



GLIMMER | AUSTIN



# 2020 Impact Report

## Year in Review

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In 2020, Glimmer|Austin invested in 38 organizations in our community, which impacted more than 8,000+ people in Austin.



# COVID-19 Emergency Response Grants

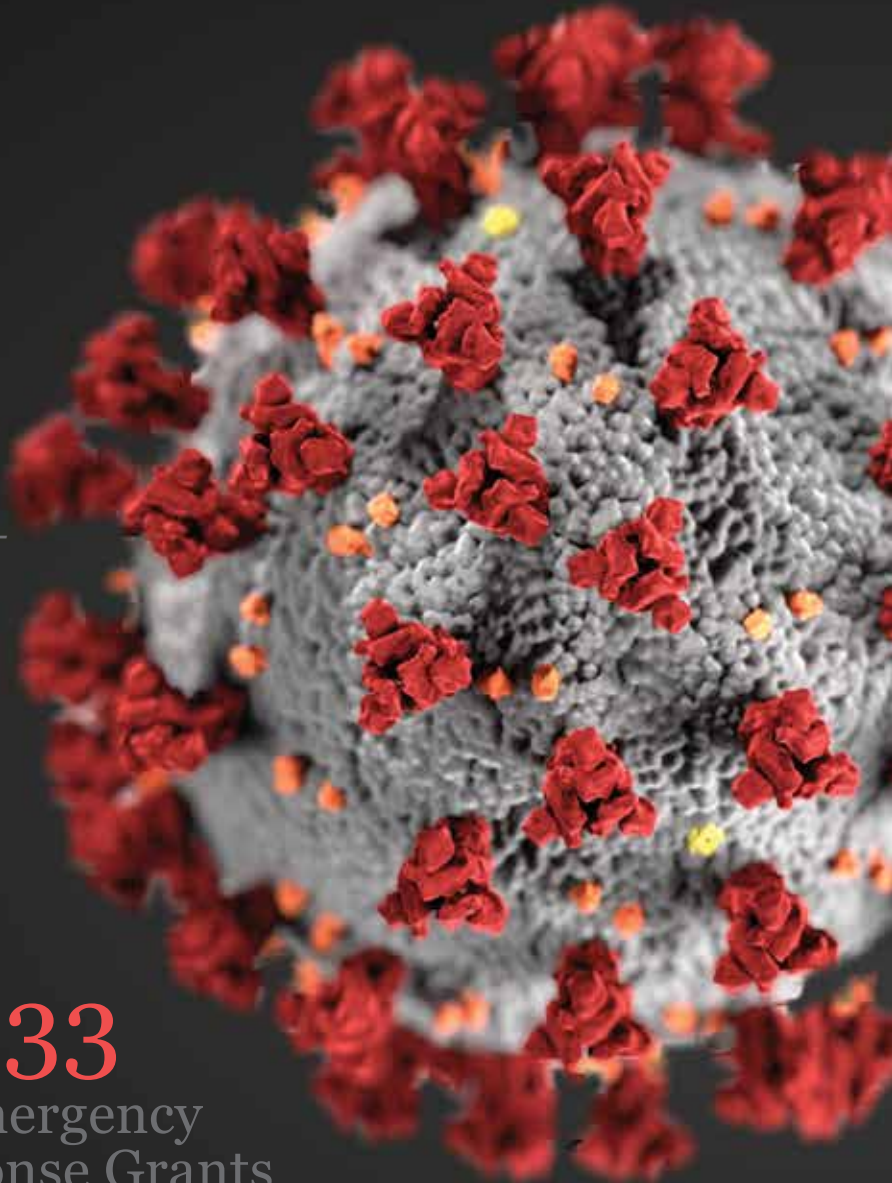
## for Immediate Impact

*In 2020, G|A provided over \$280,000  
of emergency funding to local nonprofits  
serving the homeless, hungry, and elderly-  
to provide hope and help to those without  
food, sanitation, and shelter*

Austin Angels  
Austin Area Urban League  
Austin Baptist Chapel Angel House  
AGE of Central Texas  
Bastrop County Food Pantry  
Black Women in Business  
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Austin Area  
Brains, Mind & Destiny Inc.  
Caritas of Austin  
Casa Marianella  
Central Texas Food Bank  
Central Texas Table of Grace  
Family Eldercare  
Hope Austin  
House the Homeless  
Jeremiah Program  
Lifeworks Austin  
Lighter Loads ATX  
Meals on Wheels  
Mobile Loaves & Fishes  
Partnerships for Children  
River City Youth Foundation  
SAFE Austin

33  
Emergency  
Response Grants  
were administered

Saffron Trust Women's Foundation  
Saint Louise House  
Senior Access  
Shalom Austin  
Sunrise Community Church  
Street Youth Ministry  
The Other Ones Foundation  
The Salvation Army



# Seed Grants

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for Creating Impact

*Each year, Glimmer|Austin selects  
new and innovative programs to receive  
Seed grants in order to launch  
their ideas off the ground.*

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**8** Seed Grants  
were given out  
in 2020

Austin Kids Can  
Building Promise USA  
Carrying Hope  
Casa of Travis County  
Foster Angels  
Hungry Souls  
Partnerships for Children  
The Other Ones Foundation



# Growth Grants

## for Amplifying Impact

*In addition to Seed Grants, Glimmer|Austin provides several Growth Grants ranging from \$25,000 - \$50,000 to existing Glimmer Partners.*

## 6 Growth Grants were administered throughout 2020

*Focusing on Glimmer|Austin's mission of alleviating food insecurity, poverty, and the woes of those experiencing homelessness, the following organizations are included in the 2020 Growth Grant cycle:*

Casa Marianella  
Central Texas Table of Grace  
Foster Village  
Get Shift Done Austin  
Street Youth Ministry  
The Other Ones Foundation



# Esperanza Community

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Glimmer|Austin has been working with The Other Ones Foundation (TOOF) at Esperanza Community (formerly Camp Esperanza). We brought IKEA designed refugee shelters that are being used overseas in Europe to the Austin Community. Initially, four units were purchased to pilot the program, and a total of forty-eight have been purchased to date. G|A is also providing employment opportunities to the residents that are building the Better Shelter units on-site.



# Camp Glimmer Experience at Candlelight Ranch

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In 2020, Candlelight Ranch offered over 250 youth and their parents an opportunity to get outside and attend summer camp in order to escape the lockdown of the COVID – 19 pandemic. With G|A's support, Candlelight provided safe, individualized family adventures created to help campers explore, learn, and experience the outdoors. One mother expressed her thanks saying "This day together was salvation for our family! Being out with nature has restored our hope, in the midst of all this fear." Candlelight welcomed families from Austin Angels, Jeremiah Program, Central Texas Table of Grace, Foster Angels, Kids in a New Groove, Todos Juntos and Central Texas Tennis Association.



**"You are helping to create bonds and the best part is that they also get to know that there is an amazing community of supporters behind them who see them and help make memories like this possible! We love you! And we are forever grateful for you!"**

**- SUSAN RAMIREZ, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
OF AUSTIN ANGELS**

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# Over the past 17 years, Glimmer|Austin has invested over \$8.8 million in the community.

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