



Moline Regional Community Foundation

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Moline Regional Community Foundation Announces Fall Grant Awards

The Moline Regional Community Foundation Board approved \$197,000 in grant funding for 36 area nonprofit organizations. Applications were accepted for capital and program expenses.

An award ceremony will be held Wednesday, November 8th - 8:00-8:45 AM at the Butterworth Center, 1105 8th Street, Moline. Grant recipients include the following:

\$7,500	Alternatives for Older Adults Money Management Program
\$6,000	Bethany for Children and Families Rock Island County Teen Pregnancy Prevention Programs
\$2,500	Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley New Match Welcome Kits
\$2,000	Center for Belgian Culture of Western Illinois, Inc. Informational Kiosk
\$7,500	Center for Youth and Family Solutions Partnership with Moline Police Department
\$3,500	Christian Care Street Outreach Services
\$4,000	Common Chord InTune Music Mentorship Program
\$7,500	Family Outreach Community Center Operation Backpack in Henderson County
\$3,500	Fresh Films Career Development Program for Underserved Youth
\$2,500	Friends of Moline Parks and Recreation Little League Capital Improvements
\$25,000	Friendship Manor Re-Establishing Friendship 2024 Capital Campaign

\$3,500	German American Heritage Center and Museum Immigration Then and Now partnership with World Relief
\$7,500	Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois Leadership Program
\$2,000	Hand in Hand Sensory Walk Program
\$2,500	Heart of Hope Ministries New Opportunities for Youth and Young Adults
\$5,000	Humility Homes and Services, Inc. Rock Island County Housing Support
\$10,000	Iowa Jobs for America's Graduates (JAG) Career Pathways for Underserved Youth
\$2,500	Legacy Education and Sports for a Better Future, Inc. Program Support
\$5,000	Martin Luther King Jr. Community Center Thanksgiving Meals and Holiday Gifts
\$1,500	Mercer County Historical Society Collection Digitization
\$7,500	Nahant Marsh Education Center Bridging the Nature Gap for Area Students
\$7,500	NEST Café Safely and Knowledgeably Nourishing Neighbors
\$3,500	New Kingdom Trailriders Arena Capital Improvements
\$2,500	Playcrafters Barn Theater Set Construction for the 95 th Season

Paul Plagenz, President/CEO, reflected, “These grants are possible because of our generous donor’s financial support of the grantmaking endowment. The Moline Regional Community Foundation is pleased to support these nonprofit organizations as they work tirelessly to improve our area residents’ quality of life.”

About: Moline Regional Community Foundation

Founded in 1953, it receives and administers charitable gifts in a six-county region, including Rock Island, Henry, Mercer, Henderson, and McDonough Counties in Illinois and Scott County in Iowa.

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