
2019 in Review



THE
COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION

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Investing in Positive Change

Two overarching goals drive our competitive grantmaking — **creating an equitable community** and **strengthening our region's vitality**. This focus helps us and our community partners close achievement and opportunity gaps in city schools, foster racial understanding, and tackle the root causes and devastating impacts of poverty, as well as support the arts, preserve historical assets, and promote successful aging.

From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019, the Community Foundation's board of directors approved the following competitive grants (categorized under the two main goals and each of their three action areas). Forever (unrestricted) and field of interest funds make possible most competitive grants.

A number in parentheses indicates how many grants were received during the one-year period for the same program and are included in the grant total. Symbols listed in the key at the bottom of pages indicate grants from funds that have their own application processes. Learn more about our grants at racf.org/Grants.

CREATING AN EQUITABLE COMMUNITY

\$2,183,095

Closing Academic Achievement and Opportunity Gaps

\$1,469,205

Making a significant and sustainable reduction in academic achievement and opportunity gaps as experienced by many children, with emphasis on children living in the City of Rochester.

Allendale Columbia School: summer LEAP Program, \$15,000**

American Institutes for Research: Evaluation of Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$40,000

The Arc Wayne: Family Training for Feeding and Speech Development, \$4,772°

ARC of Yates County: Keuka Lake School Playground, \$3,038°°

Arts Center of Yates County: Teen Engagement Public Art Project, \$1,800°°

Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired: Children and Family Program, \$10,000**

Best Buddies New York: School Friendship Program, \$15,000**

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Rochester:

- Mentoring Youth for Educational Success, \$15,000 (2)°° °°
- Beyond School Walls, \$15,000**
- Bigs in Blue, \$9,000*

Borinquen Dance Theatre: Self Development and Dance Program, \$8,500**

Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester: Quality Enhancements for Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$40,000

Cameron Community Ministries: After-School Program, \$10,000**

Catholic Charities of Wayne County:

- Positive Attitude Responsible Citizen Program, \$62,500°°
- Childhood Counseling and Intervention Program, \$120,000°°
- College Bound, \$35,000°°

The Children's Agenda:

- Community Advocacy for Youth, \$45,000
- Achieving Positive Change for Children and Youth, \$15,000**

Children's Institute:

- Social-Emotional Screening and Intervention, \$30,000
- Quality Improvement for Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$55,000

City of Rochester, Department of Recreation & Youth Services: Youth Voice One Vision, \$25,000

Community Place of Greater Rochester: Quality Enhancements for Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$40,000

Compeer Rochester: Youth Peer Mentoring Service, \$5,000*

Coordinated Care Services: Youth Program Quality Improvement, \$20,000

Court Appointed Special Advocates: Education Matters Parent Engagement Program, \$9,000**

Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes: LGBTQ Program, \$2,100°°

Flower City Arts Center: Studio 678 Arts Education for Urban Youth, \$10,000**

Friends & Foundation of the Rochester Public Library: Safe to be Smart, \$30,000

Generation Two: Social/Emotional Support for School 45 Kindergarten and First Grade Students, \$5,000*

Geva Theatre Center: P.L.A.Y. (Performance = Literature + Art + You), \$15,000**

Girl Scouts of Western New York: Camp for Underserved Girls, \$1,500

Greater Rochester After-School Alliance: Operating Support for Out-of-School-Time Coordination, \$180,000

Greater Rochester Summer Learning Association: summer LEAP Early Pre-K to Grade 3 Initiative, \$40,000 (2) **

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Hobart and William Smith Colleges: GENEVA 2020 Initiative to Support Education of Geneva's Children, \$8,400

Horizons Student Enrichment Program: Healthy Minds, Healthy Learners, \$5,000**

Joseph Avenue Arts and Culture Alliance: Arts Curriculum Enrichment Program, \$3,500*

Leadership Rochester: Youth Leadership Program, \$10,000

M.K. Gandhi Institute for Nonviolence: School Climate Transformation Program, \$20,500 (2)**

Magical Journey Thru Stages: Kids Theatre Experience, \$8,500**

New York State Network for Youth Success: Professional Development and Regional Network Support, \$40,000

Palmyra-Macedon Intermediate School: Makerspace Learning Environment, \$10,000^o

Parent Leadership Training Institute: Program Developing Parent Leaders, \$20,000

Penn Yan Area Council of Churches Community Action Program: Holiday Gifts for Yates School District Students, \$1,500^o

Public Policy and Education Fund: City School Climate Reform, \$75,000

Quad A for Kids:

- After-School Ballet Program, \$14,880**
- Quality Enhancements for Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$40,000

Research Foundation for SUNY Geneseo: Soaring Stars *summer* LEAP Program on Campus, \$15,000**

Research Foundation of SUNY Brockport: *summer*LEAP Program on Campus, \$15,000**

ROC the Future: Collective Impact Initiative to Improve Academic Achievement for Rochester's Children, \$35,000

Rochester's Child: Support for Early Childhood Development Initiative, \$30,000

Rochester City Ballet: "Sleepy Beauty" Performance to Expose Rochester City School District Students to the Arts, \$15,000**

Rochester Hearing & Speech Center: Early Intervention for Children with Speech-Language Delays, \$15,000**

