

2014 COMMUNITY BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

A Heinz57 Pet Rescue And Transport Inc. - *Microchip Clinics*
AIB College of Business - *AIB College of Business-Lincoln High School Softball & Baseball Fields Renovation Project*
ALS Association, Iowa Chapter - *Care Services Expansion Project*
Alzheimer's Association, Greater Iowa Chapter - *Alzheimer's Association Annual Caregiver Conference*
Amanda Cares - *Peer Support Grief Services*
Animal Lifeline of Iowa - *Special Needs Animal Veterinary Care*
Animal Rescue League of Iowa, Inc. - *Rescue Trailer*
Ankeny Community Foundation - *Ankeny Miracle Park*
Ankeny Optimist Club - *Project Juneberry*
Assault Care Center Extending Shelter & Support - *Clean and Safe Shelter*
Assumption School - *S.O.S. Securing our School - Safety Grant for PK-8*
Ballet Theatre of Des Moines - *2014-15 Performances & Organizational Efficiency*
Beacon of Life - *Changes for Growth*
Beaverdale Betterment Coalition - *Beaver Avenue Streetscape Project*
Best Buddies Iowa - *Best Buddies Central Iowa High School Project*
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa - *Latino/Hispanic Recruitment Initiative*
Blank Park Zoo Foundation - *Blank Rhinoceros*
Bondurant Farrar School District - *Athletic Complex*
Bondurant Farrar School District - *Nutrition and Wellness: Connecting Kids and Their Food*
Boys & Girls Clubs of Central Iowa - *Feeding the Future*
Bridges Of Iowa - *Program Enhancements*
Broadlawns Medical Center Foundation - *Advocate Circle Mental Health Community Awareness Initiative*
Calvin Community Foundation - *Community Signs*
Calvin Community Foundation - *Landscaping*
Camp Hantesa, Camp Fire USA - *Pool Renovation*
Camp Hantesa, Camp Fire USA - *Target Alliance Summer Camp*
Camp Hertko Hollow, Inc. - *Diabetes Camperships for Underserved Central Iowa Diabetic Youth*
Catholic Charities - *Poverty Reduction Programs*
Central Iowa Cement Mason Apprenticeship and Training Trust - *Apprenticeship Equipment Upgrade*
Central Iowa Sheet Metal Training Fund - *Shear Procurement*
Central Iowa Shelter & Services - *Case Management & Supportive Services*
Character Counts in Iowa - *Excellence and Ethics and Power2Achieve*
Character Counts in Iowa - *Implementation and Field Testing of Character Counts! Site-Based Integration*
Child Abuse Prevention Services Inc. - *Crisis Child Care*
Children's Cancer Connection - *Family Camp*
ChildServe Foundation - *Day Health Services*
Christ the King Catholic School - *School Safety Program*



City of Altoona Fire Department - Patient Evacuation Equipment
City of Altoona Police Department - Safety Equipment
City of Altoona Youth Soccer Association - AYSA Soccer Goals and Field Line Sprayer
City of Bondurant - Bondurant 'Student Scientists'
City of Bondurant - City Park Lighting Improvement Project
City of Collins - Fire Station and Emergency Response Center
City of Cumming - Park Updates
City of Delaware Township Fire Department - Rescue Equipment
City of Des Moines Police Department - Des Moines Police Mounted Patrol
City of Elkhart - Playing Together, Building Together
City of Granger Parks & Recreation Board - Community Center Recreational Area
City of Grimes Fire Department - CPR Assist Device
City of Indianola Police Department - Office on the Street
City of Johnston Fire Department - Mechanical CPR Device
City of Maxwell - Main Street Beautification Project
City of Mingo Fire Department - Mutual Aid Resource and Response
City of Mitchellville Public Library - Refresh and Renew Interior Spaces
City of Norwalk - Norwalk Trail Connection
City of Pleasant Hill Emergency Services - Pre-emption Device Upgrade
City of Pleasant Hill Library - Self Check Kiosk
City of Polk City Firefighters Association - Community AED Grant
City of Windsor Heights - Emergency Operations & Public Facility
Civic Music Association - Partners in Music Education - 90th Anniversary Season
Class Act Productions - Purchase Padded Folding Chairs
Clearview Recovery, Inc. - Replacement of Inefficient and Eco-Unfriendly Air Conditioning System
Collins Maxwell School District - Partners in Education - Mobile Tech Library
Collins Maxwell School District - Collins-Maxwell Elementary School - Nurse Supplies for Wellness
Concerns Of Police Survivors - Honoring the Fallen - Peace Officers Monument
Concerns Of Police Survivors - Iowa C.O.P.S. Funeral Response Team
Copper Creek Triathlon - 2014 Copper Creek Triathlon
Cottage Grove Avenue Presbyterian Church - CROSS Ministries
Courage League Sports - Wellness Programming for Children with Special Needs
Dallas Center Grimes Community School District - Reconnecting Students with the Natural World:
Meadows Outdoor Classroom
Dallas County Hospital Foundation Inc. - Automatic Chest Compression System
Des Moines Area Community College Foundation - DMACC's High School Equivalency Testing Project
Des Moines Area Religious Council - 1435 Mulberry Initiative



