



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Prairie Meadows has provided more than \$2.3 billion through taxes and charitable giving to promote economic development, agriculture, jobs and tourism.

8th & College Connections

Above + Beyond Cancer

Ackley Fire Department

Adventures in Social Development

Altoona Economic Development Corporation

American Federation Of Labor & Congress
Of Industrial Organizations

American Legion Department of Iowa

Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Association

Anawim Housing

Animal Lifeline of Iowa

Animal Rescue League of Iowa

Ankeny Community School District

Ankeny Instrumental Music Foundation

ArtForce Iowa

ARTSwork

Ashland Ridge Elementary

B.Well Foundation

Balance Autism

Ballet Theatre of Des Moines

Baxter Volunteer Firefighters Association

Best Buddies in Iowa

Bethany Manor Foundation

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa

Blank Children's Hospital

Blank Park Zoo Foundation

Blue Star Mothers Of America Inc.

Bondurant Soccer Club

Boys & Girls Club of Story County Iowa

Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Iowa

BRAVO Greater Des Moines

Broadlawns Medical Center Foundation

Build Lincoln Higher Booster Club

By Degrees Foundation

Camp Fire Heart of Iowa

Camp Hertko Hollow

Camp Township Fire Department

Can Do Cancer

Capital City Pride

Caring Hands Outreach

Carlisle Community School District

Carlisle Police Department

Catholic Charities

Central Iowa Shelter & Services

Change Course



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Child, Adolescent, And Parent Support

Children & Families of Iowa

Children & Family Urban Ministries

Children's Cancer Connection

ChildServe

Christ the King Catholic School

Chrysalis Foundation

City of Altoona

City of Altoona Fire Department

City of Ames Fire Department

City of Bondurant

City of Cambridge

City of Carlisle Fire Department

City of Dallas Center

City of De Soto Police Department

City of Indianola Fire Department

City of Indianola Police Department

City of Johnston Parks & Recreation Department

City of Johnston Police Department

City of Mingo Fire Department

City of Mitchellville Police Department

City of Newton

City of Polk City Fire Department

City Sounds

Clay Elementary

Colfax Fire Department

Colfax Mingo Community School District

Collins Fire Department

Collins-Maxwell Music Department

Creative Visions Inc.

Crisis Canines of the Midlands

CROSS Outreach

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation

Dallas Center Grimes Community School District

Dallas County Hospital

Delaware Elementary - Southeast Polk School District

Delaware Township Fire Department

Dental Connections, Inc.

Des Moines Area Community College Foundation

Des Moines Area Religious Council

Des Moines Art Center

Des Moines Arts Festival

Des Moines Carousel Foundation

Des Moines Childrens Museum

Des Moines Community Orchestra

Des Moines Community Playhouse

Des Moines East High School Band Boosters

Des Moines Gay Men's Chorus

Des Moines Maker Space

Des Moines Metro Opera

Des Moines Performing Arts

Des Moines Public Library Foundation



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Des Moines Public Schools	Furry Friends Refuge
Des Moines Symphony Association	Genesis Inc.
Des Moines University	Gilbert Iowa Firefighters Association
Des Moines Valley Golf Club Educational Fund	Girl Scouts of Greater Iowa
DeSoto Fire Department	Give Foundation - Golf for Injured Veterans Everywhere
Dorothy's House	Grand View University
Dowling Catholic High School	Greater Altoona Community Service Campus
Downtown Community Alliance	Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden
Downtown Events Group	Greater Des Moines Community Band
Dr. Nick Palmer-Jim Ellefson Free Medical Clinic	Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity
Drake University	Greater Des Moines Partnership
Dress for Success Des Moines	Grinnell Farm to Table
Easterseals Iowa	Guthrie Center Fire Fighters Association
Education Empowerment and Hunger Prevention	Habitat for Humanity of Marion County, Inc.
Everybody Wins! Iowa	Hartford Fire & Rescue
EveryStep	Healthy Birth Day
Eyerly-Ball Community Mental Health Services	Highland Perpetual Maintenance Society Inc.
Fellowship Of Christian Athletes	Hip-Hope Inc.
Filipino American Society	Historic Valley Junction Foundation
Five Fires Foundation	Holy Family School
Focuss	Homes of Oakridge Human Services
Food Bank of Iowa	Hope After Racing Thoroughbreds
Foster SQUAD	HOPE - Honoring Opportunities For Personal Empowerment
Four Mile Elementary	Hoyt Sherman Place Foundation
FreeStore	iJAG
Friends of YJI	



