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DEAR FRIENDS of the Community Foundation,

We spent FY2022 building momentum and we are excited about what’s ahead. While the pandemic continued to present challenges, The Community Foundation of Frederick County provided vital support in the form of grants, scholarships, and leadership. Thanks to generous donors and committed partners, we continued the important work of addressing the community’s most pressing needs.

While it has always been important to us, in 2022 we were very intentional in seeking out and listening to #EVERYVOICE. We spent the last year gathering information and data through a series of audits, surveys and interviews with our key stakeholders and members of the community. We embarked on a year of discovery that has given us valuable insights from diverse audiences, which has formed the foundation for a strategic plan to guide us through the coming years. We also updated our Human Needs Assessment which will result in elevating support in the areas of mental health, affordable housing and disparities in service delivery.

The Community Foundation is in a unique position in that we work closely with very generous and ambitious donors who want to impact the Frederick County community for years to come; and at the same time, we work closely with the local nonprofits that are on the front lines making our community an amazing place to live, work and play. We are an intersection where intention meets action and we want to amplify the many voices that intersect here — the donors, the nonprofits and the communities being served by those nonprofits.

While there were many challenges in 2022, we are also very proud of the successes we were able to accomplish in collaboration with many partners. The Community Foundation distributed $6.3 million in grants to hundreds of nonprofits and $1.8 million in scholarships to 334 students. All of this was made possible by 1,832 donors who contributed 3,301 gifts to one or more of our 750+ component funds, with most gifts going to our existing endowment that spends five percent of the annual market value.

We have spent the last year listening to and amplifying voices and we are just getting started. Thank you for your continued partnership and the trust you have placed in us as we help our donors reach their charitable goals and help our community be a place where all can flourish and thrive.

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2021-2022

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Mission Statement

The Community Foundation is dedicated to connecting people who care with causes that matter to enrich the quality of life in Frederick County now and for future generations.

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This honor was conferred upon these three men for their selfless dedication, extraordinary vision, and exemplary service to the Community Foundation.

Charles V. Main, Donald C. Linton, CPA, and W. Jerome Offutt, Esq.
Thank you Donors!

In FY2022, thanks to The Forever Frederick County Fund, total grant distributions increased by more than $1 million over the prior year. More than $6.3 million in grants were made possible by generous donors through unrestricted, donor-advised, designated, field of interest, agency, and fiscal sponsorship funds.

Grants impacted health and human services, youth programs, the arts, historic preservation, agriculture, civic groups, faith-based organizations, educational programs, agriculture, animal well-being, our strategic areas of supporting families with children, preparing for an aging population, and responding to substance use disorder, and much more. Thanks to the hard work of nonprofit staffs and volunteers and the generosity of our donors, Frederick County benefited in countless ways.

The FY2022 list of grantees can be accessed at FREDERICKCOUNTYGIVES.ORG/GRANTS.
$6.3M in FY2022 GRANTS

**CARING FOR PEOPLE**
$3,697,947
- Elder care services
- Health and human services
- Strategic funding for preparing for an aging population
- Strategic funding for supporting families with children
- Strategic funding for responding to substance use disorder

**COMMUNITY**
$1,602,439
- Civic and cultural organizations
- Faith-based organizations
- Community services

**CHILDREN, YOUTH, EDUCATION**
$679,326
- Educational programs
- Youth programs and projects

**PRESERVATION: HISTORIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL**
$126,178
- Historic preservation initiatives
- Environmental support initiatives

**THE ARTS**
$192,772

**AGRICULTURE AND ANIMALS**
$72,943
- Agriculture education and support
- Animal well-being
The Maryland FFA Foundation, Inc. received grants from The C. Rodman and M. Jean Ogle Myers Fund, The Joseph D. Byrd Fund, and The Maryland FFA Foundation Endowment Fund supporting the programs of Future Farmers of America in Frederick County and surrounding areas. The 94th Maryland FFA Convention in June 2022 was held at the Frederick Fairgrounds.

Maryland Ensemble Theatre received a grant from The Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund enabling them to serve community youth through their FUN Company’s in-school program. North Frederick Elementary School students are shown here rehearsing for their performance of “We Are Monsters.”

The Literacy Council of Frederick County’s Parent Literacy Program focuses on improving the communication skills of parents of young children in Title I elementary schools in Frederick County. These parents worked diligently to receive their completion certificate and goal of leading their families to success. Grants from The Supporting Families with Children Strategic Initiatives Fund and The Edwin R. Cornish, Jr. Memorial Fund supported this program.
Our mission provides services in a manner that restores dignity for our patients.

– Linda M. Ryan,
Mission of Mercy Executive Director
A grant from The Friends of Waterford Park, Inc. Fund put volunteers to work at the park, planting a 15-gallon tree. The grant funds also allow for the biannual treatment of three dozen green ash trees to prevent their destruction by the emerald ash borer.

Homewood Foundation, Inc. received a grant from The Geraldine Virts and Jack Brady Memorial Fund for Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Disorders, enabling them to provide music therapy sessions for residents as shown here. Homewood residents love the program and come to life through the power of the music.

A grant from The Rosebud Frederick Senior Support Fund helped Habitat for Humanity install new stairs on the home of a local senior. This fund, created in 2018 by Rose Marie Willard Myers in honor of her late husband, George, provides annual support to organizations that help seniors age in place, including basic human needs as well as therapeutic, socialization, and nutrition needs.

Second Chances Garage makes a difference in Frederick County by assisting individuals and families acquire personal transportation through vehicle donations and related maintenance. This trained auto technician reviews vehicle details with the recipient. Grants from The Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund and The Women’s Giving Circle of Frederick County Fund supported the garage’s mission this year.
Grants from **The Peter W. Beers Memorial Fund** and **The Vince and Guelda Imirie Fund** support Frederick Health Hospice as it provides compassionate care to terminally ill patients and their families. In this photo, “Grammy Lo” embraces the healing comfort of an animal at Kline Hospice House. For twenty years, Kline House has offered a peaceful home-like setting for those in their last weeks who need 24-hour care.

Listen Love Pray Foundation brings healing and hope to individuals working to live free from substance use disorder and create better lives moving forward. Grants from **The Malamet Family Fund** supported the Foundation’s programs to help prevent relapse and promote long term recovery for men and women.

A Mother’s Rest Charitable Respite Foundation received a grant from **The Sharon I. Hooper Fund for Children** to support The Terrace Guest House located in New Market, MD. The Terrace Guest House is one of only two respite inns open year-round to provide support services for parents and caregivers of loved ones with chronic illnesses or disabilities.

With the help of a grant from **The Persons with Disabilities Field of Interest Fund**, The Arc of Frederick County, Inc. provided music therapy to developmentally challenged individuals. The Arc’s caring staff help these individuals explore new interests and activities.
Phoenix Foundation of Maryland received grants from The Responding to Substance Use Disorder Strategic Initiatives Fund and The Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund to support the Phoenix Recovery Academy, located in Frederick. The group of students and teachers pictured here are enjoying a bowling outing, which provides students with sober recreational activities to experience new outlets for coping, as well to create positive associations with these activities.

This young boy enjoys opening his “Blessing in a Backpack.” The Frederick chapter of Blessings in a Backpack provides Frederick County school-aged children food each Friday so that they are sure to have sufficient nutrition over the weekend. Blessings in a Backpack Frederick chapter was supported by grants from The Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund, The Mary Mason Hendrickson Memorial Fund, The Frederick Keys Care Fund, The Gordon M. and Teresa Warfield Cooley Charitable Gift Fund, The George E. Jewell Family Fund, The Mark and Susan Butt Saturday Mornings Fund, The Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund, The Supporting Families with Children Strategic Initiatives Fund, and unrestricted funds.

The Francis Scott Key Monument located in Mount Olivet Cemetery was recently refurbished using grant funds received from The Francis Scott Key Memorial Foundation Fund. This fund was created in 2020 to support the maintenance of the monument as well as educate the community about Key’s historical significance, ties to Frederick County, and impact on American history.
Strategic Priority: Responding to Substance Use Disorder

Justice Jobs of Maryland, Inc.

Affecting millions across the country, substance use disorder (SUD) is a behavioral health disorder involving heavy use of alcohol and/or drugs.

It’s an issue that has grown in prevalence in recent years with rising opioid-related fatality rates. The Community Foundation’s focus on SUD includes supporting timely access to qualified providers, providing education and prevention programs, and collecting appropriate data to be used during decision making.

In the spring of 2021, Wendy Bowers was recently released from jail. She was living at Faith House and in need of employment. With a background in accounting, she felt it would be almost impossible to get another job in the finance field after being convicted of embezzlement. She turned to Justice Jobs of Maryland for help and found far more than some assistance with her resume.

Bob Clegg’s journey to opening Justice Jobs involved substance use, homelessness and several brushes with the law. But after heeding a stranger’s advice at a shelter in Oregon, he started on a path that led to working an entry level job, going back to school, achieving a middle-class life, and eventually coming full circle by helping people overcome the very challenges he had faced.

Clegg founded Justice Jobs of Maryland in 2018 with a goal of helping people overcome barriers including interactions with the judicial system, incarceration, substance use disorder and resume gaps due to related issues.

“The root of my problems stemmed from substance abuse earlier in my life and after I got into a recovery program, I was really able to straighten my life out, it gave me the tools to live responsibly,” Clegg said.

After earning multiple degrees and working as a respiratory therapist and later as a scientist, Clegg said he realized that he found the most joy in doing service work. “I learned that a life of service is what makes me happy.”

At Justice Jobs, clients get assistance with building a resume, practicing for job interviews, learning how to retain a job once hired, and maybe most importantly, learning how to speak openly about their history and how they have overcome challenges including incarceration and substance abuse.

Clegg said that about 45% of the people they serve have a felony, about 85% have been arrested and about two-thirds have a history with substance use disorder. In the 5 years it’s been open, Bob says that more than 225 people have been hired and some of them are able to “move up” into mid-level jobs that afford a middle-class income.

Wendy Bowers went through the Justice Jobs program including a 3-day intensive workshop. She found that employers were open to hiring her when they better understood her background, and that gave her the confidence to re-enter the workforce and start rebuilding her life. She is now a program manager at Justice Jobs and, like Bob, finds tremendous purpose in helping those that are working through some of the same struggles she had to work through.

Now I feel like I’m helping people who are probably as desperate as I felt last summer. Success for me is becoming a middle class citizen again, my debts paid, supporting myself and living on my own, and just being happy with what I have.

– Wendy Bowers, Justice Jobs Program Manager

NPLB Outdoors (No Person Left Behind Outdoors) supports veterans through a variety of outdoor activities and outings. This group participated in a 44-mile hike of the Maryland portion of the Appalachian Trail. A grant from The Grove Foundation Fund supported this Libertytown-based organization and its efforts to support veterans.

Grants from The Supporting Families with Children Strategic Initiatives Fund and unrestricted funds assisted City Youth Matrix in their mission to provide family empowerment and education programs. City Youth Matrix strives to remove barriers, such as finances, transportation and cultural differences that prevent children from participating in extracurricular and recreational activities.
Farm to School Frederick County provided North Frederick Elementary third grade students a hands-on learning opportunity at Fox Haven Organic Farm & Learning Center. Students learned about the evolution of bees, other insects and flowers and the importance of the pollination process as well as experienced the senses of smell, touch and taste in the herb garden. Community FARE received grants from The AG-C.I.T.E. Fund and The Enhancing Agriculture Field of Interest Fund in support of the Farm To School project.

Brunswick High School received a grant from The Dan Crozier Music Trust Fund for the purchase of 18 new guitars and a new rack for storage. Students and music department members are excited for the opportunity to learn on new equipment and “jazz up” their performances.

Student Homelessness Initiatives Partnership of Frederick County (SHIP) provides critical resources and services to hundreds of the county’s youth experiencing homelessness every year. A SHIP staff and board member are shown here collecting donated hygiene items to be distributed to these youth. Grants from The Franck/Greenwood Fund and The Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund supported these efforts.

Children of Incarcerated Parents Partnership, Inc. (COIPP) provides basic human needs to children impacted by the incarceration of a loved one. An unrestricted grant from The Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund helped carry out COIPP’s mission to hold a Sharing Fair, where this young girl received a beautiful, quilted blanket crafted by one of COIPP’s donors.
Located in western Frederick County, February Star Sanctuary rescues, rehabilitates and provides a permanent refuge for cats and horses who have been abused or abandoned. Part of the sanctuary’s mission is to build a generation of animal advocates by teaching children compassion toward the animals. Grants from The Robert and Carol Sharpe Fund, The Nonprofit Support Field of Interest Fund, The Feline Welfare Fund, and The Animal Care Field of Interest Fund supported this nonprofit in FY22.

Frederick County Landmarks Foundation promotes the preservation of historic sites and landmarks throughout the county. The project seen here is a window restoration at Schifferstadt Architectural Museum, one of the oldest house structures in the area, built nearly 300 years ago. Grants from The Converse Family Endowment Fund, The Beatty Cramer House Endowment Fund, The Derr Fund, The Frederick County Landmarks Foundation Fund, and The Friends of Schifferstadt Fund support the foundation’s preservation efforts.

Glade Valley Community Services addresses the needs of Walkersville and Woodsboro area residents through various programs including a food bank, emergency relief fund, thrift shop, educational assistance fund, and back-to-school project. Shown here are dedicated volunteers at the annual holiday toy shoppe, an effort to help families provide a memorable holiday for their children. Grants from The Franck/Greenwood Fund and The Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nicodemus Family Fund support this local community service organization.
The Community Foundation supports families with children by making Frederick County a great place for all families to raise children and focusing support and efforts on ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) families.

In FY2022, the Community Foundation provided almost $44,000 in grants to Family Partnership for its Family Resilience program.

“We are always looking to enrich our child development and parent education services,” said Maria Dennis, Family Programs Supervisor at Family Partnership. “We provide more than child education; we also provide family health education and parent education, and grant funding helps us implement activities as well as planning and assessment tools.”

According to Dennis, about 31 parents and 36 children completed the Family Resilience program last year; many are still participating. In an effort to remove barriers to service, they provide transportation, and serve children and parents under the same roof so childcare does not present an issue for attendees. Dennis said they utilize evidence-based assessment and curriculum tools that help them gauge where a child is developmentally, what skills are emerging, and what activities would help further develop those emerging skills. Then that information is shared with the parents so they can understand their child’s development and continue activities at home.

“Approximately 90% of the children we serve for six months or more were at or above developmental expectations, so if they stay on that projection, then they will be kindergarten ready or more, when they turn five,” Dennis said.

Denora De Karmen Vasquez moved to the U.S. from El Salvador nine years ago. She is married with two children (aged 2 and 6) and says Family Partnership is helping her continue her education, build job readiness skills, and expand her parenting skills.

“My son is learning how to talk and interact with other children and I’m attending ESOL [English language] classes.” Vasquez said. “I’m also learning things about my six-year-old like healthy activities to do with him and how to discipline and talk to him.”

I will never stop dreaming. Maybe in the future I can go to college and start a career. I have two kids, I want to give them something better.

– Denora De Karmen Vasquez
FY22 grants from The Mary Mason Hendrickson Memorial Fund and The Robert E. Randall Memorial Endowment Fund supported summer woodworking camps at the Delaplaine Arts Center. The center provides opportunities for children and adults to participate in and expand their love of art and beauty. Other workshops and programs including painting, drawing, print making, and photography were supported by grants from The Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund, The Sharon I. Hooper Fund for Children, The Easels in Frederick Fund, The Dr. George and Carolyn Smith Fund, The Colleen M. Remsberg Memorial Fund, The Helen L. Smith Scholarship Fund for Children and the Arts, and The Delaplaine Visual Arts Education Center Endowment Fund.

The Maryland Food Bank received an unrestricted grant which was used to support the Brunswick food bank. This is a vital program for elderly residents in Brunswick, as food costs have become a challenge for the senior population, who are very appreciative of the opportunity to save money and receive nourishment.

Family Partnership of Frederick County received a grant from The Easels in Frederick Fund in support of art-related events and instruction for parents and children receiving family support services. Parents like the one shown here can focus on an artistic activity, allowing them to relax and improve mental well-being.

Frederick County Humane Society strives to rescue neglected animals and place them in the care of families that can provide them love and safety. Heidi’s health care costs were extensive due to the neglect she had suffered. Thanks to a grant from The Converse Family Endowment Fund, Heidi now has a loving family and home.
Centro Hispano de Frederick’s Éxito Summer Academy helps community youth ages 1st grade through high school develop science, reading and life skills. These students are shown working on their optical illusions presentation as part of this year’s science, technology, engineering, art, and math (STEAM) program. Grants from The Supporting Families with Children Strategic Initiatives Fund, The Juana Delgado Rivas Fund for Centro Hispano de Frederick, Inc., and The Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund supported the organization’s programs.

Rock Steady Boxing is an international nonprofit gym that provides a uniquely effective form of physical exercise to individuals living with Parkinson’s Disease. Thanks to a grant from The Preparing for an Aging Population Strategic Initiatives Fund awarded to the YMCA, Frederick County residents are able to experience this type of therapy—no experience necessary.

The Child Advocacy Center of Frederick County promotes child well-being by providing a family focused center to address reports of child maltreatment. The center is a safe place for children to receive needed services. Thanks to a grant from The Markey/Hooper Fund for the Child Advocacy Center of Frederick County, the center was able to purchase new books, tools, and resources for their programs.
STRATEGIC FUNDING Partners

FY2022 Strategic Funding Partners are committed to addressing the community’s most pressing needs.

These partners provided financial support to the Community Foundation’s three areas of strategic focus: preparing for an aging population, supporting families with children, and responding to substance use disorder. Their commitment is greatly appreciated.

Strategic funding for designated organizations was provided as follows:

- Mr. and Mrs. James E. Gangawere and The FoodPRO CORP Fund supported Advocates for the Aging of Frederick County, Maryland.

- The FoodPRO CORP Fund supported Blessings in a Backpack and Frederick Rescue Mission’s Faith House program.

- Susan A. Loring supported Family Partnership.

- Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Wissner supported Frederick Police Department.

- Elizabeth J. Brady supported Frederick Rescue Mission.

- Edwin Seidewitz supported Housing Authority of the City of Frederick.

- The Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund, Mr. and Mrs. Adrian M. Remsberg, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Wissner supported I Believe in Me, Inc.

- Joan Canfield supported On Our Own of Frederick County, Inc.

- The Mark and Susan Butt Saturday Mornings Fund supported The Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs.

- The Garrett R. Petronchak Memorial Fund supported The Phoenix Foundation of Maryland.

- Brenda S. Benna supported Rebuilding Together Frederick County MD, Inc.

Strategic funding for the Supporting Families with Children Initiative was provided by:

- The Mark and Susan Butt Saturday Mornings Fund

- Carol Ciufolo

- The FoodPRO CORP Fund

- The Charles W. Hoff, III and Margaret O. Hoff Family Fund

- Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nicodemus

- The Dan and Jackie Ward Family Fund

Strategic funding for the Responding to Substance Use Disorder Initiative was provided by:

- Dr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Anderson

- Joan Canfield

- Dr. James A. Lautenberger

- The Garrett R. Petronchak Memorial Fund

- N. E. “Bob” Waltz Plumbing and Heating, Inc.

