The Howard County Community Foundation is a place of connection, where generosity and community action meet to create powerful impacts improving the quality of life for all. We connect people to the causes they care about, enrich communities through grantmaking, and believe in the power of partnerships.

**GUIDED BY OUR VALUES**

- **Collaboration** is essential.
- **Equity** is not optional.
- **Leadership** is a responsibility.
- **Trust** is earned.

**2022 GRANT RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS**

- American Red Cross - Blood Services
- City of Chester - Community Club
- City of Chester - Fire and Rescue
- City of Chester - Parks and Recreation
- City of Cresco - Cresco Theatre
- City of Cresco - Fire Department
- City of Cresco - Police Department
- City of Elma - Community Complex Exterior Renovations
- City of Lime Springs - Fire Department
- City of Lime Springs - Pool Board
- Elma Early Childhood Center
- Firefighters of Elma
- Howard County Auditor - EMS
- Howard County Auditor - Sheriff’s Office
- Howard County Child Care Association - Kessel Kids
- Howard-Winneshiek School District
- Lubbert’s Park in Saratoga
- Northeast Iowa Food Bank
- Protivin Community Fire District
- Protivin Firefighters Inc
- Riceville Ambulance Service
- Riceville Community Foundation - Elf Shop
- Riceville Community Foundation - Splash Pad
- Riceville Food Pantry
- Trinity Catholic School

The list of projects funded for the last two years can be found at howardcf.org#grants.

**COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP**

*Our Local Impact Committee*

- Ronda Hughes, chair
- Alice Back
- Kristen Burke
- Rosalie Christensen
- Becky Fritcher
- Amanda Keller
- Chas Malek
- Ryan Manske
- Al Voyna
- Bruce Weigel
- Bart Wilson
- Jim Zajicek

**OUR MISSION**

To inspire people and connect resources to enrich our communities.

The Howard County Community Foundation is an affiliate of the Community Foundation of Northeast Iowa. CFNEIA is Confirmed in Compliance with National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations.

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TOGETHER, WE ARE HERE FOR GOOD

We are inspired by the generosity and commitment of people and organizations who love their community. It is our honor to work with all our partners in creating communities where all people have the opportunity to thrive. We are built to be here for good for our communities. It is only because of people like you that we can do more for the people and communities we serve.

1. ESTABLISH A FUND
We’ll work with you to match your giving and passions, and create a giving plan that meets your charitable and financial goals. There are many fund options, including establishing a named donor advised fund that allows you to support the causes you love during your lifetime.

Go to CFNEIA.ORG/CREATEAFUND to get started.

2. GIVE TO A FUND
Gifts of any size can be made to funds already established with the Community Foundation. Your generosity can support the grantmaking of your local foundation through a gift to their impact fund or find one of our hundreds of funds supporting nonprofits in our region.

Go to HOWARDCCF.ORG and click on Find A Fund to search our list of funds.

3. LEAVE A LEGACY
Your generosity can go on forever when you establish a planned gift. We work with you and your advisor to find giving solutions that leave a legacy and meet your family’s financial goals.

Go to CFNEIA.ORG/LEGACY to learn more about planned giving options.

FUNDS OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Alvin and Karen Voyna Family Fund
CUSB Bank Designated Fund
CUSB Bank Scholarship Fund
Grace Harken Memorial Endowment Fund
Howard County Community Impact Fund
Howard County Discretionary Grants Fund
Howard County Endowment Fund
Howard County Expendable Fund
Howard County Historical Society Fund
Howard-Winneshiek Community School Foundation Fund
James, Dorothy, and Judy Strike Family Cemetery Fund
James, Dorothy, and Judy Strike Family Endowment Fund
JDJ Strike Opportunity Scholarship Fund
Kessel Kids Child Care Endowment Fund
Lidtke Mill Restoration Project
Lime Springs Endowment Fund
Linda Zeimetz Memorial Endowment Fund
New Oregon Cemetery Fund
Norman Borlaug Heritage Foundation Endowment Fund
Prairie Springs Recreational Trails Endowment Fund
Prairie Springs Recreational Trails Quasi-Endowment Fund
Regional Health Services of Howard County Endowment Fund
Riceville Legacy Fund established by Peter J. and Elaine R. Govern
Shirley Bigalk Davis Memorial Endowment Fund
The First Freedom, Inc. established by Elaine Rose Govern Fund
Wapsi-Great Western Trail Legacy Endowment Fund established by Elaine R. Govern

Go to howardccf.org to make a gift to a fund or learn more about starting your own fund.

You inspire us to do more for our communities and these values unite us in our work. Together, we are here for good.

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