



Happy New Year!

It is with great pride and mixed emotions that we share the formal sunset of Women Give San Diego. It has been an honor to serve as Co-Founders and Past Presidents, WGSD. We toast and thank Women Give San Diego's membership and stakeholders: Founding members, past and current members, grant partners and fiscal sponsor, Catalyst of San Diego and Imperial Counties.

Be proud Women Give San Diego:

- \$1,885,900 in granted funds across 13 cycles
- 48 dedicated grant partners
- 61 grants awarded
- 55 members in first grantmaking year; at peak membership, 158 intergenerational members; 300 women have been engaged as members in WGSD at some point in time during our 14 years

Collectively, WGSD accomplishments honor the legacy of our dear friend, the late Jan S. Tuttleman, Founding President and visionary leader and our shared vision to support women and girls in San Diego, especially those who have been traditionally and historically invisible.

As Women Give San Diego sunsets, we encourage members to actively engage in the important work of WGSD grant partners. We also invite members to consider joining one of the other giving circles, where women pool their funds to make a positive difference in our greater San Diego community. Some of the local giving circles focused on women and girls that Women Give San Diego is aware of (as of December 2023) will be posted on WGSD Legacy Link, on the Catalyst website. We encourage you to seek out others as well.

Catalyst will extend member benefits to Women Give San Diego members until the end of 2024. This means they will keep the same member benefits as before (such as free or reduced pricing for Catalyst socials, educational events, and conference) and can continue positions they hold on Catalyst funder groups and board committees. At the end of 2024, access to these benefits will end unless they are connected to another member, but anyone who would like to remain in touch as a non-member can sign up for the newsletter at: <https://catalystsd.org/join-our-newsletter/>

Jan's legacy and the meaningful impact of Women Give San Diego lives on. With Jan's investment and the hard work and dedication of Women Give San Diego leadership and



empowered membership, WGSD will continue to benefit underserved women and girls in our community for years to come.

Cheers to an impactful 14 years, Women Give San Diego - onward!

With gratitude,

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