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

IMPACT Community Action Partnership	Iowa Public Television Foundation
Iowa Methodist Medical Center	Iowa Veterinary Specialties
Indianola Community Youth Foundation	Iowa Safe Schools
Indianola Hope Foundation	Iowa Service Dogs
Ingersoll Grand Self-Supported Municipal Improvement District	Iowa Sports Foundation
In Harmony Farm	Iowa Stage Theatre Company
Iowa Architectural Foundation	Iowa State Bar Association
Iowa Asian Alliance	Iowa State Fair Foundation
Iowa Center for Children's Justice	Iowa State Trowel Trades Apprenticeship Trade Trust Fund
Iowa Community HUB	Iowa Wild Life Federation
Iowa Confluence Water Trails	IRIS - Iowa Radio Reading Information Service
Iowa Dance Theatre	Jasper County Sheriff's Office
Iowa European Cultural Connection	John Stoddard Cancer Center
Iowa Gardening For Good	Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community
Iowa Hands & Voices	Joppa
Iowa Healthiest State Initiative	Junior Achievement of Central Iowa
Iowa Heart Foundation	Karen Acres Parent-Teacher Organization
Iowa Laborers Education & Training Trust Fund	Keep Iowa Beautiful
Iowa Laborers-Employers Cooperation and Education Trust	Kellogg Fire Department Volunteers Association
Iowa Law Enforcement Academy	Kick It Forward
Iowa Legal Aid	Lacona Fire Department
Iowa Migrant Movement for Justice	Latina Leadership Initiative of Greater Des Moines
Iowa Operating Engineers Joint Apprenticeship & Training Fund	Latino Resources Inc.
Iowa Public Radio	Link Associates
	Local 67 Training Program Trust



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Love For Red	Norwalk Fire Department
Lutheran Services in Iowa	On With Life Foundation
Mainframe Studios	Operation Downtown
Mainstream Living	Orchard Place
Make-A-Wish Iowa	Parks Area Foundation
Martha's House Of Hope	PCM Community School District
Mary's Helping Hands	Perry Lutheran Homes
Meals from the Heartland	Pillars of Promise Foundation
Melcher-Dallas Emergency Response Association	Planned Parenthood North Central States
Mercy Foundation of Des Moines, Iowa	Pleasant Hill Fire Department
Mica-Asbestos Workers Local No 74 Education Trust Fund	Pleasantville Fire Rescue Association
Milo Volunteer Fire Department	Polk County Sheriff's Office
Mind & Spirit Counseling Center	Poweshiek County Emergency Management Agency
Mindspring Mental Health Alliance	Prairie Crossing Church
Monroe Senior And Community Center	Prevent Blindness Iowa
Monroe Volunteer Fire Department	Proteus Inc.
Mt. Olivet Lutheran Church	Puppy Jake Foundation
National Alliance on Mental Illness	Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines
National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution - Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter	Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central Iowa
New Virginia Fire Department	Roosevelt High School Foundation
Newton Community School District	Runnells Elementary School
Newton Fire Department	Safe Families for Children
North Polk Fine Arts Boosters Inc.	Saylor Township Fire Department
Northeast Elementary PTO	Scholarship America - Southeast Polk Dollars for Scholars
Northern Warren Firefighters Association	Science Center of Iowa



2025 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Serving All Youth

Shoes That Fit

Short Years Partnership

Simpson College

Spina Bifida Association of Iowa

St. Luke the Evangelist Catholic Church

St. Anthony Catholic School

St. Joseph Catholic Church & School

St. Vincent de Paul

Street Collective

Sully Rural Fire And Ambulance Service

Swerve Outreach/Altoona Kids Cafe

Taste of the Junction, Inc.

Teen Challenge of the Midlands

Terrace Hill

The Beacon

The Bridge Home

The Des Moines Urban Experience

The Eddie Davis Community Center

The Salvation Army

Together Through Sound Iowa

Tori's Angels

Truro Fire & Rescue Association Inc.

United Way of Central Iowa

UnityPoint Hospice

Urban Bicycle Food Ministry - Des Moines

Urbandale Community Action Network

Urbandale Lions Club

Van Meter Athletic Boosters

Variety - the Children's Charity of Iowa

Warren County Sheriff's Office

Waukee Area Christian Services

Waukee Community School Foundation

Waukee Leadership Institute

Waukee Police Department

Wesley Community Services

West Des Moines Community School District

Wildwood Hills Ranch

Windsor Heights Fire Department

Woodward-Granger Community School District

World Food Prize Foundation

Wreaths Across America

Yale Fire Department

YMCA of Greater Des Moines

Youth & Shelter Services