

## ABELARD FOUNDATION - EAST

## 2022 GRANTS

### **PHILADELPHIA JOBS WITH JUSTICE** \$12,000

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

To support its efforts to change Philadelphia public policy affecting workers and to engage in an effort to organize Amazon workers to act on their own behalf to deal with their workplace issues.

### **WISCONSIN NATIVE VOTE** \$12,000

Madison, Wisconsin

To support the engagement of Wisconsin Conservation Voices with Wisconsin Tribes and their partnership efforts to advance policies in support of clean energy, clean water, and democracy and the practice of civic and electoral participation.

### **MICHIGAN FAITH IN ACTION** \$12,000

Flint, Michigan

To support its strategy to expand its organizing statewide, building upon its experience organizing to confront the 2014 Flint water crisis. Its focus will be criminal justice and electoral participation.

### **THE PEOPLE'S PORT AUTHORITY** \$12,000

Providence, Rhode Island

To support its organizing to confront the polluters and government decision-makers who are not doing enough to deal with the environmental pollution and toxic emissions that have plagued their neighborhoods for generations.

### **STRUGGLE FOR MIAMI'S AFFORDABLE AND SUSTAINABLE HOUSING** \$15,000

Miami, Florida

To support its organizing of tenants, fighting slumlords, and gentrification to win campaigns. But, even more so to advance its focus on building an ecosystem of strategies to build power for housing justice and establishing housing as a human right.

### **LA CONEXIÓN** \$12,000

Bowling Green, Ohio

To support its organizing on the issue of immigrant rights in the largely small cities and rural areas of Northwest Ohio and to expand its reach and impact throughout the region by creating an Immigrant Rights Network.

### **ALIANZA AGRICOLA** \$12,000

Geneseo, New York

To support this emerging farmworker organizing effort in upstate New York, particularly to be involved in state policy campaigns to advance immigrant and farmworker rights.

### **FAIRNESS WEST VIRGINIA** \$12,000

Charleston, West Virginia

To support its efforts to advance LGBTQ rights in West Virginia, particularly through organizing in municipalities throughout the state, while it continues to pursue its state-based advocacy.

### **MOVEMENT OF IMMIGRANT LEADERS IN PENNSYLVANIA** \$15,000

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

To support its organizing as a statewide network of local Rights Committees with an agenda of 8 Points of Struggle. Their primary campaign is gain access to driver's licenses for undocumented immigrants.

### **PROVIDENCE STUDENT UNION** \$12,000

New Orleans, Louisiana

To support its organizing of public school students, particularly low-income and students of color, to bring improved conditions to the school district as encapsulated in its Student Bill of Rights with 22 detailed rights.

### **ILLINOIS MUSLIM CIVIC COALITION** \$12,000

Oak Brook, Illinois

To support its organizing to provide a common platform and voice for the state's Muslims, seeking civic justice through engagement, education and action.

### **WISDOM**, Milwaukee, WI (\$5,000); **MAKE THE ROAD PENNSYLVANIA**, Reading, PA (\$5,000); **GEORGIA LATINO HUMAN RIGHTS ALLIANCE**, Atlanta, GA (\$5,000)

To support their efforts to promote and activate electoral participation both in the practice of it and in the public policies that affect.