Community Foundation of Carroll County

The Community Foundation of Carroll County ("CFCC") is pleased to announce the award of 29 grants from the County Endowment program, the CFCC Endowment Fund, and the Grow Greene County Gaming Corporation County Grants. The award determinations were made at the CFCC's Annual Meeting held on Thursday, February 5, 2026. A Grant Award Presentation was held at the Cupola in Carroll on March 3rd for the award recipients. Including this year's grant awards, the CFCC has or will have given out **$2,610,798.24** in grants for the benefit Carroll County residents.

The CFCC distributed **$200,825.75** in grants on March 3rd, of which **$51,150.00** was made possible through a generous grant from the **Grow Greene County Gaming Corporation** and the **Wild Rose Casino**. Distributions to grant recipients are as follows:

Grantee	Project	Grant Amount
Breda Recreation League	Lighting system at ballpark	$14,000.00
Caring Hearts of West Central Iowa	Crisis apartments and Imagine library	$8,000.00
Carroll Area Child Care Center, Inc.	additional outdoor Play items and seating	$5,000.00
Carroll Children's Museum	Soar and Catch Scarf Cannon	$5,000.00
Carroll County Conservation Board	Restoration of tree habitat	$8,000.00
Children's Cancer Connection	Send 5 children to camp	$2,000.00
City of Arcadia	Slide and playset	$12,000.00
City of Coon Rapids - Parks and Recreation	Gaga Ball Pit	$3,000.00
City of Dedham	Swing set and park benches	$5,000.00
City of Glidden - Aquatic Center	Pool maintenance	$5,000.00
City of Lanesboro	Sanitation station in park	$7,500.00
City of Manning - Library	Emergency access Knoxbox	$2,343.75
Educational Outreach Fndn for Carroll Co. Fair	Walk-in cooler	$7,000.00
Endow Glidden	Complete shelter house	$30,000.00
IKM-Manning PTO	Seating, table and stools	$2,000.00
Iowa Community Care Foundation	Handicap-accessible bus	$8,000.00
Lil Wildcats Education Center	Sunshade for playground	$5,500.00
Manning Betterment Foundation	Commercial grade washer and dryer	$2,500.00
Manning Community Services	Window replacement senior center	$5,000.00
Maple River Area Park, Inc	Swing set and park benches	$3,000.00
New Hope Village Foundation	Strategic planning	$3,000.00
New Opportunities, Inc	Age-appropriate playground equipment	$10,000.00
Plains Area mental health Inc.	Enhanced play therapy space	$2,482.00
Renew Covenant Church	Community gathering place	$20,000.00
The Summer Fun Camp	Scholarships for at risk children	$6,500.00
Thomas Rest Haven	Secure ergonomically designed carts	$3,000.00
Thomas Rest Haven	Roof replacement	$7,500.00
Western Iowa EMS K9 Association	Radio and emergency response equipment	$3,500.00
Whiterock Conservancy	Rebrand premier learning and tourism destination	$5,000.00

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The CFCC Board for 2026-27 consists of: Stacie Tonniges, President; Brian Johnson, Vice President; Sharday Wissler, Secretary and board members Charles Nixon, Jon Heim, Chris Danner, Brad Pick, Sondra Rierson and Ben Lorenzen.

Iowa Savings Bank is the Administrator of the Community Foundation on behalf of the CFCC Board.