The background is a watercolor-style illustration of a beach at sunset or sunrise. The sky is a mix of soft pinks, oranges, and blues. The ocean has gentle waves with white foam. The foreground shows a sandy beach. Overlaid on this scene are several large, semi-transparent watercolor circles in various colors: purple, yellow, light blue, dark blue, light green, and dark green.

Creating Lasting Impact

Grand Haven Area Community Foundation | 2022

A Letter to the Community

At the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation (GHACF), we remain committed to fostering positive change and creating lasting impact. In 2022, we laid the foundation for a future legacy of community philanthropy like no other year. We worked alongside donors who gave generously and our for-impact partners who served with passion and purpose. We added staff and envisioned a new facility to support the work that needs to be done. The size of our fund, the capability of our team, and the ongoing support from regional partners reassure us that we can meet the needs of the community for many decades to come.

Throughout the year, we consistently made substantial strides in our strategic focus areas:

Impact Community

We are grateful for the exceptional efforts of our dedicated for-impact partners who work tirelessly to help our community. As we reflect on the accomplishments of 2022, we are proud to announce that we were able to grant over \$9 million back to our community. This impressive figure stands as a testament to the power of collaboration and the impact it can have on our community.

We also believe in the power of education to transform lives. In 2022, over \$650,000 in scholarships were awarded to 229 area students. This would not be possible without the generous contributions from our scholarship fund advisors. Together, we are shaping a brighter future for all.

Inspire Philanthropy

We believe that philanthropy is personal and as unique as each donor. We are pleased to share that collectively almost \$12 million was contributed to all funds at the GHACF in 2022. It is these charitable gifts given to the Foundation each year that help ensure that our for-impact partners are able to continue their critically important work.

It is also with great pride, passion and humility that we continue to assist generous individuals, families, companies, and organizations with their philanthropic endeavors and planned giving. We remain in awe at the generosity and support we receive from our donors and inspired by the stories of impact, of selflessness, and of engaging the next generation.

Manage Investments

We work hard to invest locally and manage all investments to consistently meet or exceed benchmarks of performance of our peers. Our 10-year average rate of return was 8.4%, despite a -17.18% annual rate of return in 2022 which reflected broader stock market conditions. We believe that our low-cost, passively managed, and equity-focused portfolio remains the best long-term approach.

We partner with Northern Trust, our Investment Advisor, who provides investment management and advisory services. In October, we hosted an event with Northern Trust and our GHACF Organizational Fund Holders. This first-time event offered fund holders insight into the ongoing investment management of the GHACF portfolio and gave them the opportunity to hear the major themes that are expected to play out in the next five years.

In addition to our focus on our three strategic areas, and continuing our day-to-day work, below are some select highlights that are not featured in this annual report:

- Received National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations Accreditation which represents a community foundation's commitment to going above and beyond federal and state requirements to demonstrate accountability and excellence to communities, policymakers, and the public.
- Completed a full software and database conversion to better support our work and serve our donors and partners.
- Began planning for the Coopersville Area Community Foundation's 30th Anniversary to be celebrated in 2023.
- Envisioned and created a six-part speaker series in partnership with The Chamber, focused on Envisioning our Community's Future which was held in 2023.

Our work is guided by careful reflection on our mission, vision, and values, combined with goals set forth as part of our strategic plan. 2022 brought the opportunity to explore a move to a larger space to increase the capacity of the GHACF and, therefore, the impact on the community. The move to the historic and iconic building at 6 Sherman Ave. will take place in 2023 and will be coordinated with a brand refresh launched in this annual report.

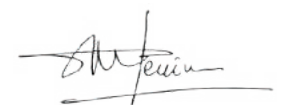
As an endowment organization we will be here forever. We remain focused on creating lasting impact and look forward to continuing to serve the community in new and innovative ways.

For **good**. For **all**. For **ever**.

Best regards,



Hadley Streng
President



Mark Pereira
Chair, Board of Trustees

Strategic Plan

Grand Haven Area Community Foundation 2022 - 2024

Vision

We advance the well-being of our communities by creating the best places to live, learn, work, give, and engage.

Time | Convener, Introducer, Guide

Talent | Genuine Listener, Shared Community, Knowledge Center, Innovator

Treasure | Inviter, Steward, Funder, Educator, Legacy Creator

Ties | Cross-Sector Partner, Capacity, Builder, Problem Solver

What Success Looks Like

- Our for-impact partners and donors are catalysts for greater community and understanding change
- Our broader community is inspired to greater giving that advances our mission
- Our endowment portfolio is stewarded to give, yet also to grow

Mission

We enhance the quality of life for all by working together to collectively address challenges and opportunities throughout West Michigan.

Values

Stewardship, Exceptional & Empowering Service, Integrity, Entrepreneurial Spirit, Inclusion

Manage Investments

Impact Community

Inspire Philanthropy

At a Glance

Impact Community

Pages 06-23

\$9,750,603

and 1,495 total grants went back to our community from all funds.

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\$1,579,634

Total granted through responsive, impact-driven grantmaking.

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\$656,873

Total awarded in scholarships to 229 students.

(page 21)

381

Legacy Society Members

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\$11,838,034

2022 Gifts Received to all funds and 1,937 total gifts.

751

Total Funds

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207 Donor & Corp. Advised

201 Organizational

137 Scholarship

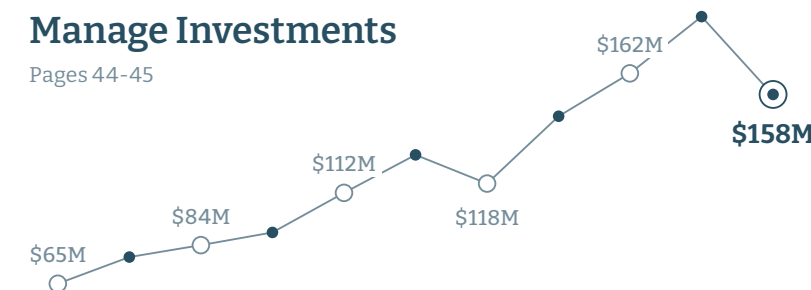
- 94 Designated
- 44 Greatest Needs
- 42 Field of Interest
- 14 Community Service
- 12 Internal Funds

Inspire Philanthropy

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Manage Investments

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Total assets include the Allendale Area Community Foundation, Coopersville Area Community Foundation, the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation, and Supporting Organizations.

\$158,184,774

Net Assets as of 12/31/22.

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8.4% 10-Year Average Rate of Return

4.5 million Impact Investments

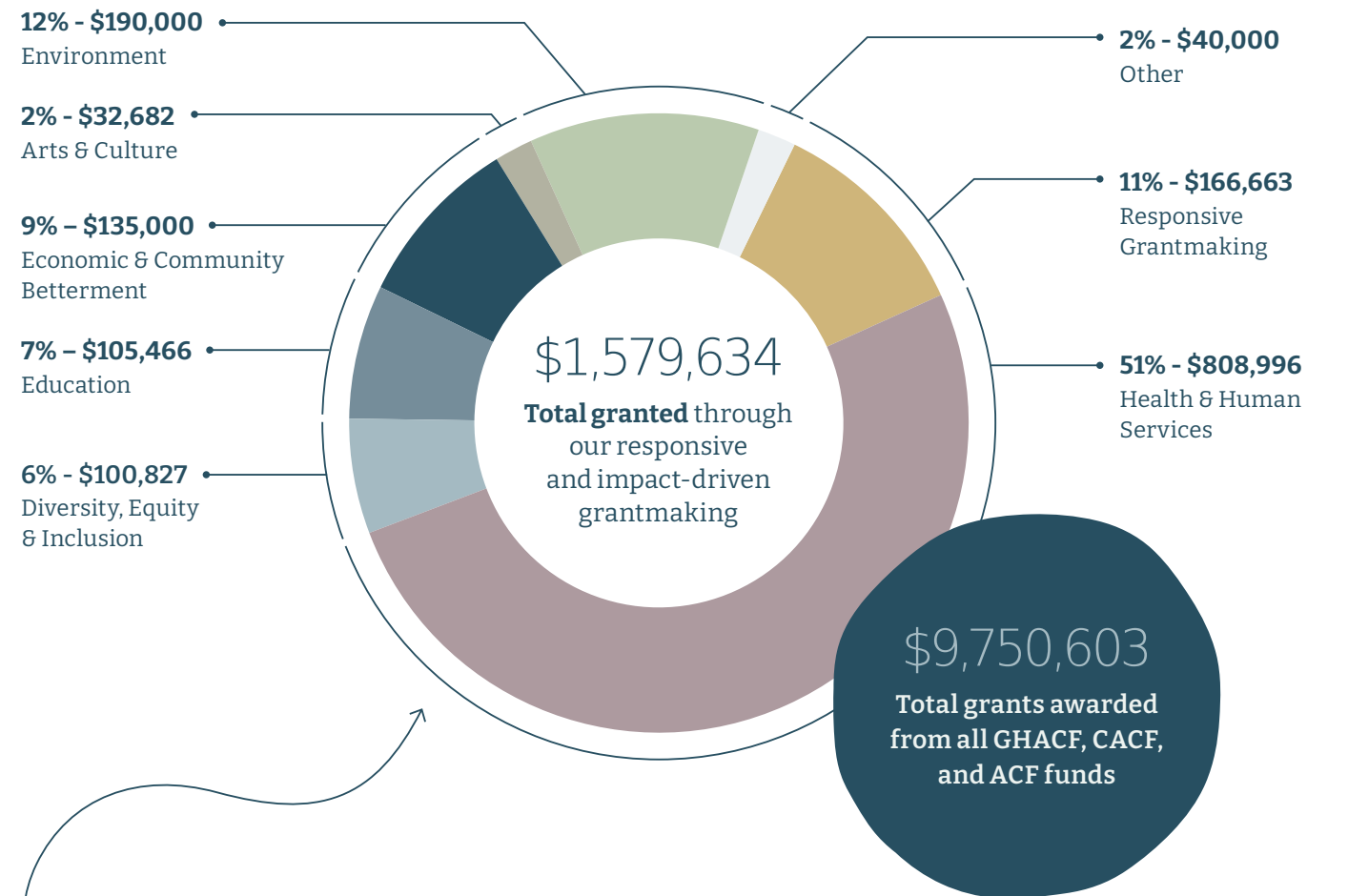
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Impact Community

The Grand Haven Area Community Foundation’s Community Impact Grant Program awards grants that seek to enhance the quality of life and promote a healthy, inclusive, collaborative, and diverse community throughout West Michigan. To best support our for-impact partners and meet community need throughout the duration of the year, the Community Impact Grant Program considers multi-year grant requests and has a quarterly review cycle. Grants are awarded to organizations that have a current 501(c)(3) designation from the Internal Revenue Service, are a government, a religious or educational institutions. Successful applications serve the Northern Ottawa or Greater West Michigan Region and address one or more of the foundation’s grantmaking priorities highlighted in the pages that follow: Health & Human Services; Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion; Education; Economic & Community Betterment; Arts & Culture; Environment. Together, we can advance the well-being of our region by creating the very best places to live, learn, work, give, and engage.

Granting for Impact

In 2022, a total of **\$9,750,603** went back to our community from all funds, and of that **\$1,579,634** was awarded from our Greatest Needs Funds and Field of Interest Funds.



Amount Granted From

Donor Advised Funds	\$4,796,742
Community Impact Grant Program	\$1,579,634
Community Service Funds	\$989,223
Organizational/Agency plus Non FASB	\$947,100
Scholarship Funds - Awarded	\$656,873
Designated Funds	\$618,925
GHACF Youth Fund	\$100,000
Affiliate Competitive Grant Program	\$51,996
CACF Youth Fund	\$10,110
Total	\$9,750,603

The following pages feature **grant impact stories** from 2022.

For more information on the **Affiliate Funds**, please see pages 48 & 49.



Health & Human Services

Love in Action Community Co-Op

Within Love in Action's service area, 30% of the population is Asset-Limited, Income-Constrained and Employed (ALICE). The ALICE population represents those who are working with earnings above the Federal Poverty Level but below the minimum required to afford the basics of a "survival budget" including items such as housing, childcare, food, transportation, health care, taxes, and technology. In response, **Love in Action (LIA)** has designed a Community Co-Op to launch in 2023 - a membership-based cooperative that will provide access to healthy and nutritious food for families in Northwest Ottawa County.

Impact Award

This year, a Community Impact grant was awarded to support the costs associated with the building renovations, and two years of program operations. Membership will be accessible via an income-based

monetary fee, volunteer hours, or participation in educational programs. Furthermore, the Co-Op will serve as an access point to additional wrap-around services provided by Love in Action, including home and car repair, household needs, dental care, and health services.

“The Community Co-Op will improve access to food but also so much more. So often in the battle against food insecurity, the relationships and connections needed to thrive are missed. At Love in Action, we are seeking to create a community that can create better pathways to connection.”

Josh Bytwerk -Executive Director,
Love in Action



Moving Forward

The Community Co-Op is designed to serve up to 125 member households a week and 800 unique members a year.

