THE LONG ISLAND UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST FUND
2017 GRANTS TOTALING $280,000.00

The Long Island Unitarian Universalist Fund is a field-of-interest fund in the Long Island Community Foundation that promotes progressive social change. The fund was established by the Unitarian Universalist Veatch Program at Shelter Rock. Grants are made in response to competitive proposals received from Long Island nonprofit organizations. The proposals are reviewed by LICF staff and presented to an advisory committee, composed of members drawn from UU congregations across Long Island.

Alliance for Quality Education, $12,500.00 for continued support for local organizing work to advance education equity on Long Island.

Child Abuse Prevention Services, Inc., $20,000.00 support to reduce racial bias and inequity in Long Island schools’ approach to discipline.

Child Care Council of Suffolk, $15,000.00 continued support for a graduate coalition for parents who have completed the Parent Leadership Initiative (PLI) training.

LatinoJustice PRLDEF, $25,000.00 for legal advocacy supporting Latino immigrants on Long Island.

Long Beach Latino Civic Association, $20,000.00 funding to increase civic and political participation of the Latino population in Long Beach.

Long Island Advocacy Center Inc, $20,000.00 to train parents of English-language learners to advocate for quality education for their children.

Long Island Transgender Advocacy Coalition, $20,000.00 to raise awareness of and advocate for the needs of the transgender community on Long Island.

New York Civil Liberties Union Foundation, $20,000.00 for ongoing support for criminal justice reform on Long Island.

OLA of Eastern Long Island, Inc., $12,500.00 to develop an advocacy agenda and policy recommendations to protect the Latino community on the East End.
Planned Parenthood of Nassau County, Inc., $15,000.00 support for a voter education and engagement project to raise awareness about reproductive rights.

PULSE of New York, $15,000.00 for a program to provide better information, participation and education to empower people of color to receive better medical care.

Rural and Migrant Ministry, $20,000.00 to provide outreach to and advocacy for Long Island farmworkers.

SEPA Mujer, $20,000.00 to continue leadership development and advocacy initiative for Latina immigrants in Suffolk County.

The Center for Popular Democracy, $15,000.00 to organize elected officials on Long Island around progressive public policy solutions.

Urban League of Long Island, $30,000.00 to advance racial equity and inclusion on Long Island.