

**Community Betterment Awards
2012**

2012 Lincoln High School Senior After Prom Committee	\$5,000.00
Accent Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
AIB College of Business	\$7,500.00
Altoona Area Historical Society	\$318.00
Altoona Baseball Recreational League	\$6,000.00
Altoona Palooza, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Altoona Youth Soccer Association	\$4,000.00
Ankeny After Prom Committee	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Area Historical Society	\$4,000.00
Ankeny Art Center	\$3,500.00
Ankeny Boys Tennis Team-Booster Club	\$2,000.00
Ankeny City Band	\$3,500.00
Ankeny Community Chorus	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Little League	\$300.00
Ankeny School District Foundation	\$15,000.00
Ankeny Sports Complex Foundation/City of Ankeny Parks & Recreation Department	\$2,000.00
Ankeny Substance Abuse Project	\$10,000.00
Beacon of Life	\$1,500.00
Beaverdale Betterment Coalition	\$5,000.00
Beaverdale Fall Festival	\$2,500.00
Beaverdale Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Belizzi MacRae American Legion Post 659	\$2,500.00
Best Buddies Iowa	\$4,000.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa	\$5,000.00
Board of Grimes Heritage Society	\$3,000.00
Bondurant Soccer Club	\$3,000.00
Bondurant-Farrar After Prom Committee	\$4,000.00
Bondurant-Farrar Education Foundation	\$5,000.00
Brook Run Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Camp Fire USA Heart of the Hawkeye Council	\$3,000.00
Capitol Park Neighborhood Association	\$11,000.00
Central 70's Softball Team	\$3,000.00
Central Iowa Shelter & Services	\$6,000.00
Central Iowa Shelter Services	\$1,000.00
Character Counts in Iowa	\$3,000.00
Child Abuse Prevention	\$2,500.00
Children's Cancer Connection	\$5,000.00
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ChildServe Foundation	\$10,000.00
City of Mitchellville	\$6,000.00
City of Urbandale Parks and Recreation	\$5,000.00
City of Windsor Heights	\$2,000.00
Civic Center of Greater Des Moines	\$5,000.00
Clive Festival, Inc.	\$1,500.00
Clive Historical Society	\$3,000.00
Clowns of the Carousel	\$3,000.00
Dallas Center Grimes High School After Prom Committee	\$5,000.00
Dallas Center-Grimes Little League	\$2,000.00
Des Area Community College Foundation	\$2,500.00
Des Moines "I Have a Dream" Foundation	\$3,000.00
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Des Moines Area High School Cheerleading	\$2,500.00

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Des Moines Area Interfaith Hospitality Network	\$1,500.00
Des Moines Area Religious Council	\$2,500.00
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Des Moines Area Youth Track Club & Youth Development Inc.	\$1,500.00
Des Moines Arts Festival	\$1,000.00
Des Moines Bicycle Collective	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Chapter, S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A. Inc.d/b/a Pride of Iowa Barbershop Chorus	\$5,000.00
Des Moines East Foundation	\$3,000.00
Des Moines Golden K Kiwanis and Kiwanis Foundation	\$2,500.00
Des Moines NAACP Youth Council	\$3,000.00
Des Moines NAACP Youth Council	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Neighbors	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center	\$1,000.00
Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Public Library Support Group	\$5,000.00
Des Moines Public Schools	\$2,500.00
Des Moines Public Schools District-Wide Programs	\$1,000.00
Des Moines Public Schools South Zone Special Education	\$1,500.00
Des Moines Symphony	\$5,000.00
Des Moines Symphony Association	\$5,000.00
Des Moines University	\$2,000.00
Douglas Acres Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
Downtown Urbandale Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Drake University: Service-Learning Initiatives	\$3,000.00
East Des Moines Girls Softball Association	\$3,500.00
East Des Moines Swim Club	\$3,000.00
East High Post Prom Committee	\$1,500.00
Easter Seals of Iowa	\$500.00
Eastern Polk Regional Development, Inc.	\$1,500.00
Endow Urbandale	\$2,000.00
Everybody Wins! Iowa	\$1,500.00
Excel Wrestling (Golden Eagle Wrestling, Inc.)	\$1,500.00
Fairgrounds for Neighbors for Community Improvement	\$2,000.00
Found Treasures Supporting The Beacon of Life	\$2,000.00
Friends of Des Moines Parks	\$3,000.00
Friends of Des Moines Parks	\$1,000.00
Goodrell Middle School	\$2,500.00
Governors District Alliance	\$2,000.00
Grandview Little League	\$1,500.00
Greater Des Moines Music Coalition	\$1,500.00
Greater Des Moines Soap Box Derby	\$2,500.00
Greater East Side Development	\$2,000.00
GVSS (Grimes Volunteer Support Services, Inc.)	\$2,500.00
Hansen House of Hospitality	\$1,500.00
Highland Park Community Action Association	\$5,000.00
Hoover High School After Prom Committee	\$1,500.00
House of Mercy	\$1,500.00
Immigrant Entrepreneurs Summit (IES)	\$2,000.00
Iowa Foster and Adoptive Parents Association	\$4,000.00
Iowa Homeless Youth Centers	\$2,500.00
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Iowa National Guard Memorial Association	\$2,500.00
Iowa Radio Information Service for the Blind and Print Handicapped, Inc.	\$1,500.00

