## **Foundation Opportunities**

## **Foundation Searches**

The list for foundations is a long one. The best way to search for these types of grant opportunities is to start local first especially if you are starting out.

Many of the national foundations change their focus and strategy for funding projects based on several things including the organization's current initiatives, company's goals and objectives and employee programs.

These are the hardest to acquire because the focus changes and most of these opportunities aren't publicly listed.

## Tips:

- Check with loan officers to see if they have closed any loans utilizing any foundations.
- Contact local college and universities
- Contact local and state Realtor associations
- Do a google search for local foundations and research what they fund
- Work with a professional grant writer on your first application to this type of funder.