

Community Foundation  
2024 Fall Grant Awards

Grantee	Program Name/Purpose of Grant	Award	Detail	Endowment Awarded From
<b>A Kid Again</b>		\$2,750.00		
	2025 Michigan Chapter Adventures for Families in the GTRCF Service Area		\$750.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
<b>Acme Christian Thrift Store &amp; Food Pantry (ACTS)</b>		\$9,900.00		
	ACTS Food Pantry		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
			\$1,400.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
			\$3,500.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>American Heritage Girls</b>		\$4,400.00		
	American Heritage Girls		\$4,400.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Benzie Area Christian Neighbors</b>		\$5,000.00		
	Benzie Blessings in a Backpack		\$5,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
<b>Benzie Conservation District</b>		\$1,335.00		
	Benzie Nature Journal		\$1,335.00	John N. Barnes Environmental Education Endowment
<b>Benzie Senior Resources</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Senior Nutrition Program		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northwestern Michigan</b>		\$9,500.00		
	Bigs Child Safety Training		\$8,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
			\$1,500.00	MSU/Big Ten Fund for Safe & Healthy Kids
<b>Child &amp; Family Services of Northwestern Michigan</b>		\$26,500.00		
	YouthWork Conservation Corps: Strengthening young people and their communities through service		\$510.00	Access to Recreation Endowment
			\$8,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
			\$5,000.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
	Youthwork Conservation Corps: Making a difference in YOUR county		\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
			\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
	Healing Homes: Keeping loving foster homes open by meeting child and family needs		\$1,490.00	Boys and Girls Club Endowment
	Nurturing Youth, Building Futures: Providing mental health and life skills support to regional youth		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
	The 24/7 CFS Youth Crisis Line: Helping youth avoid substance misuse and violence		\$2,000.00	GT Families in Action for Youth Endowment
	Healthy Youth & Families: Violence prevention, health, and conflict resolution for families		\$1,500.00	Healthy Youth and Healthy Seniors Endowment
<b>Discovery Pier</b>		\$3,500.00		
	Great Lakes Kayaking Access for All		\$1,500.00	Access to Recreation Endowment
	Discovery Pier's All Aboard Program		\$2,000.00	Richard V. and Kimiko O. Williams Endowment
<b>Do A Little Good</b>		\$3,000.00		
	The Little Free Food Library		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Experiential Ink</b>		\$3,500.00		
	Camp4All		\$1,500.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
<b>Free Rein Farm</b>		\$2,100.00		
	Mini Donkey School Visits		\$1,100.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska

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<b>Generations Ahead</b>		\$11,620.00		
	Internships for Parenting Teenagers		\$1,000.00	Boys and Girls Club Endowment
			\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
			\$2,000.00	GT Families in Action for Youth Endowment
	Families Eating Well Together!		\$3,620.00	Joan Rajkovich McGarry Family Education Endowment
	Generations Ahead Advisory Council		\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
<b>Girl Scouts of Michigan Shore to Shore</b>		\$250.00		
	Empowering Girls through the Girl Scout Leadership Experience		\$250.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>Glen Arbor Arts Center</b>		\$4,000.00		
	Year-round Arts Education for Youth, Teens and Young Adults		\$1,500.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
			\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Good Samaritan Family Services</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Food Pantry Assistance		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Grand Traverse Area Catholic Schools</b>		\$12,000.00		
	Robotics 2024-2025		\$12,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Grand Traverse Conservation District</b>		\$18,000.00		
	Environmental Stewardship		\$18,000.00	Edwards Boardman River Conservation Endowment
<b>Grand Traverse County Parks and Recreation</b>		\$2,500.00		
	Student development and installation of a rain garden project at Medalie Park		\$2,500.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
<b>Grand Traverse Dyslexia Association</b>		\$7,000.00		
	The Tuition Assistance Project		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Grand Traverse Regional Land Conservancy</b>		\$3,760.00		
	Land Use planning for "The Ridge" in East Bay Township		\$3,760.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
<b>Great Lakes Center for the Arts</b>		\$1,500.00		
	Dorothy Gerber Strings Program (DGSP) Free Classroom Lessons in Antrim County Schools		\$1,500.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
<b>Grow Benzie</b>		\$5,000.00		
	Benzie Human Services Collaborative Family Services Workgroup		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
	Benzie Area Youth Initiative: Tech & Youth Mental Health Project		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
<b>Habitat for Humanity - Grand Traverse Region</b>		\$3,000.00		
	New Waves Development		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Historic Elk Rapids Town Hall Association</b>		\$7,000.00		
	HERTH Window Project		\$7,000.00	Elk Rapids Area Community Endowment
<b>Home Sweet Home</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Home Sweet Home Bridge to Home Ownership		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Hospice of Michigan</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Gestures of Grace		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment

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<b>Inland Seas Education Association</b>		\$10,750.00		
	Protecting and Connecting With The Great Lakes Through Education		\$825.00	Elk Rapids Area Education Endowment
			\$825.00	John N. Barnes Environmental Education Endowment
			\$300.00	Kingsley Community Endowment
			\$4,000.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
			\$1,000.00	Richard V. and Kimiko O. Williams Endowment
			\$1,800.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	Young Women in STEM Overnight Programs		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Kids On The Go - Traverse City</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Multi-disciplinary Summer Camp Programs		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Launch to Leadership of Northern Michigan</b>		\$4,000.00		
	Launch to Leadership of Northern Michigan for the 2024 / 2025 School Year		\$2,000.00	Elk Rapids Area Education Endowment
			\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
<b>Leelanau Children's Center</b>		\$2,005.00		
	Leelanau Children's Center Process Art Project		\$2,005.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
<b>Leelanau Christian Neighbors</b>		\$2,000.00		
	Car Seats for LCN Baby Pantry 2024-2025		\$2,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Maraschino Music</b>		\$6,165.00		
	Culturally Appropriate Mental Health Therapy for Spanish speaking families and children		\$1,000.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
			\$915.00	GT Families in Action for Youth Endowment
	Grupo Folklorico Xochiquetzal		\$1,500.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	Maraschino Cultural Bienestar Initiative		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$750.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Maritime Heritage Alliance</b>		\$5,915.00		
	SAIL "Champion" expansion project		\$915.00	GT Families in Action for Youth Endowment
			\$5,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Michael's Place</b>		\$7,500.00		
	Providing Safe Space and Healthy Healing for Bereaved Youth		\$1,500.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
			\$3,500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Michigan Crossroads Council, Boy Scouts of America</b>		\$250.00		
	Sustaining Grand Traverse Region Scouting		\$250.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>New Day Foundation For Families</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Financial Assistance Awards for Cancer Patients		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Northwest Education Services</b>		\$1,750.00		
	North Ed Migrant Youth Empowerment Club		\$500.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$750.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
			\$500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau

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<b>Northwest Michigan Supportive Housing</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Ending Chronic Homelessness		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Northwestern Michigan College Foundation</b>		\$10,000.00		
	Police Academy Equipment Training		\$10,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Planned Parenthood of Michigan</b>		\$1,250.00		
	Growing Resilience: Planting Seeds for Wellness and Connection		\$1,250.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
<b>PoWeR! Book Bags</b>		\$11,140.00		
	Little Learners of Antrim at EHS & Antrim Health Department		\$1,000.00	Elk Rapids Area Education Endowment
	Little Learners at Kingsley Preschool		\$390.00	Kingsley Community Endowment
	Little Learners at Leelanau Christian Neighbors		\$1,000.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	Building PoWeRful relationships in the early years for better later years!		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$1,500.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
			\$4,250.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>Remain in Touch</b>		\$2,750.00		
	Remain in Touch		\$750.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>ROCK of Kingsley Youth Center</b>		\$20,890.00		
	YOU MATTER - Universal Access to Recreation		\$510.00	Access to Recreation Endowment
	2024/2025 YOU MATTER - Youth Programming		\$10,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
			\$500.00	Kingsley Community Endowment
			\$3,500.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
	2024/2025 YOU MATTER - Self-Sufficiency Programming		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
	2024/2025 YOU MATTER - Healthy Youth and Healthy Seniors - Health and Nutrition Program		\$1,500.00	Healthy Youth and Healthy Seniors Endowment
	2024/2025 YOU MATTER - Nutrition Education & Physical Activity Program		\$1,380.00	Joan Rajkovich McGarry Family Education Endowment
	2024/2025 Veterans Support		\$500.00	Veterans Support Endowment
<b>Ronald McDonald House of Western Michigan</b>		\$8,500.00		
	Supporting In-Patient Physical & Mental Health Care for Youth		\$5,000.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
			\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
			\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>Salvation Army - Traverse City</b>		\$5,000.00		
	Project Good Neighbor - Family Emergency Assistance program		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
	Youth Programs - Providing Paths for our Future Leaders		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
<b>SEEDS Ecology and Education Centers</b>		\$9,500.00		
	Wood Rescue Initiative		\$5,000.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
	Skill Development and Job Training for Northern Michigan Youth		\$2,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>ShareCare of Leelanau</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Memory Cafe		\$3,000.00	Healthy Youth and Healthy Seniors Endowment

