

CHELSEA GROTON FOUNDATION FALL 2024 GRANT APPROVALS

Organization Name	Purpose	Funding
A Little Compassion, Inc	Gatherings and Acceptance, Inclusion and Outreach Programs	\$1,000
Always Home, Inc.	Homelessness Prevention and Shelter Diversion of Low-income Families with Minor Children	\$8,500
American Red Cross	Disaster Cycle Services for New London County	\$3,500
Artists' Cooperative Gallery of Westerly, Inc.	Outreach and Advertising Development	\$750
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Connecticut, Inc. (formerly Nutmeg Big Brothers Big Sisters, Inc.)	Community-Based & Site-Based Mentoring in New London and Windham Counties	\$5,000
CARTie	Introducing the benefits of art museum enrichment to New London's PK-K students	\$1,750
Castle Church Inc	Castle Beautification Mural	\$1,500
Child and Family Agency of Southeastern CT	Prescription to Read	\$2,000
Community Health Resources (CHR)	Adopt-a-Family	\$1,000
Connecticut Foodshare	Equitable Hunger Solutions	\$8,500
Connecticut Radio Information System, Inc. (CRIS)	Audio Accessibility for People who are Blind or Print Challenged	\$1,500
Covenant Shelter of New London, Inc.	Shelter Operation Support	\$8,500
East Lyme Public Library Inc	Heroes and Legends: A Cosplay Event	\$500
East Lyme Regional Theater Guild Inc	Lighting the way to the Niantic Bay Playhouse	\$1,000
Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra (ECSO)	ECSO 2025 YPCs	\$1,200
Eugene O'Neill Theater Center	2025 Young Playwrights Festival	\$1,000
Frank Olean Center, Inc.	Vocational Services for Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities	\$1,000
Furniture Bank Of Southeastern Connecticut Inc	Purchase beds for families in financial need	\$8,500
Garde Arts Center Inc	Loading Stage Plaza	\$5,000
Girls on the Run of Southeastern Connecticut, Inc.	Girls on the Run Spring 2025 Season	\$1,500
Habitat for Humanity of Eastern Connecticut	Lake of Isles, Phase II	\$8,500
Lyman Allyn Art Museum	Free First Saturday	\$1,000
Lyme Academy of Fine Arts	Community Access Program	\$1,250
Madonna Place, Inc.	Great Beginnings Home Visiting Program	\$5,000
Martin House, Inc.	Food Security Program	\$8,500

Meals On Wheels Of Ri Inc	Home-Delivered Meals for Southern RI Clients	\$2,000
Mystic Chamber Music Series Inc	MCMS Outreach Events(Classical Story time)	\$750
New London Homeless Hospitality Center, Inc. (NLHHC)	Flexible Spending Fund, Guest Support	\$8,500
North Carolina Bankers Association Foundation	Hurricane Helene Relief Fund	\$1,000
Norwich Free Academy	Slater Auditorium Restoration	\$5,000
Norwich Housing Authority	Basic Needs Pantry	\$1,500
Norwich Rotary Foundation, Inc	Rotary Coat Project	\$5,000
Ronald McDonald House Charities of Connecticut and Western Massachusetts	Sponsor A Room (Connecticut House)	\$5,000
Rose City Learning Center	Financial Empowerment Workshop Series for Norwich Area Adult Multi-Language Learners	\$1,250
Salem Free Public Library	Educational Programs and Outreach	\$1,250
Salvation Army - New London	The Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club of New London - Music, Arts & STEM	\$8,500
Salvation Army - Norwich	Food Security and Seasonal Assistance	\$7,500
Sikh Art Gallery	Social Engagement and to provide safe space to other civic and non-profits for meetings and	\$1,000
Society of the Founders of Norwich, Inc.(Leffingwell House Museum)	Printing of Old Burial Ground information flyers	\$821
Spark Makerspace CO	Spark Educational Computer Needs 2024	\$2,000
St Vincent de Paul Place Norwich Inc	Food Pantry	\$8,500
Stonington Community Center	Youth & Adult COMO Gym Restoration Project	\$5,000
Sweet Potato Society Inc.	Health and Wellness	\$2,500
Temple Beth Israel Preservation Society	BEYOND (Building Empathy in Youth through Holocaust Narratives & Dialogue)	\$1,500
Thames Valley Council for Community Action, Inc. (TVCCA)	TVCCA Senior Nutrition Program Serving Eastern Connecticut Residents Ages 60 and Older	\$6,000
THE MAURICE C LA GRUA CENTER INC	Multi-Cultural Family Concert Series	\$1,000
United Cerebral Palsy of Eastern Connecticut (UCP)	Inclusion & Advocacy	\$8,500
United Way of Southeastern CT fiduciary for Eastern CT Coordinated Access Network	Equity Leadership Alliance	\$2,500
Westminster Youth String Ensemble	Westminster Youth String Ensemble Mentorship Program	\$1,000
William W. Backus Hospital	Hartford HealthCare Medical Mission at Home, Backus Site	\$8,500

Womens Business Development Council Inc	WBDC Ignite Grant Program and Entrepreneurial Training for Women Owned Small Businesses	\$7,500
Fall 2024 Grants Awarded:		\$191,021