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COVID-19 EMERGENCY GRANT PROGRAM

This Spring the Miami County Foundation reevaluated its Spring grant cycle to address the imminent need for emergency relief for our community due to COVID-19. The Miami County Foundation chose to support our Miami County nonprofits in their efforts to provide enhanced services to counter the community impact of this pandemic.

Our various grant committees reviewed the applications which had already been submitted for the regular spring grant cycle and identified those requests which were humanitarian (including our ongoing humanitarian grants) or lifesaving in nature, and submitted to our Board of Directors for approval. Once approved those grant requests were funded.

The remaining budgeted funds were then earmarked for our Emergency COVID-19 Grant Program. These funds have been designated for organizations supplying food, shelter, or other assistance in response to COVID-19 impacts.

If your organization is providing enhanced services to counter the effects of COVID-19 for the residents of Miami County and you would like to apply for emergency grant funds, please visit our website at www.miamicountyfoundation.org for an application. Completed applications may be emailed to karen@miamicountyfoundation.org or mailed to P. O. Box 1526, Piqua, OH 45356. Applications are reviewed in the order they are received and, if approved, funded immediately.

THANK YOU

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we have regretfully accepted the resignation of Andrew R. Pratt from the Board of Directors.

Mr. Pratt joined the Miami County Board of Directors in March 2005 and became involved in the management of the Foundation quickly by becoming a member of the Administrative Committee in October 2005. Mr. Pratt continued his service to the Foundation by serving a term as Secretary and Vice-President before ultimately being elected President of the Board of Directors in 2013.

Mr. Pratt served on the Humanitarian Committee, Investment

Committee, and was the driving force in creating the Foundation's Business Partner Program, which began in 2015 and continues today.

Thank you, Andy, for your faithful service to the Foundation and your community. Your participation and guidance to the Foundation have been invaluable. You will be missed.





MIAMI COUNTY FOUNDATION 2020 Spring Grant Awards

The Village of Fletcher Installation of the Tornado Siren

Community Grace Brethren Church Food Pantry "Protein for Families" Program

Hoffman United Methodist Church Lunch Bunch and Bulldog Bag Programs

Miami County Right to Life Diaper Program

COVID-19 EMERGENCY HUMANITARIAN GRANT AWARDS AS OF MAY 31, 2020

Tipp-Monroe Community Services Community Relief and Lunch on Us Programs
Miami County Dental Clinic Purchase Personal Protection Equipment

Troy Recreation Association School Lunch Program

Pink Ribbon Girls Additional Meals and Rides to Medical Appointments for Cancer Patients

New Creation Counseling Center Upgrade Technological Platforms

Miami County Local Food Council COVID-19 Farmers Market Preparatory Supplies

The Salvation Army Utility Assistance

Big Brother Big Sisters Miami Valley Big Neighbors Program

Dream Builders Group-Clubhouse Curbside Delivery of Food/Activity Bags

Isaiah's Place, Inc. Tablets for Foster Children

Needy Baskets of Southern Miami County Inc. Food for Pantry

Richard's Chapel Supplies for Carry-Out Lunches

Ohio Restaurant Association Education Foundation Grants for Displaced Miami County Restaurant Workers

Reading for Change Activity Packs

Miami East Elementary PTO Lunch Bags

American Red Cross Miami Valley Chapter for Blood and Plasma Collection

Catholic Social Services of the Miami Valley Utility Assistance, Food, and Cleaning Supplies

Child Care Choices Personal Protection Equipment and Cleaning Supplies

ON-GOING HUMANITARIAN GRANT AWARDS



FOOD:

Bethany Center Covington Outreach Assoc. FISH Union Township The New Path, Inc. The Salvation Army Piqua Unit St. Patrick's Soup Kitchen



MEDICAL:

G.I.V.E. Medical Ministry Health Partners Free Clinic Miami County Dental Clinic Troy Lions Charities



SHELTER/UTILITIES:

