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COMMUNITY CATALYST

SPRING 2026

Welcome, New Board Members!



Ken Brown

A retired criminal justice leader, clinical professional, educator, and U.S. Army and Air Force veteran, he has given more than 40 years of service to his community.



Adam Leventhal

Born and raised in Springfield, he has deep ties in our community. Running A & E Powder Coating takes much of his time, but he also serves on multiple boards.



Selena Singletary

A retired public administrator with extensive experience in housing, neighborhood development, and community engagement, she has significant leadership experience.



Afshan Syed

Deeply rooted in the community she loves, she has dedicated her personal and professional life to education, service, and the betterment of Springfield.



Shannon Wahl

A Partner with the law firm of Martin, Browne, Hull & Harper, PLL, she is immersed in our community through various associations, boards, and more.



Chris Williams

The newly appointed Vice President of Business Development at Sheehan Brothers Vending, he is established as a successful business and technology leader.

Investing in our Community: The Springfield Foundation's 2025 Impact

2025, like many years in philanthropy, held both challenges and celebrations—but through it all, the Springfield Foundation remained focused on one thing: impact.

Take a look at all we accomplished with our donors, partners, and community throughout 2025!

- Received 103 discretionary grant applications and funded 96 fully or partially for a total of \$926,908.49. Including the second of five \$75,000 yearly grants to the Rocking Horse Community Health Center at Springfield High for mental and behavioral health services in celebration of our 75th anniversary.
- Proudly awarded over \$840,000, a \$71,000 increase, in 410 different scholarships to 323 students after receiving a record number of 549 scholarship applications.
- Opened 28 new funds.

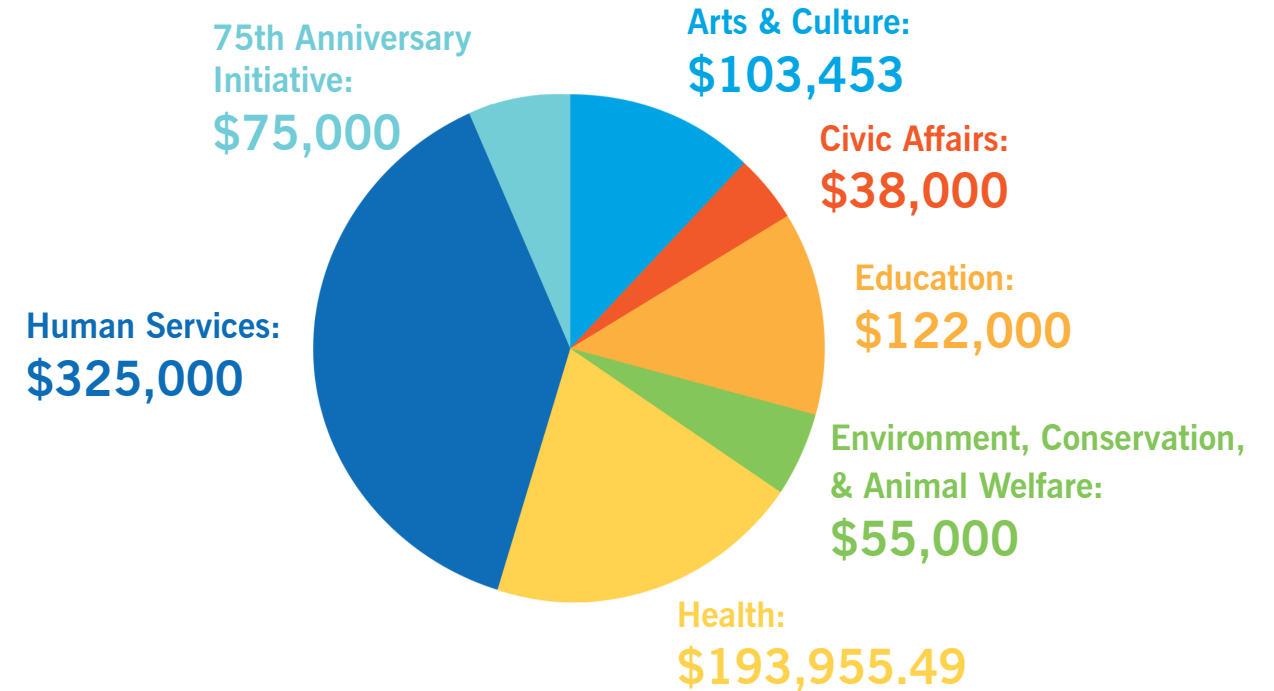
- Received over \$6 million in charitable gifts.
- Collected nearly \$55,000 in Partners in Philanthropy campaign.
- Board and staff completed over 300 hours of community service throughout Clark County, furthering our commitment to hands-on service.

The Springfield Foundation is looking forward to continuing our mission to raise, strengthen, and distribute permanent charitable funds to benefit Clark County and the region in 2026. Each scholarship awarded, each grant distributed, and each fund established reflects a shared belief in this community's potential. Together with our donors, partners, and nonprofits, we will continue to amplify the good—turning generosity into lasting impact.



Each year, the Springfield Foundation accepts grant proposals through a competitive grant cycle. For 2026, 96 proposals were funded fully or partially for a total of \$926,908.49. These are made possible through the generous support of our donors.

2026 Discretionary Grants



Total Amount of Grants Disbursed: \$926,908.49

To see a full listing of all the organizations we awarded grants to as a part of the 2026 cycle, visit our website at www.springfieldfoundation.org/grants/grant-awards.html.

COMPETITIVE GRANT CYCLE

WAYS TO
GIVE

1. Create a fund for a charity or for a scholarship.
2. Donate to an existing fund, now or later.
3. Become our Partner in Philanthropy.

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Don't forget to include the Springfield Foundation in your estate planning. To learn more, call us or visit our website!

New Funds

Jessica Ross Sheehan Fund

Leadership Clark County Fund

Moody Family Scholarship

Sweet Hupp Family Foundation

Karen Birt 4S Scholarship Fund

Alma Faye Memorial Scholarship

Equality Springfield Horizon Fund

Antigone and Samuel Petroff Fund

Jones Davis Charitable Checking Fund

Barbara Parke Weaver Endowment Fund

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Green Plain Quaker Meetinghouse and Cemetery Fund

Robert and Jennifer Kitchen Charitable Checