



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Since 1996, Prairie Meadows has given back more than \$1.73 billion through taxes, grants, and charitable donations to the state of Iowa, with more than \$760 million remaining in Polk County.

4-H Clubs & Affiliated 4-H Organizations

Clover Woods Camp: Swimming Pool

8th & College Connections

English Language Learners Program

African American Heritage Foundation

Expanding Iowa's Education of African American History

Aging Resources of Central Iowa

Family Caregiver Support and Services

ALS Association, Iowa Chapter

Quality of Life Grant

Animal Lifeline of Iowa

Special Needs Animal Veterinary & Rehab Care

Animal Rescue League of Iowa Inc.

Multipurpose room dividers for dog training center

Animal Rescue League of Iowa Inc.

Kitten Nursery Equipment: save kitten lives with incubators

Ankeny Instrumental Music Foundation Inc.

Drumline Battery Replacement for Ankeny High School & Marching Brass Replacement for Ankeny Centennial High School

Ballet Theatre of Des Moines

Spring ballet performance 2019 - The Little Mermaid

Baxter Community School District

Scoreboard Project

Beacon of Life

Healthy Living, Healthy Environment

Bergman Academy

Technology at Bergman Academy

Bernie Lorenz Recovery

Life Skills and Nutrition Program

Best Buddies Iowa

Central Iowa School Friendship

Bidwell Riverside Center

Bidwell Riverside Center Painting Project

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa

Workplace Mentoring

Big Creek State Park

Trail Paving Phase 2

Blank Children's Hospital

Clowns at the Carousel - 2018

Blank Park Zoo

North American River Otter Glass

Blank Park Zoo

Eastern Black Rhinoceros

Bondurant - Farrar School District

Activity Bus Wi-Fi Routers

Bondurant Emergency Services

Rapid Response Ultra High Pressure Command Vehicles

Boy Scouts of America - Troop 128

Boy Scout Equipment

Bridges of Iowa

Back to Work



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Broadlawns Medical Center Foundation

Broadlawns Family Birthing Center

Camp Hantesa, Camp Fire Heart of Iowa

Clayton Lodge Kitchen

Candeo

Mental Health Training and Development

Carlisle Community School District

Classroom Libraries

Carroll Public Library Foundation

New Library, New Carroll

Cedar Rapids Electrical Apprenticeship Training & Educational Trust

*Electrical Apprenticeship Training Center;
Classroom Tables & Chairs*

Central Iowa Shelter & Services

Health and Safety

Chickasaw County Agricultural Extension District

EAGLE Library; Preschool Programs FY 19

Child Abuse Prevention Services Inc.

Crisis Child Care

Children & Families of Iowa

Strategic Investments in Iowa's Children

Children & Family Urban Ministries

Literacy for Life; Awesome Summer Days

Children's Cancer Connection

2019 Family Camp

ChildServe Foundation

Complex Behavioral Health

Chrysalis

WISE-5 Program Expansion

City of Altoona Police Department

Police Video Training Simulator

City of Baxter Iowa

Baxter Police Department in-car camera system

City of Clive

Power-Load Ambulance Cot Loading System

City of Des Moines**(Civil and Human Rights Department)**

*City of Des Moines-DART-Gray's Station Land
Reclamation and Water Quality*

City of Des Moines Police Department

Police Memorial Garden

City of Indianola Police Department

Squad car equipment

City of Johnston

Merle Hay Trail Connection

City of Johnston Fire Department

Unmanned Aerial Vehicle for Emergency Operations

City of Knoxville

Knoxville Fire & Rescue Apparatus Proposal

City of Lynnville and the Lynnville**Hometown Pride Committee**

*Lynnville School Memorial Park
Playground Equipment Upgrade*

City of Maxwell

Maxwell Park Shelter

City of Mitchellville

City Park Improvements

City of Mitchellville Public Library

Water Fountain

City of Pleasant Hill Parks and Recreation Department

Batting Cages in Doanes Park

City of Pleasantville

Baseball Field Accessibility

City of Prairie City

Garden Square Bandstand Restoration

City of Sully

*Replace and upgrade emergency dispatch pagers for
Sully Rural Fire and Ambulance Service*



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

City of Urbandale Parks and Recreation

MAC Camp (*Making A Connection*)

City of Windsor Heights

Walnut Creek Trail and Colby Park Enhancements

City Voices

Education Programs

Class Act Productions Community Theatre

Safety First - First Aid/CPR/AED Training and AED Device Installation

Colfax Main Street

Downtown Heritage Plaques

Colfax Park and Recreation Auxiliary Board Inc.

