

Why support the Annual Keystone Leadership Awards?

Keystone Policy Center empowers leaders to employ an audacious approach to tackling society's most pressing policy issues: collaborative, inclusive, and bipartisan decision-making. Each year, Keystone takes an evening to honor leaders who create lasting solutions through strategic collaboration and embody the spirit and tenor of Keystone's mission. The funds raised through the Annual Leadership Awards are leveraged by Keystone to inspire even more leaders to rise above entrenched positions to reach common higher ground. Here are some ways your dollars are utilized:

- **Innovative Ideas and Projects:** Underwrite critically important staff time and resources needed to develop new ideas and to conduct necessary background research to ensure staff adequately understands all sides of an issue before seeking fundraised dollars.
- **Issue Research:** Identify stakeholders and conduct interviews to better understand the nuances and underlying concerns of those closest to the issues.
- **Thought Partnership:** Work with potential project participants to design processes that will most effectively address the issues before them and to frame the initiative so that it will attract additional funding sources.
- **Process Support:** Engage in fundraising efforts to support the processes which we convene.
- **Critical Operations Support:** Supports the backbone of the organization, including the President's office, Administration, and Marketing, Communications & Development, to ensure Keystone will continue to empower leaders to solve challenging issues for years to come.

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