\$808,996

Total awarded to Health & Human Services grants

Health & Human Services

Support access to physical and mental health services; promote healthy lifestyles and relationships for all; address priorities based on data gathered through Community Needs Assessments and Community Health Improvement Plans; support local health initiatives that are endorsed by multi-sector collaborations; address human needs for underserved populations.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

Every Women's Place (EWP) | SANE Unit at EWP - Grant funds were awarded to create and operate an on-site Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner (SANE) Unit.

Feeding America West Michigan (FAWM) | Nourish Tomorrow Advancement Campaign - Grant funds were awarded to increase capacity for food and nutrition acquisition services, distribution services, and educational programming.

Girls Scouts of Michigan Shore to Shore | Rebuilding the Grand Haven Little House - Grant funds were awarded to support the costs of fixtures, furnishings, and equipment for a new Grand Haven Little House.

Gracious Grounds | Life Skills Wraparound Program - Grant funds were awarded to support the Resident Support Coordinator (RSC) as well as technology to support job seeking and the development of education and life skills for their residents with intellectual disabilities.

Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital | Supporting Children through Recovery: Creating a Pediatric Rehabilitation Hospital in Grand Rapids - Grant funds were awarded toward building a pediatric rehabilitation hospital.

Mediation Services | Mediation Services for Older Adults Seeking Peace - Grant funds were awarded to a partnership with Four Pointes Center for Successful Aging in Grand Haven to deliver services.

Michigan Community Capital (MCC) | Development Associate Project - Grant funds were awarded to increase the organization's capacity within their development department through the dedicated support of the internal and external costs associated with property/site evaluation, legal and environmental due diligence, and design.

Momentum Center | Momentum Center Facility Capital Campaign - Grant funds were awarded as an initial gift to the Momentum Center's Capital Campaign.

No One Lives Alone (NOLA) | Support for Individualized Coaching and Empowerment through Education and Mindful Supports - Grant funds were awarded to support NOLA's focus on women's sober living by creating a confidential office space and further improve the private coaching sessions.

Resilience: Advocates for Ending Violence | Operations Infrastructure Enhancement Project, Phase 2 - Grant funds were awarded to the second of three phases in Resilience's Operations Infrastructure Enhancement Project.

The Little Red House, Inc. | Create and Implement a Strategic Marketing Plan - Grant funds were awarded to support the sustainability and strategy of the organization.

Tri-Cities Family YMCA | Capital Campaign: Building Our Future - Grant funds were awarded as an initial gift to the Tri-Cities Family YMCA's Capital Campaign, "Building Our Future," and will update and expand the facility for future generations.



Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

Competitive Integrated Employment for Adults with Disabilities on the Lake Effect Kitchen Trolley

Eat Well Do Good Inc. (EWDG) is the charitable entity of the local business, Lake Effect Kitchen (LEK). Their mission is to help employers see the many values in hiring individuals with disabilities through educational and wage subsidies. They believe that once employers see how someone from this emerging workforce population contributes to their organization's success, they will be more than willing to take the employee fully onto their payroll, and perhaps even look to this population to fulfill some of their hiring needs.

Impact Award

The Foundation awarded a multi-year grant to support the initial years of employment and mentoring for people with disabilities through jobs

created by the refurbished Harbor Trolley food truck operated by Lake Effect Kitchen. The food truck travels throughout Ottawa County showcasing an authentic, inclusive workspace with people of all abilities working to provide food for the public.

“He seems to be really happy and enjoying it. I know he's very proud of himself, that he gets up and rides his bike to work and has some money in his account.”

Father of Eli - Trolley Employee, Lake Effect Kitchen

Moving Forward

EWDG plans to hire 18 employees with disabilities over the course of four years for each 12-week season. Additionally, a group of mentors will be hired to assist with training and on-the-job support.

An initial training period of 2-4 weeks will allow the employees and mentors to learn together the process of cooking and safety skills, interacting with and serving customers, running the cash register, and cleanup and proper sanitation. At the end of the summer season, the goal is for employees to either continue working at LEK or use their work experience to pursue other employment in the community.

“It is great to see the pride and confidence that [employees] have as they grow into their jobs and develop new skills. They are learning to challenge themselves, and more importantly, that they are a valuable part of the community in which they live.”

Mark B. - Program Mentor, Lake Effect Kitchen



Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

Address diversity, equity, and inclusion within the community; Involve and empower the inherent worth and dignity of all people; Promote and sustain a sense of belonging within the community.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

BErista Inc. | Kenzie's BE Café Community Employment and Training - Grant funds were awarded to BErista Inc. which does business as Kenzie's Be Café, a new coffee shop, located in the historic Crescent Theater in Grand Haven's Eastown.

Disability Network Lakeshore | DEIA Training and Accessibility Assessments for the Tri-Cities - Grant funds were awarded to provide diversity, equity, inclusion, and accessibility (DEIA) training assessments at for-impact organizations throughout Northwest Ottawa County.

GHACF | Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Field of Interest Fund - Grant funds were awarded to officially open the GHACF Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Field of Interest Fund.

Migrant Legal Aid, Inc. | Defending Against Hate Program - Grant funds were awarded to expand the "Defending Against Hate Program" into Ottawa County. The program is designed to protect migrant workers and reduce acts of hate directed toward documented and undocumented immigrants.



Education

ODC Network Summer Connection

When schools let out for the summer, many students experience "summer slide," or a detrimental loss of the learning and skills they acquired during the academic year. In response, **Outdoor Discovery Center (ODC)** engages young people in reading, science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) activities based in nature.

Impact Award

This year, the Foundation awarded a grant to ODC for the ODC Network Summer Connection, which is a nature-based summer education program held in partnership with Grand Haven Area Public Schools and Walden Green Montessori. This program expands on ODC's previous summer pilot program, Project 180, created to address the learning loss experienced by children in Ottawa County due to the impacts of COVID-19.

Moving Forward

ODC seeks to advance relationships between children through shared experiences in nature while providing access to academic support, food security, and parental engagement. ODC also aims to provide a mix of informal and formal learning to help students thrive during the summer. Over 1,000 students participated in Summer Connection at multiple sites in 2022. Fifty educators were trained in nature-based experimental learning. Additionally, ODC employed 25 high school and college students at a living wage rate to help deliver the program.

Following the success of Summer Connection, ODC had the opportunity to apply to the Michigan Department of Education to provide more Out-of-School opportunities to young people in West Michigan.

“My son is enrolled in Lit Camp/Adventure Camp, and it has been the highlight of his summer! Every day he comes home with a new story or a fun fact about something he learned about at camp. He has made new friends and really enjoys his day with all of you. My husband and I love that he is getting outdoors and is having so much fun making new friends! Our son is a very busy kid, and he thrives when he is constantly engaged, which is sometimes a challenge during the summer months, especially when one or both parents have to work.”

Parent of camp participant
ODC Network Summer Connection



Education

Address the barriers preventing students from pursuing post-secondary education opportunities; Improve student access to the necessary academic, social, and emotional resources required to reach their full potential; Support access to and participation in quality preschool programs, particularly those in under-served populations.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

Grand Valley State University | Groundswell Grand Haven Area Partnership - Grant funds were awarded to “Groundswell Grand

Haven Area Partnership” to help continue the K-12 environmental education program, specifically in the Grand Haven Area Public Schools.

\$105,466

Total awarded to Education grants





Economic & Community Betterment

Envisioning Our Future for a Thriving Community

Like many communities, Northwest Ottawa County is facing critical issues that require stakeholders to come together and strategically plan for a shared future that supports a thriving community.

Impact Award

This year, the Foundation awarded a grant to the **Northwest Ottawa Chamber Foundation** for Envisioning Our Future, a six-part breakfast speaker series, which was organized through a partnership between the Chamber of Commerce Grand Haven, Spring Lake, Ferrysburg and the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation. This was a unique opportunity for participants to learn about and discuss the challenges and opportunities at hand.

In addition to residents and community and business leaders, participants included students

serving on the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation Youth Advisory Council.

Speaker Series Presenters and Topics:

- Matt Dunsmoor, Simon Sinek master trainer: *The Infinite Game*
- Justice Richard Bernstein, Michigan Supreme Court Justice: *Inclusion: A Healthy Community Imperative*
- Jennifer S. Vey, Senior Fellow at Brookings Metro: *Transformative Placemaking: Creating Vibrant, Connected, and Inclusive Communities*
- Norm Van Eeden Petersman, Director at Strong Towns: *Breaking Out of the Housing Trap*
- Christine Porath, author of: *Mastering Community: Surprising Ways Coming Together Moves Us from Surviving to Thriving*

The Outcome

Over 250 individuals took part in the series. They engaged in roundtable discussions about their reactions to the presentations and how they could apply the information to their communities. Karen McPhee, leadership coach and strategic planner, facilitated these discussions as well as the final session that focused on identifying tangible ways to move forward.

“The partnership with the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation to bring the Tuesday Forum Series to Northwest Ottawa County has created an amazing beginning to providing a safe space and a process for community dialogue among a diverse group of community members, which is the first step in envisioning our future.”

Joy Gaasch - Former President, The Chamber of Commerce of Grand Haven, Spring Lake, Ferrysburg



\$135,000

Total awarded to Economic & Community Betterment grants

Economic & Community Betterment

Support cooperation among municipalities, especially in the areas of recreation, transportation, as well as consolidated planning; Support the revitalization and beautification of areas of commerce in our region.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

Council of Michigan Foundations | The Governor's Office of Foundation Liaison - Grant funds were awarded to the

“Governor’s Office of Foundation Liaison,” a partnership between the State of Michigan and the Council of Michigan Foundations.



Arts & Culture

Ric VanWeelden Music Fund, Free Friday Night Concert Series

The **Ric VanWeelden Fund** mission is to promote “music everywhere for everyone” by bringing the arts, small businesses, for-impact organizations, and the community together. This grant made it possible to bring the “Grand Haven Free Friday Night Concert Series” to the Lynne Sherwood Waterfront Stadium throughout the summer of 2023.

About the Concert Series

The concert series highlighted talented Michigan musicians representing a variety of musical genres including bluegrass, jazz, country, and rock 'n'roll with six concerts throughout the months of July and August.

Impact Awards

Each concert showcased a business sponsor as well as a for-impact partner. The funds that were raised throughout the summer were dispersed between the following for-impact organizations:

- Harbor Humane Society
- Kenzie's Be Café
- Rett Syndrome Research Trust
- Ric VanWeelden Music Fund
- Tri-Cities Habitat for Humanity
- Tri-Cities Kiwanis Club
- Walk the Beat

“At the Ric VanWeelden Music Fund, our passion is bringing the community together through the power of music. Along with the newly founded Grand Haven Free Fridays, we aimed to bring small businesses, nonprofits, and the community together through music with a FREE concert series for our community and visitors. We are immensely grateful to the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation for their support of the Grand Haven Free Fridays and the Ric VanWeelden Music Fund’s vision of music everywhere, for everyone.”

Cheryl Grove - Executive Director, Ric VanWeelden Music Fund



Arts & Culture

Bring regional and national art and cultural experiences and opportunities to the community; Supports programs that deliver arts and cultural experiences to under-served populations of the community; Support the collaboration and growth of local arts and cultural organizations within the community.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

Muskegon Museum of Art | Shaping the Future: Campaign for Museum Expansion - A closing grant was awarded to the “Shaping the Future: Campaign for Museum Expansion.” This

expansion campaign will create three new galleries, two new classrooms or family activity areas, and more collections storage. This will increase the museum’s capacity to leverage artwork assets and programming for the West Michigan region.



Environment

Promoting Environmental Sustainability with Recycling Projects Throughout West Michigan.

Goodwill of West Michigan is partnering with HydroBlox to recycle plastics that would otherwise go to landfills in the West Michigan area.

How it Works

Plastic goods will be diverted from landfills to be used to create high-value products that will aid in storm water drainage. These manufactured pieces are high-strength, porous, and 100% recycled plastic that both filter and direct the flow of water. The products have been accepted for use in Michigan trails, roads, parking lots, train depots, and other landscaping applications to manage storm water, reduce flooding, and move water to its desired location without burdening drainage systems.

Impact Award

This year, the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation awarded a grant to Goodwill's capital campaign to be used toward the acquisition and development of an 89,000 sq. ft. manufacturing facility.

Moving Forward

Goodwill anticipates starting full production of HydroBlox by mid-year of 2023. Plastics will come from Goodwill donations that cannot be sold (such as unusable laundry baskets, toys, and other materials), which is anticipated to amount to 1.5 million pounds from the region. Ultimately, the program has capacity to process 3 to 9 million pounds of plastic every year.

“We are so grateful for the GHACF and their support of our efforts to address several of our strategic priorities through the launch of a new joint venture with HydroBlox. This project highlights Goodwill’s commitment to our community to not only provide a pathway to meaningful and sustaining work, but to do it through being the best place for the re-use, re-manufacturing, and recycling of unwanted household products and clothing.”

