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village

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Stop for a moment.

Look around. Take in your surroundings.

A river. A school. A farm. A park.

Amenities and assets of our village.

Look some more.

A teacher. A farmer. A donor. A volunteer.

All members of our village – just like you.

The lists are endless as are the stories to tell.

Amazing things are happening in neighborhoods and towns across the county. From Saginaw to Merrill – Freeland to St. Charles – Buena Vista to Chesaning.

This is **your** village.

This is **your** community foundation.

For good. For ever.





here in our village

Everyone has their own passion – causes that matter the most. Education of our youth, economic development, public safety, and the health and wellbeing of residents – to name a few. At Saginaw Community Foundation, we are uniquely positioned to connect donors to the causes they are most passionate about.

For 33 years, we have supported hundreds of organizations and those organizations have helped support thousands of individuals across Saginaw County.

How can one organization do so much?

We bring together the financial resources of individuals, families and local businesses to support nonprofits in our community. We act as a convener by bringing groups and individuals together to reach common goals. We're a place where diverse interests and different voices come together to make real change happen.

Saginaw Community Foundation has one mission: **to fulfill donor wishes and enable community initiatives to come to life, now and forever.** When we all work together – neighbor helping neighbor – we'll make our village a place we are all proud to call home.



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year in review

Here's a quick look at 2017 at Saginaw Community Foundation. Later in this report you will find a detailed financial review (see page 27) as well a complete list of contributors (see page 36).

Where Donors Have Directed Their Gifts

by fund type, 2016 vs. 2017 ■ 2016 (total: \$2,566,499) ■ 2017 (total: \$2,045,575)



Number and Types of Funds

Agency

Enables nonprofit organizations to establish funds for their benefit within the foundation

Community Initiative/Special Project

Established to provide support for specific community projects or initiatives

Designated

Established by people who want to support a specific organization or accomplish a specific purpose

Donor Advised

Enables donor to be personally involved in grantmaking, subject to board approval

Field of Interest

Administered by the foundation to benefit a general field of interest

Scholarship

Provides financial support for students seeking higher education

Unrestricted

Administered by the foundation to meet the urgent and changing needs in Saginaw County

Assets by Donor Interest Area

As of December 31, 2017



Animal Related
\$399,107



Arts and Culture
\$5,257,454



Community Improvement
\$2,155,201



Education
\$22,565,891



Environment
\$178,203



**Food/
Nutrition**
\$929,686



Health
\$1,842,273



Housing
\$884,947



Human Services
\$5,733,143



MMBO¹
\$17,699



Nonclassifiable²
\$14,357,432



Philanthropy
\$1,945,436



Public Benefit
\$1,806,896



Public Safety
\$347,726



Recreation
\$2,619,490



Religion
\$326,420



**Science/
Technology
Research**
\$41,668



**Youth
Development**
\$3,026,381

¹Mutual/Membership Benefit Organization

²Defined as funds that support more than one interest area

Asset Growth

Five-year history, 2013-2017



A message from
the President & CEO and Board Chair

friends ...

Welcome back to our village! It's been another great year of community building and we have many great stories to share. Our village is that much stronger, and, that's exactly what we're going to share with you in our 2017 Saginaw Community Foundation Annual Report.

At the beginning of the year, the Saginaw Community Foundation Board of Directors embarked on a challenge of asking open-ended questions regarding the community we serve during Board meetings. These questions – centered around education, addressing poverty, and third grade reading proficiency to name a few – allowed board members to be more vested and engaged, and to have greater ownership of impacting change in Saginaw County. In 2018, we are going to continue asking these questions, and allow ourselves to dive deeper into the needs of our community, while still accomplishing the mission of our Foundation.

Last year also saw Saginaw Community Foundation select a neighborhood association in the City of Saginaw to implement a pilot program of Asset Based Community Development (ABCD). The goal of implementing the ABCD program was to better communicate with our residents, build capacity, establish trust, and encourage

partnerships. Selection of the first neighborhood association participant was based upon interest, leadership, partnerships, and a strong anchor institution located in the neighborhood. After accepting and reviewing applications, Unity in the Community, a newly established neighborhood association, satisfied each of the criteria and was selected. Read the full story about the ABCD pilot program in the Unity in the Community neighborhood on page 18.

Speaking of partnerships, no one would have expected United Kingdom-based nonprofit organization Girl Effect to land in Saginaw. Originally created and deployed in Northern Nigeria, Girl Effect's Technology Enabled Girl Ambassador (TEGA) program is designed to uncover insights about girls in some of the hardest to reach communities across the globe. Over the past few years, the program has been used in a variety of countries, however, the pilot program in Saginaw marks the first time the TEGA program has been used in a developed nation anywhere in the world.

Reneé S. Johnston (left)
Smallwood Holoman, Jr. (right)



After conducting a TEGA pilot during 2017, Girl Effect had a desire to continue their work in Saginaw and work with a consortium of agencies to further impact areas of concern that were uncovered by the Saginaw TEGA researchers. The TEGAs, whose ages range between 16-18, completed 10 rounds of research, conducted 350 interviews with men, women and young people, and collected over 6,000 video and audio clips. Through these peer-to-peer interviews, the Saginaw TEGAs learned that the greatest areas of concern young people in Saginaw have are:

- 1 Sex Education (lack of)
- 2 Safety
- 3 Education
- 4 Mentors (lack of)
- 5 Social Supports (awareness of)

Coming in 2018, as a result of the research conducted by the TEGAs, a local leadership team is being assembled to lead a network of researchers that will give these young Saginaw girls a voice. The goal of the research will be to strengthen local programs and create real-life impact. The time is now to listen to what our young people are telling us. Thank you to Girl Effect and their desire to work in Saginaw, and with the support of the SCF Board of Directors, that work will continue in 2018 and beyond.

It's always nice to know that we're not alone in our village. Of course, there are a number of amazing service organizations who provide a variety of supports, but there are also key leaders and influencers who make change happen. Throughout the year, we interacted with those influencers to see what they thought the Saginaw Community Foundation should be focused on and how we could all work together. In the recently published book *New Power* by Jeremy Heimans and Henry Timms, the authors state that "power" is the "ability to produce intended effects." They further state: "That ability is now in all of our hands. Today, we have the capacity to make films, friends or money; to spread hope or our ideas; to build community or build-up movements ..." They also explain the difference between old and new power. Old power works like currency. It is held by few. It is closed, inaccessible, and leader-driven. New power is made by many. It is open, participatory, and peer-driven. "The goal with new power is not to hoard it but to channel it."

In our village, let's continue to channel our energies together so we can produce "intended effects" in new and impactful ways.

Sincerely,



Renee S. Johnston
President & CEO



Smallwood Holoman, Jr.
Board Chair

Learn more
about Girl Effect's
TEGA Program

Girl Effect website
girleffect.org/what-we-do/mobile-platforms/tega/

Fast Company feature story: Girl Effect in Saginaw
fastcompany.com/40502074/



Grant award
\$2,857

\$1,857 from the FORCE Youth Advisory Fund;
\$1,000 from the YWCA Fund for Women and Children

Learn more about Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay at gotrsaginawbay.org

more than just **running**

"Belle has always been concerned with the life of others but never had confidence in her own ability to make a difference in the world. Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay taught her that her voice makes a difference and that her willingness to assist her neighbor makes the world easier to navigate through."

-parent of a Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay participant



Photos from 2017's Girls on the Run Holiday 5K Fun Run in Downtown Saginaw.

From a young age, girls are exposed to a barrage of messages about image and conformity, often causing them to create standards for themselves and other girls that are unrealistic, unhealthy, and unattainable. Girls on the Run, designed for girls 3rd-8th grade, hits the target ages when children are still receptive to adult's influence, yet beginning to feel the pull of peer pressure.

At Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay, running is woven throughout all lessons, but the core of the program is all about building character. The Learner's Model is used which focuses on the "5 c's +1". The "c's" are Confidence, Competence, Caring, Connection, and Character with the plus-one Community.

"By building-up girls to be strong in these categories, the goal is that they will be more likely to give back to their community," said Jennifer Naegele, council director, Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay.

The curriculum being used, however, needed to be updated to help keep the lessons fresh, especially for returning participants. Grant funding from Saginaw Community Foundation in 2017 totaling \$2,857 was used to expand

the curriculum, support the annual 5K run, and improve outreach materials.

"Saginaw Community Foundation has been integral in our success, especially with the grant support for our new curriculum," said Naegele. "It has helped us create a sustainable, thriving, growing program."

Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay is making a difference in the communities it serves and in its participants. According to a recent survey, 85% of girls improved in areas of confidence, competence, caring, character, or connection. Girls who were the least active at the start of the season have increased physical activity by more than 40%.

"Girls participating are demonstrating greater confidence in their lives and leading physical, healthy lifestyles," said Naegele. "Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay is now starting to see some of our first participants return as junior coaches."

Since 2010, Girls on the Run Saginaw Bay has expanded across Saginaw County and now has programs in Arenac, Bay, and Tuscola Counties at 43 total sites serving approximately 2,100 participants. A typical season serves 300-400 girls.





Grant award
\$16,850

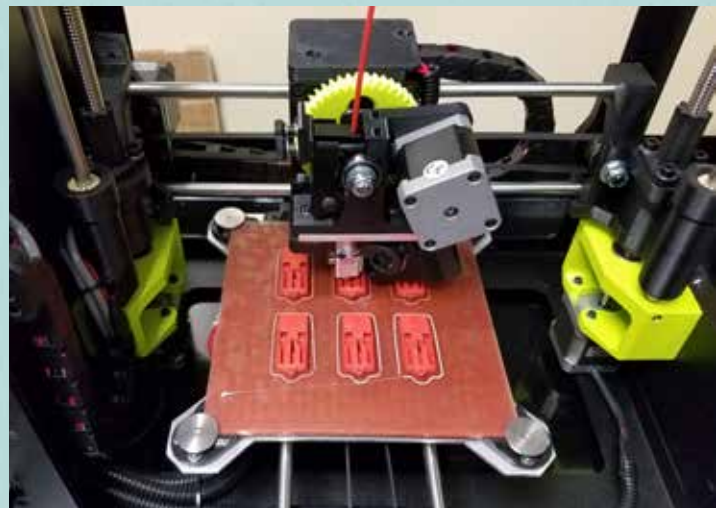
\$15,000 from the Saginaw Community Foundation Unrestricted Fund; \$1,850 from the Nexteer Steering the Future Fund

Learn more about Rauchholz Memorial Library at rauchholzlibrary.org

library expansion

“We’re more than just a library. We’re the hub of activity in the community,” said Billiejo Bluemer, library director of Rauchholz Memorial Library in Hemlock.

