

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
December 19, 2017**

Des Moines East Boys Basketball	\$6,560.00
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TOTAL	\$6,560.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
December 5, 2017**

Altoona Historical Museum	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Community School District Foundation	\$5,000.00
Endow Urbandale	\$3,500.00
Kingdom Cares Corporation	\$5,000.00

TOTAL \$18,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
November 7, 2017**

Altoona Area Historical Society \$1,600.00

Central Iowa High Adventures \$3,000.00

Douglas Avenue Coalition \$2,500.00

TOTAL \$7,100.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
October 24, 2017**

Dallas Center-Grimes Education Foundation	\$3,500.00
Hoover High School	\$5,000.00
West Des Moines Historical Society	\$5,000.00

TOTAL \$13,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
October 3, 2017**

Iowa Radio Reading Information Service for the Blind and Print Handicapped	\$1,200.00
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TOTAL	\$1,200.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
September 19, 2017**

COPS Against Cancer	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Police Benevolent Association (in conjunction with Ankeny Leadership Institute)	\$5,000.00

TOTAL	\$10,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
September 5, 2017**

NAMI Greater Des Moines	\$5,000.00
Urbandale Community Action Network	\$18,000.00

TOTAL	\$23,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
August 29, 2017**

Dragon Scholarship Fund, a Division of Johnston School District	\$2,500.00
Oakridge Neighborhood Services Fiscal Agent for Refugee Alliance of Central Iowa	\$6,000.00
Pleasant Hill Chamber of Commerce	\$2,773.00
 Southeast Polk CSD (Runnells Elementary)	 \$4,000.00

TOTAL	\$15,273.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
August 22, 2017**

City of Mitchellville	\$10,000.00
Iowa Cubs 501C3 Foundation	\$3,000.00
Taste of the Junction	\$1,500.00
Urban Dreams	\$9,000.00
Young Professionals of Iowa	\$1,500.00
TOTAL	\$25,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Award
August 8, 2017**

Ethnic Minorities of Burma Advocacy & Resource Center	\$5,000.00
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TOTAL	\$5,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
August 1, 2017**

Ankeny Community Foundation	\$10,000.00
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TOTAL	\$10,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Award
July 25, 2017**

Des Moines Area Youth Track Club & Youth Development	\$2,000.00
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TOTAL	\$2,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
July 18, 2017**

Clive Community Services	\$8,000.00
Friends of the Polk City Community Library	\$1,000.00
Great March for Climate Action	\$5,000.00
Iowa Bandmasters Association Inc.	\$1,000.00

TOTAL \$15,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
June 20, 2017**

Best Buddies Iowa	\$2,000.00
City of Urbandale Parks and Recreation	\$3,500.00
CLIVEFESTIVAL	\$5,000.00
Immigrant Entrepreneurs Summit	\$2,000.00
J-Hawk Soccer Club	\$2,000.00
Rails Football Club-BLH Booster Club	\$5,000.00
Rails Wrestling Club-BLH Booster Club	\$5,000.00
John R. Grubb YMCA	\$5,000.00

TOTAL \$29,500.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards

June 13, 2017

Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Area Historical Society	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Art Center	\$4,200.00
Ankeny City Band	\$2,500.00
Ankeny Community Chorus	\$2,000.00
Ankeny Economic Development Corp.	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Little League Baseball	\$4,000.00
East High School Alumni Foundation	\$5,000.00
East Polk Innovation Collaborative	\$15,000.00
Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity	\$2,500.00
Jaguar Basketball Committee	\$5,000.00
Kingdom Cares	\$5,000.00
Mayor's Youth Council-City of Ankeny	\$2,000.00
Northwest Elementary PTO	\$5,000.00
Pleasant Hill Police Department	\$5,000.00
Project Fresh Start	\$3,000.00
Rams Baseball Club	\$2,500.00
Southeast Polk High School	\$2,000.00
The Altoona Area Chamber of Commerce	\$10,000.00

