



GCCF awarded \$104,586 during its Summer 2022 grant cycle.

We thank all applicants for their time in applying.

- St. Louis Police Department received \$6,205 to purchase updated body-worn cameras;
- Child Advocacy received \$5,000 for the Shop with a Hero 2022 Program to promote positive officer and youth relations while also assisting families in need during the holidays;
- Ithaca Public Schools received \$1,835 for Expanding Play-Based Learning through STEAM Materials;
- Commission on Aging received \$3,500 to purchase air conditioners for seniors in need in Gratiot County;
- Breckenridge Community Schools received \$8,010 to purchase exercise equipment for the new Breckenridge Multi-Sport Facility and Fitness Center;
- Gratiot Emergency Housing received \$6,000 to provide assistance to Gratiot County residents who are facing a housing crisis and in danger of losing their residence, or are in need of securing a residence;
- Ashley District Library received \$3,000 to fund the startup of After School Clubs to promote school involvement, spirit, and community;
- Alma Public Schools received \$491.88 for A.S.A.P. (Alma Scots, Alma Panthers) Classroom Community Days to take students to various institutions to help prepare them to live independently after graduating high school;
- Michigan Arts Access received \$5,000 to engage children and youth with disabilities in discovering their creativity through art and music;
- Alma Public Schools received \$2,000 to help cover the cost for a professional theatre experience for students;

- Central Michigan University received \$4,952.20 to provide two middle schools in Gratiot County with an opportunity to create an audio drama through their Chief Science Officer cohort and school STEM experiences;
- Gratiot County Fair for Youth received \$11,384 to update the integrity of the current small animal facility to better serve exhibitors and the community;
- PACE Central Michigan received \$4,490 for the Improving Wellness for Seniors with Mobility Challenges Project;
- Alma Public Schools received \$1,000 to continue the Courtyard Project Based Learning Program where students will learn about native plants, create QR codes, paint rocks, etc.;
- Lumberjack & Rivermen's Park received \$6,518 to purchase equipment that will improve the outdoor recreation for older kids and young adults;
- Gratiot County Department of Veterans Affairs received \$15,200 for the Heroes Center, which will provide a safe space for veterans to reconnect with each other and the community, while providing services during and after business hours;
- Alma Disc Golf Club received \$5,000 to help cover the cost of purchasing a new shed and pay for the metal graphics on the new sign for the Runway Disc Golf Course;
- Ashley Community Schools received \$10,000 to purchase and install Smart Safety Sensors in high frequency areas of the school;
- The Salvation Army received \$5,000 to provide monetary assistance and help meet goals for Gratiot County families enrolled in the self-sufficiency Pathway of Hope program.

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