Rochester Oratorio Society: Tubman to Today: A Legacy of Leadership, \$1,100*

Rochester/Monroe County Youth Bureau: Youth As Resources, \$21,900

Rural & Migrant Ministry: Leadership Development Program, \$4,000^o

S2AY Rural Health Network: Our Town Rocks and Reads, \$2,500^o

Scarlet Thread Ministries: After-School Initiative, \$5,000^o

Settlement Houses of Rochester Foundation: Solar Car S.T.E.M. Project, \$4,400*

St. Michael's Woodshop: Out-of-School-Time Program for Rochester Youth, \$10,000*

University of Rochester, Warner Graduate School of Education: Horizons at UR *summer* LEAP Program for Older Students, \$12,600**

Urban League of Rochester: Project Ready Post-Secondary Success Program, \$15,000**

Wilson Commencement Park: Wilson Wonders Youth Programs, \$7,000*

YMCA of Greater Rochester:

- Building Life Skills Through the Arts and Mentorship, \$15,000**
- Quality Enhancements for Out-of-School-Time Programs, \$40,000
- Camp Cory Scholarships, \$6,215^o

Young Women's College Prep Foundation: Destination: College, \$10,000**

Fostering Racial and Ethnic Understanding and Equity

\$145,000

Creating community awareness of racial and ethnic inequities and building sustained, community-based collaborative initiatives that remediate and prevent such inequities.

St. Joseph's Neighborhood Center:

- Structural Racism Initiative Planning Grant, \$25,000
- Racial Equity and Justice Initiative (REJI), \$50,000

YWCA of Rochester & Monroe County:

- Person2Person Program to Match Individuals from Different Racial, Ethnic Backgrounds, \$50,000
- Community Stand Against Racism Initiative \$20,000 (2)

Partnering Against Poverty

\$568,890

Creating community awareness and understanding and encouraging collaborative efforts to increase prosperity and reduce the effects of poverty. (The total includes grants for Holiday Toys - Page 5; Summer Meals - Page 6; and Wayne County food pantries - Page 7).

BOCES 1: Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$10,000

Catholic Family Center:

- Family Independence Initiative, \$50,000
- Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$5,000

Causewave Community Partners: Connecting People with Programs to Alleviate Poverty, \$17,050

Center for Teen Empowerment:

- Trauma-Informed Leadership Development, \$2,500*
- Neighborhood-Based Youth Organizing Initiative, \$75,000 (2)**

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Community Action of Orleans & Genesee: Financial Assistance Grant Program, \$15,000

Connected Communities: Strengthening Economic Vitality in the EMMA and Beechwood Neighborhoods, \$25,000

Coordinated Care Services:

- Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$14,750
- Learning Community for Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$21,000

Cornell University: Employment Rights of Justice-Involved Job Seekers and Their Employers, \$5,000*

Family Promise of Wayne County: Client Support Services, \$40,000^{oo}

Foodlink: Summer Meals and Kids Café, \$75,000

Friends & Foundation of the Rochester Public Library: Outdoor Classroom and Visitor Engagement Area at Central Library, \$25,000

The Partnership for Ontario County: Ontario County Youth Court, \$15,000**

Pro Action of Steuben & Yates, Inc.: HOPE Center Community Food Pantry, \$7,500^{oo}

Rochester Area Interfaith Hospitality Network: Financial Assistance Grant Program, \$4,500

Society for the Protection and Care of Children: Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$20,000

Spiritus Christi Mental Health Center: Urban Youth Outreach, \$6,500**

Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach: Family Reunification Program, \$8,000**

Starbridge Services Inc.: Youth Navigation Services to Reduce or Prevent Youth Violence, \$5,000**

Wayne Action for Racial Equality: Supporting Veterans and Families with Special Needs, \$5,000^o

Wayne County Rural Ministry-Come-Unity Center: Emergency Heat and Rent Assistance Program, \$5,000^o

Westside Farmers Market: Growth and Enhancement of the Market, \$2,500

Willow Domestic Violence Center: Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$20,000

Worker Justice Center of New York: Strategic Planning, \$5,000

YWCA of Rochester & Monroe County: Trauma-Informed Care Capacity-Building Initiative, \$20,000

STRENGTHENING REGIONAL VITALITY

\$1,109,774

Supporting a wide array of interests throughout our eight-county region. (The total includes Hospice grants - Page 7 and NeighborGood grants - Page 9).

Supporting Arts and Culture:

\$273,728

Encouraging vibrant and diverse arts and cultural offerings and improving the capacity of local arts organizations.

Arts & Cultural Council for Greater Rochester: Operating Support and Capacity-Building Grant Program, \$58,300

The Center for Youth Services: Strings for Success, \$9,000 (2)

Dansville Central School District: Creative Music and Movement Teaching Approach, \$4,857

Finger Lakes Cultural & Natural History Museum: Community Programming, \$5,000^{oo}

Flower City Arts Center:

- Visual Arts Studies for Students of Color, \$17,500
- Eyes Front: Photography and Writing with Women Veterans, \$5,000

Friends of Ganondagan: Presentation of Iroquois Creation Story, \$5,000

Friends of World of Inquiry School: Theatre Arts Development Education Grant, \$1,671

Garth Fagan Dance: Dance School Scholarships, \$5,000

Holiday Toys

\$6,000

For 20 years, grants from the Hubertus and Helmi Behrla Endowment Fund to nonprofits in our region help to make the holidays brighter for children they serve. The following organizations received grants of \$500:

The Arc Wayne

Ark of the Covenant Church of God by Faith

Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester

Catholic Charities of Livingston County

Community Action of Orleans & Genesee

Hillside Children's Foundation

His Way Ministries

Hope Hall

Irondequoit United Church of Christ

Rochester School For the Deaf

Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach

Trinity Inter-Faith Church

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Gateways Music Festival:

- 25th Anniversary Community Residency, \$5,000
- Support for 2019 Festival Featuring Classical Musicians of African American Descent, \$20,000

Geneseo Migrant Center: Creative Artists Migrant Program Services, \$6,000

Geneva Music Festival: Support for 2019 Festival, \$5,000

Geva Theatre Center: Community Engagement Initiative, \$5,000

The Hochstein School: Youth Dance Program Scholarships, \$5,000

Joseph Avenue Arts and Culture Alliance: Support for 2019 Programs, \$5,000

Ontario County Historical Society: The Iconic Art and History of Ontario County, \$8,700

Picture Fest International: Support for High Falls Women's Film Festival, \$4,000

PUSH Physical Theatre: Creative Collision Community Engagement, \$5,000

Rochester Broadway Theatre League: Artful Living Elder Program, \$2,500

Rochester Contemporary Art Center: Support for Spring and Fall Programming, \$7,200

Rochester Fringe Festival: Support for 2019 Festival, \$30,000

Rochester International Jazz Festival: Support for 2019 Free Performances on Gibbs Street Stage, \$30,000

Rochester Museum & Science Center: Museum Access Program, \$5,000

Rochester Oratorio Society: "The Peacemakers," \$4,000

Saint Peter's Episcopal Church: Community Arts Academy, \$5,000

Smith Center for the Arts:

- Support for Geneva's Finger Lakes Pride Festival, \$5,000
- Support for Geneva's Latino Festival, \$5,000

Preserving Historical Assets

\$194,500

Preserving our region's rich historical assets and promoting educational efforts that build on these assets.

1816 Farmington Quaker Meeting House Museum: Restoration of Post-and-Beam Frame, \$25,000

Cobblestone Society: Restoration of 1849 Cobblestone Schoolhouse, \$21,000

Corn Hill Neighbors Association: Expand Boundaries of National Third Ward Historic District, \$15,000

Friends of Ganondagan: Hodinöhsö:ni' Healthy Roots, Culture, and Traditions, \$11,000

Friends of the Rochester Public Market: Reintroduction of Historic Fountain at the Market, \$7,500

Garrett Chapel Memorial Trust: Preserving History for Generations Program, \$25,000

Genesee Country Village & Museum: Hamilton Property Restoration, \$20,000

Landmark Society of Western New York: Warner Castle Restoration, \$25,000

Little Theatre Film Society: Renovation and Restoration of Historic Little Theatre 1, \$13,000

National Warplane Museum: Vietnam Veteran and Southeast Asian American Memorial Project, \$10,000

Seashore Trolley Museum: Operating Support, \$2,500

Sodus Bay Historical Society: Research Library Renovation, \$5,000^o

Town of Huron: Grange Window Restoration, \$14,500

Summer Meals Mini Grants \$26,840

The Community Foundation is a member of the Summer Meals Partnership of Rochester, which works to ensure that all children up to age 18 in the City of Rochester have access to free and healthy meals during the summer months. The following organizations received grants to expand their programs to serve additional meals or increase the number of days of summer meal service:

441 Ministries, \$2,000

Action for a Better Community, \$1,500

Mary's Place, \$1,205

North East Area Development/Champion Academy, \$2,500

North East Area Development/Freedom School, \$5,000

Resident Services of America, Inc. for James A. Dobson Apartments, \$2,500

Rochester Family Mission, \$4,285

St. Luke Community Foundation, \$2,850

St. Phillip Missionary Baptist Church, \$5,000

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Promoting Successful Aging

\$641,546

Fostering successful aging by helping to create more age-friendly communities.

Catholic Charities of Buffalo: Home Visitation Program for Homebound Genesee County Residents, \$64,917[◊]

Community Action of Orleans & Genesee: Specialized Transportation Service for Older Genesee County Residents, \$128,000[◊]

Genesee County Office for the Aging:

- Service Coordination for Marshall-Funded Programs, \$87,666[◊]
- Marketing Coordination, \$15,985[◊]

Genesee Senior Foundation:

- Social Transportation Program, \$6,283[◊]
- Recreation Mini-Grants, \$15,299[◊]

Genesee Valley Health Partnership: Home Safe Home, \$3,000

Jewish Family Service of Rochester: Bereavement Support Group, \$5,540*

Lifespan of Greater Rochester:

- Healthcare Coordination and Social Work Care Navigation, \$60,000
- Financial Management Program, \$44,000[◊]

Livable Communities Initiative: Creating an Age-Friendly Community, \$64,000

Out Alliance: SAGE LGBTQ+ Seniors Newsletter Outreach, \$6,020*

PathStone Corporation: Handyman Program for Older Adults in Genesee County, \$60,000[◊]

Richmond Memorial Library: Library Services for Older Adults in Genesee County, \$57,140[◊]

Rochester Hearing & Speech Center: Community Based Audiology Services for Seniors, \$3,700*

