

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
March 3, 2015**

Food Bank of Iowa

\$6,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
March 10, 2015**

Ankeny After Prom	\$5,000.00
Bondurant-Farrar High School After Prom	\$3,000.00
Dallas Center Grimes After Prom	\$3,000.00
East High Post Prom Committee	\$3,000.00
Hoover High School Prom Committee	\$4,000.00
Johnston High School After Prom	\$3,000.00
Lincoln High School Senior Celebration/After-Prom	\$5,000.00
North High School Post Prom	\$5,000.00
North Polk Post Prom	\$3,000.00
Saydel High School After Prom	\$3,000.00
Southeast Polk Post Prom	\$4,000.00
The Valley After Prom Committee	\$4,000.00
Theodore Roosevelt High School Senior Event	\$2,500.00
Urbandale Post Prom	\$3,000.00
Woodward-Granger CSD Prom Committee	\$1,000.00
Des Moines Neighbors	\$2,000.00
TOTAL	\$53,500.00

Community Betterment Grant Award
April 14, 2015

East High School Alumni Foundation	\$8,000.00
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TOTAL	\$8,000.00
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Community Betterment Grant Awards
April 21, 2015

Accent Neighborhood Association, Inc.	\$2,500.00
American Legion Post 274	\$3,500.00
Broadlawns Medical Center Foundation	\$5,000.00
Brook Run Neighborhood Association	\$2,500.00
Capital City Lodge No. 2589 Loyal Order Moose	\$3,500.00
Capitol East Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Capitol Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Children's Cancer Connection	\$2,000.00
Clowns at the Carousel	\$1,000.00
Des Moines North High School Polar Bear Boosters	\$5,000.00
Douglas Acres Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
East Des Moines Girls Softball	\$4,000.00
East Des Moines Swim Team	\$3,000.00
Fairground Neighbors for Community Improvement	\$2,500.00
Fairmont Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Grandview Little League	\$4,000.00
Highland Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Iowa Golden Gloves Foundation	\$3,000.00
MLK Jr. Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Northeast Neighbors and Friends	\$3,000.00
Oak Park Neighbors	\$1,000.00
Parks Area Foundation	\$15,000.00
Runnells Historical Society	\$3,000.00
Sheridan Gardens Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Johnston Public Library	\$4,000.00
TOTAL	\$88,500.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards

April 28, 2015

6th Avenue Corridor	\$2,500.00
Ankeny Economic Corp	\$5,000.00
Central Iowa Shelter Services (CISS)	\$10,000.00
Connect Foundation-Iowa Juneteenth Observance	\$2,500.00
John R. Grubb YMCA	\$10,000.00
King Irving Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
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Little All-American Football	\$7,000.00
Mentor Iowa	\$2,000.00
Mondamin Presidential Neighborhood Association	\$1,500.00
Neighborhood Finance Corporation	\$3,000.00
Orchard Place	\$10,000.00
Prelude Behavioral Services d/b/a Bernie Lorenz Recovery	\$3,000.00
Prevent Blindness Iowa	\$3,000.00
Prospect Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Rails Wrestling Club-BLH Booster Club	\$5,000.00
River Bend Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Southwestern Hills Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
The Italian American Cultural Center of Iowa	\$20,000.00
Triad Foundation	\$3,000.00
YMCA of Greater Des Moines Supportive Housing Campus	\$2,500.00

TOTAL \$103,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 5, 2015**

Des Moines Arts Festival	\$8,000.00
Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center	\$5,000.00
Des Moines Performing Arts	\$15,000.00
Des Moines Public Schools Library Support Group	\$3,000.00
Dragon Scholarship Fund a Division of Johnston C	\$2,500.00
Got Bounce (Southeast Polk High School)	\$2,000.00
Iowa Asian Alliance Foundation	\$2,000.00
Iowa Homeless Youth Centers	\$20,000.00
Iowa Radio Reading Information Service for the BI	\$4,000.00
Immigrant Entrepreneur Summit	\$5,000.00
Johnston Chamber of Commerce	\$2,000.00
Mosaic in Des Moines	\$1,500.00
SCI CAN Foundation	\$5,000.00
SEP High School-Modeling in Science	\$3,000.00
South Central Iowa Federal Labor Charity	\$5,000.00
Southeast Polk Dollars for Scholars	\$2,500.00
The Homestead	\$4,000.00
Union Park Neighborhood Association	\$3,000.00
Young Women's Resource Center	\$15,000.00
TOTAL	\$107,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 12, 2015**