Des Moines Area Sports Commission - 2014 AAU Junior Olympic Games
Des Moines Area Sports Commission - 2014 National Junior High School Rodeo Championships
Des Moines Art Center - 2014 Free Admission Program
Des Moines Art Center - 2014 School Tours Program
Des Moines Arts Festival - 2014 Des Moines Arts Festival
Des Moines Community Playhouse - Spotlight: Literacy
Des Moines Health Center - Smile Squad Dental Clinic
Des Moines I Have A Dream Foundation - 2018 King Dreamers Class
Des Moines Metro Opera, Inc. - OPERA Iowa Educational Touring Troupe
Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center - Counseling Assistance for Hope and Healing
Des Moines Performing Arts - Applause Curriculum Connected Performances for School Audiences
Des Moines Performing Arts - Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards
Des Moines Public Library Foundation - 2014 Summer Reading Program
Des Moines Public School District - Advanced Placement - AP for All
Des Moines Public School District - Brubaker Elementary School - Targeted Learning
Des Moines Public School District - Callanan Middle School - Afterschool and Summer Program
Des Moines Public School District - Capitol View Elementary - Bridging the Digital Divide
Des Moines Public School District - Carver Elementary School - Blessings In A Backpack
Des Moines Public School District - Library Support Group - Rainbow Reading Project
Des Moines Public School District - Greenwood Elementary School - Imagine Learning
Des Moines Public School District - Hillis Elementary School - Summer Camp
Des Moines Public School District - Hoover High School - Graphing Calculators
Des Moines Public School District - Hoyt Middle School - Boys Club
Des Moines Public School District - Learning Services - The Ronald Sallade Children's School Clothing Project
Des Moines Public School District - River Woods Elementary - Technology for All
Des Moines Public School District - Studebaker Elementary School - Imagineering: Afterschool Robotics
Des Moines Public School District - Walnut Street School - Enhancing Education through Technology
Des Moines Symphony Association - 2014 Des Moines Symphony Youth Concerts
Dowling Catholic High School - Pathways for Success
Drake University - Archives and Special Collections at Cowles Library
Drake University - Furniture for Reception and Waiting Areas for Drake Legal Clinic
Dress For Success Des Moines - Suiting Program
East Des Moines Girls Softball Association - 2014 Field Renovations and Park Improvements
Easter Seals Society of Iowa - Camp Sunnyside Campships
Easter Seals Society of Iowa - Camp Sunnyside Kitchen Renovation
Eldora Fire Rescue - Turnout Gear Purchase
Employee & Family Resources - Every Family Rocks! Family Music Festival



