



Moline Regional  
**Community  
Foundation**

Your giving *in action*.

**Moline Regional Community Foundation**  
**2024 Make a Difference Grants**  
**\$355,000 to 33 local nonprofits**

**Please join us to celebrate**

**Friday, November 8th**

**3:00 – 4:00 pm**

**Hauberg Estates Park, Carriage House – 1300 24th Street, RI**

**Light snacks and refreshments will be served.**

“Through the support of the Moline Regional Community Foundation, we can purchase a large format printer to expand QC Flex’s capabilities, improve the financial stability of people with disabilities, and provide innovative business solutions to our customers. We are grateful that the Moline Regional Community Foundation sees the value of an inclusive workforce.”

**Michael Glanz** – President & CEO of The Arc of the Quad Cities Area.

“As we move at the speed of trust to revitalize the West End of Rock Island into a preferred place to live and thrive, genuine partners who are also action-focused are essential. This grant award will provide direct assistance to make homes and businesses in our neighborhood more energy efficient. Importantly, it sends a message to residents that they live in a community that cares about their well-being.”

**Thurgood Brooks** – West End Revitalization Coordinator

## **Arts & Culture**

### **\$10,000 Figge Art Museum**

Increase artwork storage and diversify The Figge's permanent collection.

## **Community & Economic Development**

### **\$5,000 Dress for Success Quad Cities**

Empowering Women Everywhere: The Dress for Success Mobile Career Center

### **\$10,000 German American Heritage Center and Museum**

Historic Roof Repair at the German American Heritage Center

### **\$5,000 Lead(h)er**

Fanning the Flames of Success for QC Women

### **\$25,000 Martin Luther King Jr Community Center**

West End Revitalization / \$25K for rebate program

## **Education**

### **\$7,500 Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley**

One-to-one mentoring in McDonough, Warren, and Henderson counties.

### **\$10,000 Boys & Girls Clubs of the Mississippi Valley**

Dream, Design, Discover: STEAM Program for Boys & Girls Clubs Youth

### **\$7,500 First Tee Quad Cities**

First Tee Classroom at Emeis Golf Course

### **\$10,000 Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois**

Girl Scout Leadership and Life Skills Program in Rock Island, Henry, Henderson, Mercer & Scott Counties

### **\$7,500 Nahant Marsh Education Center**

Creating Equitable Access to the Quad Cities' Natural Resources

### **\$15,000 SAL Community Services**

Enhancing Outdoor Learning Spaces at SAL Community Services

**\$5,000 Spring Forward**

Growing Our Impact on Moline's Vulnerable Students

**\$5,000 William Butterworth Foundation**

Building a Local History Curriculum

**\$10,000 WQPT**

WQPT Imagination Station Children's Educational Outreach Event

***Health & Human Services***

**\$25,000 Alternatives for the Older Adult**

Alternatives Office Security Buildout

**\$25,000 Bethany for Children & Families**

Bethany for Children & Families' Capital Campaign for Larger Service Center

**\$10,000 Children's Therapy Center of the Quad Cities**

Flooring replacement in new sensory room and large gymnasium/event space at Rock Island clinic location.

**\$5,000 Christian Care**

Street Outreach Services

**\$10,000 EveryChild**

Safe from the Start - Early Childhood Therapy

**\$12,500 GiGi's Playhouse Quad Cities**

Capacity Building

**\$15,000 Habitat for Humanity Quad Cities**

Making Homes Accessible

**\$5,000 Hand in Hand**

Hand in Hand School Age Program Supplies

**\$10,000 Henderson County Rural Health Center**

Necessary Facility Upgrades

**\$10,000 Humility Homes & Services**

Pathway to Home

**\$7,500**      **Martin Luther King Jr Community Center**  
MLK Center 35th Annual Thanksgiving Meals & 48th Annual Children's Holiday Gifts  
giveaway

**\$5,000**      **Narratives QC**  
Strengthening the Local Workforce with Improved Mental Health for Young Adults

**\$5,000**      **NEST Cafe**  
Nourishing the QC with nutrient-dense food

**\$7,500**      **Rebuilding Together Henry County**  
Safe and Healthy Homes

**\$10,000**     **River Bend Food Bank**  
All Hands-on Deck

**\$5,000**      **Special Olympics Illinois**  
Support for programming and activities benefitting individuals with disabilities in  
Special Olympics Illinois Region F

**\$10,000**     **Tapestry Farms**  
Investing in the Lives of Refugees in the Quad Cities

**\$35,000**     **The Arc of the Quad Cities Area**  
Putting the FLEX in QC Flex

**\$10,000**     **Youth Service Bureau of Rock Island County**  
Counseling for At-Risk Youth

“The Moline Regional Community Foundation is pleased to support these nonprofits as they improve the quality of life for area residents and exemplify our donor's wishes to see their ***giving in action.***”

Paul Plagenz – President/CEO

November 7, 2024