Serving the Hemlock area since 1942, the Rauchholz Memorial Library – this hub of information, education programs, and community gathering – finds itself bursting at the seams.



Top: Proposed floorplan of the new Rauchholz Memorial Library.
Left: Children explore current STEAM project offerings at the library.
Above: A 3D printer creates whistles at the Rauchholz Memorial Library.

"The current building was not originally designed as a library and it is no longer meeting the needs of our patrons," said Bluemer.

Oftentimes, due to multiple programming offerings, the library does not have quiet areas for studying or research. Also, tutors working with students are sometimes turned away due to lack of available space.

To better serve the residents of Richland and Freemont Townships in western Saginaw County, a new library building has been planned. Last year, Saginaw Community Foundation awarded \$16,850 in grants to Friends of Rauchholz Memorial Library towards construction of a new facility.

"Receiving support from Saginaw Community Foundation tells the greater Hemlock community that others care about Hemlock and its residents," said Bluemer. "SCF's support shows that this is a community and a project worth investing in."

The new facility, scheduled to open in 2019, will be a dramatic upgrade. Included in the plans are a large multi-purpose community room, a dedicated children's area, an expanded computer access area, quiet reading areas, and a MakerSpace – complete with STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) programming offerings featuring a 3D printer.

"We're small, but we think big," remarked Bluemer. "That does not discourage us from bringing in resources that might be found in larger library systems. If an opportunity fits our community's needs and will provide a benefit, we will offer it."

The new building, when completed, will continue to help the Rauchholz Memorial Library move beyond the basic expectations of just providing books, to becoming an even greater community hub in the future for generations to come.



Merrill Community Schools
Welding Shop Ventilation
Upgrades

Grant award
\$18,000

\$10,000 from The Dow
Chemical Donor Advised Fund;
\$8,000 from the Dow Corning
Foundation Donor Advised
Fund

Learn more about
Merrill Community Schools at
merrill.k12.mi.us

Saginaw Career Complex
Agricultural Sciences Animal
Shelter

Grant award
\$4,900

\$2,500 from the FORCE Youth
Advisory Fund;
\$2,400 from the Saginaw
Community Foundation
Unrestricted Fund

Learn more about
Saginaw Public Schools' Career
Complex at spsd.net/scc/

learning a trade

The need for skilled workers in local industries is no secret across the Great Lakes Bay Region. Employers are constantly facing shortages of qualified, experienced tradespeople. Thanks in part to grants, two schools in Saginaw County are expanding to train students to meet the growing demands for vocational workers.

Welding

At Merrill Community High School, grants totaling \$18,000 in 2017 will be used to upgrade the ventilation system in the welding lab. Students will be able to receive an American Welding Society (AWS) Limited Level 1 SENSE Certification following the upgrades. It is optional for students to seek this certification, but those that do, the lessons learned and the test completed will get the student half-way to a full Level 1 Certification, thereby saving the student fees for the final testing.

"It is unique for a high school to offer this type of certification," said Rod Kitzmiller, career and college access advisor, Merrill Community High School.

Graduating classes at Merrill Community High School average between 48-50 students. Typically, the welding class has 10-12 students – nearly 20% of the senior student population.

The ventilation upgrades will allow students to work more efficiently and safely. The current set-up does not adequately remove hazardous fumes and other debris from the classroom, often forcing students to weld outside in any weather or temperature. Many times, a large garage door is open during class regardless of the outside temperature.

The new ventilation system will allow for better air flow and make more workstations available, increasing the number of students that can enroll in the class.

did you know?

Saginaw Community Foundation offers more than 70 scholarship opportunities for vocational training. These scholarships can cover fees associated with obtaining a certificate or even pay for tools of trade needed to complete training.

No matter what career path is chosen, Saginaw Community Foundation can help. Contact us today at (989) 755-0545 or visit saginawfoundation.org for more information.



"Our students use real-world tools in class," said Chris Wahl, welding instructor, Merrill Community High School. "Everything they use they will encounter on-the-job when they graduate. We also teach and emphasize safety by establishing a mind-set of safe working. This way our students are better prepared to work in and identify safe working environments post-graduation."

Future plans include possibly expanding the number and types of certifications students can earn before graduating thereby helping to meet the ever-growing need for skilled welders in the Great Lakes Bay Region.

Agricultural Sciences

Meanwhile, across the county in Saginaw, students enrolled in Agricultural Sciences at the Saginaw Career Complex will be adding a new livestock shelter and adding livestock care to the curriculum, thanks to grants awarded by Saginaw Community Foundation totaling \$4,900. Large animal veterinary care has been identified as one of the Michigan Hot 50 career pathway jobs, and in Saginaw County, large animal veterinarians are in dire need.

"There are very few veterinary clinics in the Great Lakes Bay Region able to care for livestock animals," said Joshua Little, principal and CTE director, Saginaw Career Complex. "With the agricultural sciences program offering livestock care, we are exposing students to this career path early-on to gauge their interest and passion in veterinary science."

Currently, the program cares for a handful of chickens, two goats, and one pig. Plans are in the works to add two calves. Up to 46 students are able to participate in the course split over two class sections. Agricultural science students at the Saginaw Career Complex have the opportunity to earn four articulated credits to Michigan State University.

"Part of the success of this program is the partnerships we have in place," said Little. "We have graduate students from Saginaw Valley State University's agriculture program assisting along with local farmers and veterinarians. Our engineering students and building trades students have been involved with the construction of the new shelter, assisting in places where the tasks match the lesson plans in their course of study."

Even with the urban setting of the Saginaw Career Complex, offering an agricultural sciences program is a natural fit.

"Most of Saginaw County is rural," said Little. "We meet the regional needs of the county and the 12 school districts that our students are coming from. Also, we are able to expose students to a career that they might not be otherwise aware of."

Future plans include possible expansion of the agricultural sciences program to include a broader selection of livestock and more horticultural experiences, like growing crops on-site.

"We are thankful for the grant support from Saginaw Community Foundation," said Little. "It lets us know that we are moving in the right direction and that our vision is supported."



Grant award
\$74,000

\$24,000 the Dow Corning Foundation Donor Advised Fund;
\$20,000 the Senior Citizens Enrichment Fund;
\$15,412.65 from the Saginaw Community Foundation Unrestricted Fund;
\$9,587.35 from the Healthy Youth, Healthy Seniors Endowment Fund;
\$5,000 from the FORCE Youth Advisory Fund

Learn more about the Children's Zoo at Celebration Square at saginawzoo.com

accessible train for all

Fifty years ago, the Iberschoff Special, the beloved miniature train at the Children's Zoo at Celebration Square, began its service of delighting young and old with a ride around the perimeter of the zoo. Unfortunately, for those with disabilities, such a ride was challenging or impossible.

Thanks in part to \$74,000 in grants from Saginaw Community Foundation, a project to improve the train was undertaken in 2017. Following guidelines established by the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), two new train coaches will be added to the train to allow access for all.



"We want to build bridges and knock down barriers, fostering a sense of self-worth in people with disabilities," said Syndi Thayer, community relationship manager, Children's Zoo at Celebration Square. "Focusing on abilities rather than disabilities, an ADA-certified train coach will help build a foundation of positivity and self-confidence for all."

Many challenges were faced with making a train coach ADA-accessible. If a new coach were purchased, would it match the shape and scale of the current coaches? Luckily, a nearly identical train engine and two coaches were found in the possession of a private owner in Pennsylvania for sale online. They were a little bit newer and painted completely black, but they matched the current train set at the Children's Zoo at Celebration Square.

All of the work done to retro-fit the two acquired coaches to be ADA-compliant was performed by local companies.

"The community supports us and we wanted to support local businesses in return," said Thayer.

This coming summer, the train will pull four coaches (two ADA-compliant and two existing). The train loading and unloading area will be renovated to allow for more efficient line control and designated stroller parking will be added. To accommodate the retro-fitted train coaches better, the direction the train will travel has been reversed.

According to Thayer, this project would not have been possible without the support of the Saginaw Community Foundation. "SCF helped us make connections in the community for additional much needed support. The knowledgeable staff guided us through the grant process and made us aware of a variety of opportunities. The organization is a huge and vital resource for our community."

During the summer of 2018, when the newly retro-fitted train leaves the station for the first time, it will become the first train attraction in the Great Lakes Bay Region that will be fully ADA-certified. And now, the Children's Zoo at Celebration Square can proudly exclaim: "all aboard!"



being neighborly

Asset-Based Community Development (ABCD) is regarded as one of the leading methods of improving communities and neighborhoods. The process encourages community members to start with what they have instead of what they need. Rather than turning to outsiders for help, ABCD principles empower neighbors to make change from within by identifying assets and making connections between them.



For more information on City of Saginaw Neighborhood Associations, visit:
saginaw-mi.com/residents/neighborhoodassociations/

As part of a pilot program, Saginaw Community Foundation (SCF) selected the newly-formed Unity in the Community Neighborhood Association to participate in an ABCD program. The neighborhood, located on Saginaw's East Side between Perkins St. and E. Holland Ave. and E. Genesee Ave. and S. 23rd St., will be anchored at The Saginaw County Community Action Center (CAC), 2824 Perkins St.

"For SCF to continue to be effective in achieving our mission, we must look at new ways, like ABCD, to impact change within our community in addition to our traditional model of grant funding," said Brian Jackson, director of donor services & special initiatives at Saginaw Community Foundation.

Beginning in 2015, SCF sent representatives from its Community Improvement Initiative/ABCD Committee to several neighborhood association meetings across the City of Saginaw to "be neighborly", to listen, and to look for ways to connect. In September 2017, SCF held an informational meeting inviting representatives from the neighborhood associations to learn about the ABCD process. At the meeting, neighborhoods were encouraged to apply to be part of a pilot program where SCF selected a neighborhood to be trained in the ABCD principles.

"Our goal is to provide sustainable development of Saginaw County communities based on their strengths and potentials," said Jackson. "We want to work with neighborhood residents to form relationships and empower citizens to take action."

ABCD is a place-based framework that can help build strong, safe, and healthy neighborhoods and communities. By bringing the community together and focusing on the gifts within, ABCD helps residents, associations, nonprofits, government, and the business community, to act collectively as co-producers of their neighborhood's well-being.

"We are excited to be chosen to participate in this pilot program," said Lillie Williams-Grays, executive director of Saginaw CAC and a neighborhood representative for Unity in the Community Neighborhood Association. "Long-term, we hope the ABCD process will help to build

a stronger sense of neighborhood pride as we get to know our neighbors and the resources they each can offer."

Getting Started

In December 2017, a holiday potluck was held at the Saginaw CAC as part of the first ABCD meeting with Unity in the Community. Members of the neighborhood attended as well as leadership from other neighborhood associations in Saginaw. Jeff Bookmyer, ABCD Trainer/Facilitator, has been brought on-board to lead the ABCD process with Unity in the Community.

