

ARIZONA'S LARGEST CHARITIES, LISTED ACCORDING TO REVENUE

This chart reports on 25 of the largest Arizona-based non-profits, focusing on those generating 10 percent or more of their revenue from private contributions. Non-profits are ranked by annual revenue. Most information, including executive titles and compensation, is taken from the latest Form 990 reports filed with the Internal Revenue Service. Nearly all reports were filed in 2012, and some information might have changed since then.

Name	Website	Mission	Revenue	Assets	Spending on programs	Highest-paid officers, employees or directors	Rating	Miscellaneous comments
Muscular Dystrophy Association, Tucson	mda.org	Funds research on muscular dystrophy, ALS and other diseases.	\$152 million	\$100 million	77 percent	Valerie Cwik (EVP) \$287,274, Peter Morgan (EVP) \$230,547, Gail Schmertz Kerner (chief legal officer) \$226,302	2 stars	Steven Derks named new president, CEO in 2012.
Arizona State University Foundation, Phoenix	asufoundation.org	Supports the success of ASU by facilitating private investments.	\$131 million	\$791 million	85 percent	Augustine Cheng (SVP, managing director) \$474,970, Johnnie Ray (pres., CEO) \$332,473, Jane DiFolco (COO, SVP) \$288,072	4 stars	ASU Foundation's revenues rose 80 percent over the past year.
Food for the Hungry, Phoenix	fh.org	Seeks to help the poor in developing countries.	\$120 million	\$15 million	87 percent	Keith Wright (global exec officer) \$179,838, Dave Evans (pres., CEO) \$158,831, Barry Gardner (CFO) \$124,266	not rated	Charity Navigator issued an alert over IRS audit of this non-profit.
St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance, Phoenix	firstfoodbank.org	Aims to alleviate hunger through the gathering and distribution of food.	\$112 million	\$30 million	96 percent	Terrence Shannon (CEO) \$170,497, Rick Fresia (CFO) \$100,227	3 stars	Beverly Butler Damore named president, CEO in 2012.
Goodwill Industries of Central Arizona, Phoenix	goodwillaz.org	Assists Arizonans facing vocational barriers to secure gainful employment.	\$103 million	\$60 million	88 percent	James Teter (pres., CEO) \$394,018, Timothy O'Neal (EVP, COO) \$282,652, Tanya Perry (SVP, CFO) \$223,549	not rated	Revenue up 18 percent, assets up 23 percent in past year.
University of Arizona Foundation, Tucson	uafoundation.org	Assists the University of Arizona by developing and managing private support.	\$87 million	\$656 million	83 percent	James Moore (pres., CEO) \$539,441, J. Craig Barker (SVP) \$249,143, Roger Neuhaus (SVP) \$198,684	not rated	Sued finance firm UBS for getting it involved in a sham tax shelter.
Valley of the Sun United Way, Phoenix	vsuw.org	Mobilizes community giving to solve youth problems and those of hunger, homelessness.	\$85 million	\$77 million	91 percent	Merl Waschler (pres., CEO) \$339,115, Katherine Cecala (COO) \$225,678, Nancy Dean (VP) \$211,261	4 stars	One of Arizona's oldest non-profits, founded in 1925.
Make-A-Wish Foundation of America, Phoenix	wish.org	Grants wishes to children facing life-threatening medical conditions.	\$65 million	\$50 million	78 percent	David Williams (pres., CEO) \$446,980, Kurt Kroemer (ex-COO) \$256,670, Elizabeth LaBorde (ex-VP) \$253,148	3 stars	Given gold mark by Guidestar.org for superior disclosures.
Chicanos por la Causa	cplc.org	Provides housing, education, economic development and other assistance in Arizona.	\$64 million	\$107 million	84 percent	Edmundo Hidalgo (pres., CEO) \$238,358, Martin Quintana (CDO) \$190,262, Maria Arjelia Gomez (COO) \$178,938	not rated	Pursues community development in urban, rural areas across state.
Community Food Bank, Tucson	communityfoodbank.org	Serves the hungry in five southern Arizona counties.	\$53 million	\$17 million	97 percent	William Carnegie (pres., CEO) \$159,795, Pauline Hechler (VP, CDO) \$87,293, Eric Hitzeman (VP), \$78,763	4 stars	All food banks on this list spend little on overhead or fundraising.
Breast Cancer Society, Mesa	breastcancersociety.org	Provides relief to those suffering from breast cancer.	\$53 million	\$5 million	75 percent	James Reynolds II (pres., exec director) \$266,202, Eric Fransen (chairman) \$63,750	not rated	2012 Arizona Republic report questioned accounting practices.
PetSmart Charities, Phoenix	petsmartcharities.org	Supports programs to save homeless pets, promote healthy relationships with pets.	\$50 million	\$45 million	84 percent	None listed	4 stars	Affiliated with Phoenix-based retailer PetSmart Inc.