Everybody Wins! Iowa - *Power Lunch Series*
Eyerly-Ball Community Mental Health Services - *Integrated Health Client Assistance*
Faith Missionary Baptist Church - *Faith Food Pantry*
Food Bank of Iowa - *BackPack Program*
Furry Friends Refuge - *Building No-Kill Communities in Iowa*
Girl Scouts of Greater Iowa, Inc. - *Girl Scouting for Underserved Girls*
Goodwill Industries of Central Iowa - *Work Experience Program*
Greater Altoona Community Service Campus - *Teen Fitness Initiative*
Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden - *Conservatory Exhibits*
Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity - *2014 Neighborhood Revitalization*
Greater Des Moines Music Coalition - *2014 80/35 Music Festival*
Greater Des Moines Partnership - *2014 WOW! (Wonder of Words) Festival*
HCI Care Services - *Family Caregiver College*
Healthy Birth Day Inc. - *Count the Kicks*
Holy Family School Inner-City Youth Foundation - *Holy Family School Security Enhancement Proposal*
Holy Trinity School - *Securing Our Buildings; Protecting Our Children*
Homecare Services, Inc. of Dallas County - *Energy Efficiency and Cost Savings Upgrade*
House of Mercy - *Healthy Eating - Healthy Children*
Hoyt Sherman Place Foundation - *Sign Project*
I'll Make Me a World in Iowa, Inc. - *2015 I'll Make Me a World in Iowa, Iowa's African American Festival*
Indianola Community Youth Foundation - *Blake Fieldhouse Enhancements*
Indianola Preschool Inc. - *Computers and Printers and iPads...oh my!*
Iowa Alliance For Retired Americans - *Training for Senior Issue Advocacy*
Iowa Asian Alliance Foundation - *2014 CelebrAsian: 12th Annual Asian Heritage Festival*
Iowa Association Of Business And Industry Foundation - *Business Horizons 2014*
Iowa Coalition Against Sexual Assault - *Handicap Accessible Renovation*
Iowa Dental Foundation - *2014 Iowa Mission of Mercy*
Iowa Foster and Adoptive Parents Association - *Friends of Children in Foster Care Program*
Iowa Hands and Voices - *2014 Iowa Symposium on Childhood Hearing Loss: Impact on Children and Their Families*
Iowa Homeless Youth Centers - *IHYC Youth Opportunity Center*
Iowa International Center - *Emergency Response Service*
Iowa Legal Aid - *Elder Law Seminars*
Iowa Legal Aid - *Language Access Project*
Iowa Public Television Foundation - *Iowa Soldiers Remember Vietnam*
Iowa Radio Reading Info Services for the Blind & Print Handicapped - *IRIS Equipment Upgrade*
Iowa Shrine Bowl Games - *2014 Iowa Shrine Bowl All-Star Football Classic*
Iowa Sports Foundation - *2014 Iowa Senior Olympics*



Iowa Sports Foundation - *Programs for Iowans who are Blind or Vision Impaired*
Iowa State Fair Blue Ribbon Foundation - *Cultural Center North Renovation*
Iowa State University, Polk County Extension - *Victorian Acres Greenhouse Renovations*
ISED Ventures - *Women's Business Center Computer Learning Lab*
Jasper County - *Sheriff's Office - DACS Team*
Jim Ellefson Free Medical Clinic - *Patient Services and Programs*
John L. Lewis Commission - *New Storage Facility Computerized Artifacts*
John Wayne Birthplace Society, Ltd. - *John Wayne Birthplace Museum*
Johnston Partnership for a Healthy Community - *Facility Relocation and Remodel*
Joppa Outreach - *Homeless Education Center*
Junior Achievement of Central Iowa, Inc. - *JA BizTown Program*
Junior Achievement of Central Iowa, Inc. - *JA In-School Programs*
Keep Iowa Beautiful - *Hometown Pride in Jasper County*
King David Lodge # 407 AF & AM - *Property Beautification and Handicap Accessibility*
Laborers Local 177 Training And Education Fund - *Apprenticeship Training*
Latino Resources, Inc. - *2014 Iowa Latino Heritage Festival*
Leukemia & Lymphoma Society Inc. - *Patient Services Programs for Blood Cancer Patients & Families in Iowa*
Link Associates Foundation - *Employment Enhancement & Handicapped Accessibility*
Living History Farms - *1700 Ioway Farm Relocation and Accessibility*
Local 67 Training Program Trust - *Apprentice Training*
Lutheran Services in Iowa, Inc. - *Refugee Connection Center Roof Replacement*
Make A Wish Foundation of Iowa - *Wish Granting in the Des Moines Area*
MECCA Services - *Bernie Lorenz Recovery Program*
Mentor Iowa - *One-on-One Mentoring Program*
Mercy Foundation - *Infant Simulator for Neonatal Intensive Care Unit*
Mercy Foundation - *Video Phones for Deaf Patients*
Metro Arts Alliance of Greater Des Moines - *2014 Jazz in July*
Mica-Asbestos Workers No 74 Education Trust Fund - *Clean Air Systems Employment Initiative*
Mid Iowa Council Boy Scouts of America - *After School Scouting Initiative*
Mitchellville Community Center - *Mitchellville Community Center Programs*
Mosaic - *Family Table*
Museum of Danish America - *Jens Jensen Prairie Landscape Park*
Music Under the Stars - *Music Under The Stars 2014 Season*
National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Upper Midwest Chapter - *Direct Financial Assistance*
National Society Of The Daughters Of The American Revolution - *Veteran Activities & Care*
Neveln Community Resource Center - *Ankeny Service Center Emergency Assistance Programming*
New Horizons Adult Day Center - *Multiple Sclerosis Program*



