

December 2009 Approved Grants— Special Opportunities

Donors Forum of Chicago

Chicago, IL \$55,000

To support the Donors Forum's Growth Initiative and an expansion of the organization's public policy activities. (1 yr.)

Vera Institute of Justice Inc.

New York, NY \$125,000

To support the Prosecution & Racial Justice Program's development of data collection and case management procedures for reducing racial bias in decision making within the office of the Milwaukee County District Attorney. (1 yr.)

Greater Washington Educational Telecommunications Association, Inc.

Arlington, VA \$30,000

To support television broadcast and online reporting of public policy issues. (1 yr.)

National Public Radio Inc.

Washington, DC \$75,000

To support news coverage of current events, issues, and trends impacting the Great Lakes region. (1 yr.)

WBEZ Alliance Inc.

Chicago, IL \$100,000

For continued support of two neighborhood satellite bureaus in Englewood and Humboldt Park, plus the opening of a new satellite bureau in the multi-ethnic neighborhood of Rogers Park. (1 yr.)

The Brookings Institution

Washington, DC \$250,000

For continued support of its Metropolitan Policy Program's Great Lakes Economic Initiative. (1 yr.)

Total Special Opportunities: \$635,000