- The Dan and Jackie Ward Family Fund

- Margaret M. Waxter
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HOW TO Apply For a Grant

The Community Foundation conducts two annual competitive grant cycles for nonprofits working to have an impact on Frederick County. The Strategic Grants are currently focused on outcome-driven projects that will help accomplish our strategic initiatives in the areas of supporting families with children, preparing for an aging population, and responding to substance use disorder. Impact Grants are for any project that will make a critical difference in Frederick County. Both of these types of grants are made possible by the Community Foundation’s funding partners, unrestricted funds, selected donor-advised funds, and field of interest funds. All applications are completed online at www.FrederickCountyGives.org/Grants. The Strategic and Impact grant cycles open in the summer of each year with grant decisions announced in the fall. Other grant opportunities are available throughout the year and are referred to as “rolling grants.” Prospective grantees are encouraged to check the website periodically for funding opportunities.

The Community Foundation’s Grants Committee carefully reviews each application for the merit of the proposal and compliance with the funds’ criteria for grantmaking. In addition, the Community Foundation performs due diligence on each application to ensure that organizations are in good standing at the federal and state level. Grants are limited to 501c3 nonprofit organizations, existing governmental/quasi-governmental agencies, organizations applying for a project not funded by tax revenue, faith-based organizations requesting funding for non-sectarian activities, and civic groups requesting funding for a charitable cause.

All grantees are required to submit reports to the Community Foundation on the use and impact of the grants.

Grant application dates and details are subject to change. Please visit www.FrederickCountyGives.org/Grants or scan the QR code for current information.
The Community Foundation holds more than 270 scholarships, each with unique qualifying criteria. All applications are submitted online and are automatically assigned to all scholarship pools for which they qualify. All applications are then reviewed by a volunteer Scholarship Selection Committee that narrows each scholarship pool to the most qualified applicant. The application period is open in the spring of each year. Some trade and technical scholarships are available on a rolling basis throughout the year. For the specific application availability, please visit www.ScholarshipsFrederickCounty.com or scan the QR code for the most current information.
$1.8 million in scholarships

MAJOR AREAS OF STUDY

- Agriculture 20
- Arts 12
- Business 36
- Communications 4
- Education 48
- Engineering 23
- Nursing 36
- Health Science 49
- Liberal Arts 11
- Science 42
- Computer Science 13
- Other 43

334 STUDENTS RECEIVING SCHOLARSHIPS

439 SCHOLARSHIPS PRESENTED

120 GRADUATING HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS RECEIVING SCHOLARSHIPS

218 STUDENTS ALREADY ENROLLED IN COLLEGE
SCHOLARSHIP SUCCESS STORIES

Angela Staffone
While attending Governor Thomas Johnson High School, Angela took classes at both the Career and Technology Center as well as Frederick Community College. After graduating in 2009, she spent a year at Frederick Community College where she earned her CAD Operator certification and then transferred to the Wentworth Institute of Technology in Boston. She graduated with her bachelor’s degree in 2014 and a master’s degree in 2015. In 2018, Angela started her own business doing architectural design for residential renovations and additions in the Maryland/DC/Virginia area. She loves that no two projects are the same and enjoys the challenge of working with clients who all have unique styles and budgets. Angela received scholarships in 2011–12 from The George Wesley Gilbert Memorial Scholarship Fund and The Christopher W. Ausherman Scholarship Fund.

Comfort Martins
After graduating from Governor Thomas Johnson High School in 2015, Comfort went on to study nursing at Towson University. She graduated with a nursing degree in 2019 and has been working in the Intensive Care Unit at The University of Maryland Medical Center since. She works as a charge nurse where she oversees patient operations across the unit. While she loves the work she is doing, she is not done with her education just yet. She has plans to earn a doctorate in nursing practice specializing in anesthesia. She said she is concerned about the toll the opioid epidemic has taken on society and wants to be a part of a system in which pain can be managed adequately without reliance on opioids. Comfort received support from The Frank M. and Helen Elizabeth Erwin Scholarship Fund.

Johao Mejia
A 2015 graduate of Urbana High School, Johao attended the University of Maryland College Park where he graduated in 2019 with a bachelor’s degree in chemical engineering. “I always wanted to do something that impacts others, so after college I started working in biotech,” Johao said. He has spent the last few years gaining experience at different companies in development and manufacturing and currently works as a senior bioprocess associate at Emergent BioSolutions, Inc. His job entails working in a clean room in a sterile suit growing cells in bioreactors for vaccines. Johao received a scholarship from The Captain John Ryan Dennison Scholarship Fund.
Susanne Cassidy

Susanne graduated from Governor Thomas Johnson High School in 2007 with plans to take a class or two at Frederick Community College. She said that receiving a scholarship from The ROUTZAHN Business Scholarship Fund provided just enough support to make it possible for her to afford to enroll as a full-time student. “People say it doesn't add up to much, but it was enough to make it possible for me to go to school full time,” Susanne said. After Frederick Community College, Susanne began working full time and attending University of Maryland University College (now Global Campus) at night, earning a bachelor’s degree in 2011 and a master’s degree in emergency management in 2015. She now works for a federal government agency doing medical research contracting. “I enjoy what I do,” Susanne said. “I like knowing that this medical research contracting is ultimately helping people with health problems by curing disease or making life better in some way.” Susanne recently made a donation to the Community Foundation in the amount of the scholarship she received, saying that the scholarship gave her the financial support necessary, and the motivation, to attend school full time, thus helping her end up where she is today. She said she feels it is important to pay it forward so that other students can realize their educational dreams.

That scholarship relieved a lot of stress for me, that was the springboard I needed to become who I am today.

– Susanne Cassidy, Past Scholarship Recipient

Bradley Stone

Bradley Stone, a recipient of The Lisa A. Orndorff Lajewski Memorial Scholarship Fund, graduated from Brunswick High School in 2016 and went on to earn a degree in Exercise Science from Towson University in 2020. “I'm very grateful to have had a financial cushion that allowed me to stress less about finances and focus more on school, which led to learning more and achieving a GPA I'm very proud of,” Stone said. Bradley is a certified emergency medical technician (EMT) and volunteers with the United Steam Fire Engine Company #3 in Frederick. After working for more than a year at the James M. Stockman Cancer Institute in their oncology and hematology offices, Bradley is now a medical assistant at Chesapeake Urology Associates.
SCHOLARSHIP APPRECIATION

**Vung Kim**
Recipient of THE KATHRYN “KITTY” M. REED AND ROBERT “BOB” J. REED SCHOLARSHIP FUND

“This scholarship means a lot to me and my future because this will help me pay for my classes and get a higher education. Also, one day, I will be able to give back to my community.”

**Chanelle Lee**
Recipient of THE KEVIN R. AND SARA J. WADE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

“This scholarship means that my hard work did not go unnoticed. This next chapter is the beginning and means that if I continue to work hard and strive to do my best, I will succeed.”

**Brooklyn Poff**
Recipient of THE ERNEST W. AUSHERMAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND

“Architecture school has been an eye-opening experience that has exposed me to many new theories and more. This scholarship enables me to take the next step in my college career.”

**Pruthav Patel**
Recipient of THE ADA B. POOLE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

“I will be able to focus more on schoolwork rather than worrying about the negative financial aspect of college. I will have more time to pursue research opportunities offered at my college.”

**Shaheer Syed**
Recipient of THE MERLE L. AND RUTH REBECCA GUYTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

“This scholarship will allow me to work hard not only for myself but for those donors who have believed in me. It will also assist me in lessening the financial burden on my family.”

**Ethan Mullican**
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“This scholarship gives me the opportunity to study journalism in college and accomplish my goals of being a sports journalist. This scholarship has enabled me to advance my education with less burden.”
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– Karen Justice, Cornerstone Society Member
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Each fund that is established amplifies a voice in the community in some way. The Community Foundation is proud to manage more than 770 funds that support the passions of our donors and impact important causes throughout the community. Every fund—whether permanent, pass through, unrestricted, donor-advised, designated, scholarship, field of interest, agency, or fiscal sponsorship—creates philanthropy that benefits Frederick County. In FY2022, 1,832 caring donors made 3,301 contributions to one or more funds. The Community Foundation is grateful to every donor who chooses to support one or more causes they care about with their charitable gifts. The complete list of donors can be found on the Community Foundation’s website at www.FrederickCountyGives.org/donors.

Three people were honored in FY2022 for their volunteer efforts in Frederick County.

With their awards from The Janis Miller Wertheimer Endowment Fund, Rose Dorsey Chaney created The David Key Memorial Fund for AARCH Society to support African American Resources Cultural and Heritage programs and initiatives, and Hermine Bernstein contributed to The Blessings in a Backpack Fund to support the nonprofit that provides food resources for school-aged youth. Youth in Action honoree Stella Henson presented a grant to Spanish Speaking Community of Maryland.
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NEW Georgia Marie Abdow Fund Founded by Mark and Michele Abdow in memory of their daughter as a donor-advised fund, with preference given to services that support individuals and their families experiencing substance use disorder.


Administrative Fund Founded by the Community Foundation for its operational support.

Advocates for Homeless Families Endowment Fund Founded by an anonymous donor for operational support.

AG-C.I.T.E. Fund (Agriculture Community Interactive Teaching Experience) Founded by Kaitlyn, Ashley, David, and Katherine Fuss with Robert and Susie Fogle to promote agriculture for all ages in cooperation with The Great Frederick Fair, Inc.

All Saints’ Episcopal Church Maintenance Fund Founded by Nancy N. Franck to support maintenance and renovation.

Alliance to MedChi Medical Scholarship Fund Founded by Alliance to MedChi for Maryland residents enrolled in an approved State of Maryland medical college and support future physicians.

Alliance to the Frederick County Medical Society Scholarship Fund Founded by the Alliance for students studying in health-related fields.

American Advertising Federation Scholarship Fund Founded by its board of directors for students studying communications and related fields.

American Cancer Society Fund Founded with General Clair Wayne Shisler’s bequest for Frederick County activities.

Arthur O. and Julane P. Anderson Scholarship Fund Founded by Dr. and Mrs. Anderson for Frederick County residents who are nontraditional students.

Suzanne Michel Anderson Fund for the Key Memorial Chapel Founded by family members for maintenance and enhancements of Key Memorial Chapel at Mount Olivet Cemetery.

Derek Matthew Angel Scholarship Fund Founded by Jon and Lindy Angel with preference to Frederick County residents studying information technology.

Animal Care Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support pet care, agriculture animal help, and wildlife support/rescue.

Arc of Frederick County Betty Ann Ramsburg Endowment Fund Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Richard and Sally Arnold Family Fund Founded by Sally Arnold with her 2020 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Frederick County 4-H Camp & Activities Center, Inc.

Caroline and Jimmy Atkins Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Atkins for scholarships and grants in Frederick County.

Rollins J. and Mary Marceline Atkinson Scholarship Fund Founded by Vernon T. and Maralee Atkinson Jones in memory of Mrs. Jones’ parents for Frederick County residents, preferably journalism majors.

Christopher W. Ausherman Scholarship Fund Founded by his family, with preference for those studying construction management, engineering, architecture or pursuing a career in the building trades.

Ernest W. Ausherman Scholarship Fund Founded by his family with memorial contributions.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Ausherman Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Ausherman as an unrestricted fund.

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BB&T Unrestricted Fund Founded by BB&T for the Community Foundation’s grantmaking.

Emma Baker Fund Founded by parents David and Catherine Baker to provide grants and scholarships.

H. George Baker Memorial Fund for Epilepsy Support Founded by wife Elizabeth K. Baker for programs for persons with epilepsy.
Nevin S. Baker Fund  Founded through Mr. Baker’s bequest as an unrestricted fund.

Wanda L. Baldwin Fund  Founded through Ms. Baldwin’s bequest as a donor-advised fund.

Ballenger Creek Elementary School Fund  Founded by Ballenger Creek Elementary School PTA upon Principal Larry Cassel’s retirement to enable all students to participate fully in activities, regardless of their ability to pay.

William and Hettie Ballweber Fund  Founded by wife Hettie L. Ballweber to honor William’s life work of animal advocacy, rescue, and proactive canine welfare Initiatives.

Banner School Endowment Fund  Founded by its board of trustees with gifts from an anonymous donor, Mr. and Mrs. David Belcher, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, and Terri Tucker, and gifts in honor of Mary Beach, for scholarships and other needs.

Bar Association of Frederick County Current Initiatives Fund  Founded by the Bar Association to provide grants to nonprofits.

Bar Association of Frederick County Justice for All Fund  Founded by the Bar Association to ensure availability of competent legal representation for Frederick County residents regardless of their ability to pay.

Steve and PJ Barger Family Fund  Founded by the Bargers for grants and scholarships to Frederick County nonprofits and residents.

Gene, Evelyn and Ernest Family Scholarship Fund II  Founded through Gene Barnhart’s estate for Frederick County residents studying agriculture or a related field at University of Maryland.

William E. Barnhart Memorial Fund for Broadfording Church of the Brethren  Founded through Mr. Barnhart’s estate to support the church.

William E. Barnhart Memorial Fund  Founded through Mr. Barnhart’s estate to provide grants to Frederick County organizations that provide direct services to Frederick County residents with cancer.

Sam and Joan Barrick Fund  Founded by the Barricks as an unrestricted fund.

George J. Barthel Scouting Fund  Founded through Mr. Barthel’s estate provisions for boy and girl scouting in Frederick County.

Luke Clemens Bartlett Memorial Athletic Scholarship Fund  Founded by Luke’s family to provide soccer scholarships to Frederick County youth in kindergarten through 12th grade.

Basford Family Fund  Founded by Dick and Sue Basford for scholarships for students at Frederick Community College or trade and technical schools.

Audrey Pressler Bauman Scholarship Fund  Founded by husband Stephen R. Bauman for Frederick or Walkersville High School graduates.

R. Perry and Ethel Beckley Fund  Founded by Mrs. Beckley for scholarships and grants in Frederick County.

Peter W. Beers Memorial Fund  Founded through Anna Beers’ estate to support Frederick Health Hospice.

Believer’s Club Fund  Founded by Jeannine Milyard with her 2007 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to assist children with special needs and their parents with recreational activities.

Beth Sholom Educational Endowment Fund  Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Stern in honor of Mr. Stern’s parents, Herman and Minnie Stern, to support the Congregation’s educational activities.

Glenn E. and Helen H. Biehl Charitable Fund  Founded through the Biehls’ estate to support Evangelical Lutheran Church and Frederick Health Hospital.

Glenn E. and Helen H. Biehl Scholarship Fund  Founded by Mrs. Biehl for Frederick County residents attending Frederick Community College.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Frederick County Endowment Fund  Founded by its board of directors, now supporting grants for youth mentoring.

Mayor James F. Black Scholarship Fund  Founded by son Dr. Dennis E. Black for Town of Thurmont’s employees and their legal dependents.

Blessings in a Backpack Fund  Founded by Hermine Bernstein, Melissa Frank and Barbara Dillon to support the activities of Blessings in a Backpack.

Alvin and Janet Blumenstein Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by Nelson and Celia Zahler in honor of Celia’s parents for students who exceed the maximum income threshold for government financial aid programs but still have financial need and lack resources to pay for their education.

Debbie Bostian Family and Community Involvement Grant Fund  Founded by The PTA Council of Frederick County, Inc. for grants to PTAs promoting family and community involvement.
Peg and Orley Bourland Educational Assistance Fund for Glade Valley Founded by the Bourlands with their 2008 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for educational support to clients of Glade Valley Community Services in Walkersville.

Dr. Ulysses G. Bourne, Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by daughter Dr. Blanche Bourne-Tyree for students majoring in medicine or a related field.

Boy Scouting in Frederick County Region Fund Founded by friends of Donald C. Linton to support Boy Scouts of America activities in Frederick County.

Bob Boyer and Elizabeth Reeder Scholarship Fund Founded by Bob Boyer and Elizabeth Reeder to support University of Maryland School of Nursing.

Don and Sharon Boyer Fund Founded by Middletown High School alumni to support participation recognition materials for the Don Boyer Invitational and other track events.

Debbie Wolfe Bradley Scholarship Fund Founded by the Wolfe family for Walkersville High School graduates pursuing a career in the theater arts.

Elizabeth J. Brady Charitable Fund Founded by Mrs. Brady with her 2004 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for Frederick Rescue Mission, Habitat for Humanity of Frederick County, Mission of Mercy and Salvation Army.

Brandenburg Fund Founded through the estate of Margaret M. Brandenburg to support Pleasant Valley United Methodist Church.

Joseph Donald Brewer Scholarship Fund Founded by parents Abigail Richon and William D. Brewer for Urbana High School graduating seniors with dyslexia.

Warner L. “Mike” Brittain/Seneca Football Association Scholarship Fund Founded by Seneca Football Association for Frederick High School graduating seniors attending a Maryland college or university, Shepherd University, or Gettysburg College.

Betty L. Brown Endowment Fund for St. John’s Christian Preschool of Thurmont Founded by the Preschool’s Board of Directors in Mrs. Brown’s honor to provide scholarships and financial support.

Isaiah Charles Brown Memorial Fund Founded by his parents Ralph and Denise Hall Brown as a donor-advised fund.

Joseph F. Brown Scholarship Fund Founded by Joseph and Ann Brown for post-secondary study of disciplines related to land surveying, such as mathematics, geology, or physics.

Mary H. and Marianne E. Browning Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by son William H. Browning, Jr. for Frederick County residents attending Frederick Community College.

J. Milton Brunk Memorial Endowment Fund Founded by son John D. Brunk as an unrestricted fund.

Brunswick Area Fund Founded by the Honorable and Mrs. William Wenner to support Brunswick activities.

Brunswick Boy Scouts Troop 277 Fund Founded by Robert Ward with his 2007 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for camperships and Troop materials.

Brunswick Community Club House for Kids Fund Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Brunswick Community Theater Scholarship Fund Founded by the Theater for Brunswick High School graduating seniors majoring in theater arts.

Brunswick Emergency Relief Fund Founded by Sandy Cox with her 2005 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for operational support.

Margaret E. Brust Nursing Scholarship Fund Founded by Charles and Bette Brust in honor of Mr. Brust’s mother for Frederick County students majoring in nursing.

Buckeystown United Methodist Church Endowment Fund Founded by Roger F. Nicodemus for operational support.

Ken and Lynn Burdette Donor-Advised Fund Founded by the Burdettes as a donor-advised fund.

Richard R. Burgee Memorial Scholarship Fund for Trinity United Methodist Church Founded by the Church in Mr. Burgee’s memory for Church members pursuing a post-secondary or graduate education.

Dola Burkentine Nonprofit Marketing Fund Founded by Ms. Burkentine for marketing efforts of Frederick County nonprofits.

Butler Collins Community Impact Fund Founded by RaeAnn Butler with her 2017 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to provide grants to Frederick County nonprofits, with a focus on seniors, historic preservation and education.

Mark and Susan Butt Saturday Mornings Fund Founded by the Butts with sales proceeds of the first published run of Saturday Mornings for grants to nonprofits.

Joseph D. Byrd Fund Founded through Mr. Byrd’s estate to support agricultural and health care organizations as well as need-based scholarships for students at Poolesville High School.
Catoctin High School Youth Fund Founded by Calvin Sayler for programs and scholarships for Catoctin High School students.

Catoctin Medical Center Scholarship Fund Founded by its board of directors for Catoctin High School graduates and others who live in the school’s service area to study in the medical/health field.

Catoctin Watershed Preservation Fund Founded by two Frederick County residents to support the preservation of the Catoctin Watershed, particularly land that has agricultural, historical, environmental or ecological value.

Cavanaugh Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by Robert F. and Elizabeth E. Cavanaugh for graduating Middletown High School seniors.

Celebrate Frederick Fund for Community Events and Traditions Founded by Celebrate Frederick, Inc. to support its mission to preserve traditions and promote community spirit.

