November 2021

It’s with a profound sense of gratitude that we reflect on all the past year has brought us: new ideas, great challenges and stronger relationships with our community’s nonprofits. We recognize and appreciate the generous spirit of partners like you, which fuels the success of those nonprofits and, thus, our communities.

Our partnerships with local leaders and nonprofits working at the forefront of community-wide issues help us identify needs and solutions, such as access to transportation, child care, housing and brain health services.

We connect the dots between these community needs and people like you, who can help address them. Then, we leverage the power of endowment to make charitable giving easy and ensure gifts have a meaningful impact on local nonprofits. In 2021, 12 organizations’ missions were strengthened through $65,000 in distributions from their own endowment funds, listed here. You have helped make that possible.

Still, there are unmet needs. In the past five years, we’ve awarded over $96,000 from our own grantmaking fund to dozens of organizations — yet more than $115,000 of worthy requests have gone unfunded. Nonprofits need your support to close this gap.

A gift to any of these funds is an opportunity to help our communities thrive today, tomorrow and forever. In return for your generosity, your gift of $50 or more through the Foundation to nonprofit endowment funds listed here is eligible for the Endow Iowa 25% State Tax Credit.

Our community is full of passionate, generous people and organizations making a difference today and for the future. Understanding our shared challenges and working together to develop solutions is our most important work. As you reflect on your own experiences from 2021, please consider a year-end gift that will support a strong Dyersville area for generations to come.

With sincere gratitude,

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