



**HARDIN COUNTY
COMMUNITY
ENDOWMENT FOUNDATION**

For the Future of Hardin County

Serving Hardin County

Fall/Winter 2015

Alden Campground Shelter
House funded in 2015



Dates to remember:

NOW – Grants distributed to every city hall in
Hardin County plus ISU Extension Office, Iowa
Falls and available at our new HCCEF website at
endowhardincoiowa.org and on the Hardin County
Extension Service website at
www.extension.iastate.edu/hardin/

Tuesday, November 10, 2015 6:30 p.m. ISU
Extension Office, Iowa Falls – Grant Workshop

Thursday, November 12, 2015 6:30 p.m. Eldora
Public Library, Eldora – Grant Workshop

*All non-profit organizations interested in submitting a
grant application to HCCEF are strongly encouraged
to attend one of these meetings. At the end of the
meeting, participants may visit individually with an
HCCEF affiliate advisory board member about their
organization's specific grant proposal.*

Friday, February 5, 2016, by 4:00 p.m. Grants due at
Hardin County Courthouse, Eldora; ISU Extension
Office, Iowa Falls or postmarked by mail

Thursday, April 7, 2016, 6:30-7 p.m. social time.
7 p.m. 11th Annual Community Grant Awards night
begins. Location TBA.

HCCEF—10 Reasons Why

1. We are a **local organization** with deep roots in the community.
2. Our program staff has **broad expertise** regarding community issues and needs.
3. We provide highly **personalized service** tailored to each individual's charitable and financial interests.
4. Our **donor advised funds** help people invest in the causes they care about most.
5. We accept a wide **variety of assets**, and can facilitate even the most complex forms of giving.
6. We partner with **professional advisors** to create highly effective approaches to charitable giving.
7. We offer maximum **tax advantages** under state and federal law, including access to Endow Iowa Tax Credits, a 25% state tax credit in addition to normal federal deductions for certain charitable gifts.
8. We **multiply the impact** of gift dollars by pooling them with other gifts and grants.
9. We build **endowment funds** that benefit the community forever and help create personal legacies.
10. We are a **community leader**, convening agencies and coordinating resources to create positive change.

Thank you for supporting the nonprofit organizations that help our communities thrive.
LIVE HERE...GIVE HERE.

Hardin County Community Endowment Foundation Box 473, Iowa Falls, IA 50126

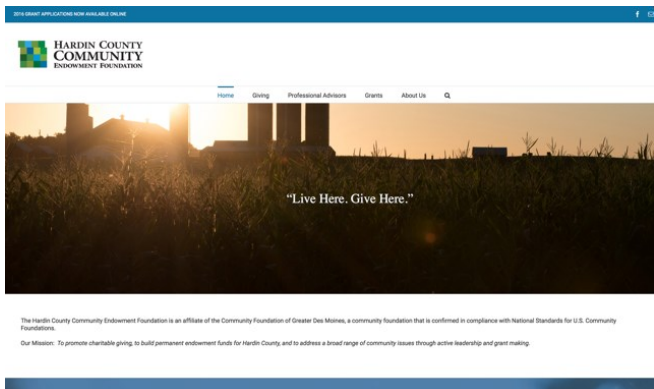
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Hardin County Community Endowment Foundation is an affiliate of the Community Foundation of Greater Des Moines, an organization that meets National Standards for U.S. Community Foundations and qualifies for Endow Iowa Tax Credits.

Visit our new website:
endowhardincoiowa.org



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List of Funds

You can make charitable donations to established funds two ways:

- * Download our donation form and send along with your monetary donation to us.
- * Click on "Donate Now" after the fund name to open a secure online donation form.

*Please share your photos of Hardin County with us to use as we update the website.
 Email to endowhardinco@gmail.com*

HCCEF
Affiliate Advisory Board

Co-Chairs
 Rob Wohlert & Larry Wolf

Grant Chair
 Kendra Veld

Secretary Gloria Peet	Treasurer Andrea Brown
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Northwest Bea Smuck Rob Wohlert Donna Zoske	Northeast Kendra Veld
Southwest Gloria Peet Dennis Winter	Southeast Andrea Brown Jerry Kramer Larry Wolf

Mark Hamilton, Ex-Officio
 Darwin Miller, Ex-Officio



"Anyone who thinks that they are too small to make a difference has never tried to fall asleep with a mosquito in the room." - Christine Todd Whitman

Legacy Funds

Legacy funds are ideal for families and individuals who want to share how their planned gifts should be distributed after their lifetimes. Donors establish legacy funds to receive their planned gifts and personally communicate how their charitable contributions will forever benefit their favorite charities.



Establishing a legacy fund is

- Personal:** Establish a legacy fund to make a long-term impact on the charities that are most important to you. Your named legacy fund is recognized as a permanent fund of the Hardin County Community Endowment Foundation.
- Enduring:** Make a continual impact on the charities of your choice after your lifetime, allowing them to continue their missions and contribute to the community.
- Flexible:** You can easily modify your fund agreement to support different or additional charities. Your fund can accept planned gifts as well as gifts made during your lifetime.
- Efficient:** The Hardin County Community Endowment Foundation can receive gifts designated in a will or estate plan including life insurance policies, IRAs, 401(k) plans, real estate, charitable gift annuities and charitable remainder trusts.

Get started

Discuss legacy funds with your financial advisor and our program director. We will customize an agreement for you. As your plans develop or change, you can amend your legacy fund agreement at any time. The fund is free of administrative fees until assets are received. The Community Foundation's administrative fee schedule is available upon request. Contact us at any time to further discuss your planned and current giving.

"Live today the way you want to be remembered tomorrow." - Dillon Burroughs