2018 Grant Recipient
South Tama County Schools
High School/Middle School - Replace Aging Timpani

what we do

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Our Mission
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2018 Discretionary Grants Awarded

grantee organization and grant program listed

art and culture
City of Gladbrook, Gladbrook Theater and Matchsticks - Cash Registers
Clutter Betterment Committee, Czech Trail Signs and Fixtures
Iowa Valley RC&D, Expanding the Iowa Valley Scenic Byway Audio Tour to Include Tama County
South Tama County Schools, High School/Middle School - Replace Aging Timpani
Tama County, Tama County Livestock and Fair - Lighting Project
Tama County ISU Extension & Outreach Office, Tama County 4-H Swine Grant Recipients "Pay It Forward" to Local Food Pantries
Traer Historical Museum, Inc., History Now
Wieting Opera Housing Company, Wieting Theatre Stage Lighting

community betterment
AMVETS - Iowa Department, Continuance of Replacing Ceiling in Lincoln AmVet Building
City of Chelsea, Chelsea Community Hall - Parking Lot Lighting
City of Chelsea, Library - New Door
City of Chelsea, Pole Mounted Christmas Decorations
City of Dysart, Tree Board - Dysart Trailhead Water, Bike Repair Station, and Fitness Area
City of Garwin, Parks Department - Park Restrooms
City of Gladbrook, Library - Lights
City of Tama, Civic Center - Sign and Building Updates Project
City of Tama, Enright-Schroeder American Legion - Kitchen Counters
City of Tama, Tama American Legion Auxiliary - Veteran Memorial Grave Markers
City of Toledo, Charley Townsley Memorial Ripple Run
City of Toledo, Tama-Toledo Aquatic Center
City of Traer, Parking Lot for New Swimming Pool
Gladbrook American Legion Post 0127, Gladbrook Memorial Building Update
Tama County, Tama County Tourism - Print Marketing
Tama County Humane Society, Cabnets and Sink for Cat Adoption Room

education
Child Abuse Prevention Services, Inc., Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Program
Crayon Corner Learning Center, Preschool Creative Curriculum

environment
Tama County, Conservation Outdoor Education Program
Canoen Equipment

health
Brain Injury Association of Iowa, REAP Community-Based Concussion Management Training in Tama County
City of Gladbrook, Gladbrook-Lincoln Ambulance Service - Cardiac Monitor
Iowa River Hospice, Day of Care

historic preservation
Dysart Historical Society, Machine Shed & Historical Museums Lighting Improvement Project

human service
Assault Care Center Extending Shelter and Support, Tama County Victim Services
Central Iowa Residential Services, Inc., Tama Opportunity Center and Tama County Residential Services Client Needs
City of Chelsea, Fire Department - Generator
City of Dysart, Little Knights Learning Center
City of Elberon, Fire Department - Hybrid Water Monitor
City of Garwin, Garwin Fire Department
City of Gladbrook, Fire Department - Radios
City of Tama, Drone
City of Tama, Police Department - Silent Dispatch
City of Toledo, STC Joint Recreation Board
City of Toledo, Tama County Council on Aging
City of Toledo, Toledo Emergency Preparedness - Back-up Power Project
Mid-Iowa Community Action (MICA), Tama County Family Development (TCFD)

Northeast Iowa Food Bank, Produce & Perishable Distribution in Tama County
Pied Piper Preschool and Child Care, Floor Scrubber/Waxer
Tama County, Maternal Health and Nest Program
Tama County Daycare dba Kids’ Corner, Children Safety Security System
Traer United Presbyterian Church, Christian Hands Across Traer
Zion Lutheran Church WELCA, Home & Health Closet

our 2018 impact

$1,810,736 total assets held by TCCF
$1,697,107 total endowed assets
$163,539 in donations in 2018

our funds
Buckingham Cemetery Association Fund (Quasi) Gaylen "Jake" and Maureen Jacobson Family Fund Pauline Kober Traer Endowment Fund Dr. Rudy R. Kubik Scholarship Fund Lake and Park Holding Corporation Fund (Quasi) Pilgrim Heights Camp and Retreat Center Fund South Tama County United Fund South Tama County United Endowment Fund Tama County Community Impact Fund Tama County Endowment Fund Tama County Expendable Fund

Make a gift to a fund, or create your own fund with the Tama County Community Foundation at tamaccf.org.

$151,418 total grants distributed includes grants from all funds

$125,028 discretionary grants distributed

art and culture 17% community betterment 40% education 10% environment 9% health 1% historic preservation 3% human service

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as of December 31, 2018

Gladbrook American Legion Post 0127, Tama County Government Day
South Tama County Schools, Archery Club - Computer Set-Up
Toledo Library Foundation, Literacy for a Lifetime

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