

Wine To Water Receives \$25,000 Grant from Invest in Others for the Indigenous Peoples & Nations Program

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Boone, N.C. – June 21, 2021 – [Wine To Water](#) (W|W) announced today that it was awarded a \$25,000 grant by the Invest in Others Charitable Foundation (“Invest in Others”). W|W received one of eight grants available to organizations that are working to create and enhance opportunities for communities of color, providing essential services to causes such as social justice, employment and education—with the goal of leveling the playing field and providing life-changing opportunities to underserved communities.

“This is a significant gift that will directly help our [Indigenous Peoples & National Program](#), which will make an enormous difference for how indigenous peoples in the U.S. are able to access clean water, and we are very grateful for this major financial commitment,” said Doc Hendley, W|W founder and president.

Edward Doughty, Private Wealth Advisor at Epic Capital Wealth Management in Charlotte, applied for the grant to support the nonprofit’s Indigenous Peoples & Nations Program. “We couldn’t be more excited to have Wine To Water chosen as a grant recipient. I’ve been involved with them for six years now, and can attest to the fact that they do the hard work that is required, in the field, serving those in need of clean water and sanitation. They are extraordinary on so many levels.”

The \$25,000 grant from Invest in Others will be used to fund improved water access for the Navajo and Hopi people. Thousands of people are forced to drive long distances to fill containers of water, which costs time and money.

Through this program, W|W will work with community leaders to identify priority water needs, design sustainable water systems in high needs communities, and develop meaningful education programs which lead to sustainable water service in rural Navajo and Hopi Nations.

The Invest in Others Grants for Change Program was introduced in 2020 with the goal of funding specific programs or projects for nonprofits that display a measurable commitment to enhancing opportunities for communities of color. Nearly 200 applications were received and recipients were selected based on the impact the grant would have on the nonprofit and the community it serves.

Wine To Water is committed to supporting life and dignity for all through the power of clean water by serving the most remote, inaccessible communities and the most vulnerable populations around the world.

About the Invest in Others Charitable Foundation

The inspiration for the Invest in Others Charitable Foundation (liO) came directly from the financial advisors who invest in others by giving back to their communities with overwhelming generosity and dedication. Since its founding in 2006, Invest in Others has amplified these efforts by providing a platform for advisors and other financial professionals to increase awareness, visibility, and funding to their favorite nonprofits. Over the past 15 years, liO has given more than \$3 million to 300+ charities across a variety of causes, including health and wellness, education and youth programs, arts and culture, hunger and poverty prevention, military and veterans and more. For more information, visit investinothers.org or follow Invest in Others on Twitter, LinkedIn, and Facebook.

About Wine to Water

Wine To Water (W|W) is an international nonprofit organization committed to supporting life and dignity for all through the power of clean water. More than one million people in more than 45 countries now have clean drinking water through the Wine To Water community, and those numbers continue to grow daily. To learn more about the mission or how to get involved, visit winetowater.org, or follow @winetowater on Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn and Facebook.

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