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NDCF AWARDS \$172,646 IN GRANTS

Bismarck, North Dakota . . . The North Dakota Community Foundation has awarded \$172,646 in grants from its Statewide Greatest Needs (Unrestricted) Fund to 39 organizations across the state working to improve the quality of life for state residents.

"It is because of generous donors that we are able to award these grants," said Kevin J. Dvorak, President & CEO of NDCF. "Their gifts years ago continue to make a difference today."

The NDCF Board of Directors reviewed and discussed 104 grant applications at their meeting in September to make the determination of awards. Grant awards are listed below by general area of the state.

Area of	Organization Name	Project Name	Amount
State			Awarded
Central	Berthold Park District	Community Warming House	\$5,000.00
Central	Designer Genes of North Dakota, Inc.	GROW Garden Project	\$5,000.00
Central	City of Coleharbor	Playground & City Park Improvements	\$5,000.00
Central	Tri-Cities JJDA	Lake Tschida First Responder Bags	\$5,000.00
Central	Harvey Kiwanis Club	2021-2022 Toddler Playset Project	\$5,000.00
Central	St. Aloisius Medical Center	GlideScope for Emergency Department	\$5,000.00
Central	Jamestown Rural Fire Department	JRFD Wildland Firefighting Equipment	\$5,000.00
Central	Fredonia American Legion Post #0260	Clifford Ost Post 260 Legion Hall "Northside roof shingles replacement"	\$5,000.00
Central	Greater Minot Zoological Society	Guest Wheelchair Program	\$2,000.00
Central	Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 2923	Building Updates	\$5,000.00
Central	Newburg Community Club	Newburg Park Picnic Tables	\$2,500.00
Central	Geographical Center Historical Society	Prairie Village Museum Edible Parklet	\$5,000.00
Central	Golden Manor	New Medication Cart	\$2,546.88
Central	Strasburg Park District	Welk Park	\$5,000.00
Central	Tolley Fire Department	Emergency Response Skid Unit	\$2,500.00
Central	Underwood Park Board	Underwood Park Board Pool repair	\$5,000.00
Central	Wishek JDA	Wishek Day Care Equipment	\$5,000.00
Central	Wishek Senior Citizens Club	Wishek Senior Center Energy Efficiency	\$5,000.00
		Project	
East	Eagle Valley Food Pantry	Eagle Valley Food Pantry	\$2,500.00
East	Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 756	Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) Post 756 Accessibility Improvements	\$5,000.00
East	ShareHouse Foundation	Enhancing Accessibility at ShareHouse Grand Forks	\$4,000.00
East	Hannaford Community Corporation	Hannaford Community Center Roof Project	\$5,000.00
East	Hatton Eielson Public School	Hatton Eielson Playground	\$5,000.00
East	Lisbon Pool Preservers	Phase 3 - Community Wading Pool	\$5,000.00
		Renovation	
East	Traill County Council on Aging DBA	Natural Gas Furnace Purchase/Installation	\$5,000.00
	Mayville Senior Center	(Replacing old fuel oil furnace)	

East	City of McVille	City Park Playground	\$5,000.00
East	Towner County Historical Society	Roof repair for Towner County Historical Society, Egeland School part.	\$5,000.00
East	Good Samaritan Society of Oakes	Outdoor Patio for residents	\$5,000.00
East	Kiddie Korner Preschool & Daycare, Inc.	Daycare Upgrades	\$5,000.00
East	Pekin Park Board	Pekin Park Board Playground Project	\$5,000.00
East	Pembina Ambulance Service Inc	Ambulance chassis	\$5,000.00
East	Operation Homefront, Inc.	Holiday Meals for Military	\$2,500.00
East	Richland-Wilkin Emergency Food Pantry	Richland-Wilkin Emergency Food Pantry - Food 4 Kids Backpack Program	\$5,000.00
West	Golden Valley Manor	Bus Project	\$5,000.00
West	Stark County Department of Emergency Services	Emergency Management/911 Dispatch Radio Purchase	\$5,000.00
West	Women Empowering Women	Coding Camp for girls	\$3,000.00
West	Elm Crest Manor	Elm Crest Outpatient Therapy Clinic	\$4,500.00
West	Lt Theo R Zech American Legion Post #180	Clubroom Floor repairs	\$2,500.00
West	USpireND	Healthy Families North Dakota Parent Group	\$4,100.00

Established in 1976, the NDCF is a public, non-profit tax-exempt corporation which receives and distributes charitable funds to support a wide range of programs that benefit North Dakotans. It currently manages over \$115 million in assets in over 750 component funds, including local community foundations, agency endowment funds, donor-advised funds, and scholarships. It has made over \$84 million in grants since its inception with the mission of improving the lives of North Dakota citizens and their communities through charitable giving and promoting philanthropy.