St. John Fisher College: Promoting Healthy Aging, \$9,996*

Volunteer Legal Services Project: Older Adults Planning for the Future, \$10,000*

Hospice Grants

\$12,800

*The following nonprofit organizations received grants of \$800 from the **Joseph E. Brown Fund** to support operations and provide training for hospice volunteers:*

Advent House in Perinton

Aurora House of Western Monroe County in Spencerport

Benincasa in Mendon

Canandaigua Comfort Care Home/Light Hill in Ontario County

Crossroads House in Batavia, Genesee County

House of John in Clifton Springs, Ontario County

Isaiah House in Rochester

Journey Home in Greece

Keuka Comfort Care Home in Penn Yann, Yates County

Mt. Carmel House in Hilton

Pines of Peace in Ontario, Wayne County

Serenity House of Victor, Ontario County

Shepherd Home in Penfield

Sunset House in Irondequoit

Teresa House in Geneseo, Livingston County

Webster Comfort Care

Wayne County Food Pantries

\$21,750

*With support from the **Bullis Fund**, the Wayne County Community Endowment awarded grants to food pantry programs, with more money going to those located in areas with poverty rates higher than 15 percent. Grants were awarded to the following food-distribution programs:*

Clyde United Methodist Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

Cougar Cupboard, Inc. in Wolcott, \$1,000

Covenant Life Fellowship Food Pantry in Ontario, \$1,000

Daily Bread Food Pantry in Williamson, \$1,250

Lyons Community Food Pantry, \$1,000

Macedon Food Pantry, \$1,000

Newark Food Closet, \$1,250

North Rose United Methodist Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

Ontario Food Pantry, \$1,000

Palmyra-Macedon Food Pantry, \$1,000

Red Creek Food Pantry, \$1,000

Rose United Methodist Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

Savannah Community Food Pantry, \$1,000

Sodus Point United Methodist Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

St. John's Food Pantry in Clyde, \$1,000

Tyre Reform Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

Wayne County Action Program, Inc., serving northern Wayne County, \$1,000

Wayne County Rural Ministry Food Pantry, \$1,000

Williamson United Methodist Church Food Pantry, \$1,000

Wolcott Presbyterian Church Food Pantry, \$1,250

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Broadly Aligned Strategic Grants \$178,025

Supporting positive, enduring change through information-sharing, asset-building, and leadership.

ACT Rochester: Community Indicators for the Greater Rochester Region and Website Update, \$168,025 (2)

St. Joseph's Neighborhood Center: 2018 Ames-Amzalak Award for Nonprofit Excellence, \$10,000

Other Regional Grants \$707,290

Supporting a wide array of interests throughout our eight-county region. Total includes Hospice grants and NeighborGood grants, (listed on page 9).

13thirty Cancer Connect: Using Technology for Teens & Young Adults with Cancer, \$5,000*

ARC of Yates County: Keuka Lake School Playground, \$3,038^o

AutismUp:

- Cooking with Friends, \$3,900*
- Sports Skills Series, \$5,500^Δ

Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester: Weekend Free Play Zone, \$24,850^Δ

Bridges for Brain Injury: Adaptive Horseback Riding, \$2,750^o

Catholic Charities of Wayne County: Wayne County Coordinating Council, \$20,000^o

Center for Disability Rights:

- Rochester Rookies Wheelchair and Ambulatory Track and Field Sports Program, \$15,356^Δ
- Support Service Provider Program, \$10,000*

Chabad Lubavitch of Pittsford: Jewish Educational Youth Clubs, \$3,500*

Coordinated Child Development Program: Partnership for Play, \$7,698^Δ

Cracker Box Palace - Farm Animal Haven: Large Animal Shelter, \$6,500

EquiCenter: Youth and Horses Playing and Learning Together, \$24,500^Δ

F.F. Thompson Hospital Foundation: Support to Construct Intensive Care Unit and Pulmonary Medicine Clinic, \$50,000^o

Finger Lakes Visiting Nurse Service: Volunteer Recognition and Caregiver Conference, \$2,000

Genesee Land Trust: Cornwall Preserve Extension, \$30,000^o

Girl Scouts of Western New York: Introducing Archery and Ropes at Camp Piperwood, \$15,040^Δ

Girls Rock! Rochester: Gear Loan Program, \$2,900*

Heritage Christian Services:

- Respite Friends Program Minivan, \$5,000
- Springdale Farm Tours, \$5,000

Hillel Community Day School: Alliance Partnership, \$18,000

Humane Society of Greater Rochester at Lollypop Farm: Farm Animal Rescue Program, \$5,000

Ibero-American Development Corporation: El Camino Plays, \$14,720^Δ

Mercy Flight Central: Operating Support, \$1,000^o

Montezuma Audubon Center: Connecting Youth to Nature, 2,500^o

Nazareth College of Rochester: Global Citizenship Conference, \$2,500

Palmyra Community Center: Facilities, Equipment, and Youth Participation, \$55,300^o

Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York: Healthcare Business Academy Fellowship Sponsorship, \$5,000

Prevention First Foundation: Girl Scouts - Leaders in Prevention, \$7,000*

RESOLVE of Greater Rochester: Empowering Women After Domestic Violence, \$30,000 (3)^o

ROC E6: Lacrosse: The Impact of Lacrosse on the Inner City Student Athlete, \$8,975^Δ

