



**THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
of FREDERICK COUNTY**

For Good. Forever. For Frederick County.

FY2022 Rolling Grant Funds List as of 03/11/2022

Application Period 10/1/21-5/1/22

*Applications for support will be accepted and reviewed as they are received
for as long as funding is available.*

Each fund listed below is designated for specific purposes with the amount available noted. Minimum grant size is \$500. **Grants must provide direct benefits to Frederick County, Maryland, residents unless otherwise noted.**

The Impact Cycle supports two possible impacts:

P means that a fund is available to support projects.

IN means that a fund is available to support identified households or individuals.

The applicant organization must be:

- An already existing nonprofit, 501c3 organization in good standing with the IRS,
- An existing government/quasi-governmental agency applying for an extraordinary project that is not funded by tax revenue,
- A religious organization requesting funding for non-sectarian activities, or
- A civic group that is not a 501c3 organization requesting funding for a community cause.

The list of available grants and their respective criteria are as follows:

- C & O Canal Endowment Fund for Frederick County: \$1,308.33 (P)

Founded by a group of citizens to support projects and activities relating to the preservation and heritage of the C&O Canal National Historical Park, with preference given to those portions of the Canal located in Frederick County or benefiting the residents of Frederick County.

- Earlene H. and Henry J. Sr. Thornton Fund for Educational Professionals: \$672.99 (P)

Founded by Earlene Hairston Thornton to support educational programs that enhance learning abilities of students, with preference for students attending Middletown High School or its feeder schools.

- Edgar and Geraldine Virts Memorial Fund: \$ 3,628.98 (P, IN)

Founded by Edgar C. Virts, Jr. to support programs serving people with Alzheimer's disease and related disorders, assisting people with disabilities, or providing direct care to people experiencing catastrophic health issues.

- Florence Zahler Memorial Cancer Support Fund: \$7,217.19 (P, IN)

Founded by Nelson S. and Celia E. Zahler to support residents who have been diagnosed with cancer.

- H. George Baker Memorial Fund for Epilepsy Support: \$730.34 (P)

Founded by wife Elizabeth K. Baker to support prescription medications and transportation services for residents diagnosed with epilepsy and/or related seizure disorders. Preference for households that fall outside of income limits for other needs-based aid.

- Health Fund for Frederick County Youth: \$66,522.65 (P, IN)

Founded by Donald C. Linton to provide services to youth under age 18 who have extraordinary and/or life-threatening medical needs.

- Holly Hale Palmer Memorial Fund: \$2,203.32 (P, IN)

Founded by mother Elizabeth K. Hale to support behavioral health services for persons with seizure or bipolar disorders, with special emphasis on acquiring, training, and caring for service dogs for persons with seizure or bipolar disorders.

- John C. Summers Fund \$3,340.56 (P)

Founded through Mr. Summers' trust to support individuals residing in Myersville, Maryland, who are experiencing difficulty in paying their utility bills or their real property taxes.

- John L. and Lucille H. Ponton Charitable Fund: \$6,327.62 (P, IN)

Founded through Mrs. Ponton's estate to provide funds for families of children with cancer and to support Camp Jamie.

- Kevin R. and Sara J. Wade Special Needs Fund: \$55,767.91 (P, IN)

Founded by the Wades' estate to benefit families of children experiencing a catastrophic medical condition.

- Major Dan Campbell Veteran Services Fund: \$870.45 (P)

Founded by Dan Campbell with his 2017 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism award to support services for veterans, with preference for mentoring and peer support programs.

- Martha Murphy Virts Memorial Fund: \$2,525.98 (P, IN)

Founded by Edgar C. Virts, Jr. to support programs serving people with Alzheimer's disease and related disorders, assisting people with disabilities, or providing direct care to people experiencing catastrophic health issues.

- William and Hettie Ballweber Fund: \$3,204.70 (P)

Founded by wife Hettie Ballweber to support animal advocacy, rescue, and proactive canine welfare initiatives. Not intended to support animal shelters or the care of animals within shelters.

- William E. Barnhart Memorial Fund: \$19,974.89 (P, IN)

Founded through Mr. Barnhart's estate to provide direct services to residents with cancer.