Jeanette Hoyer - CEO,
Goodwill of West Michigan



Environment

Center on the preservation of natural green-space and "smart land use" planning; Address critical water quality issues, including nearshore health, the sustainability of wetlands, and non-source pollutants. Lake Michigan, the Grand River Watershed, Spring Lake, and local creeks and streams are of special concern; Promote environmental sustainability through alternative energy initiatives and recycling projects.

Additional Community Impact Grants:

Michigan's Edge Mountain Biking Association (MEMBA) | Mosquito Creek Trails Expansion - Grant funds were awarded to expand the year-round, multi-use Mosquito Creek Trails and enhance the trailhead parking area.

West Michigan Environmental Action Council Education Foundation (WMEAC) | Environmental Sustainability in

Northern Ottawa County - Grant funds were awarded to support WMEAC's existing environmental and sustainability initiatives in Grand Haven and Northern Ottawa County.

West Michigan Sustainable Business Forum | Advancing a Circular Economy and Sustainable Business in West Michigan - Grant funds were awarded to encourage the development of local, regional, and state sustainability initiatives.

\$190,000
Total awarded to Environment grants



Community Initiatives

The GHACF plays an active role in supporting various community initiatives. The following are highlights from 2022.

GHACF Nationally Recognized with HUD Award

The Council on Foundations, in coordination with The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development, awarded the GHACF with the Secretary’s Award for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships for the Housing Next partnership. The award recognized Housing Next and the partners who have had a hand in its success over the last five years in Ottawa County, as well as the new partnerships that led to the recent expansion of Housing Next as a regional effort. The Secretary’s Award for Public-Philanthropic Partnerships recognizes excellence in partnerships that have both transformed the relationships between the public and philanthropic sectors and led to measurable benefits in housing and community development, including increased economic development, health, safety, education, workforce development, disaster resilience, inclusivity and cultural opportunities, innovative regional approaches, and/or housing access for low- and moderate-income families. Housing Next’s model of focusing on housing supply, housing stability, and housing subsidies with private sector investment in housing supply at every price point was a highlight of the award. The Housing Next partnership was one of seven partnerships recognized with this award in the United States in 2022.

GHACF Participates on American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Committee

Ottawa County received \$57 million through the American Rescue Plan Act to address the economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. Members of the GHACF were chosen to sit on the ARPA Committee, which met regularly over an 18-month period, to help determine where the federal dollars should be distributed. The five areas of highest priority were determined to be county initiatives, countywide

broadband, affordable housing, social/human services, and business stabilization. In partnership with others, the GHACF co-led to identify the most critical affordable housing and social/human service needs. Project applications for ARPA funding were accepted in the summer of 2022. The most transformational projects were elevated to the ARPA Committee and the Ottawa County Board of Commissioners to be considered for approval. Over the next few years, selected awardees will receive project funds pursuant to their individual grant conditions. Some of the awards and initiatives include expanding childcare, workforce development, and affordable housing.

GHACF Invests in Affordable Housing Revolving Loan Fund

The Affordable Housing Revolving Loan Fund was created when Ottawa County committed \$10 million of the ARPA funds to establish the fund in partnership with Housing Next and IFF. The Affordable Housing Revolving Loan Fund is managed by IFF, one of the country’s highest-rated Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFI). The funds will be loaned at low-interest rates to developers committed to building affordable homes targeting median-income households.

The GHACF invested \$1.5 million in the Affordable Housing Revolving Loan Fund to help address the housing need in the county, the third Impact Investment made by the GHACF. In 2021, the GHACF invested an initial \$1.5 million in IFF, focusing on developing and expanding for-impact services in Northwest Ottawa County. The GHACF made a similar investment in 2020 with Michigan Community Capital, which has since completed Robinson Landing, an affordable housing development on Comstock Street in Grand Haven. In total, the GHACF has \$4.5 million invested locally through Impact Investments.

Building the Future Through Scholarships

Thanks to our generous donors, a total of 229 area students received \$656,873 in scholarships in 2022 through the GHACF, ACF, and CACF competitive scholarship program or through funds held by the Foundation. This includes recipients earning a one-time or multi-year award in 2022 as well as renewal installments approved for scholarships awarded in previous years.

348
Student applications received

229
Students awarded a scholarship

\$656,873
Total awarded in scholarships

\$2,868
Average award package
(awards range from \$285-\$10,000)

79%
Of recipients were high school seniors

21%
Of recipients were currently in college

16 Scholarship recipients were awarded a multi-year scholarship

2022 Multi-Year Scholarships


13 | 3
Renewable for 2 years | Renewable for 4 years

80% of first-generation student applicants received scholarships

First-generation students

- Come from a home where neither parent attended college, or their parents attended but didn't earn a bachelor's degree
- Tend to enroll in and complete post-secondary credentials at a lower rate than their peers

25 Students received the next installment of their 2- or 4-year award



“After receiving my scholarships from the community foundation, the storm clouds in my head began to clear and the reality of my life began to settle in... this is what amplifies the importance of your donations. You make our dreams come to fruition. I speak for myself, and for many others when I say that without your support, our paths to success would be far less paved.”

Scholarship Recipient: **Elena Yu** - Scholarship Fund (and donor): Melissa Skiera Myers Scholarship Fund



Empowering Youth

Making a difference in the lives of area youth

The Community Foundation's Youth Advisory Council (YAC) is made up of high school students from all around the area. YAC members meet throughout the year to discuss and assess youth issues prevalent in the community, review grant proposals that benefit youth in the community, and look for opportunities to engage and empower youth in Northwest Ottawa County.

Our History

YAC was established in 1989 thanks to a challenge grant from the W. K. Kellogg Foundation. Since then, hundreds of students have served on YAC, and the Youth Fund has generated over \$3 million in assets. More importantly, since its inception, the program has had the privilege to grant over \$2 million to programs that address relevant, pressing issues that face area youth.

Our Vision: A community where all youth have the resources and opportunities available that allow them to succeed.

Our Mission: We aim to set an example for future generations by giving time, talent, and treasure to actively impact the lives of youth in Northwest Ottawa County.

What We Value:

- Empathy: to understand the needs of the youth in our community.
- Integrity: to make equitable decisions for the youth of our community.
- Collaboration: using innovation and teamwork.
- Open-mindedness: through a passionate and diverse group of youth representatives.

“To me, YAC means opening opportunities for community involvement. YAC teaches students the importance of understanding their community and being involved within it. YAC teaches youth about philanthropy and the nonprofit sector and leads to other opportunities to give back. I am grateful for the opportunities YAC has granted me and I will continue to serve my community for the betterment of its citizens.”

Caroline Henry - YAC 2022-2023 Chair, 2023 Spring Lake High School Graduate



\$100,000
9 Total Grants
awarded by the Youth
Advisory Council



2022 GHACF Youth Fund Grants

Community & Cultural Well-Being

- West Michigan Academy of Arts and Academics | Mural Project
- Tri-Cities Family YMCA | YMCA Michigan Youth in Government for 7th and 8th graders
- Walk the Beat | Repeat the Beat

Mental & Emotional Well-Being

- Camp Blodgett | Mindfulness & Wellbeing in Nature
- Ottawa Area Intermediate School District | Coast Guard Parade Children's Book Giveaway!
- Mosaic Counseling | School Outreach Program
- Grand Haven Area Public Schools | Creating Reading Communities One Day & One Author at a Time

Physical Well-Being

- Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital | Supporting Michigan Children
- City of GH/GH-SL Sewer Authority | East End Basketball Court Improvement

Giving for Impact

It is many individual acts coming together to powerfully and positively impact our community that make a difference. The grants previously featured, and others not included in this report, are the result of ongoing generous community support which helps ensure our local for-impact partners can continue doing their important work.

The funds at the Community Foundation reflect the vast interests of our fund holders and donors. Whether they are donor or committee advised, designated or unrestricted, new or longstanding, endowed or non-endowed, they demonstrate the spirit and generosity of the individuals, families, corporations, and organizations seeking to make a positive impact in our community today, tomorrow, and forever. The following pages tell inspiring stories of our new funds as well as a list of all funds held at the foundation.

Why Give

We believe that philanthropy is unique and personal. We remain focused on, and committed to, listening, learning, and partnering with current and prospective donors, fund holders, and professional advisors to match intent and ensure that each experience is meaningful and impactful. Giving through the foundation doesn't have to be complicated, nor does it require great wealth. A gift of any size is a valuable contribution that will help make positive, lasting change in Northern Ottawa County.

Where to Give

You may give to an existing fund, establish a new fund, establish a recurring gift, leave a bequest and/or give to our greatest needs.

By giving to the Greatest Needs Fund, you enable the Foundation to address our community's most pressing needs and promising opportunities, both now and for generations to come, through competitive grants to local, for-impact partners.

If you're inclined to help the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation with the purchase and necessary renovations to our new building,


please consider giving to the GHACF 6 Sherman Fund. This will allow the Foundation to expand and continue meeting the community's needs as they evolve over time.

What to Give

We facilitate a variety of gifts including cash, stocks, bonds, and mutual funds; closely held stock; real estate; 401K and IRA accounts; life insurance policies; and bequests.

How to Give

To make a one-time or recurring gift, you may:

- **Give online at:** ghacf.org/donate 
- **Mail a check to:** Grand Haven Area Community Foundation at 6 Sherman Ave., Grand Haven, MI 49417

To transfer funds electronically, donate appreciated stock, or arrange for a planned gift, please contact Chris Riker, VP of Advancement & Donor Services or Patty MacDonald, VP of Finance & Administration, for questions or transfer instructions.

All donations are eligible for Federal Income Tax charitable deduction as allowed by charitable tax law. Please consult with your professional advisor with questions regarding a charitable gift.

Types of Funds

\$5,000 minimum to open all funds, except Scholarship funds, which require \$25,000.

201

Organizational Funds*

Provide income streams to support programs and operations at for-impact organizations.

44

Greatest Needs Funds

Enable the GHACF to remain proactive, responsive, and flexible to our community's most critical needs.

94

Designated Funds

Support the mission of 501(c)3 organizations by designating them as beneficiaries of the fund.

42

Field of Interest Funds

Connect personal values to high-impact opportunities. Allow individuals to target gifts addressing area needs.

14

Community Service Funds

Enable collective giving to a singular fund that supports a community project. Typically open 1-3 years.

207

Donor & Corporate Advised Funds

Allow an individual, family, or company to establish a charitable fund. Recommend grants for staff to administer.

137

Scholarship Funds

Invest in the next generation with post-secondary education assistance. Build a foundation for a brighter tomorrow.



GHACF 6 Sherman Fund

The Foundation opened this new fund to accept donations toward the purchase and renovation of our new building. This historic building will allow the Foundation to expand to meet our community's growing needs.

Greatest Needs Funds

Giving to our Greatest Needs Fund, or establishing a Named Greatest Needs Fund, is a wonderful way to enable the Foundation to remain proactive, responsive, and flexible to our community's most critical needs. We remain committed to being an impactful funder, forever.



CACF 30th Anniversary Fund

To celebrate its 30th anniversary, the CACF opened a new Greatest Needs Fund that will allow the Foundation to continue to be responsive to community needs as they evolve over time.



Pat McGinnis Recognition of Service Greatest Needs Fund

A group of donors honored Pat's service as City of Grand Haven City Manager by creating this named Greatest Needs Fund. Distributions from this fund will be used to enhance the wellbeing of our community by enabling the Foundation to remain proactive, responsive, and flexible to our community's most critical needs.

Field of Interest Funds

Field of Interest Funds connect personal values to high-impact opportunities and allow donors to target their gift to address needs in a specific area.



Grand Haven Women's Club Health & Wellness Fund

The Grand Haven Women's Club was dedicated to enhancing the lives of others through volunteer service since 1891. This organization spearheaded the Carnegie Library (now known as Loutit Library) in Grand Haven, donated the stone gateposts to Duncan Woods, and more recently helped provide funds for free mammograms for uninsured women. When the organization disbanded, they started this fund to improve the physical, emotional, and social aspects that alter the quality of life. Preference is given to programs that support women and their families.



Albert & Doris Knuth Memorial Fund for the Environment

Albert & Doris Knuth raised four daughters in Grand Haven (Evelyn, Alice, Charlene, Alberta) and a son (Timothy who passed away shortly after birth). The family wishes to remember their parents' love for the community, its beauty, and natural resources through this Field of Interest Fund to benefit environmental projects.



Lola M. & Harry C. Olsen Field of Interest Fund

This Field of Interest Fund was created through the estate of Lola M. and Harry C. Olsen. This fund will assist and support individuals in need of supportive services; examples may include services for single parent (mother) households, senior citizens, and those without shelter.

Donor & Corporate Advised Funds

Donor and Corporate Advised Funds allow an individual, family, or company to establish a charitable fund with a single gift. Donors may add to the fund with additional gifts at any time and may remain anonymous, if desired. Donors enjoy administrative convenience, cost savings and tax advantages, and gain access to the expertise of the Foundation's staff. Once the fund is established, donors recommend grants and the Foundation's staff does all the work of administering the grants.