Rochester Area Fencing Foundation: After-School Fencing Program in Canandaigua, \$25,000^Δ

ROCovery Fitness:

- Addiction Recovery Youth Program, \$25,000^Δ
- Recovery Support Through Fitness in Wayne County, \$5,000^o

Safe Harbors of the Finger Lakes: Kids' Rights to Personal Safety, \$3,000^o

Seneca Falls Development Corporation: Team Active8 Youth Program, \$5,840^Δ

Seneca Sailing Academy: Youth Sailing Camp Community Outreach and Engagement, \$6,524^Δ

Soldiers & Sailors Memorial Hospital: "Get Up and Get Going" Exercise Program, \$2,024^o

South East Area Coalition: Playfinding with Toy Libraries, \$8,690^Δ

Southwest Colts Football/Pop Warner Little Scholars, Inc.: Western NY Pop Warner Safety 1st and Travel Assistance Project, \$25,000^Δ

St. John Bosco Schools: Athletic Department Enhancement, \$16,749^Δ

St. John Fisher College: Teaching to Initiate Play Pilot Program, \$21,650^Δ

St. Joseph's Neighborhood Center: Healthcare Business Academy Fellowship Sponsorship, \$2,500

St. Paul's Lutheran School: Small-Sided Gaming and Inclusive Physical Activity Development, \$24,097^Δ

The Arc Wayne:

- Advancements in Gait and Mobility Training, \$12,994^o
- Free Activities and Sports Trailer Program, \$25,000^Δ

UR Medicine Home Care: Meals On Wheels Hot Boxes and Covers, \$7,716*

Village of Phelps: Replace Community Center Playground, \$25,000^Δ

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NeighborGood Grants

\$60,179

The NeighborGood Program was established in 1993 to help stabilize and strengthen City of Rochester neighborhoods through small grants to resident-led associations and block clubs. More than \$777,000 has been awarded in the program's 26-year history. The following were NeighborGood grant recipients:

19th Ward Community Association: Community Engagement Activities, \$2,500

ABC Streets Neighborhood Association: Historic Street Map Outdoor Message Board at Calumet and Harvard Streets Garden, \$1,000

Arlington Street Block Club: Arlingtonsofun [sic] Block Parties III and IV, \$500

Azalea Neighborhood Association: Community Building with Consistency and Inclusion, \$750

Beechwood Neighborhood Coalition: Parsells Bus Cubes, \$2,500

Business Association of the South Wedge Area: It's A Wonderful Life in the South Wedge, \$1,500

Celebration of Life Community: Help Me Read One-On-One Tutoring Program, \$2,000

Changing of the Scenes Neighborhood Association:

- Adams Street Block Party 2019, \$750
- Summer Jam 2019, \$2,500

Charlotte Community Association: 2019 Grow Community Visibility and Leadership Academy for Young Men Partnership, \$2,500

Charlotte Community Development Corporation: Digitizing Charlotte's History, \$2,500

City Roots Community Land Trust: Rehabilitation Project, \$2,000

Cottage Street Block Club: Block Club Operations, \$750

Falleson Road Block Club: Block Club Operations, \$750

Hamilton Tenant Association: Building Community, \$2,000

Hickory Neighbors United To Serve: Party in the Park and Welcome Basket Program, \$500

Highland Park Neighborhood Association: Boulevard, \$2,500

Jefferson Avenue Business Association: Unity Festival, \$2,000

Joseph Avenue Business Association: Green Visions Urban Farming Youth Employment Project, \$2,000

Middle Monroe Avenue Neighborhood Association: Lock 66. \$2,500

NCS Community Development Corporation:

- Be the Best Tenant, \$2,500
- Beautify Lyell Avenue, \$2,000
- Maplewood Avenue Block Club Neighborhood Get-Togethers, \$750

Neighborhood of the Arts Neighborhood Association: We Reach Out So NOTA Can Join In, \$1,900

Neighbors Building Neighborhoods Sector 6: Education, Information, and Active Engagement, \$1,355

North Winton Village Neighborhood Association: IN Bloom Project, \$2,500

Ontario Beach Park Program Committee: 2019 Big Band Dance Series, \$2,500

South Clinton Merchant Association: Streetscape Project, \$2,000

South East Area Coalition: Swillburg Rise, \$2,424

South Wedge Planning Committee: Wedge Workshops, \$2,000

Taproot Collective: Project First Impression, \$2,000

Thurston Brooks Merchant Association: Business/Community Engagement, \$2,000

Unity NE Block Club Association: Harvest Festival and KIDS ROCS, \$750

Wadsworth Square Neighborhood Association: Calendar of Events, \$1,500

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Giving Circle Grants: \$278,050

The five giving circles at Rochester Area Community Foundation provide an entrée to philanthropy for their more than 300 members. Each giving circle has its own mission. Members contribute annually to the giving circle's fund and, in most cases, they vote on grants vetted and recommended by other members or a grant review committee. Get more information on these dynamic groups of donors at www.racf.org/GivingCircles.

