

Civic and Community Service
Los Angeles, CA
\$300,000

Established in New York City in 2014, America on Tech (AOT) prepared the next generation of technology leaders in order to decrease the racial wealth gap in under-estimated communities. In 2019, AOT expanded to Los Angeles to replicate its model, which includes a nine-month *Tech Flex Leaders* (TFL) program for high school juniors and seniors. This immersive out-of-school time program engages students interested in technology through weekly technical training sessions taught by industry experts; professional development designed to help them confidently pursue degrees and careers in technology; and career days/mentorship opportunities with representatives from leading tech companies. Students who finish the program earn a \$1,000 stipend and a subset of participants are matched with a corporate internship. A Keck grant will add staff capacity for the local expansion of TFL to serve 350 underrepresented youth over the next two years. The project has the potential to connect young people to well-paying tech jobs while also helping to diversify the sector. The impact of AOT's New York TFL program has been positive. 85% of participants have gone on to major in tech subjects in college and/or have obtained tech jobs.

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CASA of Los Angeles' mission is to organize the community to take action and to provide support for parents and guardians. CASA of Los Angeles provides support for parents and guardians through parent support groups, attend parenting and

volunteer. By intervening early, the project will help these highly vulnerable youth successfully exit care with long-term supports in place that can reduce the likelihood of homelessness, justice system involvement, and placement of their children in foster care.

Early Childhood
Long Beach, CA
\$250,000

Child Lane provides early care and education to nearly 290,000 low-income infants, toddlers, and preschool age children daily at five centers. Programming is designed to prepare children for success in kindergarten. With a focus on whole child development, services include early identification of learning and behavioral difficulties, therapeutic interventions during class time, and parent engagement activities. Recent data shows that Long Beach has a 77% shortfall in licensed childcare spaces for children under age three. To meet the need for care for these infants and toddlers, Child Lane is reconfiguring its Benedict Child Development Center in Long Beach. The first phase is complete and involved the conversion of two of four preschool classrooms to accommodate 24 toddlers. A Keck grant will support renovations that will transform an administrative office suite into a new infant care center that will serve 18 infants and enhance a portion of the playground for a younger age group. When the project is completed, the Benedict site will have the capacity to provide 74 young children with full-day childcare.

Precollegiate Education
El Segundo, California
\$500,000

Da Vinci Schools was established in 2009 in partnership with the Wiseburn Unified School District. It serves over 2,600 ethnically and economically diverse transitional kindergarten through 12th grade students through onsite and hybrid programs. The main campus in El Segundo houses three high schools that focus on science, design, and communications respectively. These schools together offer ten career pathways as part of a project-based, college-prep and career ready curriculum. To expand opportunities for young people to build core STEM skills (5-7)(9)(10)(11)(12)(13)(14)(15)(16)(17)(18)(19)(20)(21)(22)(23)(24)(25)(26)(27)(28)(29)(30)(31)(32)(33)(34)(35)(36)(37)(38)(39)(40)(41)(42)(43)(44)(45)(46)(47)(48)(49)(50)(51)(52)(53)(54)(55)(56)(57)(58)(59)(60)(61)(62)(63)(64)(65)(66)(67)(68)(69)(70)(71)(72)(73)(74)(75)(76)(77)(78)(79)(80)(81)(82)(83)(84)(85)(86)(87)(88)(89)(90)(91)(92)(93)(94)(95)(96)(97)(98)(99)(100)

and composite materials supported through digital and CNC technology. The project will benefit Da Vinci students, local elementary and middle school students through summer programming, 600+ youth from local robotics teams who do not have access to a practice field, and 2400+ participants in yearly robotics competitions.

Civic and Community
North Hollywood, California
\$350,000

Established in 1983, LA Family Housing (LAFH) is unique among homeless services providers because it is also an affordable and supportive housing developer. It owns and operates 30 affordable, interim, and permanent supportive housing complexes. Last year, the agency served nearly 12,000 individuals and family members, and moved over 2,400 of

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treatment center in South Los Angeles. In early 2023, the Center for Autism and