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Iowa Radio Reading Information Service for the Blind and Print Handicapped, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Iowa Senior Olympics	\$2,500.00
Iowa Sister States	\$5,000.00
Italian American Cultural Center	\$2,500.00
J-Hawk Soccer Club	\$6,000.00
Jim Ellefson Free Medical Clinic	\$1,000.00
Johnston Dollars for Scholars	\$1,500.00
Johnston Green Days-Johnston Chamber of Commerce	\$3,000.00
Johnston High School After Prom Committee	\$1,500.00
Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community Coalition	\$8,000.00
Johnston Partnership for Healthy Community	\$2,500.00
Johnston Soccer Club	\$1,000.00
Johnston Urbandale Soccer Club	\$1,000.00
JOPPA Outreach Services, Inc.	\$3,000.00
King Irving Neighborhood Association	\$1,000.00
Latino Forum of the Urban Core	\$5,000.00
Little All-American Football League	\$2,500.00
Living History Farms Foundation	\$500.00
Lower Beaver Neighborhood Association	\$2,000.00
Make-A-Wish Foundation of Iowa	\$1,000.00
Mayors Youth Council	\$1,000.00
Mecca Services d/b/a Bernie Lorenz	\$2,000.00
Mentor Iowa	\$2,000.00
Meredith Neighborhood Association	\$4,500.00
Meredith Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Merle Hay Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
Metro Arts Alliance of Greater Des Moines	\$5,000.00
Metro Arts Alliance of Greater Des Moines	\$4,500.00
Mid City Connection an Independent Initiative of Central City Development Corporation	\$5,000.00
Mid-Iowa Sexual Response Team (SART) C/O Community Foundation of Greater Des Moines	\$4,750.00
Midwest Educational Resources and Development Fund, Inc.	\$5,000.00
Mitchellville Community Center	\$1,000.00
Mosaic	\$2,000.00
New Horizons Adult Day Center	\$4,500.00
North High School Post Prom Committee	\$3,000.00
North Polk Post Prom Committee	\$1,200.00
North Polk School Foundation	\$5,000.00
Northwest Soccer	\$15,000.00
Oak Park Neighbors	\$5,000.00
Oakridge Neighborhood Services	\$5,500.00
Orchard Place	\$5,000.00
Parenting Way, Inc.	\$10,000.00
Passageway, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Polk City Development Corporation	\$3,000.00
Polk County Conservation Board	\$3,000.00
Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines	\$2,000.00
Saydel Community School District	\$5,000.00
Saydel High School After Prom Committee	\$2,500.00
Sheridan Gardens Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
South Central Iowa Federation of Labor Charities (SCIFL Union Labor Park)	\$3,000.00
South Des Moines Girls Softball Association	\$10,000.00
Southeast Polk Dollars for Scholars	\$2,500.00

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Southeast Polk High School Post Prom Committee	\$3,000.00
Southside Rails	\$10,000.00
Southwestern Hills Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
Special Olympics Iowa	\$2,250.00
The Ankeny Service Center	\$3,000.00
The Des Moines Community Radio Foundation d/b/a KFMG-LP	\$4,000.00
The Directors Council	\$3,000.00
The Homestead	\$15,000.00
Theodore Roosevelt High School Post Prom Committee	\$1,500.00
Triad Foundation	\$1,500.00
Union Park Neighborhood Association	\$4,000.00
Uptown Ankeny Association	\$4,000.00
Urbandale 4th of July Committee, Inc.	\$2,000.00
Urbandale Action Network-Friends of the Parks	\$20,000.00
Urbandale American Legion-Post 663	\$7,000.00
Urbandale Boosters, Inc. (Performing Arts Division)	\$10,000.00
Urbandale Community Action Network	\$3,000.00
Urbandale Girls Recreation Association	\$10,000.00
Urbandale High School Post Prom Committee	\$10,000.00
Urbandale Historical Society	\$5,000.00
Urbandale Little League	\$3,000.00
Urbandale Optimist Club	\$10,000.00
Valley High School After Prom Committee	\$3,000.00
VSA Iowa	\$2,500.00
West Des Moines Community Enrichment Foundation	\$4,000.00
West Des Moines Community Schools Foundation	\$3,000.00
West Des Moines Dollars for Scholars	\$2,500.00
West Des Moines Human Services	\$3,000.00
Windsor Heights Foundation	\$2,500.00
YMCA of Greater Des Moines	\$3,000.00
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YMCA of Greater Des Moines-Riverfront Branch	\$3,000.00
Young Women's Resource Center	\$2,500.00
Youth Homes of Mid-America	\$3,000.00
Youth Sports Foundation	\$3,000.00