Brandon T. Chesnik Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by his family for Walkersville High School alumni and grants to Hillcrest Elementary School.

Citizens Care & Rehabilitation Center and Montevue Assisted Living Fund Founded by Charles F. Trunk III and Donald C. Linton to supplement patient care and enhance the lives of residents in both facilities.

City of Frederick Economic Development Fund Founded by the City of Frederick to support its Department of Economic Development’s mission of job creation, revitalization, and reinvestment in the City of Frederick.

James H. and Amy N. Clapp Family Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Clapp as a donor-advised fund.

Lewis I. and Catherine L. Clark Memorial Fund Founded through Mrs. Clark’s charitable remainder unitrust to support programs that assist individuals with cardiac issues, cancer and diabetes in Frederick County.

Saint Peter Claver Scholarship Fund Founded by anonymous donors for Frederick County residents from under-represented and under-served populations continuing their education at a two or four-year college or university.

Colton Clingerman Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Edmonston and mother Jennifer Clingerman for graduates of Catoctin High School.

Avadna Seward Coghill Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Coghill’s children for Frederick County residents who have achieved the rank of Girl Scout Silver Award or a Girl Scout Leader of three years and pursuing education in environmental or physical science studies.
Albert H. and Etta F. Cohen Charitable Gift Fund Founded by the Cohens as a donor-advised fund.

Dwight and Serene Q. Collmus Family Fund Founded through Mrs. Collmus’ charitable remainder trust as a donor-advised fund.

Color on the Creek Fund Founded by Dr. Peter Kremers with his 2019 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support the ongoing development of the water garden and boat display on Carroll Creek.

Community Emergency Assistance Fund Founded by the Community Foundation with a gift from Guy Kelly for the Salvation Army’s emergency shelter services.

Community Memorial Fund Founded by the Community Foundation with memorial contributions as an unrestricted fund.

Community Service Fund of Evangelical Reformed Church Founded by the Church for benevolence.

Compofelice Family Fund for Building Trades Founded by Susan C. Compofelice to support organizations seeking to help Frederick County residents receive training for construction trades in the Frederick County area.

A. Bryant Converse Charitable Fund Founded through Mr. Converse’s estate to support Frederick County Animal Control.

Converse Family Endowment Fund Founded through Ruth Converse’s charitable trust to support Frederick County Humane Society, Frederick County Landmarks Foundation, and historic preservation in Frederick.

Elmira B. Cook Endowment Fund for the Frederick Rescue Mission Founded by Mrs. Cook for Frederick Rescue Mission.

Gordon M. and Teresa Warfield Cooley Charitable Gift Fund Founded by the Cooleys as a donor-advised fund.

Gordon and Teresa Cooley Unrestricted Fund Founded by the Cooleys to provide strategic grants to Frederick County nonprofits with programs focused on the community’s greatest needs.

Edwin R. Cornish, Jr. Memorial Fund Founded by Erin (Ellyn) Cornish in memory of her father for grants to nonprofits that provide services to nontraditional learners.

Mary Gregg Cornish Memorial Fund Founded by husband Dr. Edwin R. Cornish, Jr. to support master gardener activities, gardening education, community gardens, beautification of public spaces, and library collections related to gardening.

Harry and Mattie Cornpropst Scholarship Fund Founded through Mrs. Cornpropst’s estate provisions for students attending Frederick Community College studying education.

Beatty Cramer House Endowment Fund Founded by The Society of Colonial Wars in the State of Maryland to support Frederick County Landmarks Foundation maintenance and operation of the Beatty Cramer House.

Cresap’s Rifles Post 78, 29th Division Fund Founded by Cresap’s Rifles Post 78, 29th Division and John H. Staley, Jr. to provide grants to nonprofits, with preference to those serving veterans and military related organizations.

Sandra Crist Scholarship Fund Founded through Ms. Crist’s estate for students pursuing a career in animal welfare.

William E. Cross Family Educational Fund Founded by Mr. Cross for scholarships for students attending Mars Hill College.

William E. Cross Special Needs Fund Founded by William E. Cross Foundation, Inc. to provide grants to help individuals who have suffered catastrophic life events. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Dr. J. Richard Crouse Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by John and Katie Fieseler for Frederick or Washington County graduating seniors studying dentistry, medicine, or business at University of Maryland.

Dan Crozier Music Trust Fund Founded with proceeds from the Dan Crozier Music Trust to promote music appreciation, grants to musical organizations, concerts, and music scholarships.

C. Raymond and Helen Crum Memorial Fund for Chapel Lutheran Church Founded by Mildred Nicodemus in memory of her parents to support the general operations of the Church.

Gina M. Cumberland Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by husband Michael Cumberland for students pursuing post-secondary education in Maryland.

Charles Lee Dalton, Jr. and Emmaline Elizabeth Dalton Memorial Fund Founded by the Mt. Airy Volunteer Fire Department, with Charles Dalton, Jr. and Emmaline Dalton’s paternal grandparents, to provide grants that support the Fire Department.

Frances R. Darner Scholarship Fund Founded by Merle L. and R. Rebecca Guyton for students demonstrating community commitment through volunteerism, extra-curricular activities and participation in character-building programs.
John Ryan Dennison Memorial Fund
Founded by the Dennison family to support the design, construction and maintenance of a memorial project.

Derr Fund
Founded by Frederick County Landmarks Foundation with a contribution from Natelli Communities for historic preservation and scholarly research of Frederick County.

Elizabeth Derr Unrestricted Fund
Founded through Mrs. Derr’s estate to support unrestricted grantmaking.

Disabled Citizens of Frederick County United Scholarship Fund
Founded by its board of directors for Frederick County residents with disabilities.

Distinguished Young Women of Maryland Scholarship Fund
Founded by Distinguished Young Women of Maryland, part of a national scholarship program that promotes and rewards scholastic achievement, leadership, and talent in young women, to support its mission.

District 8, Maryland Nurses Association Scholarship Fund
Founded by District 8, Maryland Nurses Association, Inc., for registered nurses pursuing a Bachelor of Science or higher degree in nursing.

Don’t Just Stand There, DO SOMETHING Fund
Founded by Gwen Romack and Evan Sommerstein to support programs addressing youth homelessness or homeless families with children in Frederick County.

Donald P. Dougherty, Jr. Memorial Fund
Founded by Doris Jean Dougherty in honor of her son for descendants of students who attended Thurmont High School pursuing post-secondary education.

Don Doughty and Linda Moran Urban Garden Fund
Founded by Linda Moran to increase urban gardening opportunities and/or for the enhancement of public green spaces.

Downtown Frederick Partnership Holiday Lights Fund
Founded by its board of directors to support improvements and enhancements to the holiday lights on the trees in downtown Frederick.

NEW Downtown Frederick Youth Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to support the construction and programming of a Downtown Frederick Youth Center to benefit youth in and around the City of Frederick.

Virginia K. Draper Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by Mark and Frances Draper and their daughter Sadie Wiles in honor of their mother and grandmother for Middletown High School graduates studying education.

George and Ruth Dredden Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Dreddens with their 2007 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for Frederick County residents pursuing a post-secondary education.

Henry E. Droneburg, III Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by his family for Governor Thomas Johnson High School students and graduates studying art, supplies for art classes held at Governor Thomas Johnson High School, or scholarships or equipment for Frederick County Public Schools Career and Technology Center students studying plumbing.

Dudrow Scholarship Fund
Founded by Dorothy Dudrow and her children for Frederick County residents studying agriculture.

C. Lester and Dorothy Dudrow Fund
Founded by the Dudrows as an unrestricted fund.

Lester and Dorothy Dudrow Fund
Founded by the Dudrows and now serving as an unrestricted fund.

NEW Roger and Golda Delauter Memorial Fund
Founded by Timothy and Patricia O’Toole, in memory of Patricia’s parents, to support children with preference to programs for early childhood literacy.

Captain John Ryan Dennison Scholarship Fund
Founded by his family for graduating scholar/athletes of Urbana or Linganore High Schools.
Cathie Duncan Speech-Language Scholarship Fund
Founded by Catherine and William Duncan for Frederick County residents with preference to those studying speech and language pathology at the post-secondary and/or graduate level.

NEW William T. Dunkin and Linda S. Walsh Scholarship Fund
Founded through Ms. Walsh’s estate for nontraditional students pursuing post-secondary education.

H.B. and Thelma B. Duvall Fund for The Arc on Market
Founded through Mrs. Duvall’s estate provisions to support The Arc’s services.

Easels in Frederick Fund
Founded by Easels in Frederick to support art programs in the Frederick County area with preference to youth programs or plein air art.

Educational Enrichment Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to provide scholarships to students in kindergarten through 12th grade for afterschool or special programs, lessons, camps, field trips and study-abroad programs.

Erwin Eisenhowe Fund
Founded through Mr. Eisenhower’s trust to support the St. Labre Indian School.

Elder/Senior Care Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to support programs/initiatives for those age 60 and older.

Joseph E. and Anne E. Elkins Fund
Founded by Anne Elkins to support the charitable and community service activities of Rotary Club of Frederick.

Jean Ellis and Florence Guss Memorial Fund
Founded by Tuviah Guss and Tracey Ellis-Guss in memory of their mothers to provide scholarships to students and grants to local nonprofits.

Emmitsburg Area Fund
Founded by Emmitsburg Area Business and Professional Association to support charitable organizations serving Emmitsburg residents and/or for scholarships.

Emmons Family Charitable Fund
Founded by Harold and Anna Emmons to support nonprofit organizations that serve the aging population or individuals with disabilities.

Engelbrecht-DeGrange Scholarship Fund
Founded by Jacob Engelbrecht for Frederick County residents studying at Hood College, with an interest in Frederick County history.

England Family Fund
Founded by Marlene England with her 2006 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to provide support for programs in Frederick County that serve women and children in need.

Enhancing Agriculture Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to support agriculture education and the promotion of agriculture.

Environmental Preservation Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to support the environment and ecology initiatives.

Frank M. and Helen Elizabeth Erwin Scholarship Fund
Founded through Mrs. Erwin’s bequest for Frederick County residents.

Josephine Pearre Etchison Memorial Fund for the Maryland Room of the C. Burr Artz Library
Founded by cousins Eleanor Pearre Abbot and Nancy Pearre Lesure for the acquisition and preservation of materials on Maryland genealogy.

Dr. Warren R. Evans/Frederick County Physical Education Teachers Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Frederick County Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Dance for Frederick County residents pursuing a college degree in these disciplines.

Dr. David Everhart, Jr. and Marybell C. Everhart Charitable Fund
Founded through Mrs. Everhart’s estate provisions for the Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration in Braddock Heights.

Sergeant Lawrence Everhart Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution Fund
Founded by the Sergeant Lawrence Everhart Chapter to support the Chapter’s activities focusing on the importance of the Revolutionary War and its history in Frederick County and the surrounding area.

Dottye Handley Ewing Civic Education in Middle School Fund
Founded by Ms. Ewing’s bequest to support programs within Frederick County Public Schools, teaching citizenship and its inherent responsibilities and the skills essential for active and effective participation in our democratic society.

John and Annabelle Eyler Fund for Persons with Disabilities
Founded through Mrs. Eyler’s estate provisions to provide grants to organizations serving individuals with disabilities.

Fair-McCormack Family Fund
Founded by Kristopher Fair with his 2013 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to provide grants and scholarships.

Donald and Lydia Falconer Scholarship Fund
Founded through Mr. Falconer’s estate for Frederick County students enrolled at a trade or technical school.
Families Plus! Fund Founded by its board of directors, now providing grants to Mental Health Association of Frederick County and Frederick County Fire and Rescue for its Safe Kids Program.

Nathan W. Farlow Memorial Fund for Excellence Founded by his family to provide post-secondary scholarships to students who are active members of a faith-based organization and have demonstrated community volunteerism and leadership.

FCARe Fund Founded by the Frederick County Association of Realtors as a donor-advised fund.

Walter P. Feaga Memorial Scholarship Fund at Frederick Community College Founded by daughter Jean Feaga Baden for students studying business.

Feeding Frederick's Frontline Fund Founded by Downtown Frederick Partnership to supply free meals for Frederick's frontline workers and to support downtown Frederick restaurants. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Feline Welfare Fund Founded by Robert and Carolyn Moroney to support initiatives that foster the welfare of the feline population in Frederick County.

George and Karen Fetterly Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Fetterly for non-traditional students pursuing a post-secondary degree.

NEW FFOCAS Animal Shelter Fund Founded by Frederick Friends of Our County Animal Shelter, Inc. to support renovations and additions to Frederick County Animal Control’s shelter.

Jay S. and Virginia P. Fifer Fund for The Community Foundation of Frederick County Founded by the Community Foundation with a gift from the Fifers to support its general operations.

Mary Fifer Church of the Brethren Learning Center Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Fifer for students enrolled at the Center.

Austin Lewis Filby Memorial Fund Founded through Mr. Filby’s estate, Frederick County Board of County Commissioners, and Frederick County Department of Aging to support the Department’s bingo and birthday celebrations for those it serves.

Melvin E. and Esther E. Filler Fund Founded through Mrs. Filler’s estate to support St. Paul’s Evangelical Lutheran Church and Walkersville Volunteer Rescue Company.

Alden E. Fisher Fund Founded by Mr. Fisher to support Frederick Health Hospital, Hood College and YMCA of Frederick County.

Alden and Harriet Fisher Scholarship Fund Founded by the Fishers for Hood College students.

Harriet K. Fisher Fund Founded through Mrs. Fisher’s estate provisions to support the Community Foundation’s activities.

Pauline Draper Fisher Scholarship Fund Founded through Mrs. Fisher’s estate provisions for graduating seniors of Catoctin High School enrolled at Towson University.

Robert and Anne Fisher Scholarship Fund for St. John’s Catholic Prep Founded by Mrs. Fisher for Frederick County students to attend the school.

NEW Joseph T. Fiumara Memorial Fund Founded by Paul Fiumara in memory of his brother for nonprofit organizations that serve children without homes, from a single guardian home, or who are orphaned.

Leah D. Fleming Fund Supporting American Red Cross Founded by Ms. Fleming with her 2012 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support American Red Cross’ provision of direct services to Frederick County residents.

Flowers Over Frederick Fund Founded by the Flowers Over Frederick Committee to support hanging flower baskets and general flower maintenance in downtown Frederick.

David A. Fogle Fund Founded through Mr. Fogle’s bequest to support Frederick National Little League.

Rhema H. Fogle Memorial Endowment Fund Founded through Ms. Fogle’s bequest for nonprofit organizations providing services to people with financial need who have suffered from fires, floods and other catastrophes.

Austin and Lillian Foland Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. Foland for Frederick High School graduates attending Frederick Community College.

The Karen S. Justice Scholarship for Study Abroad Fund was established by Ms. Justice for post-secondary students to study abroad and learn about other cultures and ways of living. An avid traveler herself, Ms. Justice believes that supporting international education experiences is important in helping young people learn and understand different perspectives and cultures.
Rose Dorsey Chaney founded The David Key Memorial Fund for AARCH Society with her 2021 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support programs and initiatives at the African American Resources Cultural and Heritage (AARCH) Society. Ms. Chaney worked closely with David Key, longtime AARCH president and Frederick leader, to preserve the African American heritage in the Frederick community.

Foland Family Scholarship Fund
Founded by Ronald and Edith Foland for Frederick County residents with preference given to those studying construction or building trades at Frederick Community College.

Lynn and Betty Follin Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Follins for grants to Frederick Community College for scholarships to Brunswick High School graduating seniors.

FoodPRO CORP Fund
Founded by FoodPRO CORP as a donor-advised fund.

Ford/Tolman Fund
Founded by an anonymous donor as a donor-advised fund in memory of Franklin and Anna Tolman.

George D. Ford, Jr. and Barbara S. Ford Scholarship Fund
Founded through Mrs. Ford’s estate provisions for students pursuing a career in education.

Forever Frederick County Campaign Fund
Founded by its board of trustees to support the Community Foundation’s discretionary grantmaking and strategic initiatives.

Lewis and Clara Fraley Memorial Fund
Founded by Scott and Marie Elena Fraley in memory of his parents for scholarships to Frederick County students and grants to Frederick County nonprofits.

Francis Scott Key District Eagle Scout Scholarship Fund
Founded by Richard M. Colling, Jr. with his 2013 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for Francis Scott Key District Eagle Scouts.

Francis Scott Key Memorial Fund
Founded by the Francis Scott Key Memorial Foundation to care for the Francis Scott Key monument at Mount Olivet Cemetery in Frederick and to educate the community about Francis Scott Key’s historical significance.

Francis Scott Key Post #11/Clifford M. Yinger Children and Youth Fund
Founded by the American Legion with Mr. Yinger’s bequest for children’s programs and scholarships.

Franck/Greenwood Fund
Founded by Richard Greenwood and Carol Ann Greenwood as a donor-advised fund.

Nancy Nicodemus Franck Scholarship Fund
Founded by Mrs. Franck for Frederick County high school students studying elementary education at Frederick Community College.

Frederick Area Ministerial Association Fund
Founded by the Association as a donor-advised fund.

Frederick Art Club Fund
Founded by its board of directors for scholarships.

Frederick Arts Council Fund
Founded by its board of directors in support of its programs and operations.

Frederick Arts Council Thelma Gross Music Scholarship Fund
Founded by its board of directors for music scholarships.

Frederick Brick Works, Inc. Fund
Founded by its board of directors as an unrestricted fund.

Frederick Center Fund
Founded by Peter Van Horn Brehm with his 2015 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for program support.

Frederick Chorale Fund
Founded by its board of directors for the Chorale’s activities.

Frederick Coffee Club Memorial Fund
Founded by the Frederick Coffee Club to provide scholarships to Frederick County residents.

Frederick Community College Graduate Scholarship Fund
Founded by Austin F. Foland for Friends of Neighborhood Progress, Inc. to provide meals and food through the City of Frederick Department of Housing and Human Services.

Frederick Community College Graduate Scholarship to Mount Saint Mary’s University Fund
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. W. Jerome Offutt for FCC graduates attending Mount Saint Mary’s University.

Frederick Community College Student Scholarship Fund
Founded by Donald C. Linton for undergraduate scholarships.

Frederick Community Concert Scholarship Fund
Founded by its board of directors for students studying music.

Frederick County Agriculture Scholarship Fund
Founded by Frederick Jaycees for Frederick County residents studying agriculture.
Frederick County AIDS/HIV Education and Services Endowment Fund
Founded by Roger F. Nicodemus to support AIDS/HIV programs.

Frederick County Business Roundtable for Education Fund
Founded by the FCBRE for operational support.

Frederick County Cardiac Services and Prevention Fund
Founded by Donald C. Linton for programs supporting cardiac health, including prevention and education, as well as programs that address the needs of people with cardiac disease.

Frederick County Conservation Fund
Founded by its board of directors for scholarships to conservation majors and grants to nonprofits supporting conservation.

Frederick County Developers, Inc. Fund
Founded by Ernest W. Ausherman, George C. Stauffer and Norman Waltz as an unrestricted fund.

Frederick County 4-H Camp Center Fund
Founded by George C. Stauffer, G. Douglas Stauffer and Sharon Stauffer Barrick for camp activities.

Frederick County 4-H Therapeutic Riding Program Fund
Founded by anonymous donors for operational and programming support.

Frederick County Holstein Association Endowment Fund
Founded by its board of directors for financial support for programs and activities benefiting youth interested in agriculture.

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Frederick County Pomona Grange #11/Burall Brothers Memorial Scholarship Fund
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Frederick County Public Libraries Capital Fund
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Frederick County Public Schools Current Initiatives/Join the Band Fund
Founded by Frederick County Public Schools and Andy Carignan for instruments for students in music activities.