Howie & Tammy Bailey Fund

Supporting youth sports is important to Howie and Tammy Bailey as sports have played an integral part in their lives. With support from local coaches and teams, Howie spent several years playing professional baseball while Tammy was competing in equestrian events. They met at a skeet shooting competition at a local Gun Club. Combining their love of sports with love of community is made possible through their Donor Advised Fund.



Richard A. & Gay Leppink Cole Family Fund

Richard and Gay Leppink Cole have been active supporters of the community and the Grand Haven Area Community Foundation for many years. This past year, Richard and Gay opened a new donor advised fund to assist them with charitable giving to the causes personal to them and their family. This new fund will help maximize their charitable impact.



Stasiak Family Fund

Ed and Patricia Stasiak opened The Stasiak Family Fund this past year. This new donor advised fund will assist the Stasiak Family with their charitable giving and allow them to direct grants to qualifying programs and organizations that are personal to them.



Arlyn J. & Kathy K. Walt Donor Advised Fund

This donor advised fund was inspired by the life Arlyn Walt lived and the love he gave to his family, land, and community. A third-generation dairy farmer, Arlyn was known for his kindness and generosity. Wanting to continue with this generous spirit, Kathy designed a donor advised fund to honor the memory of Arlyn and his passion for farming, along with their love for the Coopersville Community. This will provide an opportunity for Kathy to give generously to a variety of organizations and programs in his honor.

Organizational Funds

Organizational Funds provide income streams to support programs and operations at for-impact organizations. Organizational funds can be a simple and effective way to create long-term financial sustainability. The Foundation holds and invests the assets, providing professional fund management.



Linear Park Sculpture Park Designated Fund

This fund was started with a generous donation from a local community member to improve Linear Park. Distributions from this non-endowed designated fund shall be for the purpose of improvements to and maintenance of sculptures and art in the park.



Midwest Miniature Museum Non-Endowed Fund

The Midwest Miniatures Museum is dedicated to preserving and presenting artisan miniatures in a quality environment. They strive to provide the very best experience to each and every guest and to contribute to an inclusive community experience. The organization opened this non-endowed fund as an additional way to support their programs and operations.



ODC Network Non-Endowed Fund

The creation of this organizational fund will allow the Outdoor Discovery Center (ODC) Network to continue advancing outdoor education and conservation in West Michigan. The ODC Network has experienced tremendous growth over the last few years and, like all successful for-impact organizations, requires a variety of funding streams. This fund will contribute to supporting their mission.

Designated Funds

Designated Funds support the mission of 501(c)3 organizations by designating them as the beneficiaries of the fund. Designated Funds provide a steady, long-term source of income for one or more for-impact or community initiative. Almost any 501(c)3 organization may be designated to receive support for its mission.



The Patterson Family Foundation Fund

Pearl E. Patterson established a Designated Fund through a legacy gift to support United Methodist Church of the Dunes. Pearl committed herself to our community in a variety of ways. She cared for the community through her church's activities as well as through the Red Cross. Her attention to the health of our community extended into the natural world, through Pearl's great love and concern for nature and animals. She was also a Girl Scout and Boy Scout leader.

Community Service Funds

Community Service Funds are typically short-term funds that enable collective giving to a singular fund that supports a community project. These funds are not invested to avoid any risk of market loss/decline.



Musical Fountain Project Fund

This Community Service Fund was created by the City of Grand Haven along with the Friends of the Musical Fountain for the purpose of raising funds for preserving, restoring, enhancing, promoting, and caring for the Musical Fountain in Grand Haven.



Midwest Miniature Museum Community Service Fund

In late 2019, the Midwest Miniatures Museum relocated to Grand Haven. The museum opened this community service fund to hold funds for their capital campaign. The museum is planning to include the installation of an elevator and an additional stairwell to accommodate all four floors of the structure. This will allow for more exhibit space on the second floor, as well as meeting and office areas on the third floor. Eventually, classrooms and a maker space will be added in the lower level. When complete, the Robbins House will more fully meet the museum's ability to exhibit and expand the Collection, as well as coordinate educational outreach projects and community partnerships.

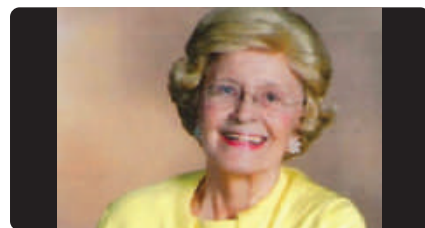


Spring Lake District Library Renovation Fund

This community service fund holds donations for the Spring Lake District Library Refresh Project. This project will transform the children's section into a flexible space to inspire imagination and creativity; create more quiet and private spaces for solo work, group work, and smaller meetings; and reorient the front desk so staff can easily welcome patrons as they come in.

Scholarship Funds

Scholarship Funds make educational dreams come true. When you invest in the next generation with post-secondary education assistance through scholarships, you're building a foundation for a brighter tomorrow.



Lola M. & Harry C. Olsen Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was started with an estate gift from Lola M. and Harry C. Olsen. This fund will benefit a Northwest Ottawa County High School Senior with preferential consideration given to students who are furthering their education at a school with a religious affiliation and which places special emphasis on instilling fundamental values in their students.



Connie Van Schelven Memorial Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was lovingly started by the friends and family of Connie Van Schelven, a lifetime resident and longtime educator in Grand Haven who passed away in September 2022. This fund will support students graduating from Grand Haven Area Public Schools planning to attend an accredited four-year college, junior college, community college, and/or professional/vocational school. Preference is given to those demonstrating financial need and will recognize the accomplishments of students who have displayed strength and perseverance to overcome academic, personal, or financial challenges to graduate. Academic excellence is not a requirement. Recipients demonstrate both the tenacity to better themselves and a commitment to succeed in life when given appropriate opportunities and support.



Arlyn J. Walt Memorial Scholarship Fund

Kathy Walt opened the Arlyn J. Walt Memorial Scholarship Fund in honor of her late husband. This scholarship supports a student from the Coopersville area studying agriculture. Arlyn and Kathy, along with their children, April and Sybrant, graduated from Coopersville High School. While in high school, Arlyn was active in the Future Farmers of America (FFA). Arlyn was a third-generation dairy farmer who worked hard, a husband who loved his wife and children, and a good neighbor – always willing to help a friend. He was known for his kindness and generosity, his love for God, and his passion for the farm. Arlyn was a member of the Farm Bureau and active in the Michigan Milk Producers Association. With this scholarship, Kathy hopes to continue Arlyn's legacy and to inspire generations of future farmers to pursue their dream of working in agriculture.



Westra Bye Memorial & Art Educators Scholarship Fund

The Westra Bye Memorial Art Foundation was founded in memory of Donna Westra and Robin Bye, two Grand Haven High School Art teachers beloved by their students and colleagues. This organization, established in 2019 by a volunteer board of art educators and community members, has historically provided financial and educational support for Grand Haven Area Public School students who are pursuing a post-secondary Visual Arts education at an accredited college or university.



Greatest Needs Funds

Thomas & MaryKay Alguire Family Fund
 Allendale Greatest Needs Fund
 Janet & Ruth Beukema Fund
 BR Fund
 Janice Carducci Fund
 Andy & Joyce Cawthon Greatest Needs Fund
Coopersville Anniversary Fund
 Coopersville Community Action Fund
 William & Mary Creason Greatest Needs Fund
 David & Carol DeBlaey Fund
 Nancy Dornbos Rhem Fund
 Howard Dykhouse Fund
 Dr. Edgar & Gretchen Garrison Family Fund
 GHACF 40th Anniversary Greatest Needs Fund
 GHACF 50th Anniversary Greatest Needs Fund
 Greatest Needs Fund
 John P. Harvey Fund
 Kent M. & Freida Hastings Fund
 Doris V. Johnson Fund
 F. Martin Johnson Greatest Needs Fund
 Ausma Lanka Fund
 Amy Lantz Memorial Fund
 Lee Family Fund
 Paul & Minnie Luytjes Fund
Pat McGinnis Recognition of Service Greatest Needs Fund
 Garry L. & Jean Fisher Mesler Family Fund
 Dorothy Mixer Unrestricted Fund
 Henry Neitring Fund
 Dr. Larry Poel Greatest Needs Fund
 Judge Jacob & Betty Ponstein Fund
 Fred Riplo Family Fund
 Eugene "Gene" Rothi Community Fund
 Dr. Harold Sheridan Fund
 B. P. Sherwood, Jr. Trust Fund
 Lynne Sherwood Fund
 Marion A & Ruth K Sherwood Greatest Needs Fund
 Marion A. Sherwood Family Fund
 Ann Tabor Greatest Needs Fund
 James & Mary Teitsma Fund
 Robert W. & Mary Ellen Thomas Family Fund
 Kenneth & Audrey VanBeukering Fund
 LJ Midge Verplank Greatest Needs Non-Endowed Fund
 Ward W. & Jean M. Verseput Fund
 Robert P. & Annette Fisher Whitney Fund

Field of Interest Funds

Edith Mae & William Alt Family Fund
 Richard E & Eleanor Carlson Babcock Memorial Fund
 Emilie Baker Fund for the Environment
 William T. & Shirley A. Baker Family Fund
 College Access Endowed Fund
 Youth Fund of the Coopersville Area Foundation
 Dr. Elizabeth Curtis Dental Fund for Children in Need
 Elmer "Lou" Dense Fund
 Elizabeth Davison Kammeraad Dobbie Fund for History
 Alyce R. Erickson Field of Interest Fund
 Farmland Preserve Fund
 Friends of Kandu Endowment Fund
 GHACF
 GHACF Arts Fund
 GHACF Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Fund
 GHACF Environment Fund
 GHACF Family & Children Fund
 Technical Assistance Fund
 Youth Fund
Grand Haven Women's Club Health & Wellness Fund
 Gene & Sally Harbeck Fund
 Healthy Seniors Healthy Youth Endowment Fund
 Jerovsek Family Fund
Albert & Doris Knuth Memorial Fund for the Environment
 L.E.T. (Love, Enjoy, Teach) Fund
 Craig Looman Fund
 Fletcher Meekhof Food Fund
 William H. Young & Dorothy Young Mixer Field of Interest Fund
 North Bank Communities Fund
 North Ottawa Area Community Coalition Fund
Lola M & Harry C Olsen Field of Interest Fund
 Marie & Lloyd O'Neal Family Fund for Music
 Reichardt Family Endowment Fund
 Fluor Schwartz Memorial Fund
 Helene D. & Bernath P. Sherwood, Jr. Fund
 Mary Ann Sherwood Families & Children Field of Interest Fund
 Tree Replacement Fund
 Tri-Cities Chautauqua Field of Interest Fund
 Tuesday Musicale Scholarship Fund
 United Way Fund for Human Services
 Wayne VanAgtmael Field of Interest Fund
 Mary Vivian Fund for the Arts
 Cornelia B. Wagner & Ruth B. Hoek Fund
 Margaret Lynn Wilson Fund
 Zenko Family Field of Interest Fund

Donor & Corporate Advised Funds

Abbit Management Corp Fund
 C. Bennett Ainsworth Fund
 Alt, Jonas & Mercurio Family Fund
 Amberger Family Fund
 Cynthia & Donald Anderson Fund
 Len & Wanda Anderson Family Fund
 @HomeRealty Foundation Fund
 Baas Family Fund
 George M. Bailey Donor Advised Fund
Howie & Tammy Bailey Fund
 Chris & Melissa Baker Fund
 Douglas & Katharine Baker Family Fund
 Pearl Bandstra Fund
 Barker Family Fund
 Paul C. & Carol C. Bedient Family Fund
 Betten Baker Fund
 Betten Preferred Auto Group Fund
 Susan A Bissell Memorial Fund for the Arts
 BizStream Community Fund
 Boer Family Fund
 Carolyn Boersma Fund
 Boezaart Family Fund
 David C. & Gail L. Bos Family Fund
 Jake Bouman Memorial Fund
 Mackenzie Boyd Fund
 Barbara Boyer Fund
 Scott & Jennifer Breen Family Foundation
 Richard & Patricia Briegel Family Fund
 Budd & Melinda Brink Family Fund
 Fred C. Bruhn Donor Advised Fund
 Brusveen Chiropractic Center Charitable Fund
 John G. & Claire E. Bryson Family Music Fund
 Robert & Virginia Burnside Family Fund
 Robert L. Bytwerk Family Fund
 Kevin Carbary-Carol Alexander Fund
 The Coopersville Robert J. & Betty L. Casemier Family Fund
 The Grand Haven Robert J. & Betty L. Casemier Family Fund
 Daniel P. Cherette Memorial Fund
 Denny & Grace Cherette Family Fund
 Chris-Tina Fund
 Clayton Family Fund
 John & JoAnne Clickner Family Fund
 Bob Constant Athletic Memorial Fund
 Mike Cook Fund for Fun in Education
 Coopersville Area Public Schools Science Program Fund
 Coopersville High School Class of 1973 Fund
 Carol & Ken Councilor Memorial Family Fund
 Crane Family Fund
 Kennard & Wendy Creason Family Fund

