

# COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

## CHARITABLE PROGRAM OF THE CLAUDE W. & DOLLY AHRENS FOUNDATION

As of June 30, 2016



### CAPITAL CAMPAIGNS/PROGRAM SPONSORSHIP FUNDS

Helping with short-term projects and fiscal sponsorships.

Capital campaigns and program sponsorship funds are typically established by community groups planning a specific short-term project that is clearly charitable in nature. Program services include the provision of nonprofit status to the project (thus making contributions tax-deductible), acknowledgement and management of contributions, and disbursement of grants and expenses from the fund.

- Central Park Campaign
- Grinnell Veterans Memorial Commission Building Campaign
- Skate Park/BMX Campaign



### COMMUNITY BETTERMENT FUNDS

Meeting ever-changing community needs.

Unrestricted funds address a broad range of local needs, including future needs that often cannot be anticipated. They enable the Community Foundation's board of directors to assess community needs and respond to the community's most pressing needs, today and tomorrow.

- Community Fund for Poweshiek County Endowment\*
- Montezuma Community Fund Endowment\*
- Poweshiek County Alliance Endowment\*
- Poweshiek County Alliance Grants Fund



### COMMUNITY INITIATIVES

Creating positive change in Poweshiek County.

An action undertaken by a community in Poweshiek County to resolve issues and identify resources available to create positive change.

- Big Hearts 4 Tiny Hands
- Grinnell Education Partnership Fund
- Imagine Grinnell-Environmental General
- Imagine Grinnell-Parks & Trails General
- JMP Early Childhood Iowa Area
- S.H.E. COUNTS Endowment\*
- S.H.E. COUNTS Fund
- Tiger Packs



## COMMUNITY PARTNERS



**MISSION:** We are a unique and innovative family foundation striving to help meet the needs of Grinnell and its neighboring communities through ongoing support and resources by maintaining and perpetuating an endowment. Our purpose is to provide improved and enhanced quality of life for present and future generations with interest in the areas of parks & recreation, education, and health with our collaborative partners.



The goal of the Claude W. & Dolly Ahrens Foundation's Community Support Services program is to build capacity and promote collaboration among the local nonprofit community by optimizing back-office support operations and creating efficiencies through shared staff and administrative functions, thus strengthening the missions of the local nonprofit sector to help improve the quality of life for the local area. The Greater Poweshiek Community Foundation is the Foundation's most prominent philanthropic partner.



**MISSION:** The Greater Poweshiek Community Foundation is committed to strengthening communities and inspiring philanthropy by:

- Connecting donors with organizations and causes
- Investing funds responsibly
- Giving back to the greater Poweshiek service area
- Supporting nonprofits
- Facilitating community partnerships

### GREATER POWESHIEK COMMUNITY FOUNDATION PROGRAM PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS:

The Greater Poweshiek Community Foundation serves as an umbrella organization and financial manager for many other organizations. By banding together, these organizations achieve efficiency of scale while maintaining independent advisory committees.

- Grinnell High School Alumni Association
- Grinnell-Newburg Educational Excellence (GNEE) Endowment\*
- Imagine Grinnell
- Grinnell-Newburg Dollars for Scholars
- Grinnell-Newburg Educational Excellence (GNEE) - Mini Grants/Operation
- Imagine Grinnell Endowment Fund\*
- Grinnell-Newburg Dollars for Scholars Endowment Fund\*



### FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS

Connecting personal values to high-impact opportunities.

Field of interest funds allow you to target your gift to address needs in a specific area — arts, health, education, aging, at-risk youth, etc. Our board awards grants to community organizations and programs that are making a difference in the area you select. Your gift stays flexible enough to meet community needs in your interest area — even as needs change over time.

