



HOUSING

Grove Park Foundation is dedicated to preserving the inventory of affordable homes and stabilizing the homeowners and residents of Grove Park. In 2019 we:

10 
Monthly Housing Workshops

- Hosted 10 Monthly Housing Workshops on Homestead Exemption, Property Tax Appeals, Energy Cost Reduction, Weatherization, Affordable Rental Readiness, Home Repair Resources

85 
Critical Repair Projects

- Put 85 emergency and critical home repair projects in the pipeline and completed 45 of these projects- securing home repair partners and connecting homeowners to services.

6 
Household with liens maintained ownership

- Held tenant's rights workshops in partnership with AVLf.
- Completed design and permitting for Grove Park Gardens, a 110-unit affordable multi-family housing development project.
- Assisted 6 households with liens and other financial issues to maintain ownership and remain in the community.

35 
Attended Housing Forum

- Hosted a 2 Day Housing Forum for homeowners and renters. 35 attended to learn about estate planning, wills preparation, home repair resources, credit repair assistance, homestead exemption, property tax information, tenant's rights, and were introduced to new affordable homeownership and rental opportunities.



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ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT



119



Financial Literacy
Participants

Economic empowerment builds the foundation for many of our revitalization efforts in Grove Park, including our housing programs, and economic and workforce development. In 2019:

87



Participants began the
Business Credit
Literacy course

- 56 participants enrolled in the financial literacy program, bringing our cohort total to 119.



23



Participants started
business development
initiative.

- 23 participants started small business development initiative.

- 87 residents attended the Business Credit Literacy course.

- 1 resident completed and received their first business loan

- 12 job training referrals.

- Our 'main street' investments secured key commercial parcels.

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Resident received
their first business
loan.

- Removed a liquor store and other undesirable uses.



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Association



ARTS, CULTURE & ENVIRONMENT

The Grove Park Foundation believes the arts and environment are critical to holistic community revitalization. All of our endeavors incorporate arts, culture and environmental sustainability. In 2019, we:

- Completed 17 new oral history recordings to bring the total to 57.
- Determined that the structural integrity of Grove Theatre was viable for redevelopment, and began site work and site engineering.
- Installed a new roof on Grove Theatre. Fox Theatre Institute provided a matching grant
- Partnered with 200 Georgia Tech students on environmental and sustainability projects, including stormwater management and greenway trail development, corridor economic development, home energy evaluation, and refreshing the community garden.
- Sponsored the Westside Wings festival, a community festival focused on the arts.

200

GT Students partnered with us on environmental projects

57

Oral history recordings.



New Roof Grove Theatre



PARTNERS:





EDUCATION

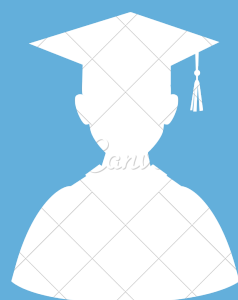
A quality cradle-to-college education pipeline is essential to breaking the generational cycle of poverty. In 2019:

- KIPP Woodson Park Academy begins leadership and instruction to create a quality education pipeline for the 600+ K-5 students in the Douglass cluster.
- The Ground Breaking and construction commence for the new Woodson Park Academy campus:
 - K-8 School
 - School based health center
 - Early childhood developments center
- 150 + youth ages 11- 14 attended Summer Youth Programming.



\$19.2M

Funds Raised for
New Campus



900

Students Served



150+

Enrolled in Summer
Programs



PARTNERS:





GROVE PARK FOUNDATION

Grove Park Foundation is committed to expanding health access and wellness opportunities for residents. In 2019:

- A Health Advisory Committee with 40 providers and stakeholders was created to dialogue about health on the West side, and a school based health center to serve students and residents.
- Created 3 partnerships for access to healthy and affordable food with Fulton Fresh Mobile Market, Historic Westside Gardens market, and Good Samaritan Health Center's diabetes prevention program.
- The first Community 5K launched with 125 runners, including 30+ Grove Park residents. The race was held in the heart of Grove Park, on the Proctor Creek Greenway. The race promoted wellness and assisted in building a stronger and healthier community.

HEALTH



40

healthcare providers to serve students and residents.



125

runners ran the first Grove Park 5K



VOLUNTEERS



Thank you to all the individuals who volunteered! Because of your hard work we were better able to serve our community. Here's how we did:

- Atlantic Capital
- Bank of America
- Fulton County
- Georgia Tech SLS
- Historic Westside Gardens
- North Highland
- Rollins Inc.

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VOLUNTEERS

642
VOLUNTEER
HOURS

THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS!

- Alliance Theatre
- Atlanta Legal Aid
- Atlanta Public Schools
- Atlanta Volunteer lawyers Foundation
- Atlantic Capital Bank
- Bank of America
- Bright Futures
- Department of Senior Services
- Fox Theatre Institute
- Friends of Grove Park
- Fulton County
- Georgia Heirs Property Law Center
- Georgia Power
- Georgia Tech SLS
- Good Samaritan Health Center

- Greenforest CDC
- Grove Park Collective
- Grove Park Neighborhood Association
- Grove Park Renewal
- Habitat for Humanity
- Historic Westside Gardens
- Integrity CDC
- KIPP: Metro Atlanta Public Schools
- Legal Aid Atlanta
- Northwest Business Association
- Paradise Baptist Church
- PAW Kids
- Soccer in the Streets
- Veteran's Empowerment Organization
- X3 Foundation
- YMCA of Metro Atlanta