Alex Crum Memorial Sports Fund
 Doug & Lynnda De Vries Family Fund
 Scott E. DeBoer Memorial Fund
 Howard & Louise Dekker Family Fund
 Dale & Elizabeth Deppe Family Fund
 Jeremy & Daniela Deppe Family Fund
 Detter/Walcott Early Childhood Education Fund
 Keith & Mary DeWitt Family Fund
 Mark & Denise DeWys Family Fund
 The Diva Fund
 The Dornbush Family Fund
 James A. Doss Family Fund
 N. Kay Doss Memorial Fund
 Howard & Wilma Draft Family Fund
 Eagin Family Fund
 B. John & Jennifer Essex Family Fund
 William J. Fettis & Dawn M. Dupont Family Fund
 Mark & Debra Feyen Fund
 FISH Fund
 Fleming & LaTorre Family Fund
 Louis P. & Sharon F. Fracalossi Family Fund
 Fredricks Family Fund
 Friends of the Coopersville Library Fund
 Gage Family Fund
 Gahsman Family Memorial Fund
 Grand Haven Area Jaycees Fund
 Grandma Glo, TJ, Skylee & Cody Family Fund
 Edward J. & Nancy R. Hanenburg Family Fund
 Nancy Riekse Hanenburg Field of Interest Fund
 Kenneth D. & Janet A. Harestad Family Fund
 James & Catherine Haveman Family Foundation
 Douglas & Sharlene Hekman Family Fund
 John & Meghan Heritage Family Fund
 Holtrop-Tubbergen-Holtrop Family Fund
 Julia Houle Advised Fund
 James & Debra Hovinga Family Fund
 Sandy Huber Fund
 Richard G. & Patricia R. Huff Children's Support Fund
 Mike & Jane Hutchins Family Fund
 George A. & Sherry A. Jackoboice Family Fund
 James & Sally Jacobs Fund
 Alvin E. & Mary C. Jacobson Family Fund
 David & Nancy Bird Jacobson Family Fund
 Nelson C. & Lana Jacobson Fund
 F. Martin & Dorothy A. Johnson Family Fund
 Holly & Erick Johnson Family Fund
 Johnson Rechner Family Fund
 Paul A. & Charlotte A. Johnson Family Fund
 JSJ Foundation Fund

Todd & Amy Kamps Family Fund
 Brian & Nancy Kamstra Family Fund
 Kar Family Fund
 Keeton Family Fund
 Mikel Allen Kelley Memorial Fund
 Sanford & Kristine Kelley Family Fund
 Phil & Jane King Family Fund
 David J. & Sandra J. Klaassen Fund
 Komray Family Fund
 James E & Mary B Koster Fund
 Jim & Candy Kraker Family Fund
 Stella Kruiuzenga Fund for Women
 Lahey Family Fund
 Craig L & Dianne H LeMieux Fund
 Robert & Karen Lemmen Family Fund
Richard A. & Gay Leppink Cole Family Fund
 Hung & Elsie Liang Fund for Music
 Light Corp Foundation Fund
 Faith Marie Losee Fund
 The Loutit Foundation
 Anil K. & Shanthi R. Mandala Fund
 Mandy's Promise Fund
 Debra & Robert Mann Family Fund
 MaryLou (Witherell) Matzen Alzheimer's Advocacy Fund
 McKeough Family Fund
 Larry & Anne McLaughlin Fund
 Nate & Kristin Meldrim Family Fund
 Robert Jacobson & Donnell Snite Mersereau Fund
 Jack & Marj Meyer Family Fund
 Kyle Moreland Memorial Fund
 Phyllis & Darell Moreland Family Fund
 Peter & Sheila Murdoch Donor Advised Fund
 North Ottawa Wellness Foundation
 Bonnie Olson Memorial Fund
 Ted & Vicki Parker Family Fund
 Richard O. & Elizabeth A. Peel Family Fund
 Sherrian A. & Thomas C. Pegg Family Fund
 Pliant Plastics Foundation Fund
 Larry Poel Fund
 Craig & Coreen Porter Family Fund
 Garrod S Post & Robert A Hill Fund
 Ted & Shirley Poulton Family Fund
 Quigg Family Advised Fund
 Robert H. & Andrea G. Rander Fund
 Scott & Julie Reenders Family Fund
 Milt & Judy Reeths Fund
 Evan & Lois Reinders Fund
 Thomas & Gail Ringelberg Family Fund
 Dr. M. Gary & Pennie L. Robertson Family Fund
 Norah Lane Roelofs Memorial Fund
 Rotary Club of Allendale Fund
 Coopersville Rotary Club Community Action Fund

Coopersville Rotary Club Field of Interest Fund
 Grand Haven Rotary Fund
 Spring Lake Rotary Field of Interest Endowment Fund
 Lloyd S. & Marlene Rotz Family Fund
 Sylvia & Ron Russett Family Fund
 John & Marie Rycenga Family Fund
 Jonas Saunders Family Fund
 James C. & Rosena A. Sawyer Fund
 Dan & Carol Sedlock Family Fund
 Dave & Dottie Seibold Fund
 Shape Corp. Fund
 Barbara & Miller Sherwood Family Advised Fund
 Marilyn W. & B. P. Sherwood III Family Fund
 Linda Shores & Michael Snodgrass Fund
 Sietsema Family Fund
 Donald & Dorothy Sikkema Fund
 Slagel Family Fund
 Slater Family Donor Advised Fund
 Paul K. & Marlene A. Spoelman Family Fund
 Spring Meadow Fund
 R. Neal Stanton & Grace F. Stanton Fund
Stasiak Family Fund
 Steffel Family Fund
 Dr Alan D Steinman Fund for the Environment
 Sen. Leon E. & Dzintra D. Stille Family Fund
 Dee & David Stokes Family Fund
 Steven K. & Elizabeth M. Swanson Directed Fund
 Dan & Ann Tabor Fund
 Ted V John Charitable Fund
 Kenneth D. & Mary L. Terpstra Family Fund
 Theune Family Fund
 Tri-Cities Kiwanis Club Fund
 J. Patrick Twa Memorial Fund
 The William F. O'Connor Foundation, Joanne Unkovskoy, Trustee
 VanAndel Family Fund
 John & Elaine Vander Kooi Family Fund
 Roger & Lois Vander Meulen Family Fund
 VanWoerkom Family Fund
 Anthony & Monica Verplank Thriving Communities Fund
 Gary & Victoria Verplank Fund for Spring Lake Water Quality
 Kyle & Samantha Verplank Family Fund
 Verplank Donor Advised Fund
 Victoria Verplank Fund for Spring Lake Village Trees
 Waanders Family Fund
 Thomas A. & Caryle R. Wagasky Fund
 Robert & Deborah Wagenmaker Family Fund

David H. & Patricia H. Walborn Fund
 Wallinga Family Fresh Start Fund
Arlyn J. & Kathy K. Walt Donor Advised Fund
 Robert & Jillayne Warners Family Fund
 Weber Family Fund
 West Michigan Nursery & Landscape
 Association Horticultural Education Fund
 Curt & Terri Whiting Family Fund
 Whiting - Bolthouse Family Advised Fund
 Nancy & Warren Wildeman Fund
 James & Diana Wright Fund
 James & Louise Zevalkink Fund

Organizational Funds

ABC Coalition Fund

Allendale Charter Township
 Allendale Charter Township Parks &
 Recreation Fund
 Veteran's Memorial Fund

Allendale Christian School Endowment Fund
 Allendale Historical Society
 Endowment Fund
 Allendale Public School Foundation Fund
 Allendale Township Library
 Endowment Fund

American Red Cross, Ottawa County
 Doris Ewing Red Cross Disaster
 Relief Fund
 American Red Cross Founding Fund
 American Red Cross of Ottawa
 County Fund

Bluebird Cancer Retreats
 Bluebird Cancer Retreats Fund
 Cynthia Collinge-Golab Volunteer
 Support Fund
 Rosemarie Konopa Cancer Retreat
 Program Fund

Borculo Christian School Education
 Foundation Fund

C3/Exchange
 C3 West Michigan Inclusive Spiritual
 Connection Designated Non-
 Endowed Fund
 C3 West Michigan Inclusive Spiritual
 Connection Endowment Fund
 C3 West Michigan Inclusive Spiritual
 Connect Memorial Fund

Camp Sunshine Endowed Fund
 Casa de Esperanza Ministries
 Non-Endowed Fund
 Central Park Players Endowment Fund

Chester Township Recreation Fund
 Children's Advocacy Center
 Endowment Fund
 Christian Haven Home Fund
 Church of the Saviour Fund

City of Coopersville
 Coopersville Area Historical Museum
 Building Fund
 Coopersville Area Historical
 Museum Fund
 Michael's Gift
 Roundabout Non-Endowed Fund

City of Ferrysburg
 Kitchel-Lindquist-Hartger Dunes Fund
 Kitchel-Lindquist-Hartger Dunes
 Endowment Fund

City of Grand Haven
 4th of July Fireworks Fund
 Grand Haven Memorial Airport Immediate
 Needs Fund

City of Grand Haven Asset Protection Fund
 Grand Haven Boardwalk 25th
 Anniversary Fund
 Boardwalk Maintenance Endowed Fund
 Catwalk Maintenance Fund
 City of Grand Haven Cemetery Perpetual
 Care Fund

Grand Haven Central Park Fountain
 Endowed Fund
 Duncan Park Fund
 Officer Scott A. Flahive Memorial Fund
 Imagination Station Maintenance Fund
 Grand Haven Lighthouse Fund

Linear Park Sculpture Park Fund
 Mulligans Hollow Ski Bowl Capital
 Improvement Fund

City of Grand Haven Musical
 Fountain Fund
 Pier Safety Fund
 Public Artifact Preservation
 Endowed Fund

Public Artifact Preservation
 Non-Endowed Fund
 Grand Haven Public Safety Beach
 Safety Fund
 City of Grand Haven Snowmelt
 Preservation Fund
 Grand Haven Rotary Splash Park Fund
 Coal Tipple Restoration Fund
 City of Grand Haven Waterfront Stadium
 Improvement Fund

Coast Guard Festival, Inc.
 Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival
 Fireworks Fund

Coast Guard Festival Fireworks
 Forever Fund
 Midge Verplank Coast Guard
 Fireworks Fund

Coopersville Area District Library
 Coopersville Area District Library
 Memorial Fund
 Robert & Judy VanDongen Fund
 Westrate Children's Library
 Endowment Fund

Coopersville Area Public Schools
 Coopersville Area Public Schools
 Athletic Fund
 Coopersville Education Fund
 Coopersville Area Public Schools
 Performing Arts Center Endowment
 Fund
 Coopersville Area Public Schools
 Community Trails & Outdoor Learning
 Center Fund

Coopersville Cares Endowment Fund
 Coopersville Farm Museum, Inc. Fund
 FFA Agricultural Education &
 Leadership Fund
 Coopersville Reformed Church Fund
 Covenant Life Church Endowed Fund
 Crockery Township Fire Department
 Endowment Fund

Family LIFE Center of West Michigan Fund
 First Presbyterian Church of Grand Haven
 Memorial Mission Fund
 Omega Fund

Four Pointes Center for Successful Aging
 Janet R Briegel Non-Endowed Fund for
 Four Pointes
 Four Pointes Endowed Fund
 Four Pointes Non-Endowed Fund
 Gail Ringelberg Special Needs Fund for
 Four Pointes

Girl Scouts of Michigan Shore to Shore
 Endowment Fund
 Gracious Grounds Endowment Fund

Grand Haven Area Public Schools
 Grand Haven High School Choir
 Endowment Fund
 Grand Haven Area Public Schools
 Orchestra Endowment Fund
 Jan Rempinski Memorial Scholarship Fund
 for Vocal Music
 Eugene "Gene" Rothi Memorial Athletic
 Endowment Fund

Grand Haven Christian School

Richard & Rosemary Geertsma
 Fund for GHCS
 James & Wendy Onderlinde Family
 Fund for GHCS
 Grand Haven Christian School Endowed
 Technology Fund
 Kirsten Terborg Tuition Assistance
 Memorial Fund
 Grand Haven Christian School Tuition
 Assistance Fund

Grand Haven DDA 7th Street Coast Guard
 Boat Fund

First Christian Reformed Church of Grand
 Haven
 Grand Haven First Christian Reformed
 Church
 Grand Haven First Christian Reformed
 Church Non-Endowed Fund

Grand Haven Schools Foundation
 Endowment Fund

Greater Ottawa County United Way, Inc.
 Lakeshore Housing Alliance Homelessness
 Prevention Endowment Fund
 Volunteer Center Designated Fund
 Volunteer Center Endowment Fund

Harbor Humane Society Endowment Fund
 Homeless Prevention Partners (Soup for All)
 Endowment Fund

Humanity for Prisoners
 Humanity for Prisoners Endowment Fund
 Humanity for Prisoners Legacy Fund

International Aid Endowment Fund
 Lakeshore Baptist Church Fund
 Lakeshore Ethnic Diversity Alliance
 Endowment Fund
 Lamont Christian School Foundation Fund
 Land Conservancy of West Michigan Fund