One of the first tasks was breaking the group into pairs. Each person interviewed the other to talk about the community and to help build an Asset Inventory. An Asset Inventory is a listing of interests (assets) for the neighborhood. Of those in attendance: 21 were interested in community involvement, 11 enjoy gardening, 12 like to cook/bake, three were handy with home improvement projects, and three know how to sew.

"The purpose of developing an Asset Inventory is to make neighbors aware of each other's talents," said Bookmyer. "This way, they have an inventory of a person to contact if they need help with a particular activity or if they want to connect with others to build relationships or to work on a project together."

Moving Forward

SCF will provide a comprehensive ABCD training for representatives of the Unity in the Community Neighborhood Association over the coming months and will help guide the neighborhood to a successful outcome. Goals for 2018 include establishing a mission statement and bylaws, create a logo for the neighborhood association, and elect officers.

"Strong, safe, and healthy neighborhoods and communities are built on the strengths and capacities of their residents and associations that call the community home," said Reneé Johnston, president and CEO of Saginaw Community Foundation. "ABCD will allow residents, with help and guidance from SCF, to discover their talents and make connections to improve and strengthen their neighborhood from within."

community improvement in action

On Saginaw's East Side, an amazing transformation is happening in one neighborhood. A transformation that is beginning to bear fruit ... literally.

"We're the best kept secret in Saginaw!" exclaims Jim Shafley, pastor and president of Kingdom Builder's Ministry.

Since 2012, Kingdom Builder's Ministry has been serving young men who are unemployed or underemployed by teaching marketable job skills in construction trades and agriculture. The Ministry buys abandoned houses and remodels them as well as buying vacant lots to create urban farming plots full of apple and peach trees. They also support several honey bee hives.

Kingdom Builder's Ministry operates out of the Kingdom Center, 346 S. 9th St., Saginaw (site of the former Trinity Lutheran School) purchased in 2014 for \$1 from the Saginaw County Land Bank. Kingdom Builders and has worked to renovate the building which serves as its

headquarters, sanctuary, classroom instruction space, construction mock-up learning lab, and commercial-grade kitchen for honey processing.

In 2017 at Saginaw Community Foundation's Annual Celebration in Morley Plaza, Kingdom Builder's Ministry was announced as the recipient of the 2017 Community Improvement Initiative Grant. The \$25,000 grant will be used to support the ongoing efforts of the Ministry and its program. An additional \$5,000 was recently earned as a result of Kingdom Builder's Ministry matching the initial grant amount.

Making a difference

The construction trades program is led by Shafley, a licensed builder and construction project manager. Jim works with up to five individuals teaching full-trades training in vinyl siding/windows and doors, hardwood/tile flooring, trim work, plumbing, HVAC, drywall/painting, building walls/internal framing, installing cabinets and electric.



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"Participants in the program are referred to us by the Michigan Department of Corrections and also the City Rescue Mission of Saginaw," says Shafley. "Individuals that our partner agencies feel would be a good fit are sent our way."

After classroom instruction and construction lab exercises, the participants head-out into the field to work on the homes purchased by the Ministry for remodeling. Aside from classroom and hands-on learning, life skills are also taught.

"We teach participants how to respond to life with emotions such as humility, compassion and trust," said Shafley. "So, not only will they learn technical skills, they will also be taught how to best handle tough situations in life."

Shafley adds that jobs are often lost because a person cannot arrive on time, does not work hard while on the job, or has excessive absences. The tough situations of the participant's lives have significant impact on these factors. The Ministry teaches them how to respond to life with new emotions and in a rational manner.

"Some of our participants are on parole," adds Shafley. "We know that returning citizens and ex-offenders have the most challenging times finding employment. Kingdom Builder's believes that by completing one of our programs, participants will have the skills and knowledge to be gainfully employed."

Planting Seeds

Besides construction trade skill instruction, Kingdom Builder's Ministry also teaches agriculture skills with its apple and peach orchards and honey bee hives. Orchards are located on the corner of Annesley and Hosmer Streets and on Burt Street between S. 13th and S. 14th Streets. Currently, Kingdom Builder's owns and maintains 31 lots with 17 containing fruit tree plantings.

"This spring, we will be planting 150 trees on newly cleared lots," said Shafley. "Our goal is to have 700 trees planted within the next four years."

Plans are in place to begin selling fruit from the orchards and honey processed from the bee hives at the Downtown Saginaw Farmers' Market located at the new SVRC Marketplace. Fresh baked goods are also in the works.

Changing Lives

By June this year, five participants will have successfully completed the program. It's challenging for both Shafley and the participants.

"Commitment is hard for those that have made poor choices in life and served time in prison," says Shafley. "Participants say they will be committed but find it hard to remain committed after pledging to do so. We become a positive role model in their lives."

One of Kingdom Builder's past participants has moved on to regular employment with a local honey producer. Shafley says: "When this young man arrived, I asked him if he likes heights. He said, 'no'. Then I asked him if he likes bees and he also said, 'no'. Well, he grew to enjoy the honey and the bees and now he works out in St. Charles. He turned his life around."

Kingdom Builder's Ministry emphasizes teaching patience and empathy. Shafley reflects: "Impulsive emotions have ruled their lives. We teach them how to control their emotions. We teach them life skills that many of us take for granted."

"When participants leave our program, they will have been taught strong work ethics, marketable skills, financial management, social skills, responsibility, and accountability," said Shafley. "We don't dwell on the past. We focus on the future."

For more information on Kingdom Builder's Ministry, visit:
kingdombuildersmi.org



anything is possible



FORCE, Saginaw Community Foundation's Youth Advisory Committee, provides a way in which area youth can participate in an array of volunteer opportunities, learn about their community along the way, affect real change while gaining leadership skills, and come to understand that by working hard, anything is possible.

Founded in 1992 as a result of a \$1 million challenge grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation, FORCE provides participating area youth a meaningful experience to take part in grantmaking and community service.

Comprised of a diverse group of students in grades 8-12 from across Saginaw County, FORCE gives a voice to youth in our community and gives members a chance to be heard and make decisions that will impact their future.

If you or someone you know is interested in joining FORCE, visit saginawfoundation.org/site/initiatives/force/ for more information.



"FORCE has allowed me a space to work with others to improve our community."

Colleen Miller
12th Grade
Heritage High School

"I like how FORCE is a great space to meet a very diverse group of people that are open-minded towards new ideas."

Elizabeth Boyd
10th Grade
Heritage High School



The 2017-18 FORCE Youth Advisory Council visiting the new Downtown Saginaw Farmers' Market.

"FORCE has made me appreciate the beauty of Saginaw and ignited a passion for serving its people"

Madeline Paxson
12th Grade
Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy

"I would encourage everyone to join FORCE because it not only brightens up my life, but those of others as well."

Alannah Garrett
11th Grade
Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy

"FORCE has not only helped me become less shy by introducing me to new people in the community, it has prompted me to think more critically about what is going on in the community, and what we can do to help."

Emma Wilson
10th Grade
Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy

"It has been a wonderful experience to learn about other people in my community while volunteering"

Maya Demand
9th Grade
Swan Valley High School

our volunteers

To our hundreds of volunteers, you are an inspiration. Without your commitment of time and talent, we would not be able to do all of the great things we do in our community. Your willingness to serve on committees or to review scholarship applications is greatly appreciated. And for that we say "thank you."

