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## PEOPLE'S UNITED COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AWARDS \$637,940 TO COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS FOR THE THIRD QUARTER 2011

**BRIDGEPORT, CT** – The People's United Community Foundation announced today that it has awarded \$637,940 in grants to nonprofit organizations in its service area for the third quarter of 2011. Sixty organizations throughout six states received funding in support of their programs, which ranged from basic needs services and affordable housing initiatives, to education and employment programs.

"We are delighted to support these deserving nonprofit organizations throughout our footprint," said Vincent Santilli, Executive Director of People's United Community Foundation. "Nonprofit organizations are under significant pressure to deliver their services in a very challenging economic environment. People's United Community Foundation is proud to join our community partners in a collaborative effort to improve the quality of life in the cities and towns we serve."

For a detailed list of all the organizations which People's United Community Foundation has supported in the third quarter of 2011, please refer to the charts below.

Established in 2007, People's United Community Foundation was formed to help support programs and activities that enhance the quality of life for citizens in the communities that People's United Bank serves. With special emphasis on programs designed to promote economic self-sufficiency, education and improved conditions for low-income families and neighborhoods, the funding priorities of the Foundation include: community development, youth development, and affordable housing.

People's United Community Foundation 3Q Approved Grants			
Applicant	Grant Purpose	Grant Amount	
BARNUM MUSEUM FOUNDATION INC	Barnum Museum Tornado Recovery	\$30,000	
BEGINNINGS INC	New Beginnings Family Academy Greatest Needs	\$10,000	
BRIDGEPORT PUBLIC EDUCATION FUND INC	Mentoring for Academic Achievement and College Success	\$12,000	
BRIDGEPORT RESCUE MISSION INC	Education & Job Training-New Life Program Module Improvements	\$8,500	
COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF GREATER BRIDGEPORT INC	The Janus Center for Youth in Crisis	\$8,000	
DANDELION PRODUCTIONS INC	Technical Theater Job- Training Program	\$7,500	
GREATER BRIDGEPORT COMMUNITYENTERPRISES INC - GBCE	Green Jobs Triple Play: Family Self-Suficiency, Community Development and Environmental Sustainability	\$12,000	
KENNEDY CENTER INC	2012 A Unique Perspective Calendar	\$25,000	
NEIGHBORHOOD STUDIOS OF FAIRFIELD COUNTY INC	Saturday Studios	\$5,000	
READ TO GROW INC	Building Literacy from Birth- Bridgeport	\$5,000	
REGIONAL YOUTH ADULT SOCIAL ACTION PARTNERSHIP INC	Youth Development General Operating	\$5,000	
	Greater Bridgeport	\$128,000	
ANNUAL MULTICULTURAL BUSINESS YOUTH EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	The 28th AMBYESE	\$8,000	
BRIDGEPORT ROMAN CATHOLIC DIOCESAN CORP CATHOLIC CENTER	Community Based Vocational Experience	\$9,640	
COMMUNITY CULINARY SCHOOL OF NORTHWESTERN CT	Student Uniforms	\$3,800	
DOMUS FOUNDATION	Pre-Graduation Academy	\$10,000	
FAMILY & CHILDRENS AGENCY INC	After School Program	\$5,000	
FAMILY RE ENTRY INC	The Champions Mentoring Program for Children of Prisoners	\$5,000	
KIDS IN CRISIS INC	KIC Educational Services	\$10,000	

NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR TEACHING ENTREPRENEURSHIP, FAIRCHESTER REGION	NETWORK FOR TEACHING ENTREPRENEURSHIP- FAIRCHESTER REGION	\$2,500
OPERATION HOPE OF FAIRFIELD INC	Affordable Housing Program	\$10,000
	Greater Fairfield County	\$63,940
AMERICAN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF	After-School Language Enrichment Program	\$5,000
CAPITAL WORKFORCE PARTNERS INC	Career Connections Program	\$10,000
CHILDRENS HOME OF CROMWELL CONN INC	Work Study for At-Risk Youth Program	\$5,000
CHRYSALIS CENTER INC	Freshplace	\$5,000
COVENANT PREPARATORY SCHOOL INC	Extracurricular Enrichment Activities	\$10,000
HARTFORD AREAS RALLY TOGETHER INC	Home Ownership Made Easy ("HOME") Program	\$7,500
HARTFORD FOOD SYSTEM INC	Grow Hartford	\$4,000
LAWYERS FOR CHILDREN AMERICA INC	Lawyers for Children America in CT	\$5,000
LITERACY VOLUNTEERS OF CENTRAL CONNECTICUT INC	Literacy Tutoring for Low Literate Adults and Parents	\$5,000
MANCHESTER AREA CONFERENCE OF CHURCHES INC	MACC Emergency Food Pantry	\$5,000
MY SISTERS PLACE INC	Life Skills Training at My Sisters' Place	\$10,000
	Greater Hartford	\$71,500
COMMUNITY SOUP KITCHEN INC	Community Soup Kitchen	\$5,000
LITERACY COUNCIL OF GREATER NEW HAVEN INC	Free tutoring for adults	\$5,000
NEW HAVEN ECOLOGY PROJECT INC	Real Work, Real Learning, Real Leadership: Green Jobs Corps	\$10,000
	Greater New Haven	\$20,000
THAMES RIVER COMMUNITY SERVICE INC	Thames River Transitional Housing Program for formerly homeless women and their children.	\$5,000
UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY ASSOCIATION OF EASTERN CONNECTICUT INC	Disability Support Program	\$5,000
	Greater Norwich	\$10,000

COASTAL ENTERPRISES INC	Homebuyer Education and Foreclosure Prevention	\$10,000
COMMON GOOD VENTURES	Increasing educational & economic opportunity for Mainers	\$7,500
COMMUNITY HOUSING OF MAINE INC	Maine Hall	\$10,000
HARDY GIRLS HEALTHY WOMEN INC	Raising Girls' Aspirations & Potential for Economic Security through Hardy Girls Healthy Women's Adventure Girls Programming	\$5,000
HOME START	Luther Street Project	\$10,000
MAINE HOUSING AND BUILDING MATERIALS EXCHANGE	Building Materials Supply Fund	\$7,500
	Maine	\$50,000
CALEB GROUP INC	Affordable Housing for Youth Aging Out of Foster Care	\$10,000
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS	Tornado Recovery Efforts	\$30,000
COMMUNITY TEAMWORK INC 1	The Lowell Small Business Assistance Center's Microloan Fund Program	\$7,500
MERRIMACK VALLEY HOUSING PARTNERSHIP INC	Project Genesis	\$7,500
NATIVITY SCHOOL OF WORCESTER INC	Nativity STEM Education Initiative	\$10,000
NOTRE DAME HIGH SCHOOL	General Operating Support	\$10,000
ROCA INC	Roca Springfield Replication	\$20,000
SPRINGFIELD SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS INC	Supplemental Math And Reading Tutoring (SMART)/Early Readers	\$7,500
	Massachusetts	\$102,500
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CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES OF NEW HA MPSHIRE	Intensive Transitional Living Services for NH youth aging out of Foster Care and transitioning into adulthood	\$12,000
COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM BELKNAP & MERRIMACK COUNTIES INC	Case Managers for Homeless Prevention and Rapid Response Housing Programs	\$7,500
NEW HAMPSHIRE CATHOLIC CHARITIES INC	Food Distribuition through NH Food Bank Backpack and Mobile Food Pantry Programs	\$10,000
STRAWBERRY BANKE MUSEUM	History Within Reach (formerly NH History Explorers)	\$5,000
	New Hampshire	\$34,500

KING STREET CENTER INC	King Street Center Technology Initiative	\$10,000
	Vermont	\$10,000
BOYS CLUB OF MOUNT KISCO INC - BOYS & GIRLS CLUB NORTHERN WESTCHESTER	Educational Enrichment Program	\$5,000
CONGREGATIONS LINKED IN URBAN STRATEGY TO EFFECT RENEWAL INC.	Youth & Family Program	\$5,000
NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR TEACHING ENTREPRENEURSHIP, FAIRCHESTER REGION	NETWORK FOR TEACHING ENTREPRENEURSHIP- FAIRCHESTER REGION	\$5,000
	Westchester	\$15,000
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COOPERATIVE FUND OF NEW ENGLAND INC	Strengthening Co-ops in New England: A Request for General Operating Support	\$15,000 \$7,500
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ENGLAND INC	Strengthening Co-ops in New England: A Request for General Operating Support DonorsChoose.org "Double	\$7,500
ENGLAND INC  DONORSCHOOSE ORG	Strengthening Co-ops in New England: A Request for General Operating Support  DonorsChoose.org "Double Your Impact"  Impacting Entire Footprint	\$7,500 \$100,000
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