African-American Giving Initiative, \$10,000

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Rochester: Beyond School Walls, \$5,000

Quad A for Kids: After-School Programs, \$2,500

Wilson Alliance: Wilson Pearls Step Team \$2,500

Developmental Disabilities Giving Circle, \$41,500

Autism Up: LinkUp Career Vocation Program, \$5,000

Monroe Housing Collaborative: Housing Navigation Program, \$16,500

Rochester Rehabilitation Center: Tech/Doc Enrichment Institute, \$20,000

LGBT+ Giving Circle, \$35,500

ACT Rochester: Sexual Health in Rochester Report, \$2,000

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Rochester: Mentoring for LGBT Youth, \$2,000

BOA Editions Ltd.: Documents by LGBT Author J H Grey, \$2,000

Boy Scouts of America, Seneca Waterways Council 397: After-School Scouting Programs in City of Rochester, \$1,300

The Center for Teen Empowerment: Southwest Youth Peace Initiatives, \$3,000

The Children's Agenda: Children's Social-Emotional Health Needs, \$2,000

East House Corp.: Training for Staff and Clients, \$1,000

Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes: You Are Not Alone Program, \$1,500

Girls Rock! Rochester: 2019 Queer Rock! Camp, \$3,250

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At Rochester Area Community Foundation, you can provide ongoing support to the community now and in the future by creating flexible or broad-purpose funds that allow us to nurture high-impact initiatives, convene diverse community partners, and support cutting-edge programs that are important to the vitality of the region. You can also create “your fund, your way” for personalized giving that helps your favorite charity or cause.

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The following lists contain only new named funds established from April 1, 2018 through March 31, 2019 — as well as those that converted to Forever Funds. Fund balances are current as of March 31, 2019. At the request of some donors, fund names or balances have been omitted.

FUNDS THAT SUPPORT THE COMMUNITY

Forever Funds

These funds support the community and the Community Foundation's role as a catalyst for positive, enduring change. The flexibility of Forever Funds provides and effective means to match donor generosity with the dynamic nature of our region's ever-changing needs.

Ann Connors Adler Fund, 2018: A Rochester-area physician created this fund in memory of his wife, a doctor of internal medicine.

Beverly T. Bowen Fund, 2019: A bequest from an elementary school teacher and artist established this fund to support changing needs of the community. \$311,217

Tony H. and Gill R. Dechario Fund, 2019: An estate gift established this fund to support changing needs in the community in the names of two civic-minded and involved Rochesterians. \$24,784

Virginia V. Howard Fund, 2018: This fund was established by bequest from a long-time supporter of Community Sponsors to support the changing needs of the community. \$23,978

Wolcott J. and Patricia K. Humphrey Fund, 2018: This fund converted from a Charitable Checking AccountSM to support the changing needs of the community. \$21,211

Sherman F. Levey Community Impact Fund, 2018: This donor-advised fund converted to a Forever Fund to address changing needs of the region after the passing of this longtime Rochester attorney. \$25,756

Lynny Manus Memorial Fund, 2018: This fund, created to honor a longtime employee of the Community Foundation, was converted to a Forever Fund to support the needs of our region today and into the future.

Drs. Krishan and Jaimala Thanik Fund, 2018: A Community Foundation board member and his wife used proceeds from a life insurance policy to establish this fund to support efforts to close the academic achievement and opportunity gaps in our community. \$115,024

Thomas and Beverley B. Tulloch Fund, 2018: A bequest from a former Kodak employee and longtime volunteer at Unity Hospital established this fund to support the region's changing needs. \$199,943

Ted and Joanne VanZandt Fund, 2018: An esteemed radiologist and professor and his wife, a passionate community advocate and the first woman to serve as president of the Monroe County Legislature, established this fund as their legacy to support the Greater Rochester region. \$43,028

FUNDS THAT SUPPORT CAUSES

People who have a passion for making a difference in broad or specific areas of interest know they can rely on the Community Foundation's expertise to evaluate and select appropriate local nonprofit organizations to receive grants from their funds.

Field of Interest Funds

This type of fund ensures permanent support for a donor's favorite charitable interests.

Chester and Dorris Carlson Charitable Fund 2, 2018: This former donor-advised fund was converted to an endowed fund to meet the changing needs of Greater Rochester, with particular emphasis on education and libraries.

Donald S. Hall Fund, 2019: Provides grants for local historic preservation and continues Don's support for select nonprofit organizations.

Korol Family Fund, 2018: A lifelong Rochester resident established this fund to help improve inner-city education, support those in poverty, and provide educational training for job opportunities.

Mission Related Investing Fund, 2018: The Community Foundation established this fund to support investments in communities, along with partners, that will generate both a financial and social return with a goal of strengthening the Greater Rochester region.

Vincent and Marjorie Olney Fund, 2018: This fund was established by an Ontario County couple to support programs in their community. \$72,077.39

Western New York and Finger Lakes Land Bank Fund, 2018: A local donor, who believed that open and wild lands contribute to the quality of life in our region, established this fund with a bequest to acquire, preserve and expand these spaces by strategically leveraging matching or challenge grants and other forms of financial assistance.

Scholarship Funds

Joining with the Community Foundation, you can assist diligent students with their education by creating a scholarship fund. From April 1, 2018 to March 31, 2019, the Foundation awarded 438 scholarships totaling \$738,098 to help students pursuing college, trade school, advanced degrees or special enrichment opportunities.

Community Scholarship Fund, 2018: This fund was established by the Community Foundation to encourage donors across the region to help local students in need with college expenses.