Frederick County Public Schools Current Initiatives/Student Mechanical Trades Scholarship Fund
Founded by Frederick County Mechanical Trades Association for mechanical trades education.

Frederick County Public Schools Current Initiatives/Technology for Education Fund
Founded by Frederick County Public Schools to support technology in the classroom and ensure students have access to current technology in their learning environments.

Frederick County Public Schools Donor Restricted Projects/Ruth Gardner Memorial Scholarship Fund
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Frederick County Retired School Personnel Association Scholarship Endowment Fund
Founded by its board of directors for students pursuing education careers.

Frederick County AIDS/HIV Education and Services Endowment Fund
Founded by Roger F. Nicodemus to support AIDS/HIV programs.

Frederick County Business Roundtable for Education Fund
Founded by the FCBRE for operational support.

Frederick County Cardiac Services and Prevention Fund
Founded by Donald C. Linton for programs supporting cardiac health, including prevention and education, as well as programs that address the needs of people with cardiac disease.

Frederick County Conservation Fund
Founded by its board of directors for scholarships to conservation majors and grants to nonprofits supporting conservation.

Frederick County Developers, Inc. Fund
Founded by Ernest W. Ausherman, George C. Stauffer and Norman Waltz as an unrestricted fund.

Frederick County 4-H Camp Center Fund
Founded by George C. Stauffer, G. Douglas Stauffer and Sharon Stauffer Barrick for camp activities.

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The Richard W. Kanode Charitable Fund
Founded through Mr. Kanode’s charitable remainder trust as a donor-advised fund. Mr. Kanode’s legacy will be carried forward through his fund, creating positive and lasting impact in Frederick County.
Frederick County Retired School Personnel Association/Dr. Richard and Patricia Petre Scholarship Fund
Founded by Dr. and Mrs. Petre for Frederick County residents pursuing a degree in teacher education.

Frederick County Workforce Services Fund
Founded by Frederick County Workforce Services and Frederick County Board of County Commissioners for employment programs.

Frederick County Youth Athletic Facilities and Programs Fund
Founded by community citizens to support new and existing youth athletic facilities and support youth athletic programs in Frederick County. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Frederick Elks Lodge #684 Youth Endowment Fund
Founded by its board of directors for youth activities.

Frederick Health Hospice Fund
Founded by Dr. P. Gregory Rausch for operational support.

Frederick Health Hospital Fund
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Main for hospital programs.

Frederick High School Centennial Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Frederick High School Scholarship Committee for its graduates.

Frederick Jaycees Fund
Founded by its board of directors as a donor-advised fund.

Frederick Keys Care Fund
Founded by the Frederick Keys in memory of Joel A. Stephens for grants to nonprofits serving children coping with illness, personal loss and/or disabilities.

Frederick Medical Foundation Fund
Founded by its board of trustees for medical scholarships and grants.

Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Donor-Advised Fund
Founded by its board of directors to provide grants to nonprofits.

Frederick Mutual Insurance Company Fund
Founded by its board of directors as an unrestricted fund.

Frederick Police Department Endowment Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to honor retired Chief Charles V. Main for scholarships and support for Frederick Police Department families.

Frederick Rescue Mission Fund
Founded by an anonymous donor for operational support.

Frederick Symphony Orchestra Fund
Founded by the Orchestra for operational support.

Frederick Woman's Civic Club—Friends of the Child Advocacy Center of Frederick County Fund
Founded by Frederick Woman's Civic Club, Inc. to benefit the Child Advocacy Center.

Frederick Woman's Civic Club, Inc. Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Frederick Woman's Civic Club, Inc. for Frederick County residents that support non-traditional, undergraduate, traditional, and vocational students with financial need.

Fredericktowne Players Fund
Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Friends of Baker Park Fund
Founded by its board of directors to support the maintenance and long-term preservation of Baker Park.

Friends of Citizens Care & Rehabilitation Center and Montevue Assisted Living Fund
Founded by Charles F. Trunk, III and Donald C. Linton to supplement patient care and for small capital purchases and enhancements for both facilities.

Friends of Hospital Park at Trail Avenue Fund
Founded by its board of directors for revitalization and ongoing development of Hospital Park at Trail Avenue in Frederick.

Friends of Schifferstadt Fund
Founded by the Frederick County Landmarks Foundation for Schifferstadt's maintenance.

Friends of The Great Frederick Fair Fund
Founded by J.R. Ramsburg, Jr., for community grants, preferably for agriculture education and agriculture industry promotion in Frederick County.

Friends of Waterford Park, Inc. Fund
Founded by Virginia K. Brace with her 2016 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support maintenance and improvements to Waterford Park and Rock Creek Park.

Emory V. and Elizabeth Frye Scholarship Fund for Brunswick
Founded by Mrs. Frye for Brunswick High School graduates pursuing education careers.
Gifts to any fund are gladly accepted throughout the year, in any amount.

**Fund for Catholic Education/Kindergarten Through University** Founded by Peter H. Plamondon, Sr., for grants to Frederick County Roman Catholic educational institutions and scholarships for students attending those institutions.

**Fuss Family 4-H Camp Center Volunteer Fund** Founded by Christy Fuss with her 2018 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Frederick County 4-H Camp & Activities Center.

**Gene G. Gardner Memorial Fund** Founded through Mr. Gardner’s estate provisions as an unrestricted fund.

**Robert E. Gearinger National Museum of Civil War Medicine Endowment Fund** Founded by Fredericktown Bank’s Board of Directors and the Museum for operational support to honor Mr. Gearinger’s activities with both organizations.

**Bob and Pat Gehrke Scholarship Fund for College Prep** Founded by Training & Education Services Inc. for Frederick County residents preparing for college admission or SAT/ACT tests.

**Jay “Doc” Geiser Fund** Founded by family members in memory of Jay “Doc” Geiser to provide grants to the Career and Technology Center of Frederick County for supplies, tools and exam fees for students in culinary arts programs.

**Harry George and Dee Dolan Charitable Fund** Founded by Mr. George and Ms. Dolan as a donor-advised fund.

**George Wesley Gilbert Memorial Scholarship Fund** Founded by wife Freda Gilbert for Frederick County Public Schools graduates attending trade or technical schools.

**Loretta C. Gilbert Fund for The Community Foundation of Frederick County** Founded through Mrs. Gilbert’s estate to support the Community Foundation’s operations.

**Loretta C. Gilbert Scholarship Fund** Founded through Mrs. Gilbert’s estate for graduates of St. John’s Catholic Prep.

**Girl Scout Council of the Nation’s Capital/Grants for Girls Fund** Founded by Frances A. Randall to support activities and camperships for Frederick County Girl Scouts.

**Glade United Church of Christ Endowment Fund** Founded through a trust from the late Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Zimmerman for operating support.

**Bess and Franklin S. Gladhill Fund** Founded by Bess Gladhill for the Community Foundation’s discretionary grantmaking and operating support.

**Bess and Frank Gladhill Fund for The Community Foundation of Frederick County** Founded by the Gladhills for the Community Foundation’s operations.

**Bess and Frank Gladhill Fund for Goodwill Industries Monocacy Valley, Inc.** Founded by the Gladhills for Goodwill’s programs to train persons with disabilities.

**Franklin and Bess Gladhill Fund for Agriculture Education** Founded by the Gladhills for agricultural education within Frederick County Public Schools.

**NEW Good Neighbor Fund for Seniors** Founded by Donald C. Linton to support individuals 60 years of age or older who experience crisis and need financial assistance.

**NEW Gou Family Charitable Fund** Founded by Dr. and Mrs. Ching Gou as a donor-advised fund.

**Grace UCC/Austin and Lillian Foland Fund** Founded by Mr. Foland for operational support.

**Grace UCC/Elizabeth Shuff Memorial Fund** Founded by the Church to support its activities, programs and capital needs.

**Graceham Moravian Church Fund** Founded by Calvin and Ruth Sayler to support the activities and operations of Graceham Moravian Church.

**Graceham Moravian Church Cemetery Fund** Founded by Calvin E. Sayler for the historic cemetery’s maintenance.

**Graduate Scholarships Field of Interest Fund** Founded by the Community Foundation to support students pursuing graduate and professional degrees, certificates, licensures, and career ladder advances.

**C. Ray and Dorothy Barnhart Green Memorial Scholarship Fund** Founded by Mrs. Green for Catoctin High School graduates studying the arts, sciences, engineering, or business.

**James M. Green Fund** Founded by Mr. Green through estate provisions to support students at Frederick and Governor Thomas Johnson High Schools for music instruction and music scholarships at Frederick Community College, and stipends for Frederick County residents launching careers in the performing arts.

**John and Ginny Greene Music Scholarship Fund** Founded by the Greene family for students pursuing a degree in music or a related field.

**John “Jack” Griffin Scholarship Fund** Founded by Earl Main for Frederick High School students pursuing a degree in physical education.
James S. Grimes Fund  
Founded by Mr. Grimes as a donor-advised fund, with preference given to promoting agriculture.

Esther E. Grinage Scholarship Fund  
Founded through Marguerite Quinn’s bequest for scholarships, preferably students studying education.

“Judge” William B. Gross Fund  
Founded by daughter Anne-Lynn Gross to support Frederick Rescue Mission.

“Judge” William B. Gross Scholarship Fund  
Founded through the estate of Anne-Lynn Gross for deserving students.

Gloria M. “Stretch” Grossnickle Memorial Fund  
Founded by friend William H. Browning, Jr. to support the Harp Medical Center and its mission to provide medical services and healthcare education in Middletown Valley.

Grossnickle Family Scholarship Fund  
Founded by Andrew Grossnickle for students studying agriculture, or those raised on a farm and pursuing post-secondary education.

Edward D. Grove, Sr. Scholarship Fund  
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dawson Grove, Jr. and Susan Grove Skelly for Frederick County residents studying agriculture.

Erma Stull Grove Scholarship Fund  
Founded by Mrs. Grove for Frederick County graduating seniors majoring in mathematics or science.

Grove Foundation Fund  
Founded by Larry and Deborah Grove to support the greatest needs of veterans and soldiers residing in Maryland.

James H. Grove, Jr. Family Scholarship Fund for Friends of Catholic Education  
Founded by the Grove family for scholarships through Friends of Catholic Education.

Mary Posta Grove Memorial Endowment Fund  
Founded by Bernard L. Grove and his family for students to attend St. John’s Catholic Prep.

Guss Family Scholarship Fund for the Arts  
Founded by Tuviah Guss and Tracey Ellis-Guss for Frederick County community members who have a passion for music performance and visual arts.

Donald W. and Louise Guyton Memorial Fund  
Founded by Mrs. Guyton in memory of her husband for grants to Frederick County Career and Technology Center for students studying construction electricity or environmental landscape design and management.

Garland and Mary Guyton Memorial Fund  
Founded by son Daniel C. Guyton to support Broadfording Christian Academy in Hagerstown.

Margaret and Robert Guyton Scholarship Fund  
Founded by the Guytons for Frederick County residents, preferably Middletown High School graduating seniors attending a trade/technical school or entering a certificate program.

Merle L. and Ruth Rebecca Guyton Scholarship Fund  
Founded by the Guytons for students who demonstrate their faith through good citizenship and service to others, preferably medical or law enforcement majors.

H&F Railway Fund  
Founded by Alex M. Postpischil to support the Hagerstown and Frederick Railway Historical Society.

Norine Haas Mental Health Scholarship Fund  
Founded by Mental Health Association of Frederick County to honor Mrs. Haas’ tenure as CEO for professional development and education for Mental Health Association staff.

Robert G. Haas Memorial Scholarship Fund  
Founded by parents Rev. and Mrs. Theodore Haas for Frederick High School graduating seniors.

Habitat for Humanity of Frederick County Fund  
Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Hahn Transportation Scholarship Fund  
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Windsor, with preference to dependents of Hahn Transportation employees and residents of New Market.

James R. Hahn Memorial Scholarship Fund  
Founded by daughter Rebecca Hahn Windsor for students studying in the transportation field.

Hall-Buxton Educational Fund  
Founded by Chandra Dawn Buxton in honor of her father Arthur Brent Hall and her husband Roger’s 70th birthday for scholarships for Urbana or Damascus High Schools graduates.

Hallein Advisory Fund  
Founded by Katrina S. Hallein as a donor-advised fund.

Halleman Family Fund  
Founded by Diana R. Halleman with her 2014 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support revitalization projects in the community, including beautification efforts, facade improvements, and community events.

William D. Hammond Scholarship Fund  
Founded by McLean, Koehler, Sparks & Hammond and sons, Philip and William, Jr., in honor of Mr. Hammond’s 50-year accounting career to assist Frederick County residents, preferably accounting majors.
William H. Haraway Life Opportunities Fund  Founded by wife Laura Haraway and brother Richard Miller-Haraway in memory of William Haraway to provide grants and scholarships to enhance life opportunities, with emphasis on assisting persons with developmental disabilities and/or people striving to move out of homelessness. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Aimée Belle Harper Scholarship Fund  Founded by St. Paul’s Evangelical Lutheran Church of Utica for Church members.


John Franklin Harrison Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by parents Francis E. and Edwina L. Harrison for Frederick County residents, with preference to Linganore High School graduates with learning disabilities or attending a trade or technical school.

Charles E. Hartman Scholarship Fund  Founded by Jacques DeMolay Commandery #4, Knights Templars to provide grants to the Career and Technology Center of Frederick County Public Schools for students studying welding and/or construction trades.

Dr. Christopher M. Hassett Science Scholarship Fund for St. John’s Catholic Prep  Founded by parents Maurice and Mary Hassett for the School’s graduates to study physical sciences.

Steve Hassett Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by wife Patricia Hassett for Walkersville High School varsity athletes with preference given to law enforcement/criminal justice majors.

Bill and Mary Haugh Charitable Fund  Founded by the Haughs for Frederick County nonprofits serving residents experiencing personal loss from fire or other disasters or facing emergencies and needing food, shelter, and clothing.

Jeffrey Hayek Memorial Fund  Founded by parents Brian and Robin Hayek to create and maintain a recreation baseball field and to provide baseball/softball equipment for youth.

Jeffrey Hayek Scholarship Fund  Founded by the Hayek family for graduating seniors from Linganore High School or Oakdale High School.

Health Care Field of Interest Fund  Founded by the Community Foundation to support health care and health-related initiatives and scholarships.

Health Fund for Frederick County Youth  Founded by Donald C. Linton for extraordinary and/or life-threatening medical needs of Frederick County children.

Heartyly House Building Fund  Founded by its board of directors for capital projects.

Heartyly House Children’s Services Endowment Fund  Founded by its board of directors and the Board of Trustees of the former Exchange Sponsored Child Abuse Prevention Effort for Heartly House’s children’s services.

Sue Hecht Heartly House Fund  Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Elaine A. Heiberg Scholarship Fund for the Arts  Founded by Barbara O. Clary and Ms. Heiberg’s friends in honor of her 80th birthday for students studying the arts.

D. Hunt and Joan Hendrickson Fund  Founded by the Hendricksons as a donor-advised fund.

The Shirley Barnes Rippeon and Vernon Robert Rippeon Fund was created by Vernon Robert Rippeon to support the Hoover Library at McDaniel College. Mr. Rippeon went to college so he could eventually help his father run his business and the library became a haven for him because he spent so much time there studying. Mr. Rippeon’s appreciation for this quiet space inspired him to create this fund to support McDaniel students.

Joan Hendrickson Fund  Founded by Mrs. Hendrickson for grants to organizations that aid women and children in Frederick County.

Mary Mason Hendrickson Memorial Fund  Founded by Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hendrickson II in memory of Mr. Hendrickson’s mother for children’s programs.

Michael David Hendrix Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by wife Linda Agar-Hendrix for Frederick County public high school graduates, preferably studying information technology, the sciences, music, or the arts.

Bonnie Kitchen Hinkle Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by husband Darl W. Hinkle and daughter Cynthia Hinkle Pickett, preferably for Middletown High School graduates pursuing a nursing degree.
Historic Preservation Field of Interest Fund  Founded by the Community Foundation to support preservation of the past — historic landmarks, structures, artifacts — for future generations.

Historic Sites Consortium Endowment Fund  Founded by its board of directors or operational support.

Charles W. Hoff, III and Margaret O. Hoff Family Fund  Founded by the Hoffs as a donor-advised fund.

Pearl Hoffman, Robert William Main and William S. Berry, Sr. Memorial Fund  Founded to support Heartly House.

Robert J. Hogan Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by Monocacy Aquatic Club for college-bound graduating seniors who have participated at least two years with Monocacy Aquatic Club.

Robert J. and George J. Hogan, Jr. Memorial Fund  Founded through Irene Hogan’s bequest for students pursuing careers in the construction trades and grants supporting Frederick County Construction Trades Foundation, Inc.

Charles and Teresa Hoke Endowment Fund  Founded through Mr. and Mrs. Hoke’s estate provisions to support United Way of Frederick County and Homewood at Crumland Farms.

Cecil K. Holter, Jr. and Charlotte S. Holter Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by sons Kurt Holter and Eric Holter for students attending Frederick Community College, Hood College or Mount St. Mary’s University.

Hulda E. Holter Scholarship Fund  Founded by Mrs. Holter for Brunswick or Middletown High School graduates pursuing a nursing career.

Holy Family Catholic Community Fund  Founded with M. Michael Crewe Judge’s bequest for a church liturgical fund.

Homewood Foundation Fund  Founded by its board of trustees for operational support.

Hood College Endowment Fund  Founded with Phebe Zimmerman’s bequest for operational support.

Ellis and Lillian Hood Family Endowment Fund  Founded by the Hoods for grants to nonprofits and scholarships to Frederick County residents.

Betty Markey Hooper Scholarship Fund  Founded by children Robert Hooper and Elizabeth Stauffer for Walkersville High School graduating seniors, preferably strong “B” students attending Hood College.

Robert G. Hooper Family Fund  Founded by Mr. Hooper as a donor-advised fund.

Robert G. Hooper Unrestricted Fund  Founded by Mr. Hooper as an unrestricted fund.

Sharon I. Hooper Fund For Children  Founded by parents Mr. and Mrs. U. Mehrl Hooper for programs serving families with children coping with catastrophic illness.

U. Mehrl and Margaret T. Hooper Scholarship Fund  Founded by Mrs. Hooper for Frederick County residents attending a trade or technical school.

U. Mehrl, Margaret T., and Sharon I. Hooper Fund  Founded by Margaret Hooper for nonprofits serving Frederick County residents under age 18.

Russell Z. and Virginia T. Horman Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by Mrs. Horman for Frederick County residents.

James W. Houck Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by parents Mr. and Mrs. Robert Houck for Brunswick High School graduating seniors.

Forest L. Hough Endowment Fund  Founded by Mr. Hough for scholarships to students graduating from Brunswick and Poolesville high schools, majoring in horticulture, agriculture, trade and/or technical fields, divinity or a divinity-related field.

J. Wilmer “Pete” and Margaret Holter House Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by the Houses’ heirs for Middletown High School graduates studying agriculture or a related field.

Drs. Mary P. Howell and Steven J. Klein Family Fund  Founded by Dr. Howell and Dr. Klein for scholarships to residents of Frederick, Garrett, Allegany and Washington Counties enrolling in graduate and doctoral programs.

Dr. Lawrence C. Hoyer Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by wife Phyllis Hoyer for students attending a four-year college or university.

Jacob W. Hubble Memorial Scholarship Fund  Founded by parents Sara J. Ely and Barry Hubble for graduates of Linganore or Oakdale High Schools.