Loutit District Library
 Loutit District Library Endowment Fund
 Loutit District Library Non-Endowed Fund

Love In Action
 LOVE in Action of the Tri-Cities
 Endowment Fund
 Love in Action Tri-Cities Non-
 Endowed Fund

Paul & Minnie Luytjes Fund for Second
 Reformed Church

Michigan Aviation Education Foundation
 Michigan Aviation Education Fund
 Michigan Aviation Education Foundation
 Fontana Fund

Midwest Miniature Museum Non-Endowed Fund

Muskegon Museum of Art
 Muskegon Museum of Art Capital
 Campaign Fund
 Muskegon Museum of Art
 Endowment Fund

North East Ottawa Firefighters
 Collaborative Fund
 North Ottawa Amateur Radio Club
 North Ottawa Recreational Authority - Chris
 Christiansen Youth Scholarship Fund

Ottawa Area Intermediate School District
 Challenge of Children Fund
 OAISD Roerink Visual & Hearing Impaired
 OAISD Special Education Fund

Silent Observer Fund

Ottawa County Department of Public Health
 Miles of Smiles Endowment Fund

Ottawa County Parks & Recreation
 Department
 Ottawa County Parks Nature Education
 Center Endowment Fund
 Ray & Alma Statema Park
 Stewardship Fund

Ottawa County Parks Foundation Fund
ODC Network Non-Endowed Fund
 People Center Endowment Fund
 Kenneth Ranta Fund for The Little Red House
 Reach for Recovery Endowment Fund
 R.E.A.D. Endowment Fund
 Reel Perspectives Fund

Remembrance Reformed Church
 Remembrance Church Endowment Fund
 Remembrance Church Non-
 Endowed Fund

Resilience: Advocates for Ending
 Violence Fund
 Senior Resources of West Michigan
 Endowed Fund
 Mary Ann Sherwood Fund for Mosaic
 Counseling

Ski Bowl
 Ski Bowl Designated Endowment Fund
 Ski Bowl Immediate Needs Fund

Spring Lake Christian Reformed Church
 Endowment Fund

Spring Lake District Library
 Endowment Fund
 SLJGA Fund

Spring Lake Junior Sailing Association

Spring Lake Junior Sailing Association
 Endowed Fund
 Spring Lake Junior Sailing Association
 Immediate Needs Fund

Spring Lake Presbyterian Church Memorial
 Trust Fund

Spring Lake Public Schools Foundation
 Spring Lake Schools Foundation Fund
 Carol Martin Fund for Spring Lake Schools
 Foundation

Spring Lake Township Parks &
 Recreation Fund

STRIVE Designated Endowment Fund
 Tri-Cities Area Habitat for Humanity
 Endowment Fund

Tri-Cities Family YMCA
 Tri-Cities Family YMCA Endowment Fund
 Pete Hill Fund for Y Kids

Tri-Cities Historical Museum
 Drake-Middlemist Heritage Fund
 Tri-Cities Historical Museum Fund
 Tri-Cities Historical Museum Non-
 Endowed Fund

Tri-Cities Strikers Soccer Club
 Endowment Fund

Trinity Health Grand Haven
 Karin Fowler Pastoral Care Training Fund
 Mary's Wish Hospice Fund
 Samuel L. Westerman Nursing Education
 Fund

United Methodist Church of Coopersville
 Memorial Fund
 Summer Concert Series Endowment Fund
 Walden Green Montessori Endowment Fund
 West Michigan Academy for Arts &
 Academics Endowment Fund
 West Michigan Agricultural Education
 Center Fund
 West Michigan Symphony Endowment Fund
 Wetland Watch Environmental
 Education Fund
 Wright Tallmadge Firefighters
 Association Fund

Designated Funds

Allendale Christian School Tuition
 Assistance Fund
 Allendale Lifelong Learners Fund
 Janet C. Beukema Fund for Hospice
 Boomgaard Fund for Seniors

Dan Burt Designated Fund	Mosaic Counseling Fund for Children and Their Families
City of Coopersville Coopersville Old Kids Fund City of Coopersville Recreation Fund	George & Nadaire Pardee Fund The Patterson Family Foundation Fund Clarence & Bernice Piersma Endowment Fund Vernon Poest & Roberta Gnerich Poest Designated Fund Ellna Rotman Camp Fund Lloyd & Marlene Rotz Designated Fund Sheridan Park Fund Lynne Sherwood Fund for Greater Ottawa County United Way Roy L. & Karen L. Shields, Jr. Fund for St. John's Lutheran Church
City of Grand Haven City of Grand Haven Memorial Airport Fund Robert & Janice Sluka Fund	Spread the Music Foundation Fund Spring Lake Christian Reformed Church Mission Endowment Fund
Coopersville Area Public Schools Doug Corradini Spirit of #40 Fund Casey Lemieux Fund O'Neill Family Fund	Spring Lake District Library Spring Lake District Library Outdoor Beautification Fund Spring Lake District Library Restricted Endowment Fund
Thomas N. Cooper Designated Fund Russell H. & Beatrice A. Dornbos Fund Mark & Lauri Douglas Community Arts Fund Arno & Judith L. Driedger Fund	Spring Lake Public Schools Martin-Beverley-Todd Bomers Memorial Band Fund Martin-Beverley-Todd Bomers Memorial Fitness & Aquatic Center Fund Needham Teacher Grant Fund
First Presbyterian Church of Grand Haven Alpha Fund Carol & Winfield Hall Fund for Music	St. John's Episcopal St. John's Episcopal Church Altar Guild Fund Hill Family Children's Christian Education Fund
Scott Fredricks Fund Friends of the Foundation Fund E. Selena Gerig & John J. Gerig Fund Ruth Wierenga Ghana Fund Victor Gouveia Memorial Fund	Marian R. Stevens Fund Struyk Up the Band Fund Harlind Throop Memorial Christmas Fund
Grand Haven Area Public Schools Janet R. Briegel Designated Fund Patrick Byrne Memorial Fund Grand Haven Class of 1953 Fund Alex Crum Memorial Fund Dykstra Family Music Fund Ronny Kemink Pay to Play Fund Judy Corcoran Porath Memorial Fund Coach David Prout Soccer Excellence Award Fund Cindy Schember "I Love to Read" Endowment Fund Science Olympiad Programs of Grand Haven Area Public Schools Fund	Trinity Health Grand Haven Dr. Larry Poel Sports Medicine Fund Samuel L. Westerman Sunshine Fund
Norma V. Green Memorial Art Award Coral & Peter Hanenburg Memorial Fund Chuck & Olga Hennesen Fund Olga A. & Charles J. Hennesen Family Fund Edward & Florence Huizenga Fund Jocki Klischan Fund Keith & Bernice Lamkin Fund Norm & Meg LeMieux Designated Fund The Robert & Karen Lemmen Children's Fund Love J. P. Fund Robert M & Joyce M Lynas Designated Fund	Donald & Elaine Twiss Fund Bill & Nanci Tysman Designated Fund Mary "Meime" vandenBerg Fund David A. West Spirit of the Band Award Fund Donald & Monica Zahm Memorial Fund Jean H. Zukowski Designated Fund
Mosaic Counseling Mosaic Counseling Fund	

Community Service Funds

Allendale Trail Fund
Allendale Township Fitness Court
Coopersville Cares Capital Campaign Fund
City of Ferrysburg Fire Barn Park Fund

City of Grand Haven
Grand Haven Lighthouse Rehabilitation Fund
Musical Fountain Project Fund
Grand Haven Waterfront Stadium Fund

Grand Haven Area Public Schools Mental Health Fund
Grand Haven DDA Art Walk Community Service Fund
Midwest Miniature Museum Community Service Fund
South Evergreen School Fund
Spring Lake District Library Renovation Fund

Village of Spring Lake
Village of Spring Lake Art in the Park Fund
Central Park Improvement Fund
Tanglefoot Park Fund

West Michigan Symphony Campaign Fund

Scholarship Funds

Allendale Chamber of Commerce Scholarship Award Fund
Allendale Community Foundation Scholarship Fund
Jack Feldt Ambucs Memorial Fund
Athena Scholarship Fund
Lindsey Bakale Memorial Scholarship Fund
Ray & Sue Barrett Scholarship Fund
Charles (Charlie) A. Bassett Endowed Scholarship Fund
Richard & Annette Bethke Education Fund
George Bitner Scholarship Fund
Martin, Beverley, & Todd Bomers Memorial Scholarship Fund
Chris Bradley Endowed Memorial Scholarship Fund
Janet R. Briegel Scholarship Fund
Dr. Fredrick B Brown Fund
James W. Jr. & Jane T. Brown Fund
Jack & Libby Bush Scholarship Fund
Ronald C. Bush Memorial Scholarship Fund
David & Mary Jo Busman Family Scholarship Fund
Careerline Tech Center Paraprofessional Scholarship Fund
Staci Cheadle Memorial Scholarship Fund
Geri Coccodrilli Culinary Scholarship Fund
Coopersville Scholarship Fund
Craig Councilor & Valerie Guttowsky Scholarship Fund
Alex Crum Scholarship Fund

Dake Community Manufacturing Scholarship Fund
David & Carol DeBlaey Scholarship Fund
Detter Family Foundation Education Scholarship Fund
Detter Family Foundation Leaders in Mathematics & Science Scholarship Fund
Ken & Barb DeWitt Scholarship Fund
David Day Eppelheimer Fund
Erickson Education Fund
Kevin Ernst Memorial Scholarship Fund
Wallace K & Jane Ewing Scholarship Fund
Bertha M. Fase Memorial Scholarship Fund
Scott A. Flahive Memorial Scholarship Fund
Floto-Peel Family Fund
Kenneth & Janis Formsma ESL Scholarship Fund
John L. & Victory E. Frantz Scholarship Fund
Friends of Loutit District Library Scholarship Fund
Fugazzotto Scholarship Fund for Visual Arts Students
Wilma Jean Fyneweaver Nursing Scholarship Fund
Gauthier Family Fund
GHACF Scholarship Fund
Tom Gifford Scholarship Fund
Grand Haven Offshore Challenge Scholarship Fund
Grand Haven Rotary / Lynne Sherwood STRIVE Scholarship
Barbara & Nicole Heacox Foreign Study & Travel Fund
S. J. Hecksel Memorial Scholarship Fund
Marjorie M. Hendricks Environmental Education Fund
Michael Herman Scholarship Fund
Hierholzer-Fojtik Scholarship Fund
J. R. Hilliard Memorial Scholarship Fund
Vernon J. & Shirley M. Hipwell Family Music Scholarship Fund
Hoffman Family Scholarship Fund
Hofma Scholarship Fund
Dale Janke Scholarship Fund
Seth Koehler Central High School Fund
Paul J. Laninga Memorial Scholarship Fund
Larson - Veneklasen Outdoor Education Scholarship Fund
Rick & Beverly Lattin Education Fund
Laughlin Family Scholarship Fund
Jack W. Leatherman Family Fund
Leitner Family Fund
Caesy LeMieux Central-Mary A. White Schools PTA Fund
Loutit Foundation Scholarship Fund

Pat & John MacTavish Fund
Mandy's Promise Scholarship Fund
Ross McBride Scholarship Fund
Mary E McGinnis Social Work Scholarship Fund
Randal & Marilyn Mergener Scholarship Fund
David James Merkle Memorial Scholarship Fund
Kyle Moreland Memorial Scholarship Fund
Melissa Skiera Myers Scholarship Fund
Nelson Family Scholarship Fund
North Bank Scholarship Fund
North Ottawa Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship Fund
Alyssa Olafson Memorial Scholarship Fund
Lola M. & Harry C. Olsen Scholarship Fund
Roy & Joyce Overway Family Fund
Marvin R. & Pearl E. Patterson Family Scholarship Fund
P.E.O. Chapter DS Scholarship Fund
Dr Larry Poel Field of Medicine Scholarship Fund
Edward & Barbara Post Family Scholarship Fund
Terry Linda Potter Scholarship Fund
David & Mary Race Vocational/Technical Scholarship Fund
Richard & Barbara Race Scholarship Fund
David A. Reeves Scholarship Fund
Frances Claire Reinecke Scholarship Fund
Jacob L. Reinecke Memorial Scholarship Fund
Daniel L. Reiss Memorial Scholarship Fund
Harold & Eleanor Ringelberg Scholarship Fund
Charles Robertson Scholarship Fund for Education
Runsckke Family Scholarship Fund
Charles & Eleanor Rycenga Education Fund
Millicent Mary Schaffner Endowed Memorial Scholarship Fund
David & Jinny Schultz Family Fund
David & Sharon Seaver Family Scholarship Fund in Memory of Tim D. Seaver
Del Shannon Memorial Scholarship Fund
Ken & Sandy Sharkey Family Scholarship Fund
Susan Shattuck Scholarship for Future Nurses
Lynne Sherwood Scholarship Fund
Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Business Scholarship Fund
Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Current College Scholarship Fund

Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Education Scholarship Fund
Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Engineering Scholarship Fund
Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Medical Scholarship Fund
Marion A. & Ruth K. Sherwood Michigan College Alliance Scholarship Fund
Miller G. Sherwood Family Scholarship Fund
Spartanwill Scholarship Fund
Spring Lake High School Social Studies Scholarship Fund

Spring Lake Public Schools Foundation
Anonymous Alumnus of Spring Lake High School Scholarship Fund
Mitz Hammond Hessmer Scholarship Fund
Maryadele Sparks Scholarship Fund
Lorraine VanBeukering Scholarship Fund
Paul Wolbrink Scholarship Fund

St. John's Lutheran Church & School Scholarship Fund

St. Patrick's & St. Anthony's Church Scholarship Fund

Frank & Virginia Such Memorial Scholarship Fund

Edward P. Suchecki Family Scholarship Fund

Henry D. & Ruth G. Swartz Family Fund

Clifford & Hope Taylor Scholarship Fund

Grace Thatcher Scholarship Fund

H. Wayne VanAgtmael Cosmetology Scholarship Fund

Marv VandenBosch Scholarship Fund

Connie Van Schelven Memorial

Scholarship Fund

VFW Post 2326 Ward-Goff Memorial

Scholarship Fund

Arlyn J. Walt Memorial Scholarship Fund

Bob Warren & Carole Curry-Warren

Scholarship Fund

Waters' Family Scholarship Fund

Valerie Watson Scholarship Fund

West Michigan Nursery & Landscape

Association Scholarship Fund

Westra Bye Memorial & Art Educators

Scholarship Fund

Louise Wachter Wickham Scholarship Fund

Mary E. Wilsberg Scholarship Fund

Women's Club of Grand Haven

Scholarship Fund

Daryn Renee Worpel Scholarship Fund

Herman J. & Helen Wyngarden Memorial

Scholarship Fund

Zenko Family Fund

Leo Zupin Memorial Scholarship Fund

Leaving a Legacy

Thank you to those who have chosen the Foundation as a way to enhance the community for future generations through a planned gift. Leaving a gift to the Foundation allows individuals to support the causes that they are most passionate about, forever.

Beginning with 59 members in 2003, the Legacy Society has grown to more than 380 individuals today. It is because of that generosity that Northern Ottawa County remains a wonderful place to live, work, and play – and will remain so for future generations.

We created this special section to honor those legacies that have been realized over the past year (April 2022-March 2023). We would also like to acknowledge the recent passing of the following Legacy Society Members: David DeBlaey, Jack Kelley, Carolyn Casemier Rotz, Jinny Schultz, Edith Van Burgel, Pat Walborn, and Paul Withun. We plan to honor and recognize their legacies in a future publication.



Sue Hinkle Barrett

Sue Hinkle Barrett saw beauty in the world and in our community. She dedicated her life to improving our community both professionally and through her support of various organizations. She worked with community mental health and for the beautification of our area. Her love of nature showed in her passion for gardening, traveling, and support of area conservation. Sue's legacy will continue on through her scholarship to provide educational opportunities to our youth and her work with the Tri-Cities Garden Club.



Sherman Hecksel

Sherman Hecksel found joy in supporting his community and working with others. His dedication to our community is evident in his local business supporting farmers and involvement in a variety of organizations promoting the growth of Coopersville, through his service with the Michigan Land Improvement Contractors and the Coopersville Area Community Foundation Board. His commitment to Coopersville and the future of our community continues through the S.J. Hecksel Memorial Scholarship, honoring the legacy of his son while creating opportunities for area youth.



Mark Olafson

Mark Olafson was dedicated to his family and his community of Allendale. He always took time to reach out to others, listening and connecting with them. His presence was uplifting to friends, family, and strangers alike. His positive attitude and love for his family were evident to everyone who met him. His love will continue on through the scholarship fund established in memory of his daughter, Alyssa, as a way to honor the impact she had and support future opportunities for our youth.



Harry C. & Lola Mae Olsen

Harry C. Olsen and his wife, Lola Mae (Rosenau) Olsen recognized the importance of supporting others. Harry was a 1st Lieutenant in the US Army and served in both World War II and the Korean War, earning the Bronze Star Medal. Lola lived in the Spring Lake area for over 35 years, after moving here from the Detroit area and worked for Ford Motor Company until her retirement. They continuously supported organizations that assist underserved populations, recognizing the value of community. Harry and Lola will be remembered through their scholarship which creates opportunities for our local youth and their futures and their field of interest fund that helps provide special assistance to others.



Joyce Overway

Joyce Overway lived a full life, supporting her community and lifting up others through her work. Her passion is evident in her work, from leading the Youth Group and teaching Sunday School at Second Reformed Church, membership with the Tri-Cities Women Who Care and Tri-Cities Birthday Club, and volunteer leadership positions with the Grand Haven Area Jaycees, North Ottawa Community Hospital, and Tri-Cities Christian Ministries. Her support of the community extends to our youth's education and future through her support of our schools and various scholarship initiatives. Joyce's support of this community and our youth will live on in the memories and lives of those she touched.



Joyce Pellegrom

Joyce Pellegrom went through life with a welcoming smile and a love for others. She committed her life to her teaching career at Grand Haven Area Public Schools and loved to be able to support the future through supporting youth. Her love of the community extended beyond the classroom to her involvement in Counterpoint, the American Legion, Friends of Spring Lake District Library, and numerous education associations. Her charm and energy inspired everyone who met her, and her spirit and sense of joy will live on in the community she dedicated so much of her time to.



Craig Porter

Craig Porter lived a generous and full life. He taught at Grand Haven Area Public Schools for 30 years, helping to educate and cultivate the youth of our community. His care for our community could also be seen in his volunteer hours at North Ottawa Community Hospital and with Four Pointes Center for Successful Aging. His consistent generosity over the years in support of local education and our community's historical icons shows how much he loved this area. His dedication to sailing was reflected in his numerous races and support of local sailing organizations. Craig's legacy will continue on through the lives he has touched and his support of our community.



Nancy Dornbos Rhem

Nancy Dornbos Rhem held a great devotion toward her family and her community. Her kindness was evident in her steadfast support of many local initiatives. Her support helped preserve local, historical landmarks; provide educational opportunities; conserve our natural resources and parks; and create and maintain our wonderful community. Nancy will be remembered for her quiet devotion to her family and her community, as well as through her gifts in support of the future needs of our community.



Richard Scholler

Richard Scholler lived a life in service of others. He gave to our community on many levels – from his service in the US Navy to his career in printing and his volunteer position as an usher at St. Mary's Catholic Church. He was involved in local organizations through membership and individual support, including the Grand Haven Area Jaycees and the Grand Haven Rotary. He loved his family and the community, dedicating time and support to ensure that our future would be cared for. The comforting presence and laughter he instilled creates a lasting legacy in the hearts of everyone who knew him.



Marilyn Sherwood

Marilyn Sherwood lived a rich and full life. She was dedicated to serving her community through her teaching career, her terms on the Ottawa County Board of Commissioners, and as a financial advisor. She also was passionate about her family, always providing advice and wisdom generously and took great pride in them. She invested in the future through her support of youth education and scholarships. Marilyn's legacy of kindness, community mindedness, and belief in the value of education live on through the numerous individuals and families she met.



Miller Garrod Sherwood, Jr.

Miller Garrod "Gary" Sherwood, Jr. dedicated his life to those he cared about and sharing his passions with others. He cared deeply for others, always doing what he could to provide support and taking the time to reach out. He displayed his love for others through his gifts and service to a variety of individuals and community initiatives. His creativity and skills helped the original Imagination Station playground come into being and he served as a board member for the Little Red House. Gary imbued everything he did with love and passion, inspiring others to kindness and happiness. His warmth, wit, and positive attitude live on within the community he loved so much.



Janice Sluka

Janice Sluka loved life and shared that love with everyone she came into contact with. Janice was patient and caring, supporting others through her work and dedication to the residents of our area. She enjoyed the outdoors, traveling, fishing, and playing tennis. Janice loved our community and being able to support the future of it. This love can be seen in her legacy toward the upkeep of local recreational facilities, leagues, and ensuring that our residents have access to educational opportunities. Janice will be remembered for her love, patience, and spirit.



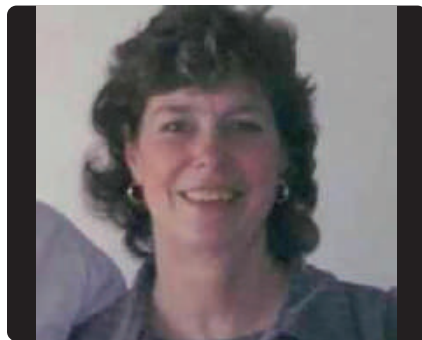
Marian Stevens

Marian Stevens was devoted to her family and her community. Marian's commitment to her community showed in a variety of ways. Her articles for the Advance Newspaper and the Muskegon Chronicle helped record and preserve not only the history of our community but the small things that make it unique. Her food column recipes and advice are still used fondly today by family and readers alike. She also deeply supported her church, the Allendale Township Library, education, and volunteered with Love Inc of Northeast Ottawa County. Marian will continue to live on through the lives of those she impacted and in the memories of her loved ones.



Peter Sturrus

Peter Sturrus lived a life of inspiration and service to others. He served our community in a variety of ways. He worked as a Sunday School teacher, was on the board of Grand Haven Christian School, founded the Muskottawa Cadet Council, and held leadership positions at Hospice of North Ottawa Community. He deeply believed in the value of education, supporting numerous local schools, libraries, and tuition assistance programs at all education levels and expertise. His compassion for others, generosity, and spirit will live on through the people who knew him and his support of our community and its organizations.



Janet Tomhave

Janet Tomhave was devoted to her community and sharing the good things in life with others. She cared deeply for her friends and family. Jan's love for this community can be seen in her almost two decades of work through the Community Foundation and her consistent support of local education and conservation efforts. She particularly saw the beauty of our natural environment as something to be cherished. Her love and faith in the future will live on through the lives she impacted and her dedication to the community.



Midge Verplank

Midge Verplank believed in the future of our community, dedicating all of his work toward its betterment. His generosity was visible in everything he did. Not only did he support numerous community initiatives and organizations, he provided guidance and advice to others to help them reach their goals and potential. His love of sailing, his kindness, sense of humor, and positive view of life created an enduring legacy that will continue to provide for the future of our community and the creation of the best place it can be.



Legacy Society Members

If you would like more information about joining the Legacy Society, please contact Chris Riker or Abby Reeg.

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| Shirlee Achterhof | Carol DeBlaey | Dorothy "Dottie" Johnson | Peter & Sheila Murdoch | Robert Sluka |
| Kevin Carbary & Carol Alexander | Dr. Terry & Sandi DeGroot | Holly & Erick Johnson | Charles & Nancy Nagtzaam | Gary & Jorri Smith |
| Dr. Tom Alguire | Daniel & Brenda DeVeau | Bari Johnson | John & Kathryn Nash | Julie Smydra |
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| William & Mary Baker | Dr. Arno & Judith Driedger | Jack & Joanne Kelley | Roy Overway | Jim & Sheila Steffel |
| Steve & Kathryn Bandstra | Dennis & Barbara Dryer | Sanford "Mark" & Kristine Kelley | Timothy & Jill Parker | Carolyn Sturrus |
| Charles & Mary Jo Bassett | Gloria Durkee | Barbara Kelso | Dan & Eileen Paull | Kent & Bonnie Suchecki |
| Charles Bassett | Myrna Duthler | Janice Kinane | Elizabeth Peel | Ruth Suchecki |
| Paul Bedit | James & Marla Dykstra | Philip & Jane King | Thomas Pegg | Dennis & Carol Swartout |
| William & Carolyn Benes | Nancy Dzierzawski | Thomas & Kimberly Kitchen | Steve Pekich | Dr. Dan & Ann Tabor |
| Carroll & Dottie Bennink | David & Mary Eagin | David & Sandy Klaassen | Matthew Pellegrom | Jim & Ruth Tanis |
| Patrick Berg | Dr. James Moore & Patricia Eddington Moore | Kurt & Jennifer Klaassen | Anita Pellegrom | Philip & Mary Kay Taylor |
| Jeffrey & Tammy Beswick | Martha "Marty" Erickson | Scott Klaassen | Marsha Peterson | James Teitsma |
| Mark & Susan Blauvelt | Janet Ernst | Mark & Betsy Kleist | John & Mary Planteroth | Kenneth & Mary Terpstra |
| Bill & Kitty Blessing | Jon & Glenda Eshleman | Dr. Raymond & Betsy Komray | Dr. Larry Poel | Guy & Alisha Terrill |
| Mary Jane Boettcher | Steve & Mary Jane Evink | Keith & Patricia Konarska | Coreen Porter | Judy Theune |
| Dr. Norman & Carolyn Boeve | Dr. Wallace "Wally" & Jane Ewing | Candy Kraker | The Hon. Edward & Barbara Post | Joseph & Carol Uridil |
| T. Arnold & Lynne Boezaart | Charles & Patricia Fisher | Scott & Madonna Kramer | Ted & Shirley Poulton | Edith Van Burgel |
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| Patricia Briegel | Barbara Fugazzotto | Philip & Betty Leech | John Field Reichardt | Dale & Susan VanZantwick |
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| Ron Bultje | Randy & Nancy Grevel | Michael McKeough | Robert & Roberta Sabine | Robert & Deborah Wagenmaker |
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| Jane Leonard & John Cook | Andrew & Alice Hoban | Jean Mesler | John Shears | David & Mary Whiting |
| Michael Cook | Albert & Charyn Hoffman | Nancy Middlebrook | Mary Sheridan | Annette Whitney |
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| Scott Curtis | Sherry Jackoboice | Dr. Donald Moss | Dorothy Sikkema | Michael & Sasha Zolik |
| | Tom & Barb Jackoboice | | Terry & Val Sikma | Douglas & Janice Zuidema |
| | Mary Jacobson | | Gerald & Linda Slagel | Marian Zupin |
| | Nelson & Lana Jacobson | | | |
| | Carl Jesser | | | |

Investing for Impact

The GHACF is an endowment organization and therefore the investment timeline is forever. We aim to preserve the principal gifts made by our generous donors, grow those gifts over time, and maintain a spending rate that allows us to continue to make an impact in the community. Our long-term investment strategy, with the oversight of the Board, Investment Committee, and our investment advisors at Northern Trust, helps us to achieve a rate of return that allows us to meet or exceed the spending rate. The equity-oriented asset allocation may increase levels of short-term portfolio volatility but, over the long term, our return rate has exceeded our spending rate and allowed for favorable growth of the portfolio.

