

DAV of Minnesota Foundation

Our Mission is to provide the financial resources necessary for DAV of Minnesota to support quality programs, services and projects for Veterans Across Minnesota.

\$3,634,598.69

Service to Veterans **27%**

- Homeless
- Women Veterans

\$987,467.93

Transportation **32%**

\$1,152,708.17

Outdoors **17%**

\$625,529.30

Veterans Homes **11%**

\$409,886.34

VAMC **5%**

\$194,396.60

Service Orgs **2%**

\$59,150.00

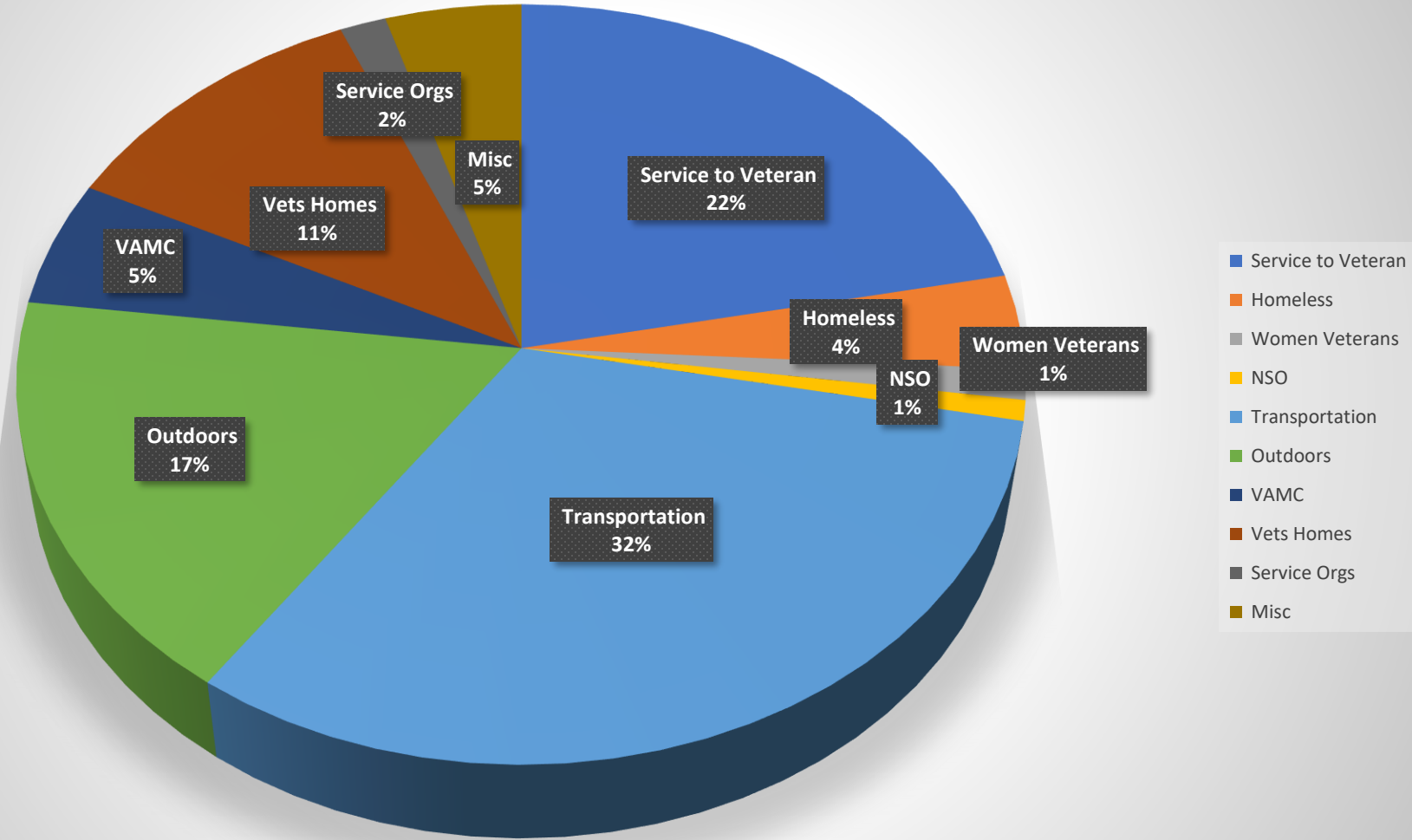
NSO **1%**

\$31,773.28

Misc **2%**

\$173,687.07

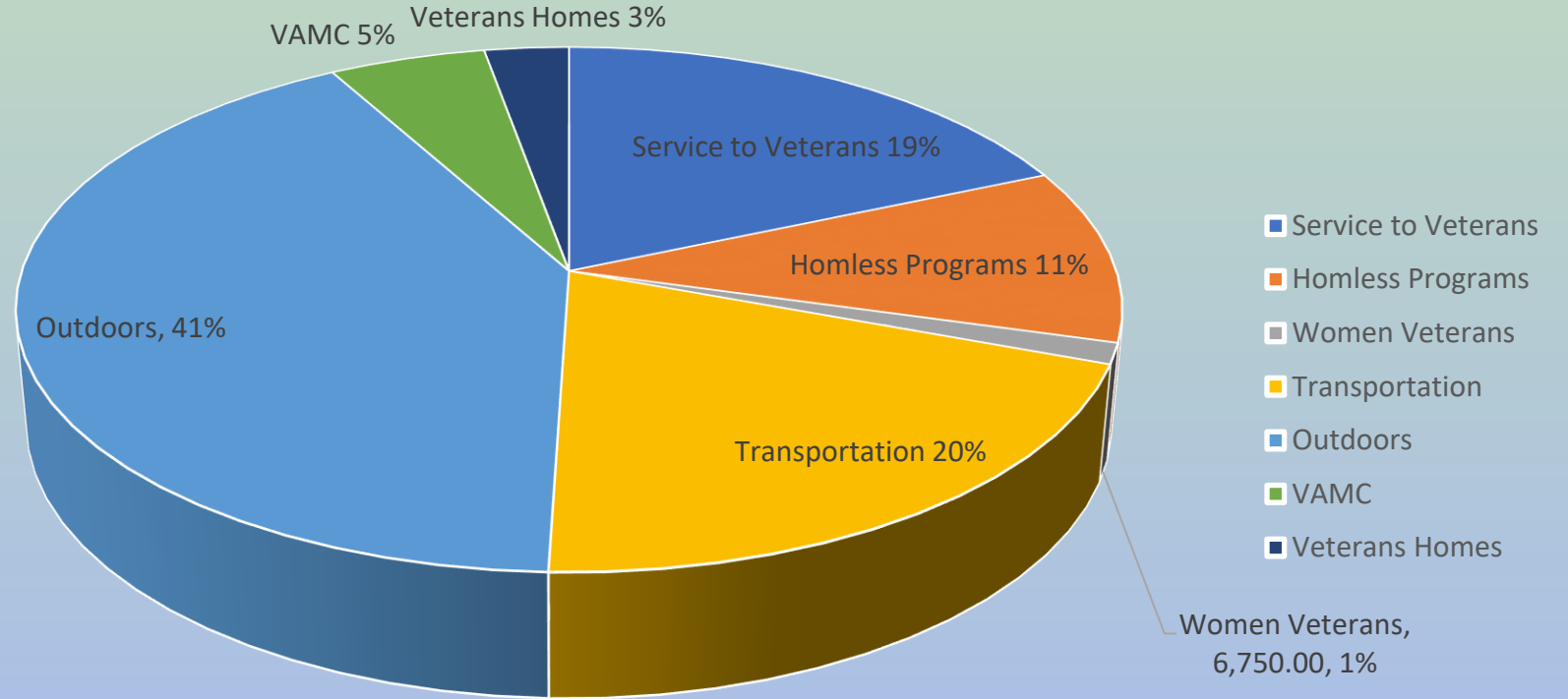
Historic Grant Summary by Description



\$527,509.45

Grants Fiscal Year 2022 - 2023

Service to Veterans	19%	\$97,844.20
Homeless Programs	11%	\$56,910.00
Women Veterans Programs	1%	\$6,750.00
Transportation	20%	\$104,956.19
Outdoors	41%	\$218,265.50
Veterans Homes	3%	\$15,000.00
VAMC	5%	\$27,783.56