Stacey Abbs	Steven Clevenger	Ronda Henderson	Tania Leachman	Janet Patrick	Bridget Smith
David Abbs	Cameron Coates	Steven Hensley	Brian Lechel	Madeline Paxson	Ella Smith
Abbe Adair	Tara Cohee	Jennifer Heusted-	Ashley Lewis	Brian Pennington	Grace Smith
Meredith Adelman	Michael Colby	McKendree	Delores Lewis	John Peters	Mallory Snyder
Alina Alam	Rev. Hurley Coleman, Jr.	James Hewitt	Art Lewis	Helena Pett	Lauren Solinski
Deb Anderson	Jena Colon	Ana Hidalgo	Penny Lichon	Kayla Petz	Lily Somers
Gretchen Anderson	Leatrice Cooper	Kim Hill	Mikayla Lietzke	Sally Pichiotino	Roger Spann
Karen Angers	Carol Cottrell	Dawn Hinton	Judith Lincoln	Karen Pietrzak	Carol Stahl
Abdurrahman Arif	Karen Courneya	Amy Hlavacek	Roger Little	Stacy Priem	Margaret Steeple
Morgan Auernhammer	Joanie Covert	Zyk Hlavacek	Bridget	Jack Provenzano	Melissa Steiner
Thelma Bailey	Janet Crane	Gabriella Hoffmann	Looby Staffileno	Larry Pruetter	John Stemple
Trisha Baker	Ellen Crane	Marla Hoffmann	Peggy Lotridge	Pastor	Kathy Stewart
Dr. Ernie Balcueva	Harry Cripps	Kate Hofmann	Trish Luplow	Christopher Pryor	Brittany Stinson
Ernie Balcueva	Cathy Curtis-Varney	Wayne Hofmann	Amy Luplow	Andrea Pugh	Michael Story
Mary Jane Balcueva	Nick Czerwinski	Adison Hohwart	Tom Luplow	Angie Purvis	Victoria Strachan
Melba Baldwin	Sandy Dabrowski	Smallwood Holoman, Jr.	Pauline Lynch	Jack Raines	Sarah Straight
Denise Baldwin	Culli Damuth	Barbara Honsinger	Timothy MacKay	Kala Ramasamy	David Stuber
Dorian Banda	Cindy Davey	Cecelia Hopkins	Sarah Maday	Selvi Ramasamy	Debra Suffety
Angela Barris	Makenna Dawson	Veronica Horn	Barb Madigan	Jack Rehmann	Nichole Swackhamer
Mary Sue Barry	Melissa Dean	Lilly Hough	Joseph Madison	Laura Reindel	Jenna Tankersley
Kelly Baskind	Lillian Deering	Bonnie Huff	Aliza Majeed	Holli Reinelt	Jack Tany
Ann Marie Batkoski	Danielle Dejaegher	Martha Hughes	A. Michael Manzoni	Ashley Reing	Jaclyn Taylor
Anna Baukus-	Maya Demand	Connie Hutfilz	Craig Marcoux	David Rengering	Nic Taylor
Konieczka	Matthew DeVries	Sandra Iles	Kelsi Marcoux	Monica Rethman	Brandon Terry
Matthew Beffrey	Louis Diechman	JoAnn Iles Schneider	Catherine Martinez	Maya Richardson	Sydney Terry
Richard Belger	Douglas Doane	William Inman	Kylis Maxie	Leo Romo	Jordan Thieme
Lorisa Bellinger	Janice Doane	Brian Jackson	Keith Mayer	Angelique Rooney	Josh Thomas
Jeannine Belton	Jim Doane	Lisa Jackson	Lindsay Maynard	Nate Rose	Matthew Thomas
Williams	Ben Dowd	Monica Jackson	Maria McCarville	Peter Rose-Barry	Nick Thomas
David Berman	Ron Dressler	Reif Janet	Jennifer McDonald	Felicia Rose-Barry	Wendy
Rachel Bersok	Melissa Durow	Jeni Johnson	Marc McGill	Barbara Russell	Thomas-Roe
Roderick Bieber	Mary Lou Ederer	Joe Johnson	Evelyn McGovern	Eric Rutherford	Mamie Thorns
Ann Bierman	Richard Ederer	Judy Johnson	James McGuinness	Susan Sadenwater	Krystal Todd
Leslie Bilodeau	Rose Ederer	Kayla Johnson	Channing McKay	Mary Salamon	Nancy Topham
Gina Birnbaum	Leandro Estrada	Mark Johnston	Samantha McKenzie	Linda Sanborn	Karen Towns
Jaye Blakely	Randall Felsing	Renee Johnston	Erinna	Jared Sanderson	Manvel Trice
Heidi Bolger	Heather Fick	Heather Jordan	McKissick-Johnson	Judy Sarmiento	Tom Trombley
Karissa Bone	Eric Fischer	M. Randall Jurens	Jennifer McNalley	Harold Saunders	Stacie VanOchten
Jeff Bookmyer	Paul Fisher	Catherine	Carmilla Medel Mayer	Mary Kay Schaeffer	Alyssa Vasquez
Adrienne Bowman	Michele Fleming	Kalahar-Walker	Sophie Mehl	Autumn Scherzer	Christopher
Elizabeth Boyd	Joslyn Flowers	Ellen Keeler	Judy Menapace	Zachary Schmid	von Claparede
Sheilda Braddock	Jeffrey Fluder	Sarah Keenan	Guy Merriam	Emily Schmidt	Kemeshia Walker
Kelly Breasbois	Kimberly Fluder	Jennifer Kehres	Bradley Merrill	Cindy Schneider	Steve Walker
Larry Brethauer	Diane Fong	Kendra Kempf	Brian Miller	Amy Schnople	Michele Weadock-
Gloria Broaddus	Erin Fong	Cat Kerns	Colleen Miller	Scott Schropp	Hoepfner
Dietrich Bronner	Jamie Forbes	Butch King	Emma Miller	Kelly Schultz	Rhonda Webb
Lorene Bronner	Amy Ford	Yvonne Kinney	Tom Miller, Jr.	Louie Schultz	Carolyn Weiss
Lori Brown	Helena Fry	Marsha Kleber	Jim Milroy	Michael Schultz	Victoria Wenzel
Melisa Brown	Delores Gale	Trevor Klein	Doug Moiles	Shannon Schwanbeck	Kim Whalen
Kay Brzak	Fred Gardner	Ruth Ann Knapp	Dave Mook	Jerry Scott	Lisa Whelton
Cherie Burk	Alannah Garrett	Brenda Knaus	Dillon Morehead	Patricia	Angela Whitemen
Karen Butler	Lynne George	Kristine Knip	Evelyn Moten	Scott-Mason	Robert Whiting
Kathryn Campbell	Becky Gerzseny	Rosemary Kohut	Dwight Motley	Tina Seager	Olivia Williams
Madeline Campbell	Brittnay Gillett	Jody Komyathy	Victoria Mullins	Darci Seamon	Lillie Williams
Daniel Cannon	Amber Godwin	Bryan Konieczka	Kathryn Myers	Diane Seamon	Emma Wilson
Robin Carey	Mary Goedert	John Kosanovich	Kristy Nelson	Geraldine Seamon	Joshua Windy
Terianne Carey	Victor Gomez	Alicia Kowalewski	Jill Neperud	Kari Shaheen	Judy Wirtz
Mary Lou Carman	Maricela Gonzalez	Steve Kowalewski	Gene Nuckolls	Patricia Shaheen	Sandra Wooten
Jen Carpenter	Kristine Gotham	Jessica Kraniak	Karin O'Brien	Kelly Shay	Tiarra Wright
Becky Casemyers	Renee Graham	Derek Kreszowski	Caren O'Hara	Debra Shelton	Kenneth Wuepper
Heidi Chasnis	Suzanne Greenberg	Katrina Kreszowski	Hanna Obbink	Burkhart Sherry	Beverly Yanca
Priyanka Chaudhuri	Jimmy Greene	Barbara Krzyzaniak	Pat Ognisanti	Linda Sims	Laura Yockey
Mary Chavalia	Todd Gregory	Betsy Kubczak	Anne Opperman	Andrew Szelove	Jerry Young
Beth Church	Jennifer Grigg	Bill Kubczak	Ruth Ozenbauh	David Skolnik	Brad Yurgens
Nancy Cisneros	Lisa Gross	Chris Kubczak	Larry Packard	Donna Slick	Dean Yurgens
Morrall Claramunt	Manjari Gummidipundi	Connie Kubczak	Janet Papst	Thomas Slivinski	Hannah Yusuf
Beth Clark	Dave Hall	Sue Lautzenhiser	Mandy Parker	Erin Smith	Sarah Ziegelmann
Michelle Clark	Brian Harris	Kimberly Leach	Erica Partlow	Sherrill Smith	Abby Ziegelmann

tribute gifts

A great way to honor someone special is to give an honor or memory tribute gift. These gifts become lasting, living legacy's and help Saginaw Community Foundation make grants to a wide variety of charitable, educational, health and cultural programs

Honor Donations

A thoughtful way to honor and commemorate an important moment by recognizing a birth, graduation, anniversary, special achievement or simply "just because." Below are contributions made during 2017 in honor of:

Ernie Balcueva	Lou and Vera Hanisko	Charles McMillan Jr.
Brett Beyer	Carrie Hines	Amy Schut
Mike Bierlein <i>in recognition of Lifetime Community Service Award</i>	Pete Jonca	Sam Shaheen
Jeanne Murphey and Greg Causley	Kendra Kempf	Ja'Kiel Stone
Mr. and Mrs. Greg Causley's wedding	Shari Kennett	Doug Trombley
Gil Couillard	Katie Kent	Claudia Wallace
	Carol Lechel	Sarah and Alex Wallace

Tribute Donations

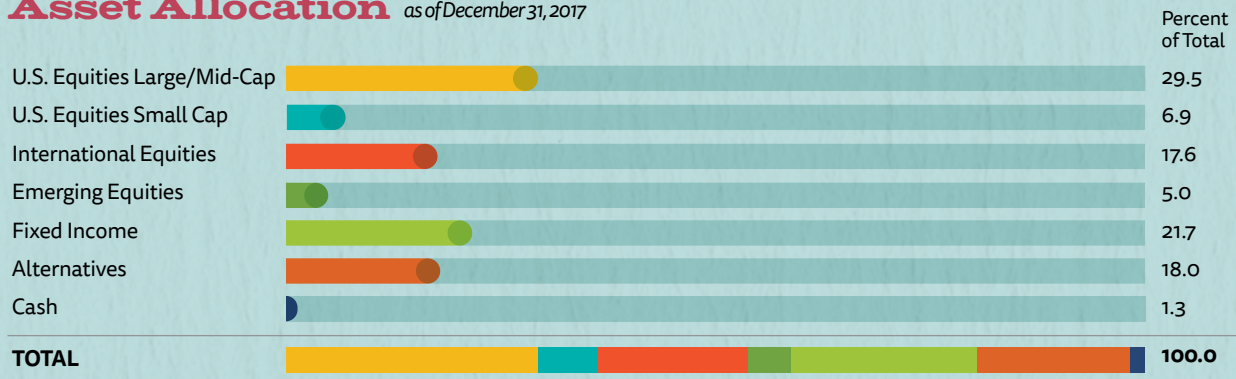
A meaningful way to honor a friend or relative or to express your condolences. When you give to Saginaw Community Foundation, you honor a special life by helping us meet the ever changing needs of Saginaw County. For good. For ever. Below are contributions made during 2017 in memory of:

John Anderson	Arlene Haynes	Dorothy Peterson
Kathy Bivins	Rene Herman	Cheryl Platcher
Jeanette E. Bosco	Carrie Hines	Frances A. Porter
Hugo E. Braun	Zellie Horn	Barry E. Quimper
Judith A. Braun	Laura Humphreys	Kenneth Reimus
James E. Carney	Catherine M. Janetsky	Marion S. Remer-Crouthamel
Emma Ciaramitaro	Duane Kemerer	Virginia Richards
Joanne G. Cline	James P. Konieczka	Raymond L. Roe
Gilbert F. Couillard	Patricia M. Kotenko	Virginia Rudy
Carolyn Cummings	Steven Kyle Kowalewski	Hans J. Schmidt
Carrington B. Day	Jeff Kunzler	Virginia A. Schuler
Angie DeFrancesco	Catherine A. LaBreck	Tom Schultz
Nick DiBerardino	Miller Leroy	Kenneth E. Siems
Betsy Dice	Carolyn A. MacDonald	Della R. Smith
George F. Ditzhazy	Kenneth H. MacDonald	Marie F. Smith
Anita Dupuis	Dr. William G. Mason	Archie H. Stevens
James Evon	Ken McIntyre	Mary S. Thomas
John J. Finazzi	Charles McMillan	Pauline Trepkowski
Marjorie Flegenheimer	Joel McMillon	Robert Urbain
Jack Foote	Theodora Medel	Thomas R. Wielinski
Herbert E. Fowle	Dennis Miner	Stephen Wirt
Francis P. Galarno	Albert K. Mooney	Shirley A. Wotchko
Roccy J. Gianvecchio	Frank Morello	
Lewis J. Gould	Frank Morlick	
Anthony B. Gronski	Vincent J. Mosca	
Frank Harris	Helen A. Myczkowiak	
Jean Harris	Frank J. Nacarato	
John Hausbeck	Hannah O'Toole	

financial review

We believe it is important that an organization be fiscally responsible and that the funds entrusted to its care be used as intended. The Saginaw Community Foundation takes our stewardship role very seriously. On these pages, we have included information regarding the investment of our assets, our condensed financial statement and a breakdown of our grants and administrative expenses. If you would like to review a copy of the foundation's audit, please give us a call.