Nautilus Scholarship Fund, 2019: A group of local architects, construction managers, and educators created this scholarship to provide opportunities for the next generation of design, construction, and education professionals. \$51,168.

FUNDS THAT SUPPORT CHARITIES

People who want to help their favorite nonprofit organizations can turn to the Community Foundation to achieve their goals.

Designated Funds

Individuals or organizations created these funds to benefit specific charitable organizations. The Community Foundation ensures that these funds continue to be useful through the years. Typically, grants are distributed annually to the named organizations(s).

Brenneman Family Fund, 2018: A trust established this fund to support Arc of Monroe County, The Hochstein School, and Special Olympics. \$104,124

Mike Buckley Fund, 2018: An attorney and former Rochester Area Community Foundation board member established this fund to support the Community Foundation and Daystar for Medically Fragile Children. \$103,485

The DDGC Endowment Fund, 2018: Established to provide ongoing support to the Community Foundation's Developmental Disabilities Giving Circle. \$18,444

Feed the Mind and Body Fund, 2019: A terminated charitable gift annuity established this fund to provide ongoing support to the Rundel Memorial Library and Foodlink. \$16,482

George and Mary Ellen Giroux Scholarship Fund, 2018: Williamson Central School District graduates established this fund in honor of two former teachers to help music students with college expenses.

JP and Mell Gleason Charitable Endowment Fund, 2018: The sale of an insurance policy allowed a Rochester couple to create this fund to support Mohawk Valley Community College, Niagara University, St. Joseph's Neighborhood Center, and the Upstate Foundation. \$21,704

Claire Leonard Designated Scholarship Fund, 2019: A bequest created this fund to support scholarships for students from St. Thomas More Church in Brighton who attend Our Lady of Mercy High School or McQuaid Jesuit High School. \$98,021

The Marilyn A. Menegus Fund, 2018: This fund, established in memory of a pioneering woman in the field of clinical microbiology, supports the American Society of Microbiology.

Monast Healthy Pet Fund, 2018: Established to provide financial assistance to adults 55 and older in Monroe County who are struggling to pay for veterinary care, medications, and other health-related treatments so they can keep their animals.

Margaret Griffith Olsson Award for Palmyra-Macedon Central School District, 2018: A member of the McLouth and Griffith families established this fund in memory of her sister to provide a \$3,000 scholarship to a young woman interested in pursuing a career in books, literature, and/or writing.

William C. and Elizabeth W. Powell Family Literacy Fund, 2018: A Rochester couple established this fund to support efforts to reduce poverty by increasing literacy among adults. Supporting Literacy Volunteers of Rochester.

William Harvey Simmons Endowment Fund, 2019: The Simmons family established this fund in memory of their son and brother to support the work of Ontario-Yates Hospice in Geneva, Ontario County. \$28,287

WXXI Public Broadcasting Council Fund, 2018: An estate gift from a longtime volunteer for WXXI established this designated fund. \$55,114

Organization Endowments

Nonprofit organizations that place their endowments with the Community Foundation enjoy permanent stewardship, access to planned giving tools, and the benefit of participating in a multimillion-dollar investment pool.

Children's Institute Impact Fund, 2019: This fund was created to support research and adoption of evidence-based practices by those who work with children.

Crossroads House Endowment Fund, 2018: This fund was established to support the work of a Genesee County comfort care home for the terminally ill.

Dundee Area Historical Society, 2018: Established to preserve historical items and perpetuate history of the Dundee Central School District in Yates County.

Friends of Mount Hope Cemetery

- **Clifford Davie Fund:** This fund was established to maintain the Davie mausoleum in the cemetery. \$107,906
- **Irving Mann Fund:** This fund was established to maintain the family gravesites. \$24,109

Landmark Society of Western New York Staff Development Fund, 2018: Karl Kabelac, a supporter of this organization, established this endowed fund to provide enrichment and development opportunities to the Landmark Society's staff. \$24,063

Milly's Pantry Decades Fund, 2018: Established to support the organization and its mission to address food insecurity and academic readiness of youth in Yates County.

MadCap; A Choral Endowment Fund, 2018: Supports the Madrigalia Choral Group, a Rochester chamber ensemble.

Stephen D. Rogoff Scholarship Fund, 2018: Established by Prevention 1st to award scholarships to those who have experienced fire-related or unintentional injury and who demonstrate the empathetic and actionable character of this well-respected Rochester attorney.

Seneca Falls Education Foundation, 2018: These funds were established to provide a variety of support to the Seneca Falls Central School District and its students:

- **Paul and Irene Ashley Memorial Fund:** Provides scholarships to students who are pursuing a degree in the music or health fields.
- **Anthony & Jane Ferrara Memorial Award:** Provides an annual award to a Mynderse Academy graduate for post-secondary education who has demonstrated exemplary citizenship and respect for others, exhibits excellent character when dealing with students and staff, and has been deemed to be a hard worker in order to achieve academic success.
- **General Scholarship Fund for Academics:** Provides scholarships to students who demonstrate a strong academic performance.
- **General Scholarship Fund for Athletics:** Provides scholarships to students with an outstanding athletic ability.
- **General Scholarship Fund for Citizenship:** Provides scholarships to a student demonstrating strong civic responsibility.
- **General Scholarship Fund for Health Related Field:** Provides scholarships to students pursuing a degree in a health-related field.
- **Heather Lohr Memorial Scholarship:** Provides an annual award to a female senior who best exhibits the attributes of leadership, scholarship and involvement.
- **Martha A. Mertz Memorial Fund:** Provides support for the purchase of new books and supplies at Knight School Library.
- **Frank Paradise Memorial Award:** Provides an annual award to a Mynderse Academy graduate from the varsity football team roster who has exemplified devotion to the team by placing the "team above personal glory" and the qualities of a good citizen in the community and in school and who is pursuing a post-secondary education.