Audited Financial Statement

Through December 31, 2022

Effective stewardship of philanthropic assets is paramount to building permanent charitable funds that strengthen our community.

ASSETS

Cash & Equivalents	\$1,811,407
Investments	\$151,198,132
Programmatic Investments	\$3,000,000
Bequest Receivable	\$597,000
Notes Receivable	\$385,970
Other Assets	\$8,964
Property & Equipment	\$1,183,301

Total Assets **\$158,184,774**

LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	\$56,505
Grants Payable	\$405,677
Charitable Gift Annuities Payable	\$83,443
Funds Held as Agency	\$10,728,514

Total Liabilities **\$11,274,139**

Net Assets without Donor Restrictions

\$146,910,635

Total Liabilities & Net Assets **\$158,184,774**

Communities Doing Their Part

The GHACF has two affiliate community foundations, the Allendale and Coopersville Area Community Foundations. Each serves the unique needs of those communities in Northern Ottawa County. Together, we collaborate to address challenges and opportunities collectively.

The following section recognizes the incredible work accomplished by the Allendale Community Foundation and the Coopersville Area Community Foundation in 2022. It also highlights the people who volunteer to serve on various GHACF committees, the GHACF board and those who make up the GHACF team.

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Rob Peel
David Swain
Barb VanHeest
Shirley Woodruff

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Pat VerDuin

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Cindy Anderson
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Keith Konarska
Barb VanHeest
Pat VerDuin

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Abby Selby
Shirley Woodruff

Impact Investing Sub-Committee

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David Swain
Barb VanHeest

Audit Committee (FY 2022)

Mary Carole Cotter, Chair
Natalia Kovicak
Terry Nash

Grants & Program Committee

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Cindy Anderson
Brandon Brown
Jennifer Essex
Caroline Henry, Youth Representative
Natalia Kovicak
Kelly Larson
David Swain

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Cindy Anderson
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Kim McLaughlin
Julia Smith
Naomi VanSingel
Pat VerDuin
Aaron West

Youth Advisory Council (YAC)

Class of 2023

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Margot Frennd
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Kyla Streng
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Class of 2024

Lexi Bakker
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Ella Rabideau
Emma Radley, Secretary
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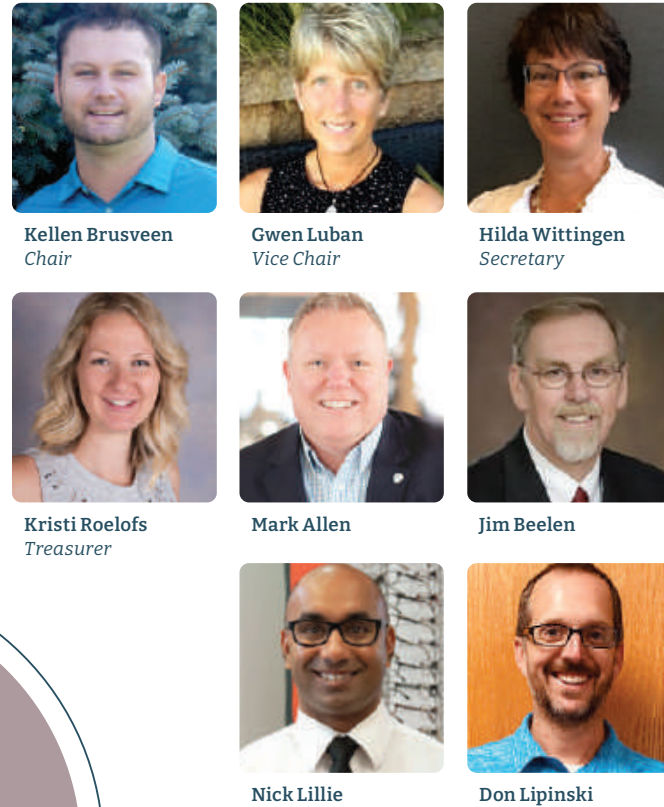
Class of 2025

Brody Bench
Kaia DeSchaaf
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Clara Streng

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Abby Reeg, Co-Advisor

Allendale Community Foundation

2022 - 2023 Allendale Advisory Board



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Kristi Roelofs
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Mark Allen

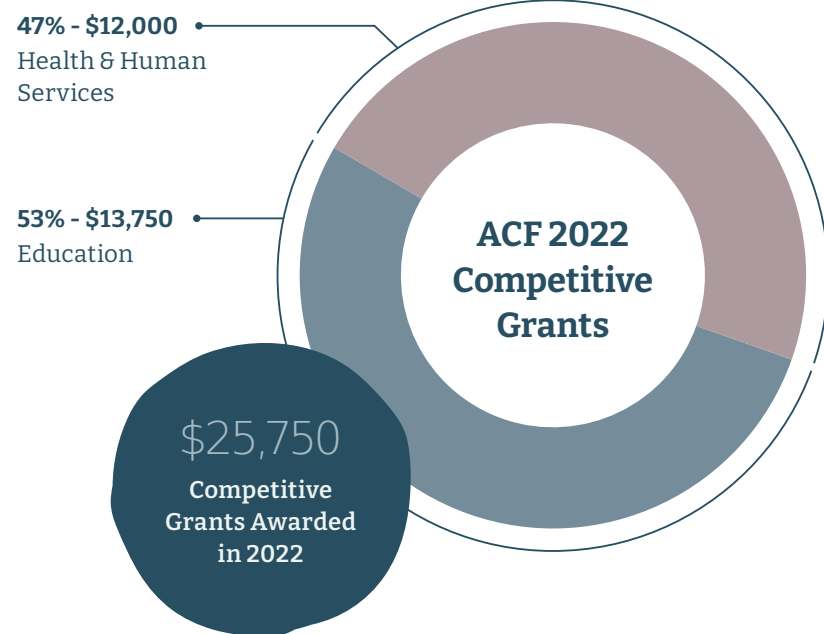
Jim Beelen

Nick Lillie

Don Lipinski

Amount Granted From

Donor Advised Funds	\$4,500
Organizational/Agency plus Non FASB	\$69,847
Affiliate Competitive Grant Program	\$25,750
Scholarship Funds	\$10,209
Designated Funds	\$6,655
Total	\$116,961



\$3,363,796	44
Assets (as of 12/31/22)	Total Funds (including FASB funds)
\$2,750	41
Awarded to 11 Teacher Mini-Grants	Total Funds (excluding FASB funds)

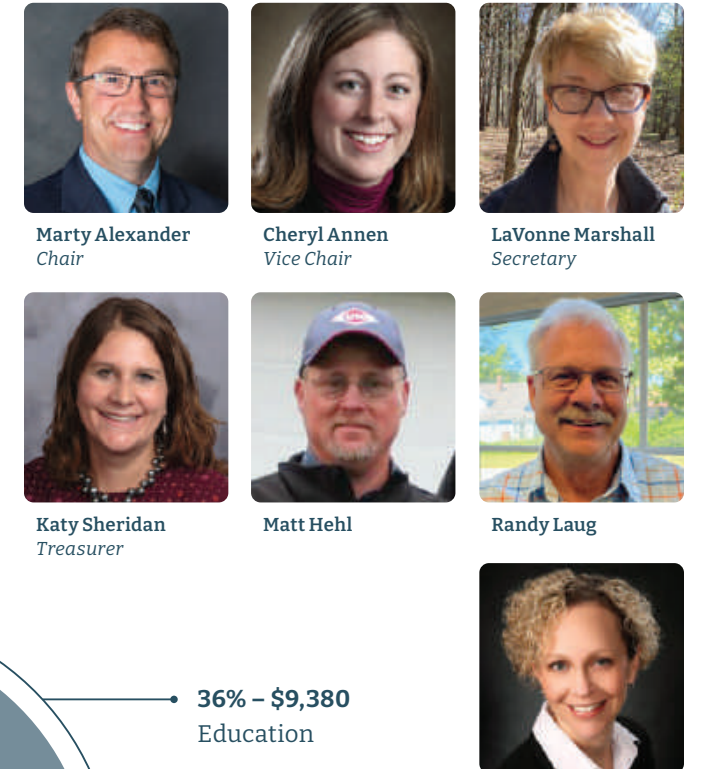


Teacher Mini-Grants

The Allendale Community Foundation invites area schools to apply for mini-grant funding to try out a new idea or buy the “extras” for an already great lesson plan or project. Grants of up to \$250 are awarded to teachers to enhance their instructional program. Any teacher, counselor, or administrator employed in a public or private school located in the Allendale area is eligible to apply. Grants are limited to one per classroom and one per teacher per school year.

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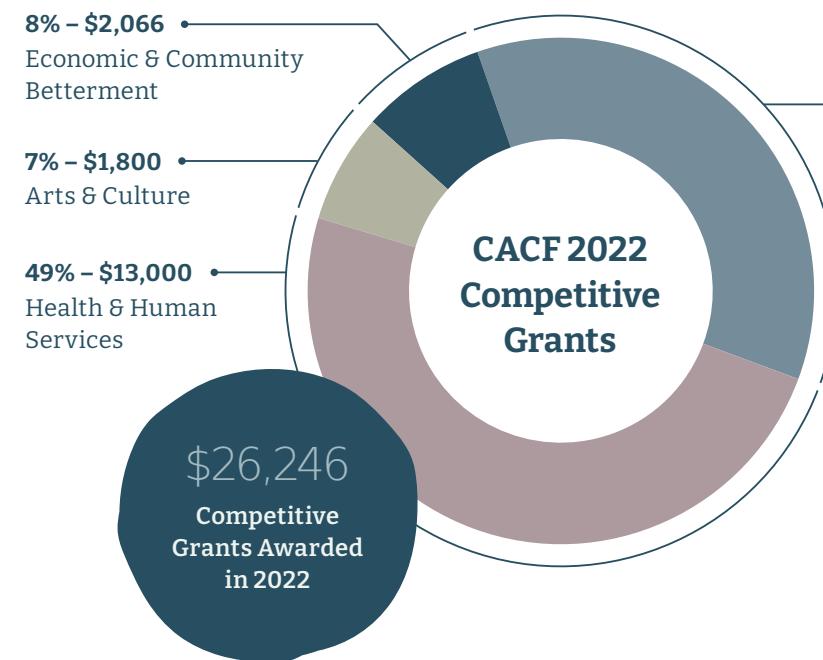
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Amount Granted From

Donor Advised Funds	\$196,570
Organizational/Agency plus Non FASB	\$68,882
Affiliate Competitive Grant Program	\$26,246
Scholarship Funds	\$32,177
Community Service Funds	\$2,582
Designated Funds	\$55,582
CAYAC Youth Fund	\$10,110
Total	\$392,149



\$7,907,925	93
Assets (as of 12/31/22)	Total Funds (including FASB funds)
\$10,110	82
Awarded to 6 Projects Through CAYAC	Total Funds (excluding FASB funds)



CAYAC

The Coopersville Area Youth Advisory Council (CAYAC) is made up of high school students from the Coopersville area. CAYAC members meet during the school year to discuss and assess youth issues prevalent in the community, as well as to review grant proposals made to benefit youth in the community. Members of CAYAC have the opportunity to make real change by awarding grants to projects which make a positive impact on the community. **CAYAC Advisor: Kelly Rupert**

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As a community foundation, we rely on the wisdom and guidance of our Board of Trustees as we work to carry out the mission of our organization. As we welcome our newest board members, Reyna Masko and Dean Reisner, we'd like to acknowledge and thank our outgoing board members, Barb VanHeest and Mark Pereira.



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