Asset Allocation as of December 31, 2017



Target Asset Allocation and Current Managers

as of December 31, 2017

Large/Mid Cap U.S. Equities 27.5%
 Clearbridge Large Cap Growth
 DFA US Core Equity
 FCI Large Cap Value
 Jennison Large Cap Growth

Small Cap U.S. Equities 7.5%
 RBC Global Small Cap Growth
 Silvercrest Small Cap Value

International – Developed Equities 17.5%
 DFA International Core Equity
 DFA International Small Company
 Harding Loevner International

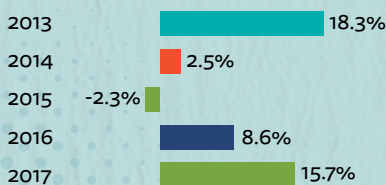
Emerging Equities 5%
 DFA Emerging Markets Core Equity

Fixed Income 22.5%
 FCI Aggregate Fixed Income
 Hotchkis & Wiley High Yield
 PIMCO Real Return
 Vanguard Total Bond Index

Alternatives 20%
 Absolute Return 7.5%
 John Hancock GARS
 Mesirow Multi-Strategy
 Natural Resources 5%
 Credit Suisse Commodities Return Strategy
 Tortoise MLP & Pipeline Fund
 Hedged Equity 7.5%
 Eagle Aggressive Growth II
 Robeco Long/Short Research

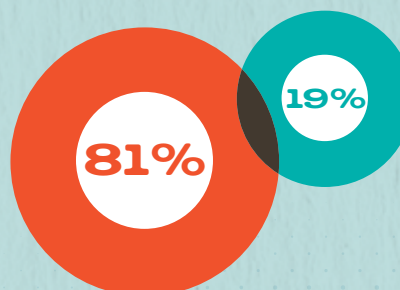
Net Annual Returns

as of December 31, 2017



3-year average return..... 7.3%
 5-year average return..... 8.6%
 Average return since 1991..... 8.0%

Analysis of Expenses



19%
 Support Services as a percentage of Total Expenses

81%
 Program Services and Grants as a percentage of Total Expenses

Statement of Financial Position

	Years ending December 31	
	2017	2016
Assets		
Current Assets		
Cash	\$1,877,953	\$1,552,412
Accounts receivable	0	11,436
Current portion, promises to give	37,685	7,250
Note receivable, current portion	11,957	11,375
Total Current Assets	\$1,927,595	\$1,582,473
Long-term note receivable	\$690,996	\$702,953
Long-term investments	64,984,323	58,256,916
Equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	50,772	58,488
Charitable remainder trusts	330,593	258,876
Other assets	57,813	53,032
Total Assets	\$68,042,092	\$60,912,738
Liabilities And Fund Balance		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$61,734	\$48,575
Grants payable	223,487	38,085
Annuity payment liability, current portion	1,458	4,146
Total Current Liabilities	\$286,679	\$90,806
Grants payable, less current portion	7,070	2,868
Donor designations for specific organizations	2,931,323	2,571,007
Annuity payment liability	0	831
Total Liabilities	\$3,224,981	\$2,665,512
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	\$64,448,833	\$57,981,100
Temporarily restricted	368,278	266,126
Total Net Assets	\$64,817,111	\$58,247,266
Total Liabilities And Net Assets	\$68,042,092	\$60,912,738

Statement of Activities

Revenues		
Investment income	8,630,001	4,588,608
Gifts and bequests	2,766,831	3,712,691
Less: Agency gifts	(121,577)	(24,889)
Total Revenue	\$11,275,255	\$8,276,410
Expenses		
Program services		
Program grants	\$3,077,651	\$2,716,652
Less: Agency grants	(126,332)	(5,872)
Program initiatives	797,965	1,147,913
Program grants and administration	72,339	47,795
Support services		
Program management and development	317,353	294,324
Management and general	553,756	531,668
Fundraising	12,638	8,259
Total Expenses	\$4,705,370	\$4,740,739
Change in net assets	\$6,569,885	\$3,535,671
Net assets, beginning of year	\$58,247,226	\$54,711,555
Net Assets, End Of Year	\$64,817,111	\$58,247,226

current funds

Hundreds of individuals, families, companies and organizations have created a charitable legacy by establishing a fund at the Saginaw Community Foundation. We are honored to serve as the steward of these gifts. If you are interested in establishing your own fund, give us a call at (989) 755-0545. We can help you meet your philanthropic goals.

New Funds

Community Initiative/Special Project

Counter Culture
NSTLL (Sam Merrill Memorial Pavilion)
Saginaw County Animal Care and Control

Designated

Herbert E. Fowle Memorial Scholarship

Donor Advised

Odail & Mamie Thorns Donor Advised Fund

Scholarship

Jack Foote Memorial Scholarship
Golds Alumni Scholarship
Lawrence C. Hazen, D.O. Scholarship
Brian Jackson Scholarship
Reneé Johnston Scholarship
Jason Kowolski Scholarship
Toby Larkin Scholarship
Dennis A. Miner Scholarship
Positive Results Downtown
Heather Ueberroth Scholarship
Robert Dale Urbain Memorial Scholarship

Community Initiative/Special Project Funds

A Place for Grace Activity Fund
A String Instrumental Program
Administrative Project Fund
Alignment Saginaw
All Music is Power
Ambassadors for Opportunity
Andersen Water Park Re-purposing Fund
Arson Watch Fund
Art & About
Backpack Buddies
Backpack Buddies - Saginaw Public Schools
Bierlein Diabetes Special Event Fund
Bridge the Gap
Bridgeport Township Challenger Athletic Complex
Buena Vista Parks and Recreation Fund
Carrollton Education Foundation Special Project Fund
Cemetery Capital Improvement Fund
Children's Sports & Health Fitness
Christian Youth Fellowship Association of Saginaw
Community Advancement Network
Dow Community Gives
Dow Serving Up Opportunities For Our Future

Freeland Soccer Club
Friends of City Hall
Friends of Garber Courts
Get Outside for a Healthy Inside
Global Preservation Foundation Fund
Grants For Excellence Fund
Great Lakes Bay Miracle League
Great Lakes Bay Region Buddy Walk
Greenwood Elite
Heroes For Kids Special Event Fund
Huntington Event Park
Indo-Pak Special Event Fund
Michael Jeffers Memorial Fountain and Park
Jump Fresh Youth Academy
Junior Leadership Saginaw Scholarship Fund
Kids Rule Now
Law Day Special Event Fund
Lawn Chair Film Festival
Making Words Count
Judge Gary R. McDonald Special Event Fund
Michigan DNR Summer Youth Employment Program
Michigan Health Endowment - Obesity
Michigan State Housing Development Authority Fund
Mid-Michigan Wellness Foundation
Miles for Memories
Miss Saginaw County Scholarship Pageant
Morley Building Fund
Nexteer First STEM Fund
Play It Forward
Power of Dad
Project Safe Neighborhood
Project Unity Fund
PX2
Read It Up Program Fund
Riverfront Saginaw
SASA SPAC
SASA Technology Fund
Saginaw Baseball Club
Saginaw Celebrates Summer
Saginaw Community Foundation Impact Challenge Fund
Saginaw County African American Leadership Training Institute
Saginaw County Spelling Bee
Saginaw County's Promise Fund
Saginaw Firefighter's Fund
Saginaw Harvest Table
Saginaw Intermediate School District College Advisor Fund
Saginaw Leadership Cares
Saginaw Promise Zone Fund

Saginaw Riverfront Development Fund
Saginaw Sesquicentennial Fund
Saginaw Township Soccer Complex Expansion Fund
Saginaw Township Soccer Complex 2012 Goal Fund
Saginaw Valley Police Canine Association
Saginaw's Got Soul
St. Charles Community Center Bronze Mascot Project
Sports Hall of Fame Renovation
Stand Up Award
The Stephens School of Performing Arts
Stu's Crew Special
Tool Totes
Tri-City Links
True North Sand & Snow Day Vacations
Youth First
Youth First - Martin G. Atkins Elementary
Youth First - Carrollton Elementary
Youth First - Henry Doerr Elementary
Youth First - Jesse Loomis Elementary
Youth First - Merrill Elementary

Designated Funds

Lucy R. Allen Cornerstone Fund
Arthur Hill High School Alumni Fund
ARTreach Fund - City
ARTreach Fund
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Saginaw Bay Area Endowment Fund
Bishop Ken Leadership Saginaw Scholarship
Bliss Park Fund
Boys & Girls Club Endowment Fund
Ruth and Ted Braun Fellowship Program Fund
Bridge Center for Racial Harmony Endowment Fund
Buena Vista Charter Township Playscape Fund
Carrollton Education Foundation Fund
Celebration Square Carousel Endowment Fund
Kittur Rani Channamma School Cultural Exchange Program Fund
Chesaning Riverboat Playscape Endowment Fund
Child Abuse & Neglect Council Endowment Fund
Children's Zoo at Celebration Square Endowment Fund
City Rescue Mission Endowment Fund
Mick Cottrell & Carol B. Cottrell Fireworks Fund
Deindorfer Woods Fund
Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial Animal Care Center Fund
Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial Covenant Healthcare Fund
Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial Delta College Public Television Fund
Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial Historical Society of Saginaw County Fund

Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial
Saginaw Children's Zoo Fund

Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial
Thomas Township Library Fund

Edward and Erna Ederer Memorial
Thomas Township Public Safety Fund

Field Neurosciences Institute Endowment Fund

Patrick Flynn Memorial Fund

Louise Forbes Memorial Fund

Jane Fowle Endowment Fund

Frankenmuth Community Foundation Fund

Frankenmuth Historical Museum Endowment Fund

Donald and Carolyn Fraser Memorial Fund

Alma Gilmore Charitable Remainder Unitrust

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan Fund

Grams Memorial Library Fund

Great Lakes Bay Miracle League Endowment Fund

Great Lakes Bay Regional Trail

Greater Merrill Area Community Fund

Green Point Nature Center Endowment Fund

Handley School Foundation Fund

Handley School Foundation Special Project Fund

Hartley Outdoor Education Foundation Fund

Hartley Foundation Special Education Fund

Harvest Home Endowment Fund

Robert M. and Emily S. Heavenrich Fund

Hidden Harvest Endowment Fund

Historical Society of Saginaw County
Endowment Fund

Elmer L. Huebner Fund

Junior Achievement Endowment Fund

Junior League of the Great Lakes Bay Region
Endowment Fund

Kochville Township Parks and Recreation
Maintenance Fund

Chum and Phyllis Kuehn Fund

Judith A. Marx Endowment Fund

Marketing/Technology Fund

Henry G. Marsh-Saginaw Habitat for Humanity Fund

Dr. William G. Mason Endowment Fund

McNally Hospitality House Endowment Fund

Michigan Lutheran Seminary

Michigan's Own Endowment Fund

Mid-Michigan Children's Museum Endowment Fund

Mridha Foundation Teacher of the Year
Endowment Fund

Mudd Family Historic Preservation Fund

Dr. Richard D. Mudd YMCA Youth Fund

Rose M. Mudd Farmer's Market Fund

Operation Sparkle Fund

Opportunities Industrialization Center of
Metropolitan Saginaw, Inc. Endowment Fund

