

Indiana Bar Foundation Community Redevelopment Justice Grants - 2018

Agency	Amount	Purpose	Areas served
Indianapolis Legal Aid Society, Inc. <i>partnering with Indiana Landmarks</i>	\$147,500	Assist 2,500 individuals and families affected by debt, lack of child support, loss of jobs, and lack of affordable housing that threaten clients with homelessness. Facilitate redevelopment projects that create, sustain, or rehabilitate approximately 200 units of housing, the vast majority of which will serve moderate income residents.	Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Marion, Morgan, and Shelby counties
Indiana Legal Services, Inc.	\$125,000	Use staff and pro bono resources to serve the legal needs of community residents, focusing especially on economic success, and to provide legal help to community groups that serve low-income clients.	Statewide
Indiana District 4 Pro Bono Corporation (District D)	\$37,500	Serve as a referral resource into District D's foreclosure, debtor/creditor, expungement and specialized driving permit activities in legal clinics across districts D and E.	Benton, Boone, Carroll, Clinton, Cass, Fountain, Fulton, Grant, Howard, Miami, Montgomery, Parke, Pulaski, Tippecanoe, Tipton, Vermillion, Wabash, Warren, and White counties
Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic	\$35,000	Prevent foreclosure of homes, increase access to civil legal services, provide assistance with people starting small businesses, and address the legal issues of nonprofits in five communities throughout Indiana.	Marion, Vanderburgh, and Vigo counties
Volunteer Lawyer Program of Northeast Indiana, Inc. (District C)	\$30,000	Provide legal assistance to low-income individuals and families with legal problems that directly impede their ability to secure employment and/or suitable housing. Focus on expunging criminal records and obtaining specialized driving privileges.	Allen, Adams, DeKalb, Huntington, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wells and Whitley counties
Indianapolis Legal Aid Society, Inc. <i>partnering with Neighborhood Christian Legal Clinic and Indiana Legal Services</i>	\$25,000	Provide more expungement services to clients by continuing to operate the Expungement Law Help Desk, with more complicated cases being referred to ILAS and ILS.	Marion, Morgan, Hamilton, Hendricks, Shelby, Johnson, Boone, and Hancock counties
Volunteer Lawyer Program of Southwestern Indiana, Inc. (District K)	\$15,380	Assist self-represented litigants filing for expungement, assist residents to maintain and improve housing stability, offer on-going legal assistance to nonprofits, work with the Indiana Small Business Development Center Evansville to provide legal service to low and moderate-income entrepreneurs.	Primarily Vanderburgh County
Legal Volunteers of Southeast Indiana, Inc.	\$14,750	Establish a walk-in clinic to provide both self-service and pro bono attorney led assistance for expungements and specialized driving privileges for low-income individuals at or below 200% of the federal poverty level.	Dearborn, Fayette, Franklin, Jefferson, Ohio, Ripley, Switzerland, Union, and Wayne counties