Clive Community Foundation	\$3,500.00
Grimes Volunteer Support Services	\$5,000.00
Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community	\$9,000.00
Metro Arts Alliance of Greater Des Moines	\$10,000.00
Windsor Heights Foundation	\$3,500.00

TOTAL \$31,000.00

Community Betterment Awards

May 19, 2015

Ankeny Area Chamber of Commerce	\$10,000.00
American Legion Post 663	\$2,000.00
City of Urbandale (MAC CAMP)	\$2,500.00
Clive Festival	\$3,500.00
Clive Historical Society	\$2,500.00
Courage League Sports	\$3,000.00
Des Moines Area Youth Track Club & Development	\$5,000.00
Downtown Urbandale Neighborhood Association	\$2,000.00
Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity	\$1,500.00
Grimes Public Library	\$1,000.00
Iowa "75" Buzzards	\$1,500.00
Johnston Public Library Foundation	\$1,157.00
Johnston Soccer Club	\$2,500.00
Living History Farms	\$6,000.00
North Polk CSD	\$4,000.00
North Polk School Foundation	\$3,000.00
Polk City Development Corp.	\$5,500.00
Urbandale Food Pantry	\$2,000.00
Urbandale Little League	\$6,000.00
Urbandale Optimist Club	\$1,000.00
Walnut Creek Little League	\$4,000.00
TOTAL	\$69,657.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
May 26, 2015**

Amanda Cares, Inc. dba Amanda the Panda	\$3,000.00
Ballet Des Moines	\$2,000.00
Beaverdale Betterment Coalition	\$5,000.00
Beaverdale Fall Festival	\$2,500.00
Beaverdale Neighborhood Association	\$4,999.00
Best Buddies Iowa	\$3,000.00
Des Moines "I Have a Dream" Foundation	\$5,000.00
Des Moines Bicycle Collective	\$3,000.00
Des Moines Chapter, SPEBSQSA, Pride of Iowa Chorus	\$1,500.00
Des Moines Choral Society	\$2,000.00
Des Moines Golden Kiwanis Club	\$2,000.00
Everybody Wins! Iowa	\$2,000.00
Forest Ave. Outreach	\$2,700.00
Historic Valley Junction Foundation	\$5,000.00
Hoover High School	\$2,400.00
Hospice of Central Iowa dba HCI Care Services	\$5,000.00
Iowa Asian Alliance Foundation	\$2,000.00
Iowa Sports Foundation	\$5,000.00
Lower Beaver Neighborhood Association	\$3,100.00
Merle Hay Neighborhood Association	\$5,000.00
Mosaic in Des Moines	\$2,000.00
Music Under the Stars, Inc.	\$1,000.00
Northwest Soccer Club	\$1,500.00
Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines	\$10,000.00
Science Center of Iowa	\$2,500.00
Tai Village Inc.	\$5,000.00
WDMCS Foundation-Booster Pak	\$5,000.00
WDMCS Student Scholarship Fund	\$2,000.00
West Des Moines Historical Society	\$10,000.00
West Des Moines Human Services	\$5,000.00
YMCA of Greater Des Moines	\$2,500.00

TOTAL **\$112,699.00**

Community Betterment Grant Award
June 9, 2015

City of Urbandale (MAC CAMP)	\$1,500.00
Des Moines North High School Polar Bear Boosters	\$5,000.00
Great Outdoors Foundation	\$3,000.00
Urbandale 4th of July Celebration	\$2,000.00
TOTAL	\$11,500.00

