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To Our Fundholders:

We are delighted to share that 2024 was another record-breaking year at the Jewish Community Foundation.

- Together, we granted **\$206 million to over 3,200 nonprofits**
- Clients added more than **\$151 million** to their charitable funds
- **70 new funds** were opened
- **Total assets as of 12/31/24 reached \$1.46 billion** (unaudited)

Since the start of 2025 we have been actively supporting wildfire relief efforts.

Together with your grantmaking, we have committed **nearly \$2 million** in vital emergency support for crisis response, trauma relief, food distribution, and more. We are actively partnering with local nonprofits to begin the rebuilding process.

In 2024, we awarded more than \$6 million in institutional grants:

- **\$2+ million in grants to 59 nonprofits serving the Jewish community locally** focused on combatting antisemitism, providing direct social services to those in need, and supporting Jewish communal professionals.
- **\$2+ million in grants to 28 nonprofits in Israel** to organizations providing support for mental health, trauma, and at-risk youth, and promoting social cohesion.
- **\$1.3 million in security grants to 55 Jewish nonprofits** in partnership with JFEDLA to improve security measures and foster safe Jewish environments for children.
- **\$1 million in hardship relief grants** to provide funding for urgent, one-time financial assistance to families facing significant financial distress.

This is an ideal time to review how your fund is invested. Clients with asset balances of at least \$50,000 have multiple investment options. [Click here](#) to learn more. If you have any questions, please contact our development professionals at 323.761.8704 or [email](#).

Blessings for a healthy and prosperous year ahead!



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