- **Curtis Quinn Jr. Memorial Award:** Provides an annual award to a graduating senior who is pursuing a post-secondary education, who is sports minded and displays good citizenship in the community and school.
- **Dana and Marion Rolfe Fund:** Provides scholarships to a male student pursuing a career in engineering education and female student pursuing a career a French education.
- **Stuart Smith Memorial Fund:** Provides an annual award to a graduate who has earned a Regent's Diploma, been accepted to an accredited college, excelled in sports and been a team player, demonstrates constant determination to achieve personal goals, and who has not received or been awarded other major scholarships.
- **Peter and Catherine Quilhot Trautman Fund:** Provides a scholarship to a male student who will be attending college.

Serenity House of Victor Fund, 2018: Established to support this comfort care home for the terminally ill in Ontario County.

Wadsworth Children's Library Building Fund, 2018: This endowment fund will provide support for the development and building of a children's library in Genesee, Livingston County.

Advised Funds

Individuals, families and businesses may recommend grants from their funds to nonprofit organizations in our eight-county region and beyond. The Community Foundation provides grant suggestions, information on community needs, administration, and investment management.

Thomas Adler Charitable Fund, 2018: A local allergist-immunologist established this fund to support his philanthropic interests.

Wendell Castle Tribute Fund, 2018: Established to preserve the art legacy of Wendell Castle, world renowned "Father of Art Furniture."

Funds

Helping Our Neighbors Fund, 2018:

A Rochester family created this fund to support programs in the greater Rochester-Finger Lakes region that focus on lifting individuals out of poverty through higher education, vocational training, mentoring, housing and job opportunities, or helping resettle and educate immigrants. \$1,077,329

Anthony L. Gugino and Earlene C.

Siebold Fund, 2018: A Pittsford couple established this fund to help fulfill their philanthropic goals.

Love, Lorenzo Memorial Fund, 2018:

A Hilton family, who experienced the devastating and unexpected loss of their son at 7 weeks old, established this fund to help other families memorialize the lives of their children.

Owen Thomas Legacy Fund, 2018:

Friends and family of Owen Thomas established this fund to honor the life of the 2017 Brighton High School graduate.

Pryor 50th Anniversary Invest in

Rochester Fund, 2018: A Rochester couple celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary established this fund to address immediate community needs, with priority focus on urban and equity issues.

Elizabeth and Eric Rennert Family

Fund, 2018: A Pittsford couple created this fund to support their philanthropic interests and give back to a community that has made a difference in their lives.

Louise and Bob Slaughter Fund,

2018: The family of the Rochester area's longtime U.S. Congressional representative and her husband created this fund to honor Louise's and Bob's service and dedication to the community. \$236,992

The Tara Fund, 2018:

A Rochester couple established this fund to support their charitable interests in arts and culture, education, youth, environment, historical preservation, and women and girls.

Michael J. Valentine Charitable Fund,

2019: This fund was established to honor the memory of a respected inventor and trademark author who was beloved by all who knew him and to support charitable organizations that reflect his values and those of his family members.

Gerald and Norma Vanderstynne Fund,

2018: A Victor couple established this fund to help people in need.

Thomas F. and Ann M. Ward Fund,

2018: Community Foundation supporters established this fund to promote education and health in Greater Rochester.

Wynne-Strauss Fund for Racial and Social Justice, 2018:

In memory of Fred and Marcia Strauss, this fund will support initiatives that advance social justice with a special focus on racial justice and the belief that every human being has worth and is entitled to dignity. \$24,528

Drs. Yang Zhao and Gary Smith

Fund, 2018: Two educators from Yates County created this fund to support their philanthropic goals.

Summary Financial Information

Consolidated Balance Sheet for the Year Ending March 31, 2019
Complete audited financial statements are available at racf.org/Financials.

	<u>2019</u>
ASSETS	
Cash and short-term investments	\$ 7,945,666
Accrued interest receivable	148,994
Pledges receivable, net	5,348,561
Charitable Checking Account SM	8,775,109
Investments	441,799,897
Land, building, and equipment, net	613,359
Split-interest agreements	12,147,306
Other assets	<u>443,755</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$477,222,647</u>
LIABILITIES	
Grants payable	\$4,021,014
Charitable Checking Account SM	8,775,109
Agency funds	32,160,784
Split-interest agreements	1,695,033
Other liabilities	<u>635,780</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 47,287,720</u>
NET ASSETS	
Unrestricted -	
Charitable endowment funds	\$ 276,929,905
Charitable Investor Funds SM	117,186,844
Grantmaking	17,239,253
Operations/administration	<u>2,778,091</u>
Total Unrestricted	\$ 414,134,093
Temporarily Restricted	<u>15,800,834</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>429,934,927</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 477,222,647</u>