Covington Outreach Assoc.
Family Abuse Shelter
FISH Union Township
The New Path, Inc.
Partners in Hope
The Salvation Army



TRANSPORTATION:

Miami County Continuum of Care Council for Rides to Work Program

THE TOTAL AWARDED TO DATE IS \$123,222







MIAMI COUNTY FOUNDATION

Scholarship

AWARDS 2020-2021

In the Fall of 2019, the Miami County Foundation converted to an online scholarship application process for all scholarships to be awarded for the 2020-2021 school year. Of the close to 200 well qualified applications, the Miami County Foundation has awarded 43 scholarships totaling \$119,000. Congratulations to all the 2020-2021 scholarship recipients.

Thelma Ross Dalton Scholarship:

Allison Bornhorst-Piqua/University of Cincinnati

Allison Brunswick-Tipp City

Kara Chaney-Newton

Bailey Chaney-Newton

Brooke Deeter-Newton

Marie Ewing-Miami East/Huntington University Doctoral Program

Abby Gilfillen-Troy Christian

Jackson Goodall-Troy

Lily Hemm-Troy

AJ Heuker-Troy

Madison Hildebrand-Newton/Wright State University

Jeriah Hinten-Newton

Allison Huffman-Tipp City/University of Notre Dame

Elizabeth Huffman-Tipp City/The Ohio State College of Medicine

William Huffman-Tipp City/University of Notre Dame

Abigail Hughes-Tipp City

Brennan Larned-Tipp City

Kaitlyn Misirian-Troy Christian

Jonathan Post-Troy

Alexander Pouty-Troy

Kimberly Riquelme-Milton-Union

Lauren Setzkorn-Troy/Ohio University

Taylor Stevens-Troy/Concordia University

Elijah Williams-Trov

Richard and Doris (Taylor) High Scholarship:

Kara Chaney Brooke Deeter Cameron Stine

Don Favorite Deeter, M. D. Memorial Scholarship:

Brooke Deeter

Miami County Agricultural Leadership Scholarship:

Alex Hayes Chloee Thomas

Miami County Medical Society Scholarship:

Allison Huffman

Elizabeth Huffman

William Huffman

Newton Board of Education/American Legion Scholarship:

Deanna Carine

Bailey Chaney

Kara Chaney

Brooke Deeter Jeriah Hinten

Kimberly Laughman

Corrine Luedeke

Cameron Stine

J. A. K. Scholarship:

Jeriah Hinten

Leland and Shirley Mott Memorial Scholarship:

Frida Hoening

Dorothy Bleil Richi Scholarship Fund:

Tanner Black

For more information on scholarships offered through the Miami County Foundation, please visit the website at miamicountyfoundation.org.

TROY HIGH SCHOOL BAND SCHOLARSHIP

The Miami County Foundation is pleased to announce the establishment of the Troy High School Band Scholarship through a very generous donation. While the donor wishes to remain anonymous, they are quite passionate about the Troy High School Band program.

The Troy High School Band Scholarship is for a graduating senior who has been a four-year band student. The student must have a 3.5 GPA or greater, a letter of recommendation from a Troy High School Band Director, and must be pursuing a higher education in Music or STEM studies. This scholarship excludes Orchestra and Choir. The deadline for applications for the Troy High School Band Scholarship is March 1, 2021, with the first scholarship to be awarded in May 2021.

If you are interested in setting up a scholarship through the Miami County Foundation, please reach out to Karen Eliason, Executive Director for more information.



given me! This will be a great help while I better my education in college and pursue a degree in Parks & Museum Education. Thank you so much!

KIMBERLY LAUGHMAN

I wanted to be sure to thank the Miami County Foundation for being selected as a recipient of the Thelma Ross Dalton Memorial Scholarship. This will come in handy for my next semester. I am now in a Doctoral program for Occupational Therapy, and the amount of student debt that I am about to accumulate over the next two years is extremely daunting. Thank you so much! I am very grateful, and someday hope to give back to my community in Miami County, just as your organization is doing.

MARIE EWING

JERIAH HINTEN

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