Community Betterment Grant Awards

June 16, 2015

Altoona Elementary School	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Area Historical Society	\$3,086.25
Ankeny City Band	\$2,000.00
Ankeny Community Chorus	\$2,000.00
Ankeny Community Foundation	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Community School District Foundation	\$5,000.00
Ankeny Little League Baseball	\$4,000.00
Ankeny Police Department	\$3,600.00
Can Do Cancer	\$1,000.00
Eastern Polk Regional Development Incorporated	\$15,000.00
Golden Eagle Wrestling	\$1,500.00
Mayor's Youth Council-City of Ankeny	\$2,000.00
Mitchellville Public Library	\$2,000.00
New Horizons Adult Day Center	\$5,000.00
Polk County Agricultural Extension District	\$3,637.00
Polk County Housing Trust Fund	\$5,000.00
Project Fresh Start	\$3,000.00
Southeast Polk Community School District	\$3,000.00
Uptown Ankeny, Inc.	\$5,000.00

TOTAL **\$75,823.25**

**Community Betterment Grant Award
June 23, 2015**

Des Moines Park and Recreation Foundation	\$5,000.00
Dallas Center-Grimes Education Foundation	\$3,500.00
Jane Foundation, Inc.	\$5,000.00
Never Say Can't Foundation	\$2,000.00
South Gate Masonic Lodge	\$5,000.00
Urbandale Community Action Network (UCAN)	\$18,000.00

TOTAL \$38,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
June 30, 2015**

Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden

\$15,000.00

TOTAL

\$15,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
July 21, 2015**

Clive Community Services	\$2,500.00
West Des Moines Community Schools Foundation	
Fiscal Agent For Blank Tales	\$3,000.00

TOTAL \$5,500.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
July 28, 2015**

Latina Leadership Initiative of Greater Des Moines	\$5,000.00
The Greater Des Moines Community Foundation (Ingersoll Live)	\$2,500.00

TOTAL	\$7,500.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
August 4, 2015**

Southside Cares, Ltd.

\$5,000.00

TOTAL

\$5,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Award
August 18, 2015**

Ankeny Community
Foundation (Art for
Ankeny)

\$3,000.00

TOTAL

\$3,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Award
September 1, 2015**

Mitchellville Community Center, Inc.	\$3,640.00
Youth Sports Foundation	\$5,000.00

TOTAL	\$8,640.00
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Community Betterment Grant Awards

September 8, 2015

City of Clive Public Library
J-Hawk Soccer Club

\$2,500.00
\$2,500.00

TOTAL

\$5,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
October 13, 2015**

Endow Urbandale	\$5,500.00
Friendly Sons of St. Patrick	\$5,000.00

TOTAL	\$10,500.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
October 27, 2015**

Central Iowa Wind Ensemble	\$500.00
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TOTAL	\$500.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Award
November 3, 2015**

Caring Hands Outreach Center	\$1,000.00
Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community	\$1,000.00
West Des Moines Historical Society	\$2,000.00

TOTAL \$4,000.00

**Community Betterment Grant Awards
November 10, 2015**

*Bidwell-Riverside Center	\$6,600.00
*Creative Visions	\$6,600.00
*Polk County Community, Family and Youth Services	\$1,550.00
*Urbandale Food Pantry	\$1,000.00
*West Des Moines Human Services	\$2,000.00

TOTAL \$17,750.00

All organizations with an (*) next to their name will have their grant award paid directly to Hy-Vee for a hunger initiative.

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November 17, 2015**

IMPACT Community Action Partnership (f/k/a Red Rock Area Action)	\$5,000.00
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TOTAL	\$5,000.00
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**Community Betterment Grant Awards
December 1, 2015**

*Bidwell-Riverside Center	\$2,550.00
Calvin Community Foundation	\$3,000.00
Raccoon Valley Little League	\$5,000.00

TOTAL \$10,550.00

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