The Trauma Responsive Frederick Fund was founded by Trauma Responsive Frederick, a volunteer group of community leaders and advocates who strive to make Frederick County a trauma responsive community. This fund was created to facilitate this initiative including education, training, resource development, workforce development, advocacy and support of other entities whose work aligns with the mission and vision of Trauma Responsive Frederick.
J. Richard and Margaret A. Hudson Endowment Fund for Frederick Health Hospital’s Emergency Services
Founded by the Hudsons for emergency services at Frederick Health Hospital.

Human Services Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to assist nonprofits serving individuals with mental, financial, or physical needs.

William Hurwitz Memorial Endowment Fund
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hurwitz in memory of Mr. Hurwitz’s father as a donor-advised fund.

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I Believe in Me, Inc. Fund
Founded by Aje Hill with his 2018 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for operating support.

Vince and Guelda Imirie Fund
Founded by Mrs. Imirie to support the Community Foundation, The Norine Haas Mental Health Scholarship Fund, Frederick Health Hospital, Mental Health Association of Frederick County, Kline Hospice House, and Glade United Church of Christ.

Nicholas B. Jarvis Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by parents Darren and Mary Jarvis for Frederick, Urbana, or Tuscarora High Schools graduating seniors studying forestry, agriculture, land management, veterinary medicine, marine biology, early childhood education, history, science, and sports medicine.

Jeanne Bussard Center Endowment Fund
Founded by its board of directors, now providing operational support for The Arc of Frederick County.

Jefferson Ruritan Club Scholarship Fund
Founded by Jefferson Ruritan Club for students residing in the Jefferson area, children or grandchildren of Jefferson Ruritan Club members, or members of the Random Acts of Kindness Club.

George E. Jewell Family Fund
Founded by the George E. Jewell Foundation as a donor-advised fund.

Job Training and Skills Development Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to support quality workforce development.

NEW Johnson STEM Education Fund
Founded by Patrick and Virginia Johnson to support Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) programs and STEM experiential learning opportunities.

NEW Karen S. Justice Scholarship for Study Abroad Fund
Founded by Ms. Justice for students to study abroad for post-secondary education.

Candace Gove Kakel Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by mother Mary Gove for Linganore High School graduates.

Robert E. Kallstrom Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by wife Maureen Kallstrom with preference to students majoring in music or computer science/information technology.

NEW Richard W. Kanode Charitable Fund
Founded through Mr. Kanode’s charitable remainder trust as a donor-advised fund.

Richard W. Kanode Farm Park Fund
Founded by Mr. Kanode to support development, maintenance and operation of the Richard W. Kanode Farm Park.

Eugene A. and Pauline B. Kefauver Family Fund
Founded through the Kefauvers’ estate provisions to support Hoffman Homes for Youths, Foundation of FirstHealth, The Village Chapel, and Middletown Christ Reformed Church.

Harold D. and Elizabeth S. Kehne Scholarship Fund
Founded by David A. Kehne and Robert A. Funk for Frederick High School or Governor Thomas Johnson High School graduates pursuing a career in education.

Charles E. Keller, III Accounting Scholarship Fund
Founded by the partners of the former Keller Bruner, now known as RSM, in honor of Mr. Keller’s accounting career for accounting majors in their junior or senior year of college.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Kelly Fund
Founded by the Kellys as an unrestricted fund.

Robert E. Kelly Memorial Fund
Founded with proceeds from the Robert E. Kelly Memorial Foundation, Inc. as a donor-advised fund, with preference given to ocean-related environmental causes.

Gifts to any fund are gladly accepted throughout the year, in any amount.
Jeanne L. Kemp Fund for Students with Dyslexia
Founded by Nancy and Casper Cline in honor of Mrs. Cline’s mother for grants to address the needs of students with dyslexia.

William H. and Jeanne L. Kemp Fund
Founded by Mrs. Kemp to support The Jeanne L. Kemp Fund for Students with Dyslexia.

Bertha J. Kennedy Memorial Endowment Fund
Founded by husband Marvin E. Kennedy, Sr. for Frederick County Historic Sites Consortium.

NEW David Key Memorial Fund for AARCH Society
Founded by Rose Dorsey Chaney with her 2021 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for AARCH programs and initiatives.

Jeffrey W. Kight Scholarship Fund
Founded by Roger F. Nicodemus for Frederick County residents, preferably those interested in theater.

Gene and Carolyn King Fund for Mount Airy Emergency Medical Services
Founded through Mrs. King’s estate to support Mount Airy Volunteer Fire Department Emergency Medical Services.

Gene and Carolyn King Pine Grove Chapel Endowment Fund
Founded through Mrs. King’s estate to support Pine Grove Cemetery in Mount Airy, Maryland.

King Asbury Architectural Scholarship Fund
Founded by BMK Architecture, PC for Frederick, Carroll or Washington County graduating seniors studying architecture or a related design field.

Kirk Family Fund
Founded by George M. and Lois M. Kirk as a donor-advised fund.

Kirkpatrick/Legore Family Fund
Founded by Judith A. Kirkpatrick as a donor-advised fund.

Kiwanis Club of Frederick Fund
Founded by the Club for its charitable activities, particularly among Frederick County’s children and senior citizens.

Christopher and Lucia Kline Family Fund
Founded by the Klines to provide grants to nonprofits that provide mental health services and programs for dyslexia disorder.

Knights of Columbus Colonel Thomas F. George Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by Thomas F. George, II for students attending St. John’s Catholic Prep.

Knights of Columbus Father Michael J. McGivney Scholarship Fund
Founded by Knights of Columbus St. John’s Council #1622 in honor of the Knight’s founder to support scholarships for Roman Catholic education in Frederick County.

Becky Koontz Memorial Education Scholarship Fund
Founded by William H. and Carolyn R. Koontz for Frederick County residents.

Col. William E. Weber Chapter 142 Korean War Veterans Association of Frederick County, MD, Inc. Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Veterans for students who are direct bloodline descendants of those who served in the U.S. military and who are eligible for Korean War Veterans Association membership.

Robert C. and Jane E. Ladner Charitable Fund
Founded by Drs. Ladner as a donor-advised fund.

Robert C. and Jane E. Ladner Scholarship Fund
Founded by Drs. Ladner for students pursuing studies in science, technology, engineering, or math.

Fernando Laires Piano Fund
Founded by wife Nelita True Laires to support Eastman School of Music at University of Rochester in providing piano performances and recitals by professional artists to inspire its students to pursue their talents.

NEW Fernando Laires and Nelita True Piano Scholarship Fund
Founded through Dr. True’s estate provisions for piano students at Eastman School of Music at University of Rochester.

NEW Dan Lajewski Charitable Fund
Founded by Mr. Lajewski as a donor-advised fund.

Lisa A. Orndorff Lajewski Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by husband Daniel J. Lajewski, preferably for graduates of Brunswick High School or members of All Saints’ Episcopal Church.

Robert P. Lapointe Memorial Fund
Founded by wife Catherine Lapointe as a donor-advised fund.
Christine LaRoi Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by parents Michael and Sheryl LaRoi for Urbana High School graduating seniors majoring in education or performing arts.

Edgar and Mildred Larson Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Larsons for Frederick Community College students, preferably those with learning disabilities.

Laughlin Family Fund
Founded with gifts from The Dr. Henry P. and M. Page Durkee Laughlin Foundation, Inc. to support Advocates for Homeless Families, Community Foundation. Mental Health Association of Frederick County, Frederick Health Hospice, Heartly House, The Food Bank (under Friends for Neighborhood Progress), Frederick Rescue Mission, and The Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs for the Alan P. Linton, Jr. Emergency Shelter.

James and Melinda Lautenberger Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Lautenbergers for Frederick County residents pursuing careers in accounting, health care or one of the physical sciences.

Marvin and Bonnie Laws Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Laws for Walkersville High School graduates attending Frederick Community College.

Ron Layman Family Fund
Founded by Ron Layman with his 2019 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award as a donor-advised fund to support Frederick County nonprofits.

Ron Layman Scout Camp Fund
Founded by James B. MacGillivray in Mr. Layman’s honor to improve the Walkersville Watershed Property to build a camp for youth programs.

Leader Dogs for the Blind Fund
Founded by Edith Carmack for operational support.

Richard T. Leishear Endowment Fund
Founded by Mr. Leishear’s estate to purchase materials for C. Burr Artz Library’s Maryland Room.

William O. Lee, Jr. and Family Endowment Fund
Founded by Mr. Lee with his 2003 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for preserving Frederick County African American history and scholarships for graduating high school seniors who reside in the City of Frederick.

Jack V. Leishear Endowment Fund #1
Founded by Mr. Leishear as a donor-advised fund.

Leishear Family Fund
Founded through The Chester M. Leishear Charitable Remainder Unitrust to support Mountain View Methodist Church.

Clayton Lenhart Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by Walkersville FFA Alumni Association for students who were members of the FFA Chapter of Walkersville High School and are attending a two- or four-year college, trade or technical school.

Ralph and Annabelle Lenhart Scholarship Fund
Founded by Mrs. Lenhart for Frederick County residents studying the building trades.

David J. and Sara Levine Fund
Founded by the Levines for grants supporting health and wellness initiatives and services to individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Advocates for the Aging
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to support the organization’s mission to advocate on behalf of and serve senior citizens’ interests in Frederick County.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Frederick Rescue Mission
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to support the Rescue Mission to serve the homeless and needy in Frederick County.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Meals on Wheels
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to provide nutritious food to the homebound who are residents of Frederick County.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Mission of Mercy
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to support the organization’s mission to provide medical, dental and prescription services for the sick, uninsured and homeless in Frederick County.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to provide emergency financial assistance of shelter, food and healthcare to those in need.

Donald Lewis Community Impact Fund for Thurmont High School Alumni Fund
Founded through Donald Lewis’ estate to supplement the annual award from The Thurmont High School Alumni Scholarship Fund.
Donald L. Lewis Staff Education Fund for Citizens Care & Rehabilitation Center and Montevue Assisted Living Funded by Mr. Lewis to provide scholarships to employees pursuing further nursing education.

Kristopher Fielding Lewis Memorial Fund Founded by parents George and Michele Lewis to support charitable endeavors that embody Kristopher’s passion of selfless service.

Linganore High School Alumni Scholarship Fund Founded by the Alumni Association for college scholarships.

Alan Linton, Jr. Scholarship Fund Founded by parents A. Patrick and Sharon L. Linton for full-time students residing in Frederick County majoring in finance or economics.

Don Linton Fund Founded by Mr. Linton as a donor-advised fund.

Don Linton Family Fund Founded by Mr. Linton as an unrestricted fund.

Donald C. Linton Fund Founded by Mr. Linton as a donor-advised fund.

M. Rebecca Linton Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Linton for Frederick Community College students studying business and interested in golf.

Patrick and Sharon Linton Family Fund Founded by the Lintons as a donor-advised fund.

NEW Lions of Yellow Springs Fund Founded by the Yellow Springs chapter of Lions Club International to provide grants to Community Living, Inc., Day Break Adult Day Services, Inc., Leader Dogs for The Blind, Inc., and Lions Club International Foundation.

Davey Long and Mike Compton Memorial Fund Founded by Gene Long with his 2009 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for scholarships and grants.

Joseph B. and Dorothy Long Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. Long for Frederick High School or Brunswick High School graduates pursuing a post-secondary education.

Sandra E. Long Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by the Frederick County 250th Anniversary Steering Committee for Frederick County residents studying political science or history at Frederick Community College, Hood College and/or Mount Saint Mary’s University.

Ann Burnside Love and Thomas A. Love, MD, Family Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Love in honor and memory of her husband, Thomas A. Love, and the family they created for students pursuing writing careers or students accepted or enrolled at University of Maryland’s medical or dental schools.

Barry and Kathleen Lucey Fund Founded by Mr. Lucey to provide scholarships for students studying agriculture.

Lyons Family Fund Founded by the Sally Lyons family to provide grants and scholarships.

Charles V. and Louise D. Main Endowment Fund Founded through Mr. Main’s bequest as an unrestricted fund with special consideration given to grants for Calvary United Methodist Church projects.

Charles V. and Louise D. Main Fund for Community Foundation, YMCA and Calvary United Methodist Church Founded through Mr. Main’s estate provisions for operational support.

Charles V. Main/Presidents Fund for the former Jeanne Bussard Center Founded by the Center’s board of directors, now supporting The Arc of Frederick County.

Chief Charles V. Main Scholarship Fund Founded by friends and family of Chief Main to honor his 90th birthday for Frederick County students majoring in criminal justice.

James W. Main Educational Fund Founded through Mr. Main’s bequest for scholarships for Brunswick High School scholar/athletes.

Make A Difference in Thurmont Fund Founded by Susan K. Favorite with her 2011 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to provide grants and scholarships to residents of Thurmont.

Malamet Family Fund Founded by Raymond and Susan Malamet to support Frederick County nonprofits working in areas of substance use disorder, including programs for education, prevention and treatment.

Karl S. Manwiller Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. Manwiller’s family for Frederick County students pursuing a degree in education.

Mary Alice and Richard E. Markey Scholarship Fund Founded by friends and family to honor Richard and his mother Mary Alice for students studying preschool or elementary education or art at a Maryland college.
Markey/Hooper Fund for The Child Advocacy Center of Frederick County
Founded by Richard Markey with his 2004 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for operational support for the Center in honor of his mother Mary Alice Markey and aunt Betty Hooper.

Marmet Family Fund
Founded by Barbara D. Marmet for scholarships to Frederick County students and grants to Frederick County nonprofits.

David G. Marshall Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by his family and Frederick Aviation, Inc., for students pursuing a career in the aviation industry.

Dr. Rex R. and Ann Martin Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Martins for Frederick High School graduates studying at Hood College.

Martz Youth Baseball Fund
Founded in memory of Franklin Martz by his family and friends for grants to youth baseball to honor Mr. Martz’ love of baseball and his lifelong dedication to coaching young players.

Maryland FFA Foundation Endowment Fund
Founded by Bess and Frank Gladhill and Clyde and Kitty Crum for operational support.

Maryland Master Farmers Scholarship Fund
Founded by Master Farmers De Willard, Rodman Myers, Frank Gladhill, and Mehrie Ramsburg for students pursuing a career in agriculture.

Maryland Retired School Personnel Association Fund
Founded by its board of directors for scholarships to assist Maryland public school employees become certified teachers, school counselors, speech and language pathologists, physical or occupational therapists, school social workers, media specialists, or school psychologists.

Mick and Sandy Mastrino Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded through Mrs. Mastrino’s estate provisions for graduates of Frederick High School.

Claire McCardell Project Fund
Founded by The Frederick Art Club to support the creation of a public art representation of Claire McCardell, world renowned fashion designer.

McCardell Family Scholarship Fund
Founded by Adrian L. McCardell, Jr. and Robert C. McCardell for scholarships for Hood College or Washington and Lee University.

SSGT Michael McCauley Foundation Fund
Founded by parents J. Scott and Debra Kemp McCauley to provide grants and scholarships.

Nathan G. McDaniel Fund for The Animal Welfare League of Frederick County
Founded by Animal Welfare League for operational support.

Carolyn D. McGolerick Scholarship Fund
Founded through Ms. McGolerick’s estate for students studying library science.

McGowan-Davisson Fund
Founded by the Davissons as a donor-advised fund.

McSherry Family/Woodsboro Bank Scholarship Fund
Founded by Woodsboro Bank to honor James McSherry’s 49 years of bank service for tuition assistance to St. John Regional Catholic School students.

Kathy J. Meagher Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by husband Rick Meagher and children Kathryn, Emily and Matthew for area students affected by cancer.

Meals and More Fund
Founded by David L. and Kathryn D. Schey as a donor-advised fund.

Mental Health Association of Frederick County Fund
Founded by its board of directors to fund programs of the organization.

Merit Scholarship Field of Interest Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation to provide scholarships based solely on academic excellence, not on financial need.
George M. and Gloria E. Merriman Scholarship Fund for Brunswick High School
Founded by The Merriman Family Foundation for Brunswick High baseball or softball athletes to attend college.

Frederick J. Metheny Memorial Endowment Fund
Founded by wife H. Arlene Metheny for American Heart Association activities in Frederick County.

Janet L. Michael Fund
Founded by Mrs. Michael to provide grants to Salvation Army, The Weinberg Center for the Arts, Maryland Room of the C. Burr Artz Library, and The Spires Brass Band, Inc.

Trail Mathias Michel Fund
Founded by Theresa M. Michel as a donor-advised fund.

David A. Miller Fund
Founded by Mr. Miller for grants and scholarships supporting career and technology education.

Elinor Miller Scholarship Fund for Banner School
Founded by its board of directors for student financial aid.

Robert and Ann Miller Family Fund
Founded by Mrs. Miller as a donor-advised fund.

NEW Erin Christine Moberly Memorial Fund
Founded by Kevin and Nicolette Moberly in memory of their daughter for grants to support individuals with special needs in Frederick County.

Robert and Ardeth Moler Family Fund
Founded by the Molers as a donor-advised fund.

Monocacy Foundation Developmental Disabilities/ Doris Remsberg Fund
Founded by brother Tommy Dorsey and the Monocacy Foundation for persons with developmental disabilities.

Charlotte A. Moran Memorial Endowment Fund
Founded by Ms. Moran with life insurance to support activities at the discretion of the Community Foundation.

Morgan-Keller, Inc., Endowment Fund
Founded by Morgan-Keller as a donor-advised fund.

Mary Ann Moschel Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by Robert Moschel with the Frederick County Association of Counseling and Development for Frederick County graduating seniors majoring in counseling, psychology, education, or human services.

Leon and Betty Moser Family Fund
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Moser and their daughters Linda Moser and Shirley Barker to support Pleasant View Church of the Brethren.

Linda C. Moser Memorial Fund
Founded by Shirley Barker in memory of her sister to support New Hope United Methodist Church.

Robert and Winifred Mount Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Mounts for Governor Thomas Johnson High School graduates, preferably education or nursing majors.

Mount Hope Cemetery Maintenance Fund
Founded by its board of trustees for ongoing preservation.

John C. and Elaine H. Munson Memorial Fund
Founded through Dr. Munson’s bequest as an unrestricted fund.

Jessica Lee Murphy Memorial Fund
Founded by parents Don and Sue Murphy and brother Brad Murphy as a donor-advised fund.

Calvin M. Murray Charitable Fund
Founded with proceeds from Mr. Murray’s estate to support Frederick Health Hospital and The Howard Chapel Ridgeville United Methodist Church.

Ryan Patrick Murray Memorial Fund
Founded by parents Steven P. and Mary Rebecca Murray for grants to youth, high school and college baseball programs, and scholarships to Frederick County graduating seniors who played varsity baseball and softball.

Tyler Dane Murray Scholarship Fund
Founded by parents Wayson and Renee Murray for Urbana High School graduating seniors pursuing a post-secondary education.

Dustin and Courtney Muse Memorial Fund
Founded by parents Pamela Flickinger and Donald Muse for scholarships for Governor Thomas Johnson High School scholar/athletes and grants with preference for the performing arts.
Music for All Students Endowment Fund Founded by Frederick Department of Special Events and Frederick County Public Schools for musical instruments for interested students.

Charles F. and Helen A. Myers Endowment Fund Founded by Mr. Myers to support The Catoctin High School Youth Fund and Shriner’s Hospital.

C. Rodman and M. Jean Ogle Myers Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Myers for grants, with preference given to the Frederick County 4-H Therapeutic Riding Program and Maryland FFA Foundation, Inc.