New Horizons Chamber - *Main Street Design*
Orchard Place - *Replacement of HVAC system*
Pet Project Midwest - *IowaPetAlert.com Upgrade*
Pet Project Midwest - *Pet Pantry Food and Shipping*
Planned Parenthood of the Heartland, Inc. - *Expanded Healthy Connections Program - MyHealth Express and Susan Knapp Clinics*
Polk County - *Crisis & Advocacy Services - Mid-Iowa Sexual Assault Nurse Examiners*
Polk County - *Senior Services - Runnells Arts and Crafts Program for Seniors*
Prairie City Monroe School District - *Middle School Interactive Whiteboards to Enhance Learning*
Prevent Blindness Iowa - *Children's Vision Screening*
Prevent Child Abuse Iowa - *Child Sexual Abuse Prevention Program*
Primary Health Care, Inc. - *Medical Supplies for East Side Clinic*
Progress Industries - *Road to Independence*
Puppy Jake Foundation - *Sponsorship of Service Dogs*
Reach Out and Read Iowa - *Books Build Better Brains Project*
Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines - *Handicap Accessibility and Repair Program*
Red Rock Area Community Action Program, Inc. Knoxville - *Feeding Families*
Red Rock Area Community Action Program, Inc. Rural Polk County - *Ankeny Food Pantry*
Rotary International - *Rotary of Des Moines A.M. - Our Shared Humanity: A Presentation from Naomi Tutu*
Runnells Area Park Corporation - *Family Centered Park*
Runnells Historical Society - *Historical Society Building Restoration Phase III*
Sacred Heart School - *Safety and Security Upgrades*
Science Center of Iowa - *Science @ Your Site Outreach Van*
Shoes That Fit - *Shoes That Fit 2014 Campaign*
Southeast Polk Community School District - *CASE for Agriculture Science at Southeast Polk*
Southeast Polk Community School District - *Centennial Elementary - Promethean Interactive Board*
Southeast Polk Community School District - *Hall of Honor*
Southeast Polk Community School District - *Runnells Elementary - Interactive Learning*
Southeast Polk Community School District - *Elementary School Security Camera Project*
Special Olympics Iowa - *Special Olympics Events for Polk County Athletes*
Ss. John and Paul Catholic Church - *Faith Formation Information Technology Capital Outlay*
St. Anthony Catholic School - *Building Security Project*
St. Augustin Catholic School - *Safety First*
St. Francis of Assisi School - *Playground Improvements*
St. Joseph Catholic Elementary School - *School Safety*
St. Patrick's Catholic School - *Educational Technology Enhancements Phase III*
St. Pius X School - *Safety and Security*



St. Theresa School - *Safety Takes Community Support*
StageWest Theater Company - *Radical Hospitality*
Storytime Child Care Center - *Education & Facilities Improvements*
The Foster Aunt and Uncle Project - *IOWAREADS Summer Literacy Program 2014*
The Homestead Living & Learning Center - *Improvements to Campus Road*
The Salvation Army - *Housing Assistance*
Trees Forever - *Healthy Trees: Healthy Communities*
United Way of Central Iowa - *Summer School Pilot Project*
UnityPoint Health Foundation - *Adolescent and Young Adult (AYA) Cancer Program*
UnityPoint Health Foundation - *Child and Adolescent Behavioral Health at Iowa Lutheran Hospital*
UnityPoint Health Foundation - *International Child Assault Prevention (ICAP) Program*
Urbandale Food Pantry - *Personals for Pantry*
Urbandale Parks and Recreation - *Making A Connection Camp (MAC Camp)*
Variety - The Children's Charity - *Ashley Okland Star Playground*
Variety - The Children's Charity - *Kids On The Go! Specialized Bikes*
Variety - The Children's Charity - *Kids On The Go! Traditional Bikes*
Visiting Nurse Services - *Stork's Nest and Family Nest Programs*
VSA Iowa - *Art Classes for Children with Disabilities*
Waukee Area Arts Council Inc. - *Opera in the Schools Project*
Wesley Community Services Inc. - *WesleyLife Meals on Wheels Temporary Meals Program*
West Des Moines Community Schools - *Booster Pak*
West Des Moines Historical Society - *Community Enrichment Initiative*
West Des Moines Human Services - *Homeless Prevention Program*
Wildwood Hills Ranch - *Dining Hall and Bunkhouse Furnishings*
Windsor Heights Foundation - *Music in the Park*
YMCA of Greater Des Moines - *Y Camp Scholarships*
YMCA of Greater Des Moines - *Youth Engagement Programming at the John R Grubb YMCA*
Young Women's Resource Center - *Removing Barriers to Access*
Youth and Shelter Services, Inc. - *Play Therapy Program for Children*
Youth Emergency Services & Shelter of Iowa - *Emergency Shelter Meals Program*
Youth Homes of Mid-America - *Building Automation System for YHMA Campus*