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<b>Suttons Bay Public Schools</b>		\$6,500.00		
	EXPOSURES 2025		\$1,000.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
			\$1,000.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
			\$500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
	Suttons Bay Public Schools Staff Wellness Program		\$1,000.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	Suttons Bay High School Robotics		\$1,500.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	Revival of the Musical Theater Program		\$1,500.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
<b>The Blood Cancer Foundation of Michigan</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Promoting Self-Sufficiency and Independence for Blood Cancer Patients in NW Lower MI		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>The Friendship Community Center</b>		\$11,300.00		
	Leelanau Investing For Teens (LIFT)		\$1,000.00	Boys and Girls Club Endowment
			\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
			\$1,500.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
			\$800.00	Healthy Youth and Healthy Seniors Endowment
			\$1,000.00	Joan Rajkovich McGarry Family Education Endowment
			\$2,500.00	Suttons Bay and Bingham Endowment
	LIFT Travels to Mackinac Island!		\$1,500.00	Youth Endowment- Leelanau
<b>The MiMusic Scholarship Fund</b>		\$3,340.00		
	The MiMusic Scholarship Program		\$3,340.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Traverse Area Recreation and Transportation Trails, Inc.</b>		\$4,500.00		
	Recycle-A-Bicycle		\$2,000.00	Campbell Endowment
	A Vasa Pathway for Everyone		\$2,500.00	Land Use Conservation and Planning Endowment
<b>Traverse Bay Children's Advocacy Center</b>		\$8,000.00		
	Empowering Communities: Child Abuse Prevention and Education		\$8,000.00	Northwest Michigan Osteopathic Endowment
<b>Traverse City Area Public Schools</b>		\$11,037.07		
	TCAPS Indigenous Student Clubs Inaugural Round Dance		\$500.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
	East Middle School: Mild Cognitively Impaired Program		\$500.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	East Middle School: Let's Model Some Science		\$254.07	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	Cherry Knoll Elementary: New Books		\$1,500.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	Courtade Elementary: Creative Explorers Program		\$1,000.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	West Middle School: PE 9 Square in the Air		\$799.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	Elementary English Learner (EL) Program		\$600.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	Central Grade School: Decodable Books for Beginning Readers		\$4,044.00	TCAPS Academic Excellence Endowment
	West Senior High: Traverse City West Color Guard		\$475.00	Titan Excellence Endowment
	West Senior High: Mental Health Education/Awareness T-shirts		\$600.00	Titan Excellence Endowment
	West Senior High: Moden UN		\$300.00	Titan Excellence Endowment
	West Senior High: Measuring Temperature in Science Classes		\$465.00	Titan Excellence Endowment
<b>Traverse City Roller Derby</b>		\$1,000.00		
	TC Youth Roller Derby Program		\$1,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse

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<b>Traverse City West Robotics Boosters</b>		\$2,500.00		
	TC West Robotics Boosters - 3D Printer, Parts & Filament		\$2,500.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>Trinity Lutheran Church</b>		\$7,000.00		
	Trail Life Troop MI-2818		\$7,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
<b>United Way of Northwest Michigan</b>		\$3,000.00		
	Grand Traverse Early Care & Learning Colloquia		\$3,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Village of Elk Rapids</b>		\$5,000.00		
	Elk Rapids DDA - Benches for Ames Street		\$5,000.00	Elk Rapids Area Community Endowment
<b>Wellness Center at the grand traverse pavilions</b>		\$1,000.00		
	Wellness Center Aquatic Therapy Aftercare Scholarship		\$1,000.00	Campbell Endowment
<b>Women's Resource Center for the Grand Traverse Area</b>		\$19,344.00		
	Haven of Hope: Emergency Shelter Program		\$2,080.00	Campbell Endowment
			\$1,000.00	Genuine Leelanau Charitable Endowment
			\$2,264.00	MSU/Big Ten Fund for Safe & Healthy Kids
			\$5,000.00	Youth Endowment- Benzie
			\$4,000.00	Youth Endowment- Grand Traverse
			\$5,000.00	Youth Endowment- Kalkaska
<b>Writers Series Of Traverse City</b>		\$6,500.00		
	Fighting Words Event with Author Kimberly Brubaker Bradley		\$4,000.00	MSU/Big Ten Fund for Safe & Healthy Kids
	The Raising Writers Program of the National Writers Series		\$2,500.00	Youth Endowment- Antrim
<b>Young Marines of Traverse City</b>		\$10,000.00		
	Continued Leadership Training for Adults and Young Marines and Historical Education Trip		\$10,000.00	Jim Tompkins Endowment for Youth
	<b>Total Awarded:</b>	<b>\$383,501.07</b>		