East Park Road Project

Collins-Maxwell Partners in Education

Collins-Maxwell PIE MakerSpace MS/HS Edition

Collins-Maxwell Athletic Boosters

Concession Stand Upgrades

Collins-Maxwell Community School District

Band Instrument Enhancements

Community Foundation of Greater Des Moines

Evelyn K. Davis Park Fund

Cops Against Cancer

Mobile Fundraising Resource for Cancer Families

Cops Against Cancer

Returning to Normalcy - There's a Positive Life After Cancer

Cops Against Cancer

Returning to normalcy through life purpose: transition and wellness coaching program

Crocker Elementary Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)

C.O.L.A. (Crocker Outdoor Learning Area)

Crossway Community Church

Eastview Community Center Window Replacement

Community Support Advocates

Momentum Art Access

CultureALL Inc.

CultureALL Community & Youth Education Programs - FY2019

Cystic Fibrosis Foundation

Cystic Fibrosis Care at Blank Children's Hospital

Des Moines Area Community College (DMACC) Foundation

DMACC Criminal Justice Training Center

Des Moines Area Religious Council (DMARC)

DMARC Food Pantry Network

Des Moines Area Religious Council (DMARC)

DMARC Freezer Fund

Des Moines Area Sports Commission

2018 Amateur Athletic Union Junior Olympic Games

Des Moines Art Center

2018 Educational Outreach Program

Des Moines Art Center

2018 School Tours Program

Des Moines Arts Festival

Des Moines Arts Festival; Community Outreach Program

Des Moines Coalition for the Homeless

Hawthorn Hill Multifamily Property External Renovations

Des Moines Community Orchestra

Trailer

Des Moines Community Playhouse

Spotlight: Literacy

Des Moines Electrical Apprenticeship Training Trust

Greenlee Bender

Des Moines I Have A Dream Foundation

Findley Dreamer Academy Program



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Des Moines Independent Community School District
Des Moines Public Schools Instrumental Music Program

Des Moines Maker Space
Area515 Artist Residency Program

Des Moines Maker Space
MakerEd

Des Moines Metro Opera Inc.
2019 OPERA Iowa Educational Tour

Des Moines Metro Opera Inc.
Production of The Tender Land

Des Moines North High School Booster Club
Floor Refinishing

Des Moines North High School Booster Club
Youth Football for North Area Youth

Des Moines Pastoral Counseling Center
Technology Update for Mental Health Service Efficiency

Des Moines Performing Arts
2018-2019 Applause Series

Des Moines Performing Arts
2018-2019 Iowa High School Musical Theater Awards

Des Moines Public Library Foundation
2018 Summer Reading & School Readiness

Des Moines Social Club
Enhancement of Prairie Meadows Courtyard

Des Moines Symphony Association
2019 Youth Concerts

Dowling – St. Joseph Alumni Association Investment Co. LLC
Pathways for Success Chromebook Checkout Program

Downtown Events Group Inc.
Des Moines Book Festival

Downtown Events Group Inc.
World Food & Music Festival

Dr. Nick Palmer & Jim Ellefson Free Medical Clinic
Free Medical Clinic

Drake University
CHARACTER COUNTS! for Early Childhood

Dress for Success Des Moines
Suits to Success Program

Eagle Grove Community Veterans Tower Inc.
Eagle Grove Community Veterans Tower

Easter Seals Society of Iowa
Camp Sunnyside Campships

Easter Seals Society of Iowa
Camp Sunnyside Lodge Renovation

Eastern Polk Regional Development Inc.
EPIC Marketing

Everybody Wins! Iowa
Power Read Innovative Mentoring Software

Faith & Grace Garden
Greenhouse

Food Bank of Iowa
BackPack Program

Forest Avenue Outreach
Food For Action Performance

FreeStore
Client Services

Friends of Webb Shadle Memorial Library
Pleasantville Library Community Billboard

Furry Friends Refuge
HVAC System for Adoption Facility

Girl Scouts of Greater Iowa Inc.
"I Want to Be..." troops

Grand View University
Views Forward: Neighbors Building a Better Tomorrow



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Great Outdoors Foundation

Greater Des Moines Regional Parks Plan

Greater Altoona Community Service Campus

Outdoor Fitness Initiative

Greater Altoona Community Service Campus

Teen Fitness Initiative

Greater Des Moines Community Band Inc.

Betterment Project

Greater Des Moines Habitat for Humanity

2018 Neighborhood Revitalization

Greater Des Moines Music Coalition Inc.

Youth Music Education Program

Grimes Parks and Recreation

Kennybrook South Park Project

**Griswold Public Library & Friends
of the Griswold Public Library**

Makerspace Expansion Project

HCI Care Services

Kavanagh House Play Area Update and Upgrade

Healthy Birth Day Inc.