TOTAL \$89,700.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 30, 2017**

8th & College Connections	\$2,500.00
Beaverdale Farmers Market	\$3,000.00
Des Moines European Heritage Association	\$1,000.00
Meredith Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Never Say Can't Foundation	\$2,000.00
Parenting Way Inc.	\$1,000.00
South Central Iowa Federal of Labor Charity	\$1,500.00
Tai Village, Inc.	\$3,000.00
The Des Moines Urban Experience/Iowa Juneteenth Observance	\$2,500.00
West Des Moines Chamber of Commerce	\$2,500.00

TOTAL **\$24,000.00**

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 23, 2017**

American Legion Post 663	\$2,000.00
Clive Historical Society	\$2,500.00
Downtown Urbandale Neighborhood Association	\$2,000.00
Urbandale Optimist Club	\$1,000.00

TOTAL	\$7,500.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Award
May 16, 2017**

Central Campus, Des Moines Public Schools	\$2,500.00
Johnston Public Library	\$4,000.00
Mondamin Presidential Neighborhood Association	\$2,000.00
Urbandale Little League	\$6,000.00
Waveland Woods Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00

TOTAL **\$19,500.00**

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 9, 2017**

8th & College Connections	\$2,500.00
ArtForcelowa	\$3,000.00
Best Buddies International, Inc.	\$3,000.00
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa	\$4,000.00
City Sounds: The Des Moines Public Piano Project	\$2,000.00
Civic Music Association of Des Moines	\$1,000.00
CultureAll	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Arts Festival	\$10,000.00
Des Moines North High School Polar Bear Booste	\$4,000.00
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Des Moines Park & Recreation Foundation	\$3,000.00
Des Moines Performing Arts	\$14,000.00
Des Moines Public Schools Library Support Group	\$1,000.00
Downtown Events Group	\$2,000.00
Ethnic Minorities of Burma Advocacy & Resource Center	\$5,000.00
Iowa "75" Buzzard Softball Team	\$1,000.00
Iowa Asian Alliance	\$2,000.00
Iowa Golden Gloves Foundation	\$5,000.00
Iowa Public Radio	\$3,000.00
Iowa Radio Reading Information Service for the Blind and Print Handicapped (IRIS)	\$5,200.00
Link Associates	\$4,000.00
Merrymakers in Central Iowa	\$7,000.00
Metro Arts Alliance of Greater Des Moines	\$7,000.00
Midwest Educational Resource Development Fund	\$4,000.00
Neighborhood Finance Corp.	\$1,000.00
Planned Parenthood of the Heartland, Inc.	\$5,000.00
Polk County Agricultural Extension District dba ISU Extension-Polk County	\$4,000.00
Puppy Jake Foundation	\$1,000.00
Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines	\$8,000.00
Southside Cares LTD	\$5,000.00
The Robert D. and Billie Ray Center	\$2,000.00
Young Women's Resource Center	\$12,000.00
TOTAL	\$136,700.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 9, 2017

Community Betterment Grant Awards
April 24, 2017 Corrected Date April 25, 2017

Ballet Des Moines	\$3,000.00
Beaverdale Betterment Coalition	\$5,000.00
Beaverdale Fall Festival, Inc.	\$3,200.00
Beaverdale Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Booster Pak	\$5,000.00
Des Moines Chapter S.P.E.B.S.Q.S.A., Inc. dba	
Pride of Iowa Barbershop Chorus	\$1,800.00
Des Moines Golden Kiwanis Club	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center	\$1,000.00
Family Promise of Greater Des Moines	\$1,000.00
Hoover High School	\$627.00
Hoover Meredith Learning Community Foundation	\$3,000.00
Lower Beaver Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Merle Hay Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Valley High School World Culture's Club	\$1,000.00
WDMCS Student Scholarship Fund	\$2,000.00
West Des Moines Historical Society	\$2,000.00
West Des Moines Human Services	\$5,000.00

TOTAL \$50,627.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards**April 18, 2017**

