservation Corps University of Wyoming **	AmeriCorps State	1	33	\$68,669	\$150,667	-

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Mammoth	CL Environmental Stewards Corps Network, The	AmeriCorps National	1	4	\$11,653	\$1,505	-
Mammoth	Montana Conservation Corps, Inc. Montana Conservation Corps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	1	2	\$4,720	\$8,933	-
Pinedale	Montana Conservation Corps, Inc. Montana Conservation Corps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	1	3	\$7,080	\$13,400	-
Powell	Powell Economic Partnership Powell Economic Partnership, Inc.	AmeriCorps VISTA	6	6	\$37,470	\$105,438	5
Sheridan	Antelope Butte Youth Recreation Corps Antelope Butte Foundation	AmeriCorps State	1	12	\$50,874	\$111,947	4
Sheridan	Big Sky Watershed Corps Montana Montana Conservation Corps, Inc.	AmeriCorps State	1	1	\$6,195	\$14,200	1
Sheridan	Sheridan Community Land Trust Sheridan Community Land Trust	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	1	\$6,345	\$17,577	-
Sheridan	Sheridan Health Center, INC. Sheridan Health Center, INC.	AmeriCorps VISTA	1	2	\$7,688	\$21,297	3
<b>AmeriCorps Programs Subtotal</b>			55	208	\$552,710	\$1,344,137	50

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Casper	Central Wyoming RSVP-ServeWyoming 55+ Initiative Serve Wyoming	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	-	-	-	-	175
Casper	RSVP of Central Wyoming Community Action Partnership of Natrona County	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	20	175	-	\$130,647	-
Cheyenne	City of Cheyenne Office of Youth Alternatives Cheyenne, City of	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	-	49	-	\$333,375	49
Cheyenne	Southern Wyoming Retired & Senior Volunteer Program Cheyenne Housing Authority	AmeriCorps Seniors RSVP	17	115	-	\$73,917	-
Cheyenne	Wyoming State SCP Wyoming Senior Citizens, Inc.	AmeriCorps Seniors Senior Companion Program	18	75	-	\$351,840	62
Laramie	Foster Grandparents of the Wyoming Rockies Action Resources International	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	16	33	-	\$237,773	33
Riverton	Wyoming Senior Citizens, Inc. Wyoming Senior Citizens, Inc.	AmeriCorps Seniors Foster Grandparent Program	25	52	-	\$332,804	52
<b>AmeriCorps Seniors Programs Subtotal</b>			96	499	-	\$1,460,356	371

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Casper	Professional Volunteer Network Initiative Serve Wyoming	Volunteer Generation Fund	-	-	-	\$160,918	-
Casper	The Science Zone The Science Zone	AmeriCorps State Planning Grant	-	-	-	\$25,439	-
<b>Subtotal</b>			-	-	-	\$971,985	-
Total Program Funding			151	707	\$552,710	\$3,776,478	421
Total AmeriCorps Funding Including Education Scholarships						\$4,329,188	
Total Local Project Support (Non-AmeriCorps Resources)						\$1,030,898	
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