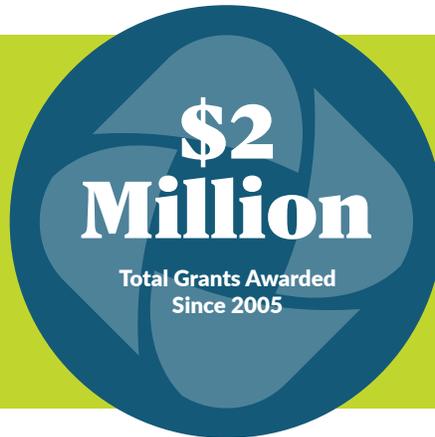




# Here for Good.

## 2023 IMPACT REPORT

The **HOWARD 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.*

### 2023 GRANT RECIPIENT ORGANIZATIONS

- American Red Cross - Blood Services
- City of Chester
- City of Cresco
- City of Elma
- City of Lime Springs
- City of Protivin
- Cresco Wildlife Club
- CRICCET
- Elma Depot Museums Association
- First Freedom, Inc
- Fish & Game Club
- Howard County
- Howard County - Auditor
- Howard County Charitable Projects
- Howard County Historical Society
- Howard-Winneshiek School District
- Lime Springs Children's Theatre Troupe
- Lubbert's Park in Saratoga

- Mitchell County Memorial Foundation
- Norman Borlaug Heritage Foundation
- Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging, Inc.
- Northeast Iowa Community Action
- Northeast Iowa Food Bank
- Protivin Firefighters Inc
- Riceville Community Foundation, Inc.
- Riceville Community School
- Riceville Food Pantry
- Riverview Center, Inc.
- Spring Ahead Learning Center
- Trinity Catholic School
- Wapsi-Great Western Line Trail Association
- Youth Riceville Athletic Program

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

### COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP

#### Our Local Impact Committee

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|----------------------|---------------|
| Alice Back           | Chas Malek    |
| Kristen Burke        | Ryan Manske   |
| Roalie Christensen   | Judy Strike   |
| Becky Fritcher       | Alvin Voyna   |
| Ronda Hughes         | James Weigel  |
| Amanda Keller, chair | Bart Wilson   |
| Jeff Korsmo          | James Zajicek |

### OUR MISSION

To inspire people and connect resources to enrich our communities.

The Howard 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.

**[howardccf.org](http://howardccf.org) 319-287-9106**

# TOGETHER, WE ARE 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. We are built to be here for good for our communities. It is only because of people like you that we can do more for the people and communities we serve.

## 1. ESTABLISH 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.

## 2. GIVE TO A FUND

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 their impact fund or find one of our hundreds of funds supporting nonprofits in our region.

## 3. LEAVE A LEGACY

Your generosity can go on forever when you establish a planned gift. We work with you and your advisor to find giving solutions that leave a legacy and meet your family's financial goals.

Go to [howardccf.org](http://howardccf.org) to learn more about how you can make an impact on your community.

## FUNDS OF THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Lime Springs Endowment Fund  
Alvin and Karen Voyna Family Fund  
CUSB Bank Designated Fund  
CUSB Bank Scholarship Fund  
Grace Harken Memorial Endowment Fund  
Howard County Community Impact Fund  
Howard County Endowment Fund  
Howard County Expendable Fund  
Howard County Historical Society Fund  
Howard-Winneshiek Community School Foundation Fund  
James, Dorothy, and Judy Strike Family Cemetery Fund  
James, Dorothy, and Judy Strike Family Endowment Fund  
JDJ Strike Opportunity Scholarship Fund  
Judy Strike Business Education Enrichment Endowment Fund  
Kessel Kids Child Care Endowment Fund  
Lidtke Mill Restoration Project  
Linda Zeimetz Memorial Endowment Fund  
New Oregon Cemetery Fund  
Norman Borlaug Heritage Foundation Endowment Fund  
Prairie Springs Recreational Trails Endowment Fund  
Prairie Springs Recreational Trails Quasi-Endowment Fund  
Regional Health Services Clinic Expansion Fund  
Regional Health Services of Howard County Endowment Fund  
Riceville Legacy Fund established by Peter J. and Elaine R. Govern  
Shirley Bigalk Davis Memorial Endowment Fund  
The First Freedom, Inc. established by Elaine Rose Govern Fund  
Wapsi-Great Western Trail Legacy Endowment Fund established by Elaine R. Govern

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HOWARD COUNTY  
**COMMUNITY  
FOUNDATION**

*here for good.*

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