Optimist Club of Saginaw Youth Orchestra Fund

Partners-in-Philanthropy Fund

Partnership for the Saginaw Bay Watershed
Endowment Fund

Pit & Balcony Endowment Fund

Project Heartstart Fund

Promise Neighborhoods

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Butman Fish Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Claytor Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Children's Services Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Eddy Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw Foundation Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Hoyt Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Wickes Endowment Fund

Public Libraries of Saginaw –
Zauef Endowment Fund

READ Association Endowment Fund

Sylvia and Kenneth "John" Reimus Endowment
Disaster Relief Fund

George W. Romney Fund

Saginaw Area Foundation for Eyecare

Saginaw Art Museum Endowment Fund

Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy Foundation

Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy
Athletic Booster Club

Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy Special Event Fund

Saginaw Basin Land Conservancy

Saginaw Bay Symphony 22nd Century
Endowment Fund

Saginaw Choral Society Endowment Fund

Saginaw Community Foundation 25th Gift Fund

Saginaw Community Mental Health
Endowment Fund I

Saginaw Community Mental Health
Endowment Fund II

Saginaw Conservation District Fund

Saginaw County Convention and Visitor Bureau
Reserve Fund

Saginaw County Chamber Foundation
Endowment Fund

Saginaw County Youth Protection Council
Homeless Prevention

Saginaw County Youth Protection Council
Endowment Fund

Saginaw County Veterans Memorial Plaza
Endowment Fund

Saginaw Future Fund

Saginaw Hall of Fame Bean Bunny Fund

Saginaw Scouting Outreach Program Fund

Saginaw Township Community Schools
Foundation Fund

Saginaw Township Community Schools
Orchestra Program Endowment Fund

Saginaw Township Playscape Endowment Fund

Saginaw Transit Authority Regional Services
Saginaw Valley Concert Association
Endowment Fund

Saginaw Valley Regional 4C Endowment Fund

Saginaw Valley State University Musical Artists in
Residence Endowment Fund

St. Charles Area Museum Endowment

St. Charles Community Schools Foundation Fund

St. Charles Fund

St. John's Episcopal Church Fund

Scholarship On-Line Technology Fund

Louis R. Schwartz and Helen E. Schwartz

William E. Shephard Band Scholarship Fund

Maynard L. Smith, Jr. Scholarship Endowment Trust

Glada G. Strobel Memorial Fund

Gerald J. & Joan B. Talbot Fund

Curtis R. & Donna R. Thayer Fund

Thomas Township Library Endowment Fund

Thomas Township Parks Fund

Tittabawassee Downtown Development Authority
Health/Fitness

Tri-County Council NLU Youth Program Fund

Underground Railroad Endowment Fund

United Way of Saginaw County
Kresge Endowment Fund

United Way of Saginaw County
Perpetual Donor Fund

United Way of Saginaw County Reserve Fund

V.K. Volk Fund

Westlund Child Guidance Clinic Fund

Lendell J. Williams Memorial Scholarship Fund

Lynn & Bebe Wolgast

Junzo Yamamoto Japanese Tea House Fund

Donor Advised Funds

Lou & Tom Beffrey Fund

Bierlein Family Diabetes Fund

John & Michele Bueker Music Fund

Circle Michigan Foundation

Citizen's Bank Corporate Advised Fund

Citizens Bank Neighborhood Revitalization Fund

Nancy Claramunt Dance Foundation Fund

Dr. Louis & Karen Constan Fund

The Dow Chemical Company Foundation
Donor Advised Fund

Dow Corning Foundation Donor Advised
Endowment Fund

Leo C. Eckenswiller Trust Fund

Elizabeth Eddy Fund

The Edward & Erna Ederer Family Foundation Fund

Fisher Family Foundation

Flegenheimer Family Foundation Fund

Fordney Club of Saginaw County Donor Advised Fund

Hemlock Semiconductor Hemlock Site Fund

Heroes for Kids Endowment Fund

Dr. Roy A. Hills Endowment Fund

Huntley Family Endowment Fund

Indian and Pakistani Friendship Fund

Aarol W. & Elaine M. Irish Family Foundation Fund

Dr. Roger N. Kahn Fund

K.P. Karunakaran Family Foundation Fund

Vincent A. Knoll Durable Device Fund

Mr. & Mrs. James R. Krohn Fund

Legacy Civic Fund

Glenn Mayer Memorial Fund

Virginia & Don Nash Fund

National Association of Insurance &
Financial Advisors Saginaw Fund

Nexteer Community Improvement Fund

Nexteer Education Fund

Nexteer Steering the Future Fund

Maria Elizabeth Paquette Eternal Memorial Fund
 Betty Sabeti Foundation for Global Humanitarian
 Advancement of Women & Children
 Saginaw Bay Underwriters Fund
 Saginaw County Legal Endowment
 Saginaw Public Schools Endowment Fund
 Saginaw River of Life Fund
 Saginaw Sees the Light
 Schropp Family Fund
 SCLA Scholarship Fund
 Robert E. Stark & Martin H. Stark Foundation Fund
 Stevens Family Foundation Fund
 Stu's Crew
 Sucharitha Swamy and Minu P. Bhagat
 Charitable Fund
 Akbar Waqf Foundation Fund
 Carl H., Jr. and Sandra Werth Fund
 Harvey Randall Wickes Donor Advised Fund II
 David G. & Lois B. Wilkins Donor Advised Fund
 Wolf Family Foundation Fund
 Wolohan Enterprises, Inc. Fund

Field of Interest Funds

At-Risk Youth Fund
 Chesaning Area Community Foundation
 Chesaning Fund
 Mick Cottrell & Carol B. Cottrell Fund
 Anna Dorr Cresswell Memorial Fund
 Damuth Family Fund
 Doctor's Health Fund
 Mary Elizabeth Dudek Swimming Fund
 Education Fund
 Energy Initiative Fund
 David & Jacqueline Hall Fund
 HAP Healthy Initiatives Fund
 Healthy Community Partners
 Healthy Youth & Healthy Seniors Endowment Fund
 Mildred Culbert Kelly & Fred W. Kelly Fund
 Kennett Women's Fund
 K. Lucille & James Martineau Family Fund
 Lulah C. McMullen & Family Endowment Fund
 Mental Health Fund
 Neighborhood Revitalization Fund
 Next Generation CARES Fund
 Saginaw Community Arts Fund
 Saginaw County Child Development Fund
 Saginaw County Parks Fund
 Saginaw County's Promise Endowment Fund
 Saginaw County Youth FORCE Fund
 Saginaw Diabetes Fund
 Saginaw Valley Dancers
 Senior Citizen Enrichment Fund
 Tiderington Family Fund
 Arthur H. Webster Fund
 Carl Werth, Sr. & Ruth Werth Memorial Fund
 Bill Wolcott Memorial Fund
 YWCA Fund for Women & Girls

Scholarship Funds

21 Club Scholarship Fund
 The Rev. William D. Aldridge, Sr. Scholarship Fund
 American Business Women's Association,
 Saginaw Charter Chapter Scholarship Fund
 Frank N. Andersen Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Nels Andersen Scholarship Fund
 Nick Andros Music Scholarship Fund
 Arthur Hill High School Scholarship Fund
 Balcueva Family Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Gary K. Barker Science Scholarship Fund
 Bernice Barlow NAACP Scholarship Fund
 Bethel A.M.E Church Scholarship Fund
 Gary R. Bierlein Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Pama Brantley-Phillips Scholarship Fund
 Bridge to College Scholarship Fund
 Charles F. & Edith E. Brunkow Scholarship Fund
 Louise Eaton Buck Art Scholarship Fund
 Thomas Burkhart Scholarship Fund
 Can-Amera Games
 Carrollton Education Foundation Scholarship
 Endowment Fund
 Case Family Scholarship Fund
 Casting Your Future UAW Local 668
 Scholarship Fund
 Circle Michigan Foundation Scholarship
 Nancy Claramunt Pass-through Scholarship
 Cohen Leadership Scholarship
 Kara Susan Kaltenbach Conlan Scholarship
 Robert R. & Naomi T. Cook Scholarship Fund
 Donald Stuart Corsaut Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Larry A. Coulouris Memorial Scholarship
 Clifford E. Davis Youth Leadership Fund
 Carol A. Doman-Wilder Scholarship Fund
 Alma Gilmore Doud Memorial Scholarship
 Douglas Family Scholarship Fund
 Jordan M. Draper Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Emily Anne Dressler Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Scott Durand Memorial Foundation Fund
 Christopher T. Erskine Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Mary J. Ewing Scholarship Fund
 First Ward: Mark Neumeier Success Scholarship
 E.C. Fisher Scholarship Fund
 Max Fisher Scholarship Fund
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 Bobbi J. Galarno Memorial Scholarship Fund
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 Joe H. & Roseanne S. Gardner Scholarship Fund
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 Dr. Foster B. Gibbs Scholarship Fund
 Great Lakes Safety Training Center
 Endowed Scholarship
 Joseph M. Godard Memorial Scholarship

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 Guadalupe "Lupe" Gomez Scholarship Fund
 Gospel Fest Music Arts Scholarship Fund
 Milton L. Greenebaum Scholarship Fund
 Bob & Betty Grills Fund
 Ruth Regina Halcli Fund
 Ruth Mitchell Hanson Scholarship Fund
 Frank & Jean Harris Scholarship
 Hebert Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Pat Hendrick Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Heritage Academic Boosters Scholarship Fund
 Herlihy-Grant Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Judith Heavenrich Scholarship Fund
 Carrie B. Hines Endowment Scholarship
 Joe Hodson Scholarship Fund
 Holland Scholarship Fund
 Iles Family Scholarship
 Clarence A. "Buck" Iles Scholarship
 Douglas C. Iles Memorial Scholarship
 Indo-Pak Scholarship Fund
 Fred A. Ittner Scholarship Fund
 Jennifer L. Jackson Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Jack B. Jonker Saginaw Choral Society Fund
 Ashton B. Joseph Scholarship Fund
 Junior League of the Great Lakes Bay Region
 Scholarship Fund
 Kappa Alpha Psi Scholarship Fund
 Mildred Culbert Kelly & Fred W. Kelly Scholarship
 William & Helen Kempf Music Scholarship
 Martin Luther King, Jr. Regional Scholarship
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 Kostrzewa/Sivey Educational Fund
 Val & Julie Kostrzewa Memorial Scholarship
 Val R. Kostrzewa Music Scholarship
 Steven Kyle Kowalewski Memorial Scholarship
 Karen A. Krogman-Weadock Memorial
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 Lee Essie and Charlie McMillan, Jr. Scholarship Fund
 A.C. "Kate" & Leo Joseph Merlone Scholarship Fund
 Meyer-Simon Latin Scholarship Fund
 MLive/The Saginaw News Scholarship Fund
 Michigan CardioVascular Institute Foundation
 Michigan State University Alumni Association of
 Saginaw County
 Michigan Sugar Company Employee
 Scholarship Fund