Count the Kicks Campaign to Save Polk County Babies

Heartland Youth Choir

Rehearsal Room Technology Update

**Helping Our Veterans with Everyday Living
(H.O.V.E.L.)**

Housing, Utility, and Food Program

Highland Park Community Church of Des Moines Iowa

Precious Beginnings Children's Center

Holy Trinity Catholic School & Church

Maximizing Community Educational Space

House of Mercy

Mental Health Clinic

Hoyt Sherman Place

Sustainable Preservation Security System

iJAG Inc.

Meeting the Needs of At-Risk Students Across Iowa

IMPACT Community Action Partnership

Personal Pantry - Des Moines

Indian Creek Clover Kids

Library Front Beautification

Indianola Community School District

Instruments for Indianola Middle School Band Program

Iowa Asian Alliance

*CelebrAsian 2018 – 16th Anniversary
Asian Heritage Festival*

Iowa Homeless Youth Centers

Emergency Bed Supply Support

Iowa Homeless Youth Centers

Jacobson Center Revitalization

Iowa Illinois Safety Council

Alive at 25

Iowa International Center

Multilingual Emergency Services and Hotline

**Iowa Laborers District Council Heavy
Highway Training Fund**

Lincoln High School Construction Education Partnership

Iowa Laborers-Employers**Cooperation and Education Trust**

*Employer-Directed Enhanced Skills Training
Funding Priority 3 - Education*

Iowa Lutheran Hospital

*Iowa Lutheran Hospital Critical Care Equipment for
Mobilization & Improved Outcomes*

Iowa Methodist Medical Center

LifeFlight Automated Chest Compression Device



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Iowa Narcotics Officers Association

What You Don't See

Iowa Public Radio Inc.

Emergency Broadcast Equipment and Technology

Iowa Sports Foundation

Iowa Senior Games 2018

Iowa State Building and Construction Trades Council

*Registered Trades Apprenticeship Programs:
Pathways to Success*

Iowa Youth Chorus

*21st Century Community Learning Center Project with
Des Moines Schools*

Jasper County Historical Society

Floods of 1993 Augmented Reality Sandbox

John L. Lewis Commission

Repair and replace 28-year-old roof

Joppa Outreach

Homeless Education Center

Junior Achievement of Central Iowa Inc.

JA BizTown

Keep Iowa Beautiful

Mingo City Park Playground Renovation

Keep Iowa Beautiful Kellogg Hometown Pride

Holmdahl Park Baseball Field Dugouts

Lake View Foundation

Cardiac Monitor

Latino Resources Inc.

2018 Latino Heritage Festival

Legal Aid Society of Story County

Office Improvement

Leukemia & Lymphoma Society Inc.

*Blood Cancer Educational Resources & Be Your Own
Advocate Guidebook for Patients*

Link Associates Foundation

*Outreach and enriching programs for persons with
intellectual disabilities*

Living History Farms

Church of the Land

Living History Farms

Education programs

Local 67 Training Program Trust

*Electrical Modernization; Lighting enhancement and
educational technology center*

Lutheran Services in Iowa Inc.

*Enhancing English Language Acquisition for
Refugee Learners*

Mainframe Studios

Entry Plaza & Lighting Improvements

Make-A-Wish Foundation of Iowa

*Chris Greicius Conference; Wish Reveal and
Welcome Home Room*

Maxwell Area Renewal Committee

VFW Memorable Landscape Project

Mercy College of Health Sciences

Nursing Kelly Simulator

Mercy Hospital Medical Foundation

Mercy Children's Teddy Bear Clinic

Mid-Iowa Community Action Health Services

Story County Dental Clinic

Mid-Iowa Council Boy Scouts of America

After School Scouting Initiative

Midwest Old Settlers And Threshers Assn. Inc.

*Restoration of Waterloo, Cedar Falls, and
Northern car # 381*

Military Order of the Purple Heart

PTSD Services for Disabled Veterans



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Miracle League of Des Moines Kiwanis

Ten-Year Anniversary Capital Campaign

Mitchellville Community Center

Replacement of current indoor lighting

Mitchellville Firefighters Association Inc.

Communication and Technology upgrade

Monroe Hometown Pride & Keep Iowa Beautiful

Red Rock Prairie Trail – Monroe trailhead parking lot

Mosaic

Tech Resources to Support our Mission

National Kidney Foundation Inc.