Margaret E. Myers Memorial Endowment Fund Founded by Ms. Myers’ planned gift for Evangelical Reformed United Church of Christ and Historical Society of Frederick County.

Myersville Lions Club Scholarship Fund Founded through John C. Summers’ trust for Washington County and Frederick County students studying medicine or health care.

Nancy’s Charitable Fund Founded by anonymous donors to support the Community Foundation’s discretionary grantmaking.

Anthony M. Natelli Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by Natelli Communities for Urbana High School graduates exhibiting dedication to volunteerism.

National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) of Frederick County Fund Founded by Fran Wenner with her 2010 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for operational support.

Wayne C. Neely and Margaret S. Neely Fund Founded through the Neely’s estate provisions as an unrestricted fund.

Wayne C. Neely and Margaret S. Neely Frederick Scholarship Fund Founded through Mrs. Neely’s estate provisions for Frederick County graduates with preference to sociology or chemistry majors.

Margaret and Wayne Neely Fund of the Rotary Club of Frederick, Maryland Founded by Mrs. Neely to support Paul Harris fellowships.

New Market District Lions Club Community Service Fund Founded by the Lions for grants, community projects and scholarships.

Parsons Newman Memorial Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hendrickson II for grants to Historical Society of Frederick County to host historical lectures in Mr. Newman’s name.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nicodemus Family Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Nicodemus as a donor-advised fund.

Charles A. and Kathryn Z. Nicodemus Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Nicodemus for Walkersville High School graduating seniors attending Hood College.

Descendants of the Dr. John D. and Rebecca Nicodemus Family Fund Founded by the family to support Walkersville United Methodist Church.

Roger F. Nicodemus Theatre Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. Nicodemus for Frederick County residents interested in theater.

Edwin F. Nikirk Family Fund Founded by Mr. Nikirk as an unrestricted fund.

E. Ruth Nikirk Scholarship Fund Founded by F. Martin Nikirk and Sharon Ann Hartsough in honor of their mother for college freshmen or sophomores pursuing a career in business or computer technology.

Nonprofit Support Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support nonprofit infrastructure/capacity building.

Addie B. Null Health Care Fund Founded by Ms. Null to support health and wellness programs in Frederick County, with preference to Way Station, Inc.

Linwood T. and Helen Offutt Educational Fund Founded by the Offuts for scholarships for Friends of Catholic Education and Mount Saint Mary’s University.

Linwood T. Offutt, Jr. Fund for The Frederick County 4-H Camp Center Founded through Mr. Offutt’s bequest to support the programs of The Frederick County 4-H Camp and Activities Center, Inc.

W. Jerome Offutt Family Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Offutt as an unrestricted fund.

W. Jerome Offutt/Goodwill Fund Founded by Goodwill Industries Monocacy Valley, Inc. to support its clients and programs.

Dr. Harding W. Olson Patient Aid Fund Founded by his family for prescriptions for Frederick County Health Department Behavioral Services clients.

NEW Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church Fund Founded by Matt and Sandy Wiley to support the church cemetery, maintenance, and operations.

Luster and Jean Oxley Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Oxley for Frederick County Public Schools graduates to attend a two- or four-year college in Maryland, preferably strong “B” students.

Nellie C. Page Fund Founded through Mrs. Page’s bequest to support Carroll Manor Fire and Rescue Company.
Holly Hale Palmer Memorial Fund Founded by mother Elizabeth K. Hale as a donor-advised fund to provide grants to nonprofits providing mental health services to persons with seizure and bipolar disorders, with special emphasis on providing service dogs.

Kenneth W. Parker-Class of ’55 Scholarship Fund Founded by Fredericktonian Lodge #12 F&AM-PHA and Lincoln High Class of ’55 in honor of Mr. Parker for Frederick County graduating seniors, with preference to students attending a historically black college or university or attending Frederick Community College.

Parks Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support enhancements to public parks.

Frank R. Parsons Fund for the National Museum of Civil War Medicine Founded by Mr. Parsons with his 2009 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support the National Museum of Civil War Medicine.

Partners in Care Fund Founded by Grace and Edna Smith with their 2007 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for operational support.

Nicholas Talarico Paskowsky Memorial Fund Founded by parents Jane Talarico and Michael Paskowsky for scholarships for Saint Mary’s College students studying abroad.

Patriot Technologies, Inc. Charitable Fund Founded by Patriot Technologies for grants to nonprofits, with preference given to those serving the residents of Frederick County.

Jennie Sue Pearson Scholarship Fund Founded by Ms. Pearson with her 2011 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for students attending Frederick Community College.

Performing Arts Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support dance, musical, theatrical and live performances for organizations and lessons for individuals.

Persons with Disabilities Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to assist nonprofits serving persons with developmental or physical disabilities.

Garrett R. Petronchak Memorial Fund Founded by mother Peggy Waxter as a donor-advised fund, with preference for supporting programs related to the enforcement of under age drinking laws, driving under the influence and substance use disorder

Peter H. and Lorraine Plamondon Fund Founded by the Plamondons as an unrestricted fund. NEW Platoon 22 Charitable Fund Founded by Platoon 22, Inc. to support local nonprofit organizations providing services to veterans of any branch of the United States Military.


PNC Fund Founded by its board of directors as a donor-advised fund.

PNC Homeownership Assistance Fund Founded by its board of directors to support low and moderate-income homebuyers in Frederick County.

Point of Rocks Library Fund Founded by Frederick County Public Libraries board of directors to support library programs.

Point of Rocks Ruritan Community Service Fund Founded by the Ruritans for community service projects.

John L. and Lucille H. Ponton Charitable Fund Founded through Mrs. Ponton’s estate provisions to provide funds for families of children with cancer and to support Camp Jamie.

John L. and Lucille H. Ponton Endowment Fund Founded by Mrs. Ponton as an unrestricted fund.

Ada B. Poole Scholarship Fund Founded by an anonymous donor and former student of Mrs. Poole’s for Walkersville High School graduating seniors pursuing a degree in English, literature or teaching.

Lawrence M. and Betty Agatha Powell Scholarship Fund Founded by Mrs. Powell for Governor Thomas Johnson High School graduating seniors, preferably scholar/athletes.

Preparing for an Aging Population Strategic Initiatives Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to address preparing Frederick County for an aging population, focusing on the welfare of its seniors.

Preservation and Enhancement Fund of Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Inc. Founded by Mt. Olivet’s board of directors to assist in the conservation of the natural beauty and historic integrity of Mount Olivet Cemetery.

William B. Price, Jr. Scholarship Fund Founded by Bill and Lynne Price for Frederick High School graduating seniors, preferably members of the boys’ cross-country team.

Joseph, Caroline, and Carole Lynne Price Scholarship Fund Founded by Caroline and Carole Lynne Price for students attending McDaniel College.

Pritchett Family Foundation Fund Founded by Jerry and Molly Pritchett to provide grants supporting programs for children with physical disabilities and/or children with financial need.
The Fernando Laires and Nelita True Piano Scholarship Fund, created through Dr. True’s estate provisions, will have a profound impact on others as it supports piano students at the Eastman School of Music at the University of Rochester, New York, where Dr. True was a professor for more than 30 years. Her legacy and love of music will continue for generations due to her foresight and generosity.

**Project Christine Fund**
Founded by parents Susan and Daniel Tipsord for services that equip parents to help their surviving children cope after the loss of children to illnesses or accidents.

**Rev. Dr. Rodney B. Pulliam and Rodney II, Jordan, and Matthew Pulliam Memorial Fund**
Founded by wife and mother Mary Alice Ramsburg and sister Sharon Gregory to support Literacy Council of Frederick County.

**Randall Charitable Trust Donor-Advised Fund**
Founded by Frances Ann Randall and Ruth Ann Randall, trustees of the Randall Charitable Trust, as a donor-advised fund.

**Randall Family’s Gift to the Maryland Room**
Founded by the Randall family to purchase, acquire and maintain materials and equipment for C. Burr Artz Library Maryland Room.

**Frances Delaplaine Randall Endowment Fund for Historic Research of Frederick County**
Founded by Mrs. Randall for research of Frederick County through Historical Society of Frederick County and C. Burr Artz Library Maryland Room.

**George E. Randall Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Founded by wife Elizabeth Randall for Frederick County residents studying journalism and/or photography, preferably Catoctin High School graduates attending Frederick Community College.

**Mr. and Mrs. Myron W. Randall Fund**
Founded by the Randalls as an unrestricted fund.

**Robert E. Randall Memorial Endowment Fund**
Founded by parents Mr. and Mrs. George Randall for scholarships for elementary school children at the Delaplaine Visual Arts Center.

**Ruth Ann Randall and James Edwin Smith Fund**
Founded by Frances A. Randall as a wedding gift to her daughter and son-in-law to support charitable activities recommended by the couple.

**Philip Rauh Family Endowment Fund**
Founded by the Rauhs as a donor-advised fund.

**Phil and Erika Rauh Fund**
Founded by the Rauhs to support services and programs related to the needs of children in the Frederick County area.

**Recreation Field of Interest Fund**
Founded by the Community Foundation to support play areas, sporting events, festivals and teams/leagues.

**Kathryn “Kitty” M. Reed and Robert “Bob” J. Reed Scholarship Fund**
Founded through Mrs. Reed’s estate for students majoring in business administration with preference given to students with financial need.

**Kathryn M. Reed Leadership Fund**
Founded by Frederick County Chamber of Commerce in honor of Mrs. Reed’s longtime involvement with Leadership Frederick County and other leadership training.

**Jeanie Keller Reeder Endowment Fund**
Founded through Ms. Reeder’s charitable remainder trust to support Heartly House, Inc. and Salvation Army.

**Richard and Betsy Reinders Charitable Fund**
Founded by the Reinders to provide grants to nonprofits.

**Gregory J. Reiter Memorial Fund**
Founded by wife Alyssoun Mahoney to support their favorite causes, particularly animal rescue, veganism, and wildlife conservation.

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**Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs Fund**
Founded by its board of directors for its emergency food, shelter, prescription, and assistance programs.

**NEW Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs, Alan P. Linton, Jr. Shelter Fund**
Founded by the Religious Coalition to support the Linton shelter facility and operations.

**NEW Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs, Emergency Family Shelter Fund**
Founded through Carole June Benson’s estate to support the Emergency Family Shelter facility and operations.

**Remsberg Family Fund**
Founded by Adrian McCardell Remsberg, Jr., and Lisa Nelsen Remsberg to support grants to nonprofits providing health care, including mental and behavioral health services, in Frederick County.

**Colleen M. Remsberg Memorial Fund**
Founded through Mrs. Remsberg’s estate to support The Mount Olivet Preservation and Enhancement Fund, Historical Society of Frederick County, Evangelical Lutheran Church, and The Delaplaine Visual Arts Center.

**Ramona C. Remsberg Fund for Heartly House**
Founded by Heartly House through Mrs. Remsberg’s bequest to support its activities.

**Ramona Corun Remsberg Scholarship Fund**
Founded through Mrs. Remsberg’s estate provisions for Frederick County residents, preferably those pursuing finance careers.

**Responding to Substance Use Disorder Strategic Initiatives Fund**
Founded by the Community Foundation to address the response of Frederick County to substance use disorder (SUD) by focusing on new and expanded resources to those with SUD.

**Donald B. Rice Memorial Scholarship Fund at Saint John’s Catholic Prep**
Founded by wife Mary Rice and her children for students to attend St. John’s Catholic Prep.

**Millard Milburn Rice and Mabel Long Rice Family Trust**
Founded through the Rices’ charitable trust as an unrestricted fund.

**Rice Tire Employee Hardship Fund**
Founded by Rice Tire Company leadership for employees and their families faced with financial difficulties due to catastrophic loss or unforeseen medical expenses.

**Barry D. Richardson Memorial Scholarship Fund for the Visual Arts**
Founded by wife Shirley Richardson and daughter Katie for Frederick County residents attending Frederick Community College, preferably those pursuing a visual arts career.

**Don and Rosa Rippeon Scholarship Fund**
Founded by the Rippeons for Frederick County graduates, preferably early childhood education and agriculture majors.

**NEW Shirley Barnes Rippeon and Vernon Robert Rippeon Fund**
Founded by Mr. Rippeon to support Hoover Library at McDaniel College.

**M. Robert Ritchie Endowment Fund for Heartly House’s Youth Programs**
Founded by Mr. Ritchie for child abuse prevention programs, emergency shelter, community education, and counseling for children under 18.

**M. Robert Ritchie, Jr., Charitable Gift Fund**
Founded through Mr. Ritchie’s estate provisions to benefit YMCA of Frederick County.

**Juanita Delgado Rivas Fund for Centro Hispano de Frederick, Inc.**
Founded by Jeanie R. Cronin with her 2010 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Centro Hispano De Frederick, Inc.

**Viola Marie Robinson Give Them Wings Fund**
Founded by Jean and John Brunk in memory of Mrs. Brunk’s mother to foster independence and enhance the quality of life of Frederick County senior citizens.

**Nancy Roblin Fund for The Frederick Chorale**
Founded by Ms. Roblin with her 2012 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to provide support for The Frederick Chorale.

**Winfield Scott Rodney, IV, Memorial Scholarship Fund**
Founded by mother Sonja Sperlich for Frederick County residents, specifically to help individuals in becoming self-sufficient despite any disabilities or obstacles.

**NEW Priscilla J. and William G. Roessler Charitable Youth Fund**
Founded by James Roessler in memory of his parents for scholarships to youth in Frederick County for participation in educational and art programs.

**Clyde and Olga Roney Fund**
Founded by their five children to support Advocates for Homeless Families, All Saints Episcopal Church, and Rotary Club of Frederick, specifically to honor veterans.

Since the club closed this year, the Yellow Springs chapter of Lions Club International created The Lions of Yellow Springs Fund with the intention of continuing the support of local community activities and programs. The fund supports Community Living, Inc., Day Break Adult Day Services, Inc., Leader Dogs for The Blind, Inc., and Lions Club International Foundation.
Naomi A. and Walter L. Roney Memorial Fund Founded by Mr. Roney to support and honor veterans.

Rosebud Frederick Senior Support Fund Founded by Rose Marie Willard Myers as a field of interest fund to support the needs of senior citizens in Frederick County.

Rose Hill Manor Children’s Museum Preservation and Education Fund Founded by its council to support Rose Hill as a historical landmark and educational facility focusing on Frederick County’s heritage.

Melissa D. and Norman K. Ross Family Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Ross for grants to nonprofits and scholarships to deserving students in the Frederick County area.

Rotary Club of Carroll Creek Pass Through Fund Founded by its board of directors for community projects.

Rotary Club of Frederick Endowment Fund Founded by its board of directors for scholarships and programs.

Rotary Club of Frederick First Century Trust Fund Founded by its board of directors for scholarships and community service projects.

Rotary Club of Frederick/W. Meredith S. Young and Helen B. Young Scholarship Fund Founded by its board of directors for Frederick County residents pursuing a post-secondary education in the United States.

Rotary Club of Fredericktowne Fund Founded by its board of directors for scholarships to Frederick County students and grants to Frederick County nonprofits.

Rotary Club of Southern Frederick County Fund Founded by its board of directors to support nonprofits offering impactful programming in Frederick County.

Rotary Endowment Fund for Youth of Frederick County Founded by Rotary Club of Frederick with an anonymous gift for youth and character-building programs.

Routzahn Business Scholarship Fund Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Allen R. Routzahn for Frederick Community College scholarships.

Leslie Ruby and Howard Looney Community Fund Founded by Leslie Ruby with her 2016 Wertheimer Fellow in Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support a variety of projects in the Frederick County community.

Robert Ryals Memorial Endowment Fund Founded by mother Gloria Ryals for mental health services.

Murray D. Ryan Scholarship Fund Founded by the Mount Airy Lions Club for graduating seniors from Linganore, South Carroll, and Glenelg High Schools, or residents of Frederick, Carroll and Howard Counties within the Mount Airy zip code.

St. John’s Cemetery Fund Founded by its board of directors for historic preservation.

St. John’s Cemetery Special Projects Fund Founded by its board of directors for the cemetery’s renovation, preservation, and documentation of its historic and sacred nature.

St. John’s Lutheran Church of Creagerstown Endowment Fund Founded by Viola Noffsinger with her 2003 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to restore and maintain the Church, including the Reformed VMN Church.

St. Katharine Drexel Scholarship Fund Founded by St. Katharine Drexel Church for students with academic merit or financial need.

Saylor-Powell Scholarship Fund Founded by Charles and Joan Powell for students attending any accredited post-secondary educational institution or Gettysburg College and Seminary, with preference to graduating seniors from Frederick or Walkersville High Schools.

Dr. Harold and Anna Lee Schaden Memorial Fund Founded by the Schaden family as a donor-advised fund.

Scher Family Fund Founded by Shari Ostrow Scher with her 2020 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Children of Incarcerated Parents Partnership.

Donald G. and Helen W. Schley Fund Founded by Mrs. Schley for scholarships for Frederick County Public School graduates who are/were members of National Honor Society.

Gifts to any fund are gladly accepted throughout the year, in any amount.
1LT Rob Seidel Wounded Soldiers Fund

Founded by parents Robert and Sandra Seidel for direct services to military veterans of the War on Terrorism.

Betty Seligmann Literacy Endowment Fund

Founded by Literacy Council of Frederick County in memory of its former Board President for operational support.

Kay Shafer Memorial Scholarship Fund

Founded by Linton Shafer Warfield & Garrett, P.A. for Frederick County Public Schools graduating seniors attending Frederick Community College.

C. Eugene Shaff, Jr. Memorial Scholarship Fund

Founded by wife Laura Jean Shaff for Frederick County Public Schools graduates majoring in a scientific field and attending an accredited college or university located in Maryland.

Robert and Carol Sharpe Fund

Founded by the Sharpes to support Frederick County Agricultural Society, American Legion Post 11, Lions Club of Frederick, Frederick High School Alumni Association, North End Civic Association and grants for animal care.

Alma Crebs Sharrer Scholarship Fund

Founded through Mrs. Sharrer’s estate provisions for Frederick High School graduates who attended South Frederick/Lincoln Elementary School.

Michelle Shearer STEM Fund

Founded by Leidos Biomedical Research, Inc. to honor Michelle Shearer, the 61st National Teacher of the Year and Frederick County Public Schools teacher, for scholarships to Frederick County Public Schools graduating seniors planning careers in science, technology, engineering or mathematics.

Coach Bob Sheffler/Middletown High School Soccer Alumni Scholarship Fund

Founded by the Middletown High School soccer program alumni for Middletown High School graduating seniors who played varsity soccer during their senior year.

Larry and Shirley Silbernagel Endowment Fund

Founded by the Silbernagels for scholarships.

F. Lawrence and Shirley J. Silbernagel-Hood College Scholarship Fund

Founded by the Silbernagels as an unrestricted fund.

Larry and Shirley Silbernagel Endowment Fund

Founded through Mr. Silbernagel’s charitable remainder trust to support the Community Foundation’s operating budget and initiatives.

F. Lawrence and Shirley J. Silbernagel-Hood College Scholarship Fund

Founded by the Silbernagels for scholarships.

Shirley Shores Scholarship Fund

Founded by Mrs. Shores and son Jeff for graduating Brunswick High School seniors.

F. Larry Silbernagel, Jr. Trustees Administrative Endowment Fund

Founded by Mr. Silbernagel’s charitable remainder trust to support Calvary United Methodist Church.

1LT Robert A. Seidel III Memorial Scholarship Fund

Founded by parents Robert and Sandra Seidel for Catoctin High School graduating seniors.