Brook Run Neighborhood Association	\$2,500.00
Capital City Lodge No 2589 Loyal Order of Moose	\$4,000.00
Capitol Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Clive Community Foundation	\$3,500.00
Clowns at the Carousel	\$2,000.00
Community Housing Initiatives	\$5,000.00
Douglas Acres Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
East Des Moines Girls Softball Association	\$4,000.00
East Des Moines Swim Team	\$3,000.00
East High School Alumni Foundation	\$10,000.00
Fairground Neighbors for Community Improvement	\$2,500.00
Fairmont Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Grandview Little League	\$4,000.00
Grimes Volunteer Support Services	\$5,000.00
Hiatt Middle School-Des Moines Public Schools	\$3,000.00
Highland Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Johnston Chamber of Commerce	\$2,000.00
Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community	\$16,000.00
MLK Jr. Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
North Des Moines Girls Softball League, Inc.	\$4,000.00
Northeast Neighbors and Friends	\$3,000.00
Parks Area Foundation	\$18,000.00
Polar Bears Panthers	\$2,100.00
Polk City Development Corporation	\$5,500.00
Polk County Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Project	\$5,000.00
Sheridan Garden Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
South Central Iowa Federation of Labor Charity	\$3,000.00
Southeast Polk Dollars for Scholars	\$2,500.00
Union Park Neighborhood Association	\$2,404.00
Urbandale 4th of July Celebration	\$2,000.00
Urbandale Chamber of Commerce	\$5,000.00
Walnut Creek Little League D/B/A Walnut Creek Baseball	\$3,500.00

TOTAL**\$140,504.00**

Community Betterment Grant Awards

April 11, 2017

6th Avenue Corridor	\$4,000.00
Blood Sweat & Beers Iowa	\$3,000.00
Des Moines Area Religious Council (DMARC)	\$5,000.00
Des Moines I Have a Dream Foundation	\$2,500.00
Drake Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
East High Golf Classic	\$2,500.00
Freestore, Inc.	\$2,500.00
Hoover High School	\$2,400.00
Ingersoll Grand Self Municipal Improvement District	\$4,000.00
Italian-American Cultural Center of Iowa	\$25,000.00
John R Grubb YMCA	\$5,000.00
JOPPA Outreach	\$5,000.00
King Irving Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
King Irving Neighborhood Association	\$1,075.00
Oakridge Neighborhood Services	\$5,000.00
Orchard Place	\$10,000.00
Polk County Child Abuse and Neglect (C.A.N.) Prevention Council	\$2,500.00
Prelude Behavioral Services d/b/a Bernie Lorenz Recovery	\$2,000.00
Prevent Blindness Iowa	\$3,000.00
River Bend Association	\$5,000.00
Southwestern Hills Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
YMCA Supportive Housing Campus	\$5,000.00
Youth Sports Foundation (YSF)	\$2,500.00

TOTAL**\$104,475.00**

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
March 28, 2017**

Des Moines Neighbors	\$3,000.00
Triad Foundation	\$3,000.00

TOTAL	\$6,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
March 14, 2017**

Lincoln High School Senior Prom/Senior Celebration	\$5,000.00
Guns N Hoses DSM, Inc.	\$4,500.00
Roosevelt High School	\$2,500.00
TOTAL	\$12,000.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards
March 7, 2017

Ankeny After Prom	\$5,000.00
Bondurant-Farrar High School After Prom	\$3,000.00
Dallas Center Grimes After Prom	\$3,000.00
Hoover High School Post Prom	\$5,000.00
Johnston High School After Prom	\$3,000.00
North High School Post Prom	\$5,000.00
North Polk Post Prom	\$3,000.00
Saydel High School After Prom	\$4,000.00
Scarlet Pride, Inc. fiscal agent for East High Post Prom	\$3,000.00
Southeast Polk Post Prom	\$4,000.00
The Valley After Prom Committee	\$5,000.00
Urbandale Post Prom	\$3,000.00
Woodward-Granger CSD Post Prom	\$1,000.00

TOTAL \$47,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
February 28, 2017**

Caring Hands Outreach Center	\$9,394.00
Urbandale Community Action Network	\$13,000.00

TOTAL	\$22,394.00
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