- Anna Marie Emry Endowment Fund\*
- Chuck & Kate DeLong Memorial Fund
- Communities for Literate Iowa Kids (CLIK)
- Doupnik/Hawkins Family Music Endowment Fund\*
- Dr. Kevin W. Sterk Elementary Student Needs Endowment Fund\*
- Drake Community Library Endowment Fund\*
- Iowa Transportation Museum Endowment Fund\*
- James A. Shaeffer Award for Excellence in Theatre Arts Endowment Fund\*
- Lydia Reid Science Endowment Fund\*
- Poweshiek County Conservation Endowment\*



### SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

Investing in deserving students.

Scholarship funds allow you to invest in your community's future and show students you care. You can create a scholarship as a memorial to someone special, selecting eligibility criteria that exemplify that person's goals and values. Or, you may use it to express your own educational values—or those of your family or business.

- 49er's E.A. Kurth Science Award Scholarship
- Adelberg Family Scholarship Endowment\*
- ASI Scholarship
- Audrey Pederson Memorial Scholarship
- Audrey Rivers Griffith Educational Scholarship
- Citizen Scholarship Foundation of BGM - A Chapter of DFS Endowment Fund\*
- Doug Shutts Memorial Scholarship
- EPC Scholarship Endowment\*
- Fitzgerald Family Scholarship
- Green Futures Scholarship Endowment\*
- Grinnell Girls Camp Association Scholarship
- Grinnell-Newburg Dollars for Scholars Scholarship\*
- Grinnell Pizza Ranch Scholarship Fund
- Hilke Family Scholarship
- Jewel & John Kintzinger Scholarship Endowment\*
- Kalleen Buchmeier Memorial Scholarship\*
- Lance Reimers Memorial Scholarship Endowment\*
- Lincoln Savings Bank Endowment Scholarship\*
- Lucille M. & Kenneth J. Benda Scholarship
- Lydia Reid Scholarship Endowment\*
- Marvin D. Bahr & Rosada E. Bahr Scholarship Endowment\*
- McCormick Scholarship Endowment\*
- Nathan Figland Memorial Wrestling Scholarship Endowment\*
- Newburg Alumni Scholarship
- Nicole Marie Kelling Scholarship
- Praestantia Scholarship Endowment\*
- Rachel & Richard Sanders Scholarship Endowment\*
- Renaud Scholarship Endowment\*
- Ron Nebergall & Nancy Nebergall Bosma Scholarship Endowment\*
- Ronald Graham Memorial Scholarship Endowment\*
- Scandrett Family Scholarship Endowment\*
- Sid Potts Scholarship Endowment\*
- Vivian G. Craig Music Scholarship Endowment\*
- Whitetail Unlimited Scholarship



### DESIGNATED FUNDS

Helping sustain and grow local organizations.

Designated funds provide a wonderful way to give back to one or more specific organizations that have touched your life. Your gift provides more than just funding—your favorite organization will benefit from the Community Foundation's investment stewardship and ability to manage endowment funds.

- Ahrens Park Senior Walkers Endowment\*
- Brooklyn Community Foundation Endowment Fund\*
- Brooklyn Historical Society Endowment Fund\*
- Brooklyn Volunteer Fire Department Endowment Fund\*
- East Poweshiek County Ambulance Endowment Fund\*
- Grinnell Area Arts Council Endowment Fund\*
- Grinnell Historical Museum Endowment Fund\*
- Grinnell Regional Medical Center Endowment Fund\*
- Grinnell Regional Mental Health Center Endowment Fund\*
- Lutheran Services in Iowa, Inc. Endowment Fund\*
- Mayflower Human Needs Endowment Fund\*
- Michael J. Manatt Community Center Endowment Fund\*
- Montezuma United Methodist Church Endowment Fund\*
- Station Clubhouse Fund
- Tom & Connie Marshall Administrative Endowment\*



### DONOR-ADVISED FUNDS

A personal approach to giving.

Donor-advised funds are convenient, flexible tools for individuals, families, businesses, or groups that want to be personally involved in suggesting grant awards made possible by their gifts. If you have a range of community interests, you may find that a donor-advised fund is an ideal vehicle for fulfilling your charitable wishes.

- Baumann Family Donor Advised Endowment Fund\*
- Glenn & Ginger Sterk Family Donor Advised Fund

