

# JOHN WILLIAM POPE FOUNDATION

## Grants to Conservative Organizations, 2011-2012 Calendar Year



| CONSERVATIVE ORGANIZATION                                      | AMOUNT              | WHO ARE THEY?   |
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| John Locke Foundation  | \$ 2,614,508        | N.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| John W. Pope Civitas Institute                                 | \$ 1,380,000        | N.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Pope Center for Higher Education Policy                        | \$ 542,800          | N.C.-based conservative think tank; originally project of John Locke Foundation     |
| NC Institute for Constitutional Law                            | \$ 487,500          | N.C.-based libertarian/conservative legal advocacy organization                     |
| Institute for Humane Studies                                   | \$ 455,000          | Virginia-based libertarian education and training center                            |
| Americans for Prosperity Foundation                            | \$ 150,000          | 501c3 arm of Virginia-based conservative advocacy organization                      |
| NC Family Policy Council                                       | \$ 100,000          | Conservative Christian advocacy group   |
| Donors Trust   | \$ 95,000           | Donor fund for conservative causes  |
| Institute for Justice  | \$ 75,000           | Virginia-based libertarian law firm and nonprofit                                   |
| Atlas Economic Research Foundation                             | \$ 50,000           | D.C.-based "free market" think tank   |
| The Federalist Society   | \$ 50,000           | D.C.-based conservative legal reform group  |
| Heritage Foundation  | \$ 50,000           | D.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Reason Foundation  | \$ 50,000           | C.A.-based libertarian think tank   |
| Fund for American Studies                                      | \$ 35,000           | Teaches "the values of freedom and free-market economies;" based in D.C.            |
| American Enterprise Inst for Pub Policy Research               | \$ 25,000           | D.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Americans for Tax Reform Foundation                            | \$ 25,000           | 501c3 arm of D.C.-based conservative advocacy organization                          |
| Bill of Rights   | \$ 25,000           | Virginia-based "educational charity" founded by Koch brothers                       |
| Family Research Council  | \$ 25,000           | D.C.-based conservative Christian group   |
| Manhattan Institute for Policy Research                        | \$ 25,000           | N.Y.-based conservative think tank  |
| Property and Environment Research Center                       | \$ 25,000           | M.T.-based libertarian advocacy group focused on environmental issues               |
| State Policy Network   | \$ 25,000           | V.A.-based network of libertarian think tanks                                       |
| Mercatus Center  | \$ 15,000           | V.A.-based "free market" research center; "sister group" of Inst for Humane Studies |
| Capital Research Center  | \$ 10,000           | D.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Cato Institute   | \$ 10,000           | D.C.-based libertarian think tank   |
| Competitive Enterprise Institute                               | \$ 10,000           | D.C.-based libertarian think tank   |
| Heartland Institute  | \$ 10,000           | Chicago-based conservative think tank   |
| Independent Women's Forum                                      | \$ 10,000           | D.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Pacific Research Institute                                     | \$ 10,000           | C.A.-based libertarian think tank   |
| Center for Equal Opportunity                                   | \$ 5,000            | D.C.-based conservative think tank  |
| Foundation for Ethics in Public Service                        | \$ 5,000            | N.C.-based "anti-corruption" group; led by former GOP state auditor                 |
| The Foundation for Economic Education                          | \$ 1,000            | "Oldest free-market organization in U.S.," based in N.Y.                            |
| <b>TOTAL GRANTS TO CONSERVATIVE GROUPS</b>                     | <b>\$ 6,395,808</b> |   |
| <b>TOTAL FOUNDATION GRANTS FOR ALL GROUPS</b>                  | <b>\$ 9,311,808</b> |   |
| <b>Percentage of total grants going to conservative groups</b> | <b>69%</b>          |   |

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