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### NEVADA STATE BANK HELPS NONPROFITS GET AHEAD

The Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco awarded local nonprofits and [Nevada State Bank](#) community partners, [Street Teens](#) and the [Southern Nevada Regional Housing Authority](#), AHEAD grants totaling \$40,000. Street Teens and SNRHA were two of 33 out of 131 nonprofits to receive the grant in 2013. Nevada State Bank will administer the grant funds for both organizations.



Street Teens received a \$30,000 AHEAD grant that will be used to support operational funding for the organization. Street Teens provides homeless, abandoned, and at-risk youth with access to education, healthcare, and employment services at a drop-in center. With support from community partners, the center offers teens food and clothing and help with enrolling in school, obtaining full-time employment, and moving off the streets into an apartment or residential program.

Nevada State Bank SVP/community relations manager Drew Zidzik, Street Teens executive director Lisa Preston, and Nevada State Bank colleagues and Street Teens board members Joe Bowers and Patricia Johnston



Senta Robinson, Special Programs Supervisor for SNRHA and Drew Zidzik, Nevada State Bank SVP/community relations manager.

SNRHA's Project F.O.R.W.A.R.D. received a \$10,000 AHEAD grant that will be used to purchase materials and supplies for youth participants. Project F.O.R.W.A.R.D. (Families Organized Responsibly Working toward Achieving Realistic Dreams) educates low-income, 11- to 17-year-olds from families participating in the Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher Program to become financially responsible.

