



AS WOMEN WITH A PASSION FOR GIVING BACK, WE BELIEVE
THAT WE ARE STRONGEST WHEN GIVING TOGETHER.

WHO WE ARE

Impact Austin is an Austin-based women's collective giving organization, funding Central Texas nonprofits that provide services in Bastrop, Hays, Travis, and Williamson counties. Our membership and leadership proudly reflect the many faces, cultures, and walks of life that make up our society. We believe diversity helps us to better understand and address the issues facing our community.



MISSION

Through the power of informed women's collective giving, Impact Austin provides transformative grants to Central Texas nonprofit organizations that strengthen our community and improve lives.



VISION

An equitable, thriving Central Texas community advanced by collaborative women philanthropists.



VALUES

Inclusivity

We welcome all women with a passion to learn about and contribute to the Central Texas community.

Learning

We listen to and learn from people with lived experience and those working to solve our community's issues.

Collaboration

We work together to determine the distribution of our pooled funds and with other organizations to magnify our effectiveness.

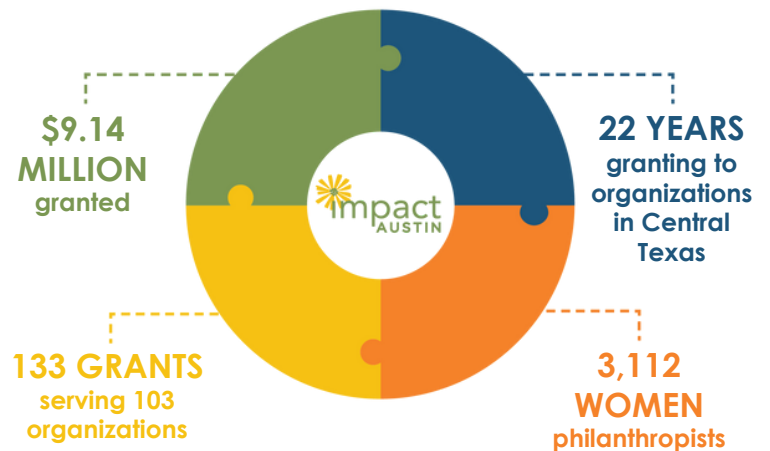
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We make grants that enable our Community Partners to meaningfully address community issues.

Trust

We support the work of our Community Partners with respect and humility, and are guided by the principles of trust-based philanthropy.

COLLECTIVE IMPACT



Learn more about our grantmaking at impactaustin.org/impact

COLLECTIVE GIVING

Impact Austin members pool individual charitable donations and decide collectively how to award strategic, high-impact grants. Our membership requirements are to identify as a woman and to contribute \$2,500 or \$1,250 or \$625 annually. We combine 80% of each member's annual gift into a central fund, with grants determined after rigorous evaluation and member vote. The remaining 20% supports our events, educational programs, and operations — all designed to strengthen our shared impact and member experience.

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MEMBER EXPERIENCE

Impact Austin offers philanthropy education and leadership opportunities. Each year, members volunteer their talents, skills, and expertise through various committees including Grant Review; Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, and Belonging; Marketing; Membership; Advancement; Events; Technology; and Girls Giving Grants. Member connections are also built during community service events, cultural gatherings, meals, and happy hours. If you value knowing more about the needs in our community and enjoy engaging with other motivated women who share your passion, we would love for you to [#JoinImpactAustin!](#)



GRANTMAKING

Members volunteer to serve on Grant Review Committees in a thoughtful process that includes grantmaking fundamentals, DEIB practices, application review, and finalist recommendations. Nonprofit finalists then present their projects to the membership, and each member casts her vote for new Community Partners. [Impact Austin and Girls Giving Grants awarded a total of \\$300,500 to seven Central Texas nonprofits in FY 2025.](#)



"My four years at g3 have been some of the most rewarding of my life. They've taught me to be a leader, informed me about the needs facing my community, and allowed me to encounter perspectives that differ from my own."

— Meredith McMahan, g3 President, 2024-2025



Girls Giving Grants (g3) is a model of collective giving designed by Impact Austin to educate and engage young women in grades 8-12 on the importance of thoughtful giving. Combining their individual donations of \$125, g3 members learn the power of collective giving and best practices in grantmaking. Learn more about the program and how to get involved at girls giving grants.org.

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