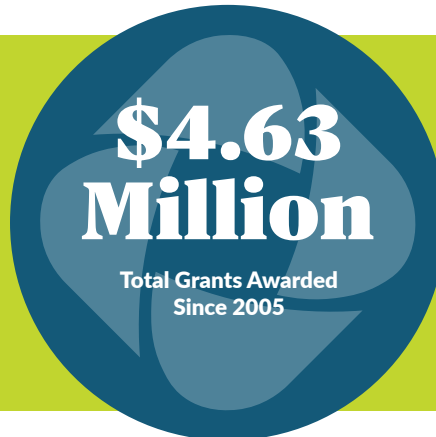


# 2025 IMPACT REPORT



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.



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

## 2025 GRANT RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS

All in Mentoring  
Bremer County Fair Association  
City of Frederika, Fire Department  
City of Plainfield, Fire Department  
City of Readlyn, Library  
City of Sumner, Parks & Rec  
City of Tripoli, Fire Department  
City of Tripoli, Pool  
City of Waverly, Chamber  
City of Waverly, Public Parks  
Families Helping Families of Iowa  
Fostering Families Together  
Friends of the Family  
Iowa Heartland Habitat for Humanity  
Leader Valley Foundation  
North Star Community Services, Inc.  
Northeast Iowa Community Action

Northeast Iowa Food Bank  
Readlyn Volunteer Firefighters Association  
Riverview Center, Inc.  
Senior Citizens Group of Waverly Inc.  
Sumner Daycare and Learning Center, Inc  
Support SEMS  
The Larrabee Center Inc.  
Thomas E Wood Post 223 American Legion  
Wartburg Community Symphony Association  
Waverly Child Care and Preschool  
Waverly Volunteer Fire Association  
Waverly-Shell Rock Area United Way  
Waverly-Shell Rock Community School District

**The list of projects funded for the last two years can be found at [bremerccf.org](http://bremerccf.org)**

## COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

as of 4/1/26

### Our Local Impact Committee

Morgan Bergmann  
Lisa Biersner  
Brian Bunce  
Gloria Campbell  
Beth Hartman

Jane Juchems  
Karen Neuendorf  
Lauri Phelan  
Stacie Schroeder, Chair  
David SmolikHagen

## 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 [BREMERCFF.ORG](http://BREMERCFF.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 Forever Fund  
Bremer County Impact Now Fund  
Brian and Brenda Meyer Family Fund  
Corson Family Charitable Unrestricted Fund  
Dr. Ann Rathe 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  
Mark Bohner Fund (Quasi)  
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  
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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](http://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