



Happy 2025!

Hello and happy New Year! We're so excited to see what 2025 will bring, but first, let's pause and reflect on all that was accomplished in the past year - none of which would have been possible without you!



Take a look at some of the impacts made in 2024, then check out how we plan to kick off 2025 to ensure it's our best year yet!

Looking Back at 2024 Impacts

- **\$2,011,449** in community impact grants awarded (includes internal grantmaking awards)
- **\$910,815** in scholarships given (includes competitive applications, renewals, & externally reviewed funds)
- **\$116,302** in grants awarded by the Youth Advisory Council (YAC)
- **13** new funds opened
- **4** new Legacy Society members added; bringing our total to **376** individuals
- Allendale Community Foundation assets reached **\$4.59 million**
- Coopersville Area Community Foundation assets reached **\$10.85 million**

You can read all about the grants awarded throughout the year in our [press releases](#) online.



Allendale

Community Foundation



Grand Haven Area

Community Foundation



Coopersville Area

Community Foundation

Looking Ahead to the Coming Year...

Investing in Our Team

We appreciate our caring and compassionate staff who work hard every day to make our mission a reality! They also work to support one another, learn, and grow, which is why we are so grateful for a new fund that has been created by generous donors to help show appreciation for our staff. The fund was created to assist with providing quarterly staff lunches, staff retreats (the next one is in the works!), professional development opportunities, and more.

Maintaining National Standards Accreditation

For more than 20 years the GHACF has met the rigorous National Standards of Community Foundations for legally sound operational effectiveness and excellence in philanthropy. We are proud to continue this tradition of excellence in our service to northern Ottawa County and look forward to our upcoming accreditation renewal.



Excellence. Accountability. Impact.™

We are here for **you**.
For **good**. For **all**. Forever.

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