



Grant

UPDATE:

Grants funded by The Rapides Foundation – working to improve the health and well-being of Central Louisiana.

The Rapides Foundation Grants from January - June 2003

Mini-Grants and Technical Assistants Grants (one year or less)

A Quality Life of LaSalle, Inc. Program planning efforts related to adolescent risk-reduction in Jena	\$10,000	
Allen Parish Ward 5 Industrial Development Corporation Staffing for effort to convert abandoned manufacturing facility in Oakdale to industrial park	10,000	
Bethlehem Housing Development Corporation Organizational planning efforts for Oakdale-based nonprofit seeking to develop affordable housing	10,000	
Central Louisiana Homeless Coalition Grants development funding for proposed professional staffing	5,000	
Friendship House Board development and organizational planning funds for Alexandria-based adult daycare organization	10,000	
Handiwork Productions Part-time marketing effort targeted towards increasing business contracts for sheltered workshop for the disabled	10,000	
Louisiana School for the Agricultural Sciences Project development for community health clinic at Hessmer-based Charter School	10,000	
Louisiana United Methodist Children and Family Services Feasibility study for introduction of family support programs into Cenla	8,000	
Le Theatre des Bon Temps To support development of community-based collaborative for youth arts in Avoyelles Parish	10,000	
St. James Episcopal Church Afterschool tutoring program in collaboration with Rugg Elementary (Alexandria)	10,000	
7th Judicial District Court Grants development funding for drug court project in Concordia Parish	7,500	
The Early Childhood & Family Center of Avoyelles Pilot project in Pre-K child health programs in Mansura	10,000	
The Health Enrichment Network Board training and development for Allen Parish-based health education group	10,000	
Trinity Ministry Organizational and program planning efforts addressing needs of adolescent African-American males in Alexandria	10,000	
<u>Initiative Grants</u>		
Granberry Counseling Center Establishment of mental health counseling services in five parishes	\$350,000	3 years
LaSalle Council on Aging Establishment of health and marketing programs in Jena	75,000	2 years
<u>Responsive Grants</u>		
Renaissance Home Various program development and evaluation services for day treatment program	\$50,000	18 months
<u>Walking Trails (Matching Dollars \$2 to \$1)</u>		
Ball Elementary Renovation of unusable existing trail	\$6,000	
Enterprise Recreation District Former school site in northwest Catahoula Parish	10,000	
Natchitoches Council on Aging Adjacent to new Senior Center	10,000	



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