Shiraz Scholarship Fund

Founded by the Memarsadeghi family, preferably for Iranian-born students attending any Maryland post-secondary institution.

General Clair Wayne Shisler Fund

Founded with General Shisler’s bequest as an unrestricted fund.

H. Reese and Jeannette K. Shoemaker Charitable Fund

Founded by Mrs. Shoemaker in memory of her late husband to support Frederick County Animal Control and the Alzheimer’s Association, Western Maryland Regional Office.

James R. and Tamara L. Shoemaker Charitable Fund

Founded by the Shoemakers for grants to support basic human needs, animal welfare or mental health.

Shirley Shores Scholarship Fund

Founded by Mrs. Shores and son Jeff for graduating Brunswick High School seniors.

F. Larry Silbernagel, Jr. Trustees Administrative Endowment Fund

Founded through Mr. Silbernagel’s charitable remainder trust to support the Community Foundation’s operating budget and initiatives.

F. Lawrence and Shirley J. Silbernagel-Hood College Scholarship Fund

Founded by the Silbernagels for scholarships.

Larry and Shirley Silbernagel Endowment Fund

Founded through Mr. Silbernagel’s charitable remainder trust to support Calvary United Methodist Church.

William A. Simmons Scholarship Fund

Founded by Mr. Simmons for Frederick County residents pursuing a career in graphic arts, printing, publishing, advertising and/or marketing.
Margaretta F. Slayman Memorial Endowment Fund
Founded by the Community Foundation with Mrs. Slayman’s bequest for operational support.

NEW Gail K. Slezak Vocal Music Scholarship Fund
Founded by John and Gail Slezak for students majoring in music with a focus on vocal performance.

NEW John J. Slezak Instrumental Scholarship Fund
Founded by John and Gail Slezak for students pursuing music education with a focus on instrumental performance.

NEW Curtis Mason Smith Memorial Fund
Founded by Zachary and Samantha Smith in memory of their son to support programs at Frederick County Career and Technology Center.

Sgt. David Smith Maryland Veterans Relief Fund
Founded by family members to support temporary assistance to veterans in Frederick County.

Sgt. David J. Smith Memorial Fund
Founded by family members for Frederick High School alumni and grants to nonprofits.

Dawn Renee Smith Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by grandparents Charles and Jane Smith for graduates of Frederick County Public Schools, with preference given to Brunswick High School graduates pursuing a degree in marketing or a related field.

Dr. George and Carolyn Smith Fund
Founded by the Smiths to provide scholarships to those pursuing careers in a variety of health care fields, and grants to Friends of Baker Park.

Helen L. Smith Scholarship Fund for Children and the Arts
Founded by the Community Foundation for art instruction for elementary school children.

Mary E. M. and Ruth E. Smith Scholarship Fund
Founded with bequests from the Smith sisters for Frederick County residents.

Ross and Pauline Smith Scholarship Fund
Founded by Mrs. Smith for Frederick County residents pursuing a college education.

Beatrice R. Snyder Scholarship Fund
Founded by daughter Charlotte Hott for Middletown High School seniors studying education or music.

Charles L. Snyder Family Endowment Fund
Founded by the Snyders as a donor-advised fund.

Charles L. and Elizabeth H. Snyder Fund for Frederick Health Hospital
Founded by the Hospital to honor the Snyders’ volunteer service.

Linda M. Snyder Memorial Fund
Founded by husband Tom Snyder and daughter Lindsay Stein to provide grants to nonprofits and scholarships to students majoring in education.

Michael C. Snyder Memorial Fund
Founded by parents Mary and David Snyder for grants and scholarships, preferably to students exhibiting financial need and to nonprofits working in the visual arts, children’s services, and environmental conservation.

Spires Brass Band Endowment Fund
Founded by John J. and Gail K. Slezak for operational support.

NEW Lois B. Noffsinger Spurrier Fund
Founded through Ms. Spurrier’s estate provisions for students attending preschool at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and for maintenance of the Schaeffer Center at Evangelical Lutheran Church.

David and Kay Stauffer Family Fund
Founded by the Staufers as a donor-advised fund.

Margaret S. Stauffer Fund
Founded through Mrs. Stauffer’s estate provisions for youth activities in Frederick County.

Alice Jean Stine Fund
Founded by Ms. Stine for grants to organizations that benefit cats in Frederick County and printed books for Valley Elementary School and Brunswick Elementary School.

Hitchens Dryden Stine Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by Alice Jean Stine for graduates of Pocomoke High School who are attending Salisbury University.

Julia D. Stine Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded by daughter Alice Jean Stine for Frederick County Public School graduates studying at Salisbury University.

Paul L. Stine, Jr. Memorial Fund
Founded by sister Alice Jean Stine for grants to assist persons with mental health conditions.

Paul L. Stine, Sr. Memorial Fund
Founded by daughter Alice Jean Stine for grants to promote agriculture as a career, agricultural educational youth programs, or saving of animals after their productive lives are over.

Richard H. and Nancy J. Stine Endowment Fund
Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Stine through estate provisions to support Locust Grove Church of the Brethren in Mount Airy.

Norman William Stitley Scholarship Fund
Founded through Mr. Stitley’s trust for students studying agriculture science or playing baseball.

Florence E. Stoner McDaniel College Scholarship Fund
Founded with a bequest from husband Frank G. Stoner for McDaniel College students.

Sperry L. Storm Memorial Scholarship Fund
Founded with the dissolution of The Sperry L. Storm Memorial Scholarship Fund, Inc. for private music scholarships for Frederick County Public Schools students in kindergarten through 11th grade.
Strategic Initiatives Endowment Fund: Founded to support the Strategic Initiatives of the Community Foundation, which supports Frederick County area charitable organizations.

Strategic Initiatives Pass Through Fund: Founded to support the Strategic Initiatives of the Community Foundation, which supports Frederick County, area charitable organizations.

Charles C. T. Stull, Sr. Memorial Scholarship Fund: Founded by wife Mary M. Stull and her children, preferably for those studying music.

Todd J. Stush Memorial Scholarship Fund: Founded by father John Stush for Frederick County graduating seniors with financial need, with preference given to applicants who participated in Boy Scouts of America or Girl Scouts of the USA.

Substance Use Disorder Treatment for Frederick County Youth Fund: Founded by Elizabeth Richards as a field of interest fund.

John C. Summers Fund: Founded through Mr. Summers’ trust as a field of interest fund to benefit the citizens of Myersville.

Klare S. Sunderland Fund: Founded by Mr. Sunderland as an unrestricted fund.

Supporting Families with Children Strategic Initiatives Fund: Founded by the Community Foundation for grants to address the needs of Frederick County families with children, with focus on making Frederick County a great place to raise families.

Jerry Addington Sweeney II Memorial Fund: Founded by his family for grants to Frederick Community College.

Symphonic Arts Endowment Fund: Founded by concerned citizens to support Frederick Regional Youth Orchestra, Baltimore Symphony Orchestra in Frederick and Frederick Orchestra.

Roger Brooke Taney House Endowment Fund: Founded by Helen Delaplaine to preserve the memory of Mr. Taney’s life in Frederick or preserve other buildings of historical significance.

James and Theresa Tarleton Foundation Fund: Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Tarleton as a donor-advised fund.

Preston Tarleton Memorial Fund: Founded by family members for scholarships to Brunswick High School graduating seniors with preference given to those participating in baseball.

NEW Kenneth (Bob), Mildred (Millie) and Diane Mildred Taylor Fund: Founded through Mildred Taylor’s estate for need-based scholarships for Frederick County students.

Alvin F. Tesmer and John J. Hayes Veterans Memorial Fund: Founded by John J. and Kay L. Hayes to support the greatest needs of veterans and their immediate family including their caregivers, spouses, and children in Frederick County and Carroll County.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas Unrestricted Endowment Fund: Founded by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas for grants.

Dr. V.E. Gladstone Thompson and Gloria H. Thompson Fund: Founded by wife Gloria and daughter Sonya Thompson to support Asbury United Methodist Church located in Frederick.

Earlene H. and Henry J. Sr. Thornton Fund for Educational Professionals: Founded by Dr. Earlene H. Thornton to support special projects with an education focus that enhance the learning ability of students.

Thurmont High School Alumni Scholarship Fund: Founded by the Thurmont High School Alumni Association for descendants of Thurmont High School alumni and descendants of Catoctin High School graduating classes of 1969-1974.

Thurmont Public Library Patrons Fund: Founded by the Thurmont Public Library, Inc. to provide resources and activities for the patrons of the Thurmont Regional Library.

John H. and Donna R. Tisdale Fund: Founded by the Tisdales to provide scholarships to deserving students and grants to nonprofits.

Marvin G. and Bess L. Todd Memorial Scholarship Fund: Founded by wife Bess Todd and her children for Brunswick High School students, preferably those receiving a “B” award.

Transportation Field of Interest Fund: Founded by the Community Foundation to aid persons in need, and those who are disabled or elderly, with transportation concerns.

NEW The Trauma Responsive Frederick Fund: Founded by Trauma Responsive Frederick (TRF) to support the activities of other entities whose work aligns with the mission and vision of TRF.

The Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs, Family Shelter Fund was created through Carole J. Benson’s estate provisions to continue the mission of providing temporary housing and services to residents who face homelessness. Ms. Benson was a longtime supporter of the Religious Coalition. The Religious Coalition for Emergency Human Needs, Alan P. Linton, Jr. Shelter Fund was established by the coalition to support the mission of the shelter facility in Frederick County.
Mildred B. Trevvett Music Education Fund Founded by niece Jane Clark Peluso to honor her dedication to music education and to support music educators through grants and/or scholarships.

“Tribute to A Friend” Scholarship Fund Founded by Robert A. Rosensteel with donations from the Emmitsburg area, in memory of David Copenhaver, Greg Hollinger, Tom and Sharon Topper, and Terry Myers, for Emmitsburg graduating seniors.

Tribute to the Anonymous Donor Fund Founded by the Community Foundation with a gift from an anonymous donor for operational support.

Trinity United Methodist Church Sustaining Fund Founded by Trinity United Methodist Church to support the activities and the missions of the Church.

Nelson Trout Memorial Fund for Mount Hope Cemetery Founded through Mr. Trout’s estate to support the yearly maintenance of the cemetery as a historic landmark.

Gregory Joseph Troy Memorial Fund Founded by mother Susan Best and brother Joshua Troy to provide scholarships to students pursuing careers in police work and grants to support police canine squads.

Harold Glen and Audrey G. Benson Trumpower Foundation Scholarship Fund Founded by the Trumpower Foundation for students in Carroll County.

Charles F. and Mary Frances Trunk Charitable Fund Founded by the Trunks for scholarships to Frederick County students and grants to nonprofits.

Simon Turner Memorial Fund Founded by parents Brent and Talia Turner to support positive impacts on children’s lives in Frederick County.

Phil Tuohy/Wells House at Gale Recovery Fund Founded by Dennis Cannon with his 2005 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to recognize Mr. Tuohy’s work in Frederick County toward substance dependence recovery with funding to Gale Recovery.

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Undergraduate Scholarships Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation for post-secondary education based on financial need.

United Way of Frederick County Endowment Fund Founded by Donald C. Linton for operational support.

Libby Hough Van Winkle Children’s Fund Founded by parents Hammet and Jaralyn Hough to meet the special or unique needs of children, with preference to those in foster care.

V. Jeanne Vaughn Memorial Scholarship Fund Founded by the Vaughn Family for Frederick County students studying chemistry, science education, or biochemistry at the post-secondary level.

Edgar and Geraldine Virts Memorial Fund Founded by Mr. Virts to support nonprofit organizations serving people with Alzheimer’s Disease.

Edgar and Geraldine Virts Fund for New Hope United Methodist Church of Greater Brunswick Founded by Mr. Virts for operational support.

Edgar and Geraldine Virts Fund for Love Care and Concern Organization, Inc. Founded by Mr. Virts for complementary therapies for patients with Alzheimer’s Disease. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Geraldine Virts and Jack Brady Memorial Fund for Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Disorders Founded by Edgar Virts in memory of his late wife and his former coach to help people with Alzheimer’s Disease and related disorders at Homewood at Crumland Farms.

Martha Murphy Virts Nursing Scholarship Fund Founded by son Edgar Virts for nursing majors.

Martha Murphy Virts Memorial Fund Founded by son Edgar Virts for complementary therapies for persons with Alzheimer’s Disease and related disorders, disabilities, and catastrophic health issues.

Visual Arts Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support art, sculpture and photography exhibits/training for organizations and lessons for individuals.

Nicholas Vrenios Memorial Fund Founded by parents Anastasios and Elizabeth Kirkpatrick Vrenios for grants and scholarships supporting music and the performing arts.
Kevin R. and Sara J. Wade Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Wades’ estate for graduates of Seneca Valley High School, St. John’s Catholic Prep, or Walkersville High School, and students pursuing a degree at Mount St. Mary’s University or in Montgomery County.

Kevin R. and Sara J. Wade Special Needs Fund
Founded through the Wades’ trust to provide grants to nonprofits serving families of children experiencing a catastrophic medical condition.

Walkersville High School Alumni Scholarship Fund
Founded by the Alumni Association for Walkersville High School graduates.

Walkersville United Methodist Church Fund
Founded by the Rev. James Merchant and the Church’s Administrative Board for operational support.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Waltz Fund
Founded by the Waltzes as an unrestricted fund.

Norman E. and Betty M. Waltz Endowment Fund
Founded by the Waltzes to support Goodwill Industries of Monocacy Valley’s building maintenance.

Dan and Jackie Ward Family Fund
Founded by the Wards as a donor-advised fund.

H. Deets and Juanita Warfield Donor-Advised Fund
Founded by the Warfields as a donor-advised fund.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Warfield Fund
Founded by the Warfields as a donor-advised fund.

Zachary Greene Warfield Memorial Fund
Founded by Mr. Warfield’s family to provide scholarships to graduating seniors pursuing studies in science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) at the post-secondary level, preferably Walkersville High School students, and grants supporting STEM programs for youth.

Dr. Larry J. Warner Fund
Founded by Natalie Warner in memory of her husband to support educational programs for non-traditional learners.

Lynne Marie Warner Memorial Fund
Founded through Ms. Warner’s estate provisions to support charitable organizations in Frederick County.

Mildred Jonathan Warner Endowment Fund for New Spire Arts
Founded by son Jonathan Warner to support the organization.

R. W. Warner, Inc. Fund

George and Peggy Waxter Fund for Mission of Mercy
Founded by husband Dr. George Waxter with his 2008 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for Mission of Mercy.

Way Station Endowment Fund for Charitable Mental Health Services
Founded by Hahn Transportation for operational support.

Jim Webb Memorial Point of Rocks Ruritan Scholarship Fund
Founded by wife Karen Webb for students under 21 living in Point of Rocks and Tuscarora.

Weinberg Center for the Arts Endowment Fund
Founded by the Frederick Arts Council for operational support.

Wells House at Gale Recovery Fund
Founded by its board of directors for operational support.

Ruth Ann Wells Memorial Endowment Fund for The Ranch
Founded by its board of directors with Ms. Wells’ bequest to support the Ranch’s activities, programs, and capital needs.

Janis Miller Wertheimer Endowment Fund
Founded through Mrs. Wertheimer’s estate to support community service organizations in Frederick County.

Philip and Janis Miller Wertheimer Fund
Founded through Mrs. Wertheimer’s estate to provide support to Frederick Health Hospital, Evangelical Lutheran Church, Heritage Frederick, National Lutheran Home, YMCA of Frederick County, and Penn Laurel Girl Scout Council.

Philip and Janis Wertheimer Fund for the Salvation Army/Frederick Corps
Founded by Mrs. Wertheimer for operational support.

Westie Fund
Founded by Charles W. and Janet E. King to support Homewood Retirement Center’s Benevolence Fund.

What Would Stew Dew Fund
Founded by Jennifer Alcorn in memory of husband Lieutenant Andrew “Stew” Alcorn, IV, to support causes, including assisting first responders and advocating for children.
Jane White Fund for Mission of Mercy Founded by Miriam Lane with her 2009 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Mission of Mercy.

Widening Circles Society/ Partners in Philanthropy Fund Founded by the Community Foundation for operational support.

Michael J. Wilcom Agricultural Scholarship Fund Founded by wife Evelyn Wilcom for those majoring in agriculture or a related field.

Wiley Family Scholarship Fund Founded by C. Matt and Sandra K. Wiley for Catoctin High School graduates pursuing a degree in engineering.

Will Group Fund Founded by The Will Group Foundation, Inc. to provide grants to nonprofits in the Frederick County area that focus on supporting people in need and post-secondary scholarships to students.

DeWalt Willard Charitable Gift Fund Founded by Mr. Willard as a donor-advised fund.

De Willard Family Fund Founded by Mr. Willard as an unrestricted fund.

M. Kate, Robert Lee and Robert Leroy Willard Scholarship Fund Founded through Mary C. Willard’s trust for those studying percussion instruments and music, in memory of Robert Lee Willard, those studying economics, banking or finance, in memory of M. Kate Willard, or those studying microbiology, in memory of Robert Leroy Willard.

Bob and Becky Windsor Fund Founded by the Windsors as an unrestricted fund.

Grace Brashear Winpigler Dental Healthcare Fund Founded by Mrs. Winpigler with her 2008 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award for dental healthcare of residents of Citizens Care & Rehabilitation Center and Montevue Assisted Living.

Nancy Watkins Winterberg Memorial Scholarship Fund for New Market United Methodist Church Founded by the Church for its members.

Charles R. Wolfe Heartly House Scholarship Fund Founded by Heartly House’s Board of Directors in honor of Mr. Wolfe for scholarships for its participants.

Women’s Giving Circle of Frederick County Fund Founded by Karlys Kline and funded through membership in the Women’s Giving Circle of Frederick County to improve the lives of women and those who depend on them.

Charlie Wood Golf Scholarship Fund Founded by wife Kathleen R. Wood for Frederick County students with a passion for golf, preferably those attending University of Maryland. (closed as of 6/30/22)

Gail A. Wood and Family Endowment Fund Founded by Ms. Wood with her 2003 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support youth programs in Frederick County.

Workforce Development Board Youth Education Fund Founded by the Workforce Development Board for educational support for Frederick County’s youth, preferably high school students.

Jean Wright Memorial Fund Founded by husband Harold Wright as an unrestricted fund.

W. Meredith S. Young and Helen B. Young Scholarship Fund Founded through the Youngs’ estate provisions to further the educational goals of area students.

Meredith and Helen Young Facilities Enhancement and Preservation Fund Founded by Historical Society of Frederick County with the Youngs’ estate provisions to support the maintenance and preservation of its buildings.

Michael S. and Marlene B. Young Scholars Fund Founded by Michael S. and Marlene B. (Grossnickle) Young for Middletown High School graduating seniors pursuing careers in business, music, and education.

Youth Field of Interest Fund Founded by the Community Foundation to support nonprofits offering aid or enrichment programs for children and youth.

Florence Zahler Memorial Cancer Support Fund Founded by Nelson S. and Celia E. Zahler to support residents of Frederick County and the surrounding area who have been diagnosed with cancer.

Helen G. and Alfred G. Zimmerman Hood College Campus Ground Beautification Fund Founded through Anna G. Beers’ estate provisions to support campus grounds beautification at Hood College.

J. Trego and Shirley D. Zimmermans to support the Church and historic cemetery.

Vaughn M. Zimmerman Fund for the Walkersville Volunteer Fire and Rescue Companies Founded by Mr. Zimmerman with his 2015 Wertheimer Fellow for Excellence in Volunteerism Award to support Walkersville Volunteer Fire Co., Inc. and Walkersville Volunteer Rescue Co., Inc.
Establish your goals.

