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2018 IMPACT REPORT

The Iowa County Community Foundation connects people with the causes they care about and makes grants to nonprofit organizations enriching our communities.

We do this by helping to simplify the philanthropic process, giving generous people a way to support what matters to them. Gifts to the Community Foundation become part of a permanent endowment, which means they will benefit your community forever. Donors can make gifts to existing funds or create their own named fund to support the charities of their choosing. We invest gifts so they grow, maximizing the resources for grantmaking that addresses community needs.

Iowa County Community Foundation grants provide essential funding to nonprofits and government entities serving Readlyn and its residents. Since 2005, we have granted over $101,034 to support our partners in making our communities better places for all people.

2018 Discretionary Grants

Art and Culture
Amana Arts Guild, Replace Multipurpose Tables
Amana Colonies Convention and Visitors Bureau, 2018 Tour Van
Amana Colonies Festivals, Inc., Bleachers
Amana Heritage Society, School House Exhibit & Multimedia Center Upgrade
Iowa Theatre Artists Company, South Amana Summer of Music
The Iowa County Fair, LED Lighting for Zentmire

Community Betterment
American Legion Post 76, Heating and Cooling Unit Replacement
City of Marengo, If We Build It, The Kids Will Come
City of Marengo, Marengo Park Bandstand Upgrades
City of Millersburg, Community Library - Keeping You Informed - Part 2
City of North English, English Valleys Veterans Memorial
Friends of Iowa County Conservation Foundation, Kayaks for Lake Iowa Park and Iowa County Conservation
Iowa County, Conservation - Lake Iowa Park Disc Golf Signage
Safe Haven of Iowa County, Equipping Safe Haven’s Surgical Suite - Surgical Recovery Suites

Education
HLV Community School District, HLV Greenhouse
HLV Community School District, HLV PHT Playground Project - Phase Two

Health
Prelude Behavioral Services, “Hidden in Plain Sight & Mock Locker” Exhibit
Readlyn EMS Association, BLS Jump Kits

Historic Preservation
City of North English, Library - Microfilm Digitization Part 3

Human Service
Domestic Violence Intervention Program, Ensuring Safety of Victims of Domestic Violence in Iowa County
Iowa County, Search and Rescue - Unmanned Aerial Vehicle with Thermal Camera
Iowa County Genealogy Society, Handicap Ramp
Rural Employment Alternatives, Inc., Relationships Training and Expansion of Special Classes

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