Karen (Basner) Vayre Moll Memorial Scholarship
 Morley Travel Scholarship Fund
 Dr. Charles E. Mueller Scholarship Fund
 National Association of Insurance and Financial Advisors Scholarship Fund
 Nexteer Scholarship Fund
 Nexteer Skilled Trade Scholarship
 Elbert Curtiss & Margaret Nienstedt Fisher Scholarship Fund
 Gene & Shirley Nuckolls Scholarship Fund
 Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Scholarship Fund
 Dr. Raquel Ontiveros Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Optimist Club of Saginaw "Officer Ed" Nowaczyk Scholarship Fund
 Marjorie A. Orr Scholarship Fund
 Thomas P. Orr Scholarship Fund
 Our Littlest Angels Fund
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 Edward F. Petzko Student Athlete Scholarship Fund
 Jerrold E. Potts Scholarship Fund
 Carolyn Pugh Memorial Scholarship
 Bud & Katherine Rae Aviation Scholarship Fund
 Jerry Redeemer Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Harold & Bernadine Reiss Scholarship Fund
 Jason Richardson Turnaround Scholarship Fund
 George William Roe's Pursuit of Hospitality Scholarship
 Saginaw Area Health Care Administrators Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Black Nurses Association - Nell Kelly Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Choral Society Joanne Robertson Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Community Foundation Endowed General Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Country Club Golf Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw County Association of Retired School Personnel Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw County Child Development Center Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw County Sports Hall of Fame Scholarship
 Saginaw Education Association Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw High School Alumni Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw High School Class of 1970 Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw High School Class of 2001
 Saginaw Social Service Club, Norman D. Osborne Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Township Business Association Scholarship Fund
 Saginaw Valley Ag Heritage Scholarship Fund
 St. Charles Community Schools Foundation Scholarship Fund
 St. Charles Haunted House Association Scholarship
 Susan J. Sauer Hospitality and Sports Management Scholarship
 Ronald J. Schauman Trades Scholarship
 Louis R. & Helen E. Schwartz FFA Scholarship Fund
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 Sons of Italy Scholarship Fund
 Paul C. & Anita M. Spadafore Family Scholarship
 Evelyn Faye Spates Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Clifford H. Spicer Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Robert E. Stark & Martin H. Stark Scholarship Fund
 Fred R. Strutz Family Memorial Scholarship Fund
 Nellie I. Kerry & Paul Sutherland Scholarship Fund
 Swan Valley High School Scholarship Foundation Fund
 Swanhaven Manor Retirement Community Scholarship
 Synergy Medical Education Alliance Scholarship Fund
 Team One Credit Union Scholarship Fund
 Ron Thomas Memorial Scholarship Fund
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 Women Giving to Women Scholarship Fund
 Yellow Dog Studios Memorial Scholarship
 Claire Yost Memorial Scholarship
 Zonta Club of Saginaw Scholarship Fund

Unrestricted Funds

Betsey G. Arnold Fund
 Thomas & Margaret Cavanaugh Day & Children
 Mike & Linda Elliott Fund
 King Family Fund
 Kresge Community Match Fund
 Kresge Community Partner Fund
 Kenneth G. Marks Fund
 James W. Marx, Eleanor A. Marx & James T. Marx Endowment Fund
 Edward & Donna McKinley Family Fund
 Margaret McKinley Snelling Family Fund
 John & Marian Olfer Fund
 W. Henry & Greta K. Pendell Family Foundation Fund
 Princing Family Fund Jack & Connie Rehmann Family Fund
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 Unrestricted Trust Fund Raymond J. Schultz & Monica E. Schultz Fund
 Shaheen Family Fund Charlotte Stenger Endowment Fund
 Charles G. & Mary Straebel Thomas Family Fund
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Deciding to give

Many people come to a point in their lives where they feel inclined to give back. They do so for a number of reasons, all very personal to them.

There are as many ways to give as there are motivations. The key to a rewarding giving experience is finding the best fit for your charitable priorities, financial goals and personal preferences.

The Saginaw Community Foundation, along with your professional advisor, can help you determine the custom giving solution that's right for you.

We work with you to determine the type of fund you would like to establish and specify how you want the fund to help your community.

Earnings gained through investments will be used to make grants that address needs in Saginaw County.

Not interested in starting a fund?

Many of our funds accept donations from any source. Our online donation page allows donors to search by either fund name or interest area to contribute to causes that matter to them most.

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total number of funds at Saginaw Community Foundation*

*as of December 31, 2017

[saginawfoundation.org / site/for-donors](http://saginawfoundation.org/site/for-donors)

2017 grants

Each year we fulfill our mission to honor our donor's wishes and bring community initiatives to life across Saginaw County – and beyond. Here is a listing of the programs, projects and initiatives we were able to support during 2017. Visit our website at saginawfoundation.org/site/grants to learn more about the variety of grant programs we have available.

Agency Grants 2017 Total: \$525,315.76

Agency Grants are supported by Agency Funds which are established by nonprofit organizations for their benefit.

Carrollton Public Schools

Annual distribution • \$4,979.00

Children's Zoo at Celebration Square

Annual distribution • \$23,519.00

City Rescue Mission of Saginaw, Inc.

Annual distribution • \$22,347.00

Frankenmuth Historical Association

Annual distribution • \$25,196.00

Greater Frankenmuth Area Community Foundation

Annual distribution • \$8,240.00

Hidden Harvest

Annual distribution • \$41,067.00

Junior Achievement of North Central Michigan

Annual distribution • \$9,247.00

Michigan Lutheran Seminary Foundation

Annual distribution • \$585.00

Mid-Michigan Children's Museum

Annual distribution • \$10,000.00

Norman Westlund Child Guidance Clinic

Annual distribution • \$8,344.61

Public Libraries of Saginaw

Annual distribution • \$24,750.00

Saginaw Basin Land Conservancy

Annual distribution • \$4,138.00

Saginaw Bay Symphony Orchestra

Annual distribution • \$48,472.00

Saginaw Choral Society

Annual distribution • \$5,886.00

Saginaw County Chamber Foundation

Annual distribution • \$15,490.00

Saginaw County Veterans Memorial Plaza, Inc.

Annual distribution • \$1,937.00

Saginaw Intermediate School District

Special Education • \$60,000.00

Saginaw Township Community Schools

Mini grants for the 2017-2018 school year
\$40,215.15

St. Charles Community Schools

Annual distribution • \$6,813.00

Thomas Township

Annual distribution • \$10,852.00

Underground Railroad

Annual distribution • \$13,360.00

United Way Community Volunteer Center

Annual distribution • \$89,606.00

United Way of Saginaw County

Annual distribution • \$46,972.00

Water and Woods Field Service Council, Boy Scouts of America

Annual distribution • \$3,300.00

Designated Grants 2017 Total: \$348,212.91

Designated Grants are supported by Designated Funds established by donors wanting to support a specific organization or accomplish a specific purpose. See a complete listing of these funds on page 28.

Andersen Enrichment Center

Annual distribution • \$31,469.00

Children's Zoo at Celebration Square

Annual distribution • \$8,404.00

Covenant HealthCare Foundation

Annual distribution • \$14,098.00

Delta College Broadcasting

Annual distribution • \$8,376.00

First Presbyterian Church

Saginaw Strings Winter & Fall Session

Scholarships • \$7,185.00

Frankenmuth United Methodist Church

For exclusive use in Saginaw County • \$8,724.00

Freeland Community School District

For the William E. Shephard Band Scholarship recipients • \$725.00

Freeland Soccer Club

Annual distribution • \$15,000.00

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

Annual distribution • \$7,875.50

Mid-Michigan Children's Museum

Annual distribution • \$2,000.00

Power of Dad

General support • \$250.00

Saginaw Area Catholic Schools

Nouvel Catholic High School • \$325.00

Saginaw Arts & Sciences Academy

To support the purchase of a large format printer • \$500.00

Middle School Robotics • \$421.91

Saginaw Bay Symphony Orchestra

Annual distribution • \$841.00

Youth Orchestra instruction for the Holiday

Pops concert • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Bay Youth Orchestra

Scholarships • \$420.00

Saginaw County Animal Care Center

Annual distribution • \$8,580.00

Saginaw County Chamber Foundation

Leadership Saginaw Scholarships • \$1,500.00

Saginaw Intermediate School District

Teacher of the Year Award • \$2,000.00

Saginaw Public Schools

To support Saginaw Public Schools • \$7,000.00

Stand Up Awards • \$18,750.00

SASA Foundation Grants • \$2,450.00

Saginaw Valley State University Foundation

Ruth and Ted Braun Fellowship Program
\$75,000.00

Maynard L. Smith, Jr. Scholarship • \$17,095.00

SVSU Musical Artists in Residence • \$62,852.00

St. Charles Community Schools

2017 Scholarships • \$5,000.00

St. John's Episcopal Church

Annual distribution • \$9,236.50

The Salvation Army

For exclusive use in Saginaw County • \$2,644.00

Thomas Township

Annual distribution • \$14,165.00

Thomas Township Library

Annual distribution • \$8,970.00

United Way of Saginaw County

For exclusive use in Saginaw County • \$2,644.00

Village of Chesaning

For the maintenance of Cole Park • \$2,212.00

YMCA of Saginaw

Annual distribution • \$500.00

Donor Advised Grants *continued*

PRIDE in Saginaw, Inc.

General support • \$1,000.00

Lighting Morley Plaza • \$2,500.00

Public Libraries of Saginaw

Support Zael Memorial Library • \$1,000.00

READ Association

General support • \$1,000.00

RIF books - free books to give to every child being mentored by volunteers • \$1,500.00

Saginaw African Cultural Festival Committee

General support • \$1,000.00

Support the Saginaw African Cultural Festival \$2,000.00

Saginaw Area Catholic Schools

Nouvel Catholic Central 8th Grade Class \$1,000.00

Nouvel Catholic Central Volleyball Program \$1,000.00

Saginaw Area Fire Works, Inc.

