



NATIONAL ACTIVE AND RETIRED FEDERAL EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION

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TO: Region VIII VP, Federation Presidents and Alzheimer's Coordinators

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As of the end of January 2019, the NARFE fundraising total is \$13,012,035. We have met our goal of \$13 million! During the month of January, our members raised a total of \$65,494 **UP** \$7,278 from donations received in January 2018. The amount raised by Region VIII during July 2018 – January 2019 is \$12,729 which is **DOWN** \$3,194 from the reporting period of July 2017 – January 2018. Below is the breakout by Federation for both reporting periods:

	2019	2018	Difference
California	\$11,112	\$13,606	- \$2,494
Hawaii	\$ 1,407	\$ 1,379	\$ 28
Nevada	\$ 210	\$ 878	- \$ 668
Philippines	\$ 0	\$ 60	- \$ 60
Total	\$12,729	\$15,923	-\$3,194

The links to the three Alzheimer's articles are provided below:

Sleep Deprivation Accelerates Alzheimer's Brain Damage

<https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2019/01/190124141536.htm>

Lowering Blood Pressure Reduces Risk of Cognitive Impairment

<https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2019/01/190128111703.htm>

In Life and Death, Alzheimer's Disease Looks Different Among Hispanic Patients

<https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2019/01/190124141614.htm>

Walk to End Alzheimer's. Donations for the walks are accepted all year. This would be a great time to register your team for the 2019 Walk Against Alzheimer's at www.alz.org/narfewalks and to develop your plans for fund raising events.

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