THE BIG ASK: THE BIG GIVE

National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution - Jean Marie Cardinell Chapter

Veterans Activities and Care

North Polk West PTA

North Polk West Security and Building Improvements

Oakridge Neighborhood Services

Oak Academy Scholars

Opportunity on Deck

Soccer Leagues

Orchard Place

Residential Roofing Project - Orchard Place Campus

Overflow Thrift Store

Recycling and Community Giving

Parks and Recreation Board, City of Dallas Center

Three-season Tennis/Pickle Ball Court and Ice Rink

Planned Parenthood of the Heartland Inc.

Healthy Connections

Pleasant Hill Soccer Club

Soccer-4-All

Pleasantville Community Schools

MakerSpace

Polk City Police Department

K-9 Program

Polk County - Crisis & Advocacy Services

Mid-Iowa Sexual Assault Exams

Polk County Housing Trust Fund

Downtown Workforce Housing Study

Prairie City-Monroe Community School District

Prairie City Elementary Bookroom

Primary Health Care Inc.

The Wellness Center - walking path

Progress Industries

Progress in the Community

Project Iowa

The Prairie Meadows Work Center

Project Linus of Story, Boone, and Polk Counties of Iowa

Make 600 blankets for HeadStart

Puppy Jake Foundation

Training Equipment and Service Dogs

Reach Out and Read Iowa

Prescribing Books and Family Reading

Rebuilding Together Greater Des Moines

Handicap Accessibility and Repair Program

Roman Catholic Diocese of Des Moines

Catholic Schools within the Diocese of Des Moines

Salisbury House Foundation

Community Arts Connection

SCIFL Charity Inc.

Park Driveway Improvement

Senior Care of Iowa

Green Bag Program

Shoes That Fit

Shoes That Fit Program 2018-2019 Des Moines Chapter



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Sixth Avenue Corridor

Historic Carriage House Rehabilitation - 6th Avenue Corridor Office

Southeast Polk Community School District

Altoona Learning Commons

Southeast Polk Community School District

Beyond the Classroom with Google Expeditions

Southeast Polk Community School District

Instruments for Elementary Band Program

Southeast Polk Community School District

STEM-tastic

Southeast Polk Community School District

Ultrasound for Advanced Animal Science

Southeast Polk Dollars for Scholars

SEP Dollars for Scholars Dinner Auction

Special Olympics Iowa

Central Iowa Athlete Events and Programs

St Luke's Episcopal Church

Sack Lunch Project

St. Pius X School

STEM Lab

State of Iowa - State Historical Museum

Outstanding History Education Programs

Story Theater Company

Lighting and Sound Equipment for Black Box Theater

Swerve Outreach (Kids Cafe program)

Altoona Kids Cafe

Tallgrass Theatre Company

Stage Upgrade

Taylor House Hospice

Hospice Comfort Therapies Family & Friend Program

Terrace Hill Partnership

Historic Restoration of the Exterior of Terrace Hill and Carriage House

The Avenues of Ingersoll & Grand

Ingersoll LIVE 2018

The Eddie Davis Community Center Inc.

The Eddie Davis Center Human, Education, and Social Services

The Friendly Sons of St. Patrick of Central Iowa Inc.

St Patrick's Day Parade 2019

The Homestead

Community Service Homes

The Iowa Veterans Perspective Charitable Foundation

Oral History Project

The Pet Project Midwest

Pet Pantry & Animeals pet food distribution

The Presbytery of Des Moines of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

CROSS Ministries

Town of Hartford

Landing Zone Markers - 6 kits

Town of Hartford

Rope Rescue Gear

Train To Inspire Inc.

Fully Accessible Obstacle Course

United Way of Central Iowa

2-1-1 Iowa App

UnityPoint Health Foundation

John Stoddard Cancer Center Survivorship Program

University of Iowa Foundation

Child Life Program Support at UI Stead Family Children's Hospital



PRAIRIE MEADOWS 2018 BETTERMENT GRANT RECIPIENTS

Uptown Ankeny Inc.

Ankeny Uptown district entrance signage

Urban Dreams

Indigent client substance abuse evaluations and treatment

Urbandale Community Action Council Inc.

At-Risk Teen Services

Visiting Nurse Services

Stork and Family Nests

West Central Valley Community Schools

Mend the Wildcat Den!

West Des Moines Historical Society

*Expanded Underground Railroad and
Bennett School Curriculum*

West Des Moines Human Services

Drop in Childcare; Free Medical Clinic

West Des Moines Human Services

Emergency Financial Assistance Program

Wildlife Rehabilitation Network of Central Iowa

Promoting Native Wildlife and Rehabilitation

YMCA of Greater Des Moines

*John R. Grubb GRIT
(Grubb Role Models in Training) Program*

Youth Emergency Services & Shelter of Iowa

Emergency Shelter Meals Program

Youth Homes of Mid-America

Richard O. Jacobson Transitional Living Center