

**PROGRAM/DISTRIBUTIONS COMMITTEE
NOVEMBER 2023 GRANT RECOMMENDATIONS**

GOAL: CREATE AN EQUITABLE COMMUNITY
Education Action Area

Recommendations are supported by:

- *Community Impact Fund*: Unrestricted fund for general charitable and educational purposes.

The Children's Agenda: \$60,000

The Children's Agenda is requesting general operating support to further their mission of advocating for policies and driving solutions that improve the health, education, and wellbeing of children, especially those most vulnerable due to poverty, racism, health inequities and trauma.

GOAL: STRENGTHEN REGIONAL VITALITY
Arts & Culture Action Area

Recommendations are supported by:

- *President's Fund*: Unrestricted fund to be used at the discretion of the President.

President's Office: \$15,000

ROC Holiday Village will be celebrating its fifth year at the MLK park in Downtown Rochester. The Village is free of charge and caters to people of all ages and backgrounds. It welcomed over 140,000 people last year. The village offers a wide array of activities that include free ice skating and skate rentals, a unique Shopping Village, free visits with Santa, fire pits with outdoor seating, indoor and outdoor bars with tasty food and drinks, hand-crafted goods, Cozy Winter Igloos, free crafts for kids, holiday celebrations, live music, private events, nightlife and more.