

Making More good Possible IN BREMER COUNTY

2024 IMPACT REPORT

The **BREMER 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.



\$4.2 Million Total Grants Awarded Since 2005

\$8.17 Million Total Net Assets Year End 2024

Grant totals are comprised of grants from all charitable funds of the Community Foundation.

2024 GRANT RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS

All in Mentoring

Bremer County, Conservation

Bremer County Fair Association

City of Denver, Library

City of Frederika, Fire Department

City of Janesville, Library

City of Plainfield, Fire Department

City of Plainfield, First Responders

City of Plainfield, Library

City of Readlyn, Library

City of Readlyn, Police Department

City of Sumner, Fire Department

City of Sumner, Library

City of Tripoli, Library

City of Tripoli, Tripoli Fire

City of Waverly, Economic Development

City of Waverly, GWMB

City of Waverly, Leisure Services

Denver Lions Club

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP as of 5/1/25

Our Local Impact Committee

Morgan Bergmann Lisa Biersner Brian Bunce Gloria Campbell Beth Hartman Michael Johnson Jane Juchems
Karen Neuendorf
Lauri Phelan
Stacie Schroeder, Chair
David SmolikHagen

Families Helping Families of Iowa

Fostering Families Together

Leader Valley Foundation

Lutheran Services in Iowa

North Star Community Services

Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging

Northeast Iowa Community Action

Northeast Iowa Food Bank

Retrieving Freedom

Riverview Center

Senior Citizens Group of Waverly Inc.

Sumner Daycare and Learning Center

Waverly Area Veterans Post

Waverly Health Center Foundation

Waverly Volunteer Fire Association

Waverly-Shell Rock Area United Way

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

OUR MISSION

To inspire people and connect resources to enrich our communities.

The Bremer 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.

Join us in 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. It is only because of people like you that we can do more for the people and communities we serve. Join us in 'here for good'.

Give Now

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 its Impact Now fund or find one of our funds supporting nonprofits organizations.

Start 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.

Give Later

Leave a lasting impact in the way you want through your will, estate planning, or other planned gift. We work with you and your advisor to find giving solutions that leave a legacy and meet your family's charitable goals.

Go to **BREMERCCF.ORG** to learn how you can be here for good for your community.

FUNDS OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Alcock Cemetery Association Endowment Fund

Bob and Paige Wharram Fund

Bremer County Community Foundation Governing Committee

Endowment Fund

Bremer County Endowment Fund

Bremer County Expendable Fund

Bremer County Fairgrounds Fund

Bremer County Impact Now Fund

Bremer County Impact Forever Fund Brian and Brenda Meyer Family Fund

Corson Family Charitable Unrestricted Fund

Dr. Ann Rathe Endowment Fund

Dr. Arin Raule Endowment Fund

Dr. Herbert W. Rathe Fund

Edna Anhalt Fund

Frederika Area Community Impact Fund

Friends of the Family Endowment Fund

Gaylor Family Fund

Gene and Pat Leonhart Family Fund

Gene Drape Family Fund

Greater Waverly Kiwanis Club Charitable Fund

Kevin and Deanne Leistikow Family Fund

Mabel A. Burrow Memorial Scholarship Fund

Malvin Tribon Bremer County Memorial Fund

Marvin and Helen Schumacher Family Fund

Patricia Boevers Memorial Fund

Rally Point Cedar Valley Veterans Endowment Fund

Ralph and Betty Hoth Endowment Fund

Readlyn Community Expendable Fund

Readlyn Community Fund Endowment Fund

Restore Our Wapsipinicon River (ROW) Endowment Fund

Restore Our Wapsipinicon River (ROW) Fund

Retrieving Freedom Endowment Fund

Rewoldt Family Farmers Savings Bank Endowment Fund

Rotary Club of Waverly Food Security Fund

Shell Rock Products Fund

The Alan and Patricia Hagen Legacy of Music Scholarship

Endowment Fund

The Brent Jensen Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Larrabee Center Endowment Fund

Wartburg College Endowment Fund

Wartburg Community Symphony Association Endowment Fund

Waverly Area Veterans Post Fund

Waverly Community Impact Fund

Waverly Leisure Services Endowment Fund

Waverly Leisure Services Fund (Quasi)

Waverly Public Library Endowment Fund

Waverly Senior Center Endowment Fund

Waverly Youth Ball Diamonds at Cedar River Park Fund

Waverly-Shell Rock High School Band Fund (Quasi)

WSR FFA Alumni Hubert Rossol Fund

Go to bremerccf.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 our shared values unite us in our work.

Together, we are here for good.









Collaboration

Equity

Leadership

Trust