General support • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Art Museum

General support • \$1,749.00

To adopt a painting • \$5,000.00

Support the 1st place award for the open class category of the Great Lakes Bay En Plein Air Festival • \$500.00

For the Ruth and Ted Braun Endowment \$30,000.00

Saginaw Arts & Enrichment Commission

Celebrating Saginaw's Cultures - Building Unity through Diversity • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Basin Land Conservancy

The Vital Valley Food Project • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Black Nurses Association

Student Nurses • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Catholic Mustard Seed Foundation

General support • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Community Foundation

Bridge the Gap • \$1,250.00

North Saginaw Township Little League Sam

Merrill Pavilion • \$18,000.00

Saginaw Cooperative Hospitals, Inc.

Human Trafficking Awareness Training \$10,000.00

Saginaw County Sports Hall of Fame

General support • \$3,000.00

Saginaw Future, Inc.

Annual Campaign • \$1,000.00

General support • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Kiwanis Foundation

Support high schoolers to attend the Michigan Kiwanis Law Enforcement Career Academy of the Michigan State Police • \$420.00

Saginaw Golds Baseball 9U Team • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Golds Baseball 13U Team • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Public Schools

SASA Teacher Grants • \$1,716.00

Arthur Hill High School Scholarship • \$1,000.00

Arthur Hill Football Team • \$1,000.00

Arthur Hill High School Cognitive/Emotional Impaired Special Education Class • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Township Community Schools

Heritage Latin Club • \$1,000.00

Sherwood Elementary School STEAM Room \$1,000.00

Saginaw Township Community Schools Drama \$1,000.00

Saginaw Triple Threat

Youth grant • \$1,000.00

Saginaw Valley Historic Preservation Society

Ongoing maintenance of the Old Saginaw City Historic Sign Park • \$1,687.00

Restoration and display of the late-1940s

Carrollton Bar neon sign • \$1,733.00

Saginaw Valley State University

Girl Scout STEMpalooza • \$3,120.00

Watrous/Stark Endowment • \$3,000.00

Dr. Benjamin Stark Biology Scholarship \$1,500.00

Al Watrous Golf Invitational • \$3,252.00

Saginaw Youth Basketball

Support Coach McMath Youth Basketball program • \$1,000.00

Southern Poverty Law Center

General support • \$100.00

Special Olympics Michigan Area 22

Local Special Olympics Spring/Summer Games \$2,500.00

St. Charles District Library

Library STEM and Summer Reading program \$5,050.00

St. Dominic Parish

Food Pantry • \$7,033.00

General support • \$1,000.00

St. John Lutheran Church

Youth grant • \$1,000.00

St. Mary's of Michigan Foundation

Regional Diabetes Program Expansion \$15,000.00

Support Seton Cancer Institute • \$1,000.00

St. Peter Lutheran School

Eighth grade class trip to Chicago • \$1,000.00

Survivors of Suicide

Zero Suicides for Saginaw Youth Project \$10,000.00

Swan Valley School District

Girl HYPE • \$1,000.00

Swan Valley Track Program • \$1,000.00

Temple Beth Israel

General support • \$1,000.00

The Salvation Army

General support • \$2,000.00

Tri City Hindu Temple

Building construction • \$6,000.00

Underground Railroad

Voice Over Internet Protocol (VoIP) System \$7,896.00

General support • \$2,000.00

United Negro College Fund

General support • \$500.00

United Way of Saginaw County

Imagination Library • \$1,000.00

General support • \$1,000.00

Ramp/Mobility Project • \$1,000.00

Americorps STEM Program • \$4,500.00

Annual campaign • \$750.00

Valley Lutheran High School

Support cooperative football program \$1,000.00

Water and Woods Field Service Council, Boy Scouts of America

General support • \$1,000.00

Support Boy Scout Troop 304 • \$1,000.00

Support Boy Scout Troop 342 • \$1,000.00

YMCA of Saginaw

KidsCampUs Capital Campaign • \$10,000.00

Herter Music Camp Scholarship • \$420.00

Strong Kids Campaign • \$1,500.00

Unrestricted and Field of Interest Grants 2017 Total: \$628,402.85

Unrestricted and Field of Interest Grants are supported by Unrestricted and Field of Interest Funds established by donors. See a complete listing of these funds on pages 30-31.

Ann Herzberg Dance Studio

Nancy Claramunt Dance Scholarship • \$500.00

Beacon of Hope

Vacant/Abandoned Lot Maintenance Program
\$9,847.00

Business Education Coordinating Council

Capacity Building: Human Resource Project
\$4,212.00

Strategic Planning: Fund Development Plan
\$3,240.00

Carrollton Public Schools

Family Academy • \$6,993.37

Chesaning Union Schools

Chesaning Union Schools Book Bus • \$1,500.00

Child & Family Service of Saginaw County

SANE (Sexual Assault Nurse Examiner) Support
\$8,840.00

Child Abuse and Neglect Council Great Lakes Bay Region

Great Start University • \$500.00

Children's Zoo at Celebration Square

ADA Train Car • \$50,000.00

Capacity Building: Strategic Planning • \$3,240.00

City Rescue Mission of Saginaw, Inc.

Community Village Health, Safety &
Beautification of Grounds • \$10,000.00

Council of Michigan Foundations

2017 Membership Dues • \$7,200.00

Support the Governor's Office of the Foundation
Liaison • \$1,500.00

Council on Foundations

2017 Membership Dues • \$8,550

Covenant HealthCare Foundation

Covenant HealthCare Yoga Classes for the
Oncology Population • \$5,110.81

Dental Hygiene Health Services

Preventative dental services for the underserved/
uninsured/"working poor" • \$5,000.00

Field Neurosciences Institute

Free Community Stroke Screening
\$9,715.00

First Ward Community Service

Literacy Arts Cultural Enrichment Recreation
(LACER) Summer Day Camp 2017 • \$10,000.00

Frankenmuth Dance Center

Nancy Claramunt Dance Scholarships
\$1,250.00

Frankenmuth School District

The Andrews Brothers at Bronner Performing
Arts Center • \$2,000.00

Project support for "The effects of Multiple
Variable on the cardiovascular system of the
Daphnia" • \$275.00

Greater Frankenmuth Area Community Foundation

Frankenmuth Community Splash Pad
\$7,500.00

Freeland Community School District

March Book Madness 2018 • \$1,075.54

Freeland Little League

Field Revitalization Project • \$10,000.00

Friends of Hoyt Park

Support Youth Baseball Program • \$2,000.00

Ball Diamond Infield Grooming Tractor
Replacement • \$7,500.00

Friends of Rauchholz Memorial Library

Building a New Library to Meet the Community's
Needs • \$15,000.00

Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan

Saginaw County Community Outreach
\$7,500.00

Historical Society of Bridgeport

Upgrade inside lights and replace leaking roof
\$7,000.00

Holy Cross Children's Services

Play Structure for St. Vincent Home
\$12,500.00

Hospital Hospitality House

Website Redesign • \$2,500.00

Houghton-Jones Neighborhood Task Force

All Around the Neighborhood • \$15,000.00

Invent Now, Inc.

Camp Invention STEM Programs • \$4,500.00

Kingdom Builders Ministries, Inc.

Kingdom Builders Construction Trades &
Agricultural Programs • \$25,000.00

Lutheran Social Services of Michigan

Samaritas Community House After-School
Programs • \$4,500.00

Major Chords for Minors

Private Lessons Program/Mini-Minors Music
Classes • \$15,500.00

Michigan Chiropractic Foundation

ChiroLab - Michigan's First Children's
Chiropractic Exhibit at the Mid-Michigan
Children's Museum • \$4,000.00

Michigan Health Information Alliance, Inc.

Reaching Rural Providers • \$3,500.00

Midland Center for the Arts

Mid-Michigan Voice Academy • \$3,000.00

Miss Lore's School of Performing Arts

Nancy Claramunt Dance Scholarship • \$750.00

Mission in the City

Playground for Youth Ages 6-13 • \$16,569.00

Music with a Message for Kids, Inc.

Learning is FUN School Tour • \$3,000.00

Pit & Balcony

2017-2018 Play Season • \$20,000.00

Capacity Building: Strategic Planning
\$5,994.00

Saginaw Art Museum

Garden Project • \$25,000.00

Saginaw Basin Land Conservancy

Pollinators and Plants of the Saginaw Bay
Watershed: A Pocket Naturalist Field Guide
\$5,000.00

Pollinator Project: 2018-2020 • \$75,000.00

Saginaw Bay Symphony Orchestra

Brilliantly Orchestrated • \$4,000.00

Capacity Building: Strategic Planning
\$5,500.00

Saginaw Career Complex

Agriculture Science Animal Shelter
\$4,900.00

Saginaw Choral Society

Choral Palooza 2017 • \$1,500.00

"The Reluctant Dragon" program • \$1,500.00

Capacity Building: Strategic Planning
\$5,832.00

Saginaw Community Foundation

Spring Into Service 2017 • \$1,000.00

North Saginaw Township Little League Sam
Merrill Pavilion • \$15,000.00

Saginaw County Chamber Foundation

Saginaw Healthcare & Biosciences Industry
Economic Study • \$10,000.00

Riverfront Saginaw Wayfinding • \$5,000.00

Saginaw County Community Action Committee

Community Action Day • \$300.00

Literacy +1 Afterschool Program • \$12,750.00

Saginaw County Community Mental Health

Mental Health First Aid Training • \$3,000.00

Saginaw County Parks & Recreation Commission

City of Saginaw Bicycle Rack Beautification
Project • \$7,000.00

Saginaw County Youth Protection Council

Teen Parent Services Parking Lot Project
\$10,000.00

Saginaw Public Schools

SASA Dance Workshop • \$500.00

SASA Theatre Equipment • \$442.13

Saginaw Valley State University

2017-18 GLBR Youth Leadership Institute
\$12,672.00

SEEDS, Inc.

SEEDS Youth Conservation Corporation
\$10,000.00

Saginaw Township Community Schools

Owlets for Ozobots Program • \$1,000.00

St. Charles Community Schools

Broadcasting Field Trip • \$440.00

Standish Community Hospital

Fall and Injury Prevention Program • \$3,000.00

SVRC Industries, Inc.

To purchase a greenhouse • \$8,832.00

Taymouth Township

Library Community Sign • \$1,250.00

Underground Railroad

Children's Furniture Upgrade • \$5,000.00

Program, 5k, and Outreach Supplies • \$2,857.00

Water and Woods Field Service Council, Boy Scouts of America

Saginaw Scoutreach • \$7,500.00

Women of Colors, Inc.

Student and Future Technology (SaFT) • \$10,000.00

YMCA of Saginaw

KidsCampUs Capital Campaign • \$29,266.00

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Memorial Foundation	Sussan Bays	Frederic Bower	Carrollton Zilwaukee Eagles Aerie 4413
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AmazonSmile	Gregory and Carrie Beeson	Sally Brand	David and Sharon Case
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