Childhelp, Scottsdale	childhelp.org	Meets the physical, emotional and other needs of abused, neglected and at-risk children.	\$38 million	\$13 million	91 percent	Yvonne Fedderson (pres.) \$247,760, Sara O'Meara (chair, CEO) \$237,500, Lorrie Henderson (ex-COO) \$220,910	3 stars	Improved on prior 2-star grade thanks to better transparency.
Valley of the Sun YMCA	valleymca.org	Promotes health, fitness, confidence and self-esteem.	\$38 million	\$66 million	84 percent	George Scobas (pres., CEO) \$247,410, George DiFlavis (VP, CFO) \$167,303, Araceli Lauro (SVP) \$143,578	3 stars	Improved on earlier 2-star grade from Charity Navigator.
Alliance Defense Fund, Scottsdale	alliancedefendingfreedom.org	Seeks to protect and defend religious freedom.	\$38 million	\$36 million	78 percent	Alan Sears (pres., CEO) \$360,223, Benjamin Bull (DGA) \$282,562, Wayne Swindler (EVP, CS) \$208,871	3 stars	Also known as Alliance Defending Freedom.
American Charter Schools Foundation, Phoenix	acsfoundation.org	Promotes the charter-school movement throughout the U.S.	\$36 million	\$83 million	92 percent	Theodore Frederick (pres., ED) \$120,000	not rated	Seeks in part to improve public schools with more competition.
United Food Bank, Mesa	unitedfoodbank.org	Serves as distribution center for food donations in eastern Maricopa County.	\$30 million	\$7 million	98 percent	Robert Evans (pres., CEO) \$90,749	4 stars	Robert Evans recently retired, replaced by Lisa Pino.
Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Phoenix	stvincentdepaul.net	Provides dental, medical, housing and other services to individuals in need.	\$29 million	\$33 million	91 percent	Kenneth Snyder (clinic director) \$160,043, Marcus Anderson (CFO) \$86,802, Stephen Zabilski (CEO) \$85,519	not rated	Programs focus on four areas: feeding, clothing, housing, healing.
Catholic Charities Community Services, Phoenix	catholiccharitiesaz.org	Helps vulnerable individuals with solutions that permanently improve lives.	\$28 million	\$15 million	93 percent	Robert Brown (pres., CEO) \$145,987, Kristen Schmidt (VP) \$132,653	not rated	Programs include those to combat poverty, violence, sex trafficking.
Blake Foundation Easter Seals, Tucson	blakefoundationeasterseals.com	Helps people with disabilities achieve their potential for productive living and growth.	\$26 million	\$7 million	90 percent	Ema Kammeyer (CEO) \$211,357, Roxanne Holly (CFO) \$136,530, Rodney Jilg (COO) \$125,855	not rated	Programs focus on housing, education and training.
Mio Frontiers, Phoenix	frontiersusa.org	Aims to plant churches among the least evangelized people, including in Muslim nations.	\$27 million	\$14 million	82 percent	B. Blincoe (pres., CEO) \$57,599, J. Sloan (ex-secretary) \$54,234	3 stars	Focuses on Muslims through offices in 20 nations, five continents.
Arizona Zoological Society, Phoenix	phoenixzoo.org	Runs the Phoenix Zoo with a charitable, scientific and educational focus.	\$25 million	\$45 million	73 percent	Norberto Castro (pres., CEO) \$253,595, Jeff Williamson (conservationist) \$178,279, Bonnie Mendoza (EVP, CFO) \$146,049	3 stars	Improved its Charity Navigator rating from a prior 2-star grade.
Catholic Community Services Southern Arizona, Tucson	ccs-soaz.org	Provides programs that help families and communities in nine Arizona counties.	\$23 million	\$18 million	85 percent	Marguerite Harmon (CEO) \$123,798, Mark Schildt (physician) \$108,279, Margaret Orr (CFO) \$68,118	not rated	Services include housing, adoptions, counseling, meals, health care.
Jewish Voice Ministries International, Phoenix	jewishvoice.org	Aims to bring the gospel of Yeshua (Jesus) to Jews and all nations.	\$20 million	\$32 million	77 percent	Jonathan Bernis (pres., CEO) \$265,490, Timothy Tiller (COO) \$179,049, Raymond Gannon (director) \$115,414	4 stars	Revenue up 19 percent, assets up 16 percent in past year.
United Way of Tucson and Southern Arizona, Tucson	unitedwayoftucson.org	Seeks to build better communities with a focus on education, income and health care.	\$19 million	\$9 million	87 percent	Tony Penn (pres., CEO) \$166,905, Mary Huerstel (VP) \$101,905	4 stars	Given gold mark by Guidestar.org for superior disclosures.

Titles: CDO: chief development officer; CEO: chief executive officer; CFO: chief financial officer; COO: chief operating officer; CS: chief of staff; DGA: director of global activities; EVP: executive vice president; Pres.: president; SVP: senior vice president; VP: vice president

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