

Environmental Health Coalition
(San Diego, CA)
General Support

Total Award: \$150,000 over 1 year

Program Contribution

Environment Program, \$100,000

Health Program, \$25,000

Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic
Justice, \$25,000

For general support of the Environmental Health Coalition (EHC), a multi-issue organization dedicated to environmental and social justice. EHC provides assistance to communities throughout San Diego/Tijuana with the majority of its efforts directed at communities of color in urbanized areas and the communities around San Diego Bay. EHC's work is focused primarily around four campaign areas: 1) the Border Environmental Justice Campaign works to reduce toxic pollution caused by maquiladora industries; 2) the Campaign to Eliminate Childhood Lead Poisoning works to eliminate sources of lead exposure to protect children's health; 3) the Clean Bay Campaign works to cleanup, restore and protect San Diego Bay from industrial and Naval polluters and development activities; and 4) the Toxic-Free Neighborhood Campaign organizes in communities of color to advocate for the prevention of toxic pollution from industrial and mobile sources. EHC is also working with the California Environmental Justice Working Group, a coalition of five environmental justice organizations within the California Alliance, to promote the adoption of statewide environmental justice policies and their integration into the environmental agenda.

Environment Program: *Objective II, Strategy 2*

Health Program: *Objective II, Strategy 2*

Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic Justice: *Objectives I & II*