Grants Awarded FY 2022-2023

- Every Third Saturday
- Open Arms
- Stairlift for Vets
- Last Man Club
- MACV
- St. Cloud Standdown
- Gold Star Retreat
- VAMC Minneapolis, Fargo & St. Cloud
- Transportation

August Financials

• Morgan Stanley	\$4,551,328.58
• Foundation Bank Accounts	\$ 61,288.07
• Think Bank CD	\$ 79,946.18
• Total:	\$4,692,562.83

Grant Funding Restrictions

- Unrestricted general operating expenses
- The use and payment for services of a fiscal agent
- Endowment funds
- Religious organizations for religious purposes
- Fundraising activities or events (i.e., annual fund drives, benefit tickets)
- Umbrella funding organizations that intend to distribute funds at their own discretion
- Political lobbying or legislative activities
- Individuals
- Capital expenditures (i.e., building repairs, etc.)

Grant Applicants

Applicants must meet eligibility criteria to be considered for a grant. All organizational recipients must be recognized by the IRS as tax-exempt and are required to furnish the following documentation:

- Board of Directors' list for the current fiscal year
- Program/project budget for the requested services for the current fiscal year
- Annual operating budget for the current fiscal year
- IRS Form W-9
- Form 990 filed with the IRS for current the fiscal year

Grant Applications

Veteran Grants

THE DAV OF MINNESOTA FOUNDATION IS PROUD TO FUND PROGRAMS, PROJECTS AND SERVICES TO IMPROVE THE LIVES OF MINNESOTA VETERANS

The DAV of Minnesota Foundation welcomes opportunities to partner with DAV Chapters, non-profit organizations, and government entities to create and support meaningful programs, services, and projects across Minnesota. In order to maintain the integrity of the Foundation, we take the grant process very seriously. The board has created grant-making guidelines and eligibility standards to ensure that support goes to grant seekers who make the most effective impact in Veterans lives right there in our local communities.

We accept grant application submissions during four cycles within each calendar year. Application cycles will open and close on the first and last business days of January, April, July and October.

[Guidelines](#)

[Grant Application Form](#)



[Grants & Resources - DAV of Minnesota \(davmn.org\)](https://davmn.org)

<https://davmn.org/wp-content/uploads/GrantApplication2022.pdf>

Chapter Grant Applications

DAV OF Minnesota Foundation Chapter Grant Request

Chapter Name _____

Chapter Address _____

Chapter Point of Contact _____ POC Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

990 Current
 Yes
 No

AFR Current
 Yes
 No

Tax ID # _____

How will the funds be used?
 Outreach
 Reduction of Homelessness
 Healthcare and Well-being
 Transportation Partnership New Program
 Outdoors Partnership New Program

Purpose of this grant _____

Are you partnering with any other Chapters/Organizations?
 Yes, Please List: _____
 No

Amount Requested: _____
Date of Event: _____
Date Dollars Requested: _____
Who will have the fiduciary responsibility for the grant? _____

Why is there a need for this grant?

What gap will the grant address?

How will this grant address this need?

Why will the veterans and families of Minnesota veterans be better because of this grant?

How will you know you have been successful?

Budget: The budget should include a breakdown of the resources required to implement the grant and the specific financial amount required for each resource. The Board wants to understand how their investment will be used. (Please attach your budget)

Chapters interested in submitting a grant application to the Foundation, please contact Lauri Brooke, for the Chapter specific application.

Lauri Brooke, lauri@davmn.org / 651-291-1212

Veterans Homes Proposal

- One restricted fund for all veterans homes
- Chapters donate to restricted fund
- Foundation may provide matching funds
- Proposals for grants from Homes through Foundation
 - Greater accountability for Chapters and Homes
 - Donation letter from Foundation to Chapters for AFR
 - Chapters will be involved with donation at the local levels
 - Homes can forecast needs

Board of Directors

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- Joel Schilling
- Chris Magnussen
- Tony Tengwall
- Paul Pederson
- Scott Berndt – Treasurer
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