Do you want to make your gift now, or establish your fund with a planned gift? Do you want to provide grants and/or scholarships now or after your passing? Either way, establishing a fund with the Community Foundation is a wonderful way to sustain a cause that is near and dear to you, support specific areas of education, honor loved ones or establish a legacy. Once you’ve decided on your goals, the Community Foundation staff can help you determine the type of fund that will ensure your charitable goals are met.

NEXT, DETERMINE A SUITABLE NAME FOR THE FUND.

There are many ways to name a fund. Many funds include the donor’s name or name(s) of those being honored by the fund. Some fund names reference the specific cause or organization they benefit.

WHAT TYPE OF GIFT WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE TO START THE FUND?

While many funds are started with gifts of cash totaling $25,000 or more, non-cash gifts such as real estate, securities or life insurance are also options. For gifts of $500,000 or more, you may recommend an investment professional outside of the Community Foundation’s investment pool, pending certain criteria. Your financial advisors can help you determine what type of gift to use, and the Community Foundation encourages you to consult with them prior to making your gift.

HOW INVOLVED DO YOU WANT TO BE WITH THE FUND?

Do you want to review grant applications? Do you want to sit on a scholarship selection committee? Do you want the comfort of knowing that a check is sent to your favorite cause each year? Do you want your family to be involved with the fund after your passing? Your intended involvement helps to determine the type of fund that you choose.

IF YOU’D LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE LESS THAN $25,000, DON’T WORRY.

You can “plant a seed” by starting a fund and becoming a member of the Acorn Society. Simply select a name for the fund and agree to grow the fund to at least $25,000 within two years or less. Once your fund reaches $25,000, disbursements can be made. Other ways to create impact include contributing to a field of interest fund or any of our other funds, or establishing your legacy by deciding on a planned gift. No matter how much you decide to contribute, the Community Foundation makes the act of giving easy.
**Types of Funds**
The Community Foundation of Frederick County holds two categories of funds: permanent funds and pass through funds. Permanent funds generally never spend the initial gift and subsequent gifts, with a portion of the fund supporting the charitable purpose defined by the fund’s founding donor. Permanent funds include endowed funds and quasi-endowed funds. Endowed funds distribute 5 percent of the annual market value, never invading gift principal. Quasi-endowed funds distribute 5 percent of the fund’s annual market value each year. Pass through funds may distribute all gifts as well as the investment return for the charitable purpose. Permanent funds and pass through funds may be any of the following types of funds: designated, unrestricted, donor-advised, scholarship, field of interest, agency, or fiscal sponsorship. You can start a named fund for as little as $25,000—using cash, securities, real estate, life insurance, art, or other assets. For more information about types of funds, please see page 74.

**Property You Can Use to Create Your Fund**
Some people have asked if the Community Foundation accepts only cash contributions. The answer is no. There are many ways to establish a fund. Some ideas you may wish to consider are listed here.

**CASH**
You may establish your fund by giving a check to the Community Foundation. You receive the maximum tax deduction for your contribution in the year you make it. Any unused deduction can ordinarily be used over the five succeeding years.

**SECURITIES**
You may donate securities to your fund. You get the maximum tax deduction, equal to the current value of the securities. If that deduction is larger than what you can use in the year of your gift, the excess amount may ordinarily be deducted over the five succeeding years.

If the securities are appreciated, you pay no capital gains tax. If you own depreciated securities, it may be best if you sell them, take the loss for personal income tax purposes, and contribute the proceeds to the Community Foundation.

**LIFE INSURANCE**
You may donate your life insurance policy to your fund. You receive an immediate tax deduction, usually in an amount equal to the cash surrender value. If you wish to keep the policy in force, your continued premium payments are tax deductible if the Community Foundation is the owner of the policy. If you don’t want to give up the policy, you can name the Community Foundation as a full or partial beneficiary.

**REAL ESTATE**
Your real estate holdings can also benefit charity. Gifts of long-term appreciated real estate offer advantages similar to gifts of appreciated securities. Real estate will be accepted by the Community Foundation if it is readily saleable and does not require long-term management. You are required to obtain an appraisal to establish the value of the real estate for your tax deduction.

**ART AND OTHER TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY**
You may use your paintings, sculptures, jewelry, etc. to establish a charitable fund as long as the property can be sold easily. You will be responsible for obtaining an appraisal to establish the value of the personal property for your tax deduction.
Some Examples of Ways You Can Establish or Expand Your Fund:

OUTRIGHT GIFT DURING YOUR LIFETIME
An outright gift is the simplest of all gifts to make and can be made now. It provides the greatest and most immediate support. The most common way to make an outright gift is a gift of cash, which can be used to establish your own fund, or can be added to an existing fund. In addition to a gift of cash, outright gifts can be in the form of publicly-traded securities or by transferring other assets directly to the Community Foundation.

BEQUEST
Perhaps you are making decisions on a new will. You have taken care of all the usual details, assigned sentimental possessions, and provided for relatives.

You can stipulate that all remaining assets go to create your fund or to add to an existing fund, possibly significantly reducing the taxes payable by your estate. Your fund will support community needs in your name permanently.

Or, you simply write a codicil (amendment) to your existing will. You state that in addition to or instead of certain provisions of that will, you would like to leave the remaining assets, or a specific dollar amount, to the Community Foundation for whatever purpose you determine. Your lawyer can assist you in making this change. The Community Foundation also has suggested language for making provisions in your will.

CHARITABLE LEAD TRUST
You may have provided for your children already or you may want to provide for your children in the future, but not now. With a charitable lead trust, you donate part of your estate to the trust now, and the income goes to your fund for a designated period of years. Your taxes are reduced and the property is not taxed to your children. After a period of time that you specify, the trust terminates and the assets go to your children. The charity benefits during all those years and your children may receive much more than they would have otherwise.

GIFTS FROM AN ESTATE OR TRUST
As the Personal Representative under a will, you are directed to allocate a certain amount of money for general charitable purposes. Some professional guidance may be helpful to you.

You may set up a fund within the Community Foundation in the name of the deceased. With the approval of the court, if necessary, you arrange to have the charitable portion of the estate paid to this fund. The Community Foundation would then assume the responsibility of carrying out the deceased’s charitable interests.

LIFE INCOME (CHARITABLE REMAINDER) TRUST
You may have achieved a fairly comfortable accumulation of assets, but would like an income for yourself, your spouse, or other beneficiaries for the rest of your lives. Ultimately you want charity to benefit from your estate.

You can establish a charitable remainder trust that pays you and/or your designees for your lifetimes, with the remainder of the trust going to your fund. You receive a substantial income tax deduction and estate taxes will be reduced upon your death. If you prefer, you can establish a charitable remainder trust in your will, providing a life income for surviving beneficiaries. Because of the charitable estate tax deduction, the surviving beneficiaries may receive a larger income than would otherwise be possible.

Two Types of Charitable Remainder Trusts:

ANNUITY TRUST
A fixed income trust from which you or your beneficiaries will receive a set amount each year.

UNITRUST
A variable income trust from which you or your beneficiaries will receive a percentage of the trust’s assets. Changes in the asset value of the trust will affect the level of your income each year.

The minimum amount recommended for a charitable remainder trust is $100,000.

ASSIGNMENT OF TRUST FUND INCOME
You may be the beneficiary of a trust which pays you a regular income. Even though you may give some of this income to charity, you may not receive maximum tax benefits.

If you assign to your fund a portion of this annual income for the benefit of charity, you pay no further tax on this income. In addition, you may take an immediate income tax deduction for the value of this assignment. If this deduction is more than you can use in the year of the assignment, the excess may ordinarily be deducted over the five succeeding years.

ASSIGNMENT OF TRUST FUND INCOME
You may be the beneficiary of a trust which pays you a regular income. Even though you may give some of this income to charity, you may not receive maximum tax benefits.

If you assign to your fund a portion of this annual income for the benefit of charity, you pay no further tax on this income. In addition, you may take an immediate income tax deduction for the value of this assignment. If this deduction is more than you can use in the year of the assignment, the excess may ordinarily be deducted over the five succeeding years.

CORPORATE FUNDS
Perhaps you are an executive in a business or corporation, responsible in part for corporate giving. How do you sift through the blizzard of charitable appeals?

You can establish a fund with the Community Foundation, either in the name of the corporation or an anonymous name. The Community Foundation then distributes the gift for you, relieving you of this burden.
CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITY
When you want to make a gift of cash or appreciated property and receive fixed payments for the rest of your life, you can create a Charitable Gift Annuity agreement with the Community Foundation. At the end of your life the Community Foundation receives the remainder of the gift. A portion of most gift annuity payments are tax free, and the remainder of the income is taxed at ordinary rates and possibly capital gains rates.

TRANSFER YOUR FOUNDATION’S ASSETS
If you are a trustee of a private foundation, you may establish a fund within the Community Foundation in the name of the private foundation. After arranging to transfer all or part of the assets of the foundation to the fund, the Community Foundation takes care of all the paperwork required by the government. Investments are handled by experienced people. Taxes are no longer imposed, and the amount available for charity is increased. You are secure in knowing that the fund will be administered permanently by the Community Foundation.

TRANSFER A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION’S ASSETS
Perhaps you are on the board of directors of a charitable organization which is terminating. You may create a fund within the Community Foundation in the name of your organization. You liquidate the assets in accordance with all laws and IRS regulations and transfer them to the fund, specifying that the income will be used only for grants in a similar field of interest. The mission of your organization is thereby continued in perpetuity.

AT A Glance
ESTABLISH A NEW FUND WITH THE MINIMUM GIFT OF $25,000.
If your gift is less than $25,000, you may make the gift to an existing fund or become an Acorn Society Member.

Consult your professional advisor. The Community Foundation staff can provide details about each gift type, but does not give legal or tax advice. You are urged to consult with your attorney, banker, accountant, or financial planner before making a gift or establishing a fund.

- Decide whether to make your gift now or later
- Name the fund
- Select the gift to be given
- Determine the type and purpose of the fund

- Take advantage of the Community Foundation’s “$500,000 policy” to recommend an investment professional outside of the Community Foundation’s investment pool
- Decide on life income interest (if any)
Well-managed charitable funds benefit our community now and in perpetuity. Donors start funds with a minimum gift of $25,000 to benefit the causes that they choose. These funds are then invested, with a portion of the funds spent each year according to the spending policies that the donors choose at the time the funds are established.

Professional investment managers invest the Community Foundation's assets in accordance with the Community Foundation's investment policies. Investment performance is monitored and overseen by the Investment Committee, comprised of Community Foundation trustees and others with investment expertise. The Community Foundation's financial statements, including investments, contributions, and future interests, are audited annually by an independent auditor and are available for public review.

**Investment Options**

Hundreds of named Community Foundation funds are invested as follows:

**THE GROWTH OPTION**
Growth to a certain benchmark defines this option. Almost the entire portfolio is held in equities. When the fund reaches the intended benchmark, it is transferred to another investment option to start awarding scholarships and/or grants.

**THE BALANCED GROWTH OPTION**
Growing the fund at an acceptable level of risk defines this option that is generally used for quasi-endowment funds. This portfolio has tiered investments, with the majority in equities and smaller amounts in other instruments.

**THE BALANCED INCOME OPTION**
Producing income while growing the fund defines this option generally used for endowment funds. This portfolio holds tiered investments, with the majority in fixed income instruments and smaller amounts in equities and money market funds.

**THE MAINTENANCE OF PRINCIPAL OPTION**
Preservation of principal is this option’s only objective. This portfolio is held in money market accounts and certificates of deposit.

**THE ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT OPTION**
Donors establishing a fund with $500,000 or more may recommend an investment manager and strategy, subject to the approval of the Community Foundation’s Board of Trustees.

**Administrative Budget**

Because 100 percent of every donation is placed into a charitable fund according to the donor’s instructions, the Community Foundation meets its operational expenses through:

**THE ADMINISTRATIVE FUND**
This permanent fund was created in 1990 to support the Community Foundation’s operations and community education activities.

**MANAGEMENT FEES**
An annual management fee is assessed on the market value of each component fund. Please see page 74, “Fund Types,” for detailed information.

**THE WIDENING CIRCLES SOCIETY AND PARTNERS IN PHILANTHROPY CAMPAIGN**
This annual campaign raises money specifically for the Community Foundation to invest in community outreach to promote philanthropy. Campaign donors become members of the Widening Circles Society and businesses and civic groups who donate become Partners in Philanthropy.

**Investment Managers**
The Community Foundation worked with the following investment and financial managers in 2021–2022:

- Acolade Partners
- Auldbrass Partners
- Artisan Partners
- Base 10 Partners Management LLC
- Bedrock Fund Management LLC
- Black Rock
- Brown Advisory
- Constitution Capital Partners LLC
- Crestline Offshore Associates, LTD
- Dodge & Cox
- Eagle Capital Management
- The Family Heritage Trust Company
- First Eagle Investment Management, Inc.
- First United Bank & Trust
- FCB Bank, A Division of ACNB Bank
- Friess Associates
- Clouston Capital Partners LLC
- Colub Capital
- Harbor Funds
- Intrinsic Edge Capital Management LLC
- Invesco
- JLL Income Property Trust
- MacKay Shields
- Maryland Financial Planners
- Merrill Lynch
- Middletown Valley Bank
- Morgan Stanley
- Morgan Stanley Private Wealth Management
- NC Institutional Investments
- Prudential
- RBC Wealth Management
- Sandy Spring Bank
- Primis Bank
- State Street Global Advisors
- StepStone Group
- Thomburg Investment Management
- Valstone Partners, LLC
- Vanguard
- Wasatch Global Investors
- Wells Fargo Advisors
- William Blair
- WCM International Management

Custodian: Wilmington Trust/M&T Bank

For more information about these investment managers, their rates of return or their fees, please contact the Community Foundation at 301.695.7660.
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2022

The generous support of contributors to The Community Foundation of Frederick County, MD, Inc., The Community Foundation Holding Company, Inc., and Pleasants Supporting Charitable Trust*, its supporting organizations, resulted in donations surpassing $17.1 million for the year ended June 30, 2022.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION // June 30, 2022
(With comparative totals for 2021)

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<th>ASSETS</th>
<th>2022</th>
<th>2021</th>
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<td>Cash and cash equivalents</td>
<td>$994,876</td>
<td>$3,083,237</td>
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<td>Promises to give, net</td>
<td>$181,127</td>
<td>$221,508</td>
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<td>Contributions receivable</td>
<td>$11,912,399</td>
<td>$2,934,976</td>
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<td>Prepaids and other assets</td>
<td>$184,982</td>
<td>$182,802</td>
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<td>Investments at fair value</td>
<td>$140,237,938</td>
<td>$162,919,609</td>
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<td>Land held for sale</td>
<td>$19,500,000</td>
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<td>Present value of remainder interests</td>
<td>$2,590,742</td>
<td>$4,216,918</td>
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<td>Cash surrender value of life insurance</td>
<td>$239,002</td>
<td>$228,830</td>
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<td>Furniture and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of $545,884 and $519,449</td>
<td>$128,694</td>
<td>$140,998</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL ASSETS</strong></td>
<td><strong>$175,969,760</strong></td>
<td><strong>$193,428,878</strong></td>
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<td>Liabilities</td>
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<td>Accounts payable</td>
<td>$195,683</td>
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<td>Other liabilities</td>
<td>$284,843</td>
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<td>Liabilities under split-interest agreements</td>
<td>$1,936,214</td>
<td>$2,404,626</td>
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<td>Funds held for others</td>
<td>$8,620,962</td>
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<td>$198,134</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL LIABILITIES</strong></td>
<td><strong>$11,037,702</strong></td>
<td><strong>$14,865,353</strong></td>
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<td>Net assets</td>
<td>164,932,058</td>
<td>178,563,525</td>
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| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS | 175,969,760 | $193,428,878 |

The annual audit of The Community Foundation of Frederick County, MD, Inc., The Community Foundation Holding Company, Inc., and Pleasants Supporting Charitable Trust’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022, was performed by Ellin & Tucker, Chartered. Their independent auditors’ report and accompanying financial statements are available for review at the Community Foundation office. Also, information submitted under the Maryland Charitable Solicitations Act can be obtained from the Maryland Secretary of State.

*The Community Foundation Holding Company, Inc. was formed in 1997 as a 501c3 public charity to hold assets on behalf of The Community Foundation of Frederick County, MD, Inc. and to act as trustee for charitable trusts of which the Community Foundation is a beneficiary. Its Board of Trustees is appointed by The Community Foundation of Frederick County, MD, Inc. Pleasants Supporting Charitable Trust was created in 2018 to support the philanthropic activities of The Community Foundation of Frederick County.
The Community Foundation holds different types of funds that fall into different categories, depending on the instructions and intentions of the donor who created the fund.

### FUND TYPES

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<td>Is a fund where the initial gift and subsequent gifts are generally never spent, with a portion of the fund supporting the charitable purpose defined by the fund’s founding donor.</td>
<td>Is a fund where all gifts as well as the investment return are used for the charitable intent.</td>
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Permanent funds may be:
- **Endowed funds** – distributes 5 percent of the June 30 market value each year, but never spending gift principal
- **Quasi-endowed funds** – distributes 5 percent of the June 30 market value each year regardless of investment return

### PERMANENT and PASS THROUGH funds fall into the following categories:

**UNRESTRICTED** funds allow a donor to direct the Community Foundation to determine the most appropriate uses for the fund, creating the greatest impact possible within the community.
- annual management fee: the greater of 1 percent or $200
- minimum grant amount: $500
- annual valuation date of April 30

**FIELD OF INTEREST** funds allow a donor to specify general areas to direct grantmaking, but not specific nonprofits.
- annual management fee: the greater of 1 percent or $200
- minimum grant amount: $500

**DESIGNATED** funds allow a donor to designate one or more specific nonprofits to be supported each year.
- annual management fee: the greater of 1 percent or $200
- minimum grant amount: $500

**AGENCY** funds allow nonprofits to work with the Community Foundation to take advantage of its expertise in managing charitable funds.
- Agency Pass Through funds
  - annual management fee: the greater of 1.25 percent or $375
  - minimum grant amount: $500
- Agency Permanent funds
  - annual management fee: the greater of 1 percent or $200
  - minimum grant amount: $500

**DONOR-ADVISED** funds allow a donor to maintain an advisory role in how proceeds are disbursed.
- annual management fee: the greater of 1.25 percent or $375
- minimum grant amount: $500

**FISCAL SPONSORSHIP** funds allow start-up organizations and groups addressing an emerging or short-term need to work with the Community Foundation.
- annual management fee: the greater of 1.25 percent or $375
- minimum grant amount: $500

**SCHOLARSHIP** funds allow a donor to provide financial assistance for academic need.
- funds under $100,000
  - annual management fee: the greater of 2 percent or $200
  - minimum scholarship amount: $1,000
- funds of $100,000 or more
  - annual management fee: the greater of 1.5 percent or $200
  - minimum scholarship amount: $1,000
  - participation fee: 0.5 percent
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EVERY VOICE

The Community Foundation of Frederick County is your charitable giving partner. Your gift made now, or your planned gift received later, will impact countless people in Frederick County through grants to nonprofits or scholarships for students. You don’t have to be wealthy to make a difference, only the desire to do something meaningful with the resources you have.

To confidentially discuss your charitable intentions or legacy plans, contact Laura McCullough, Director of Philanthropic Services, at 301.695.7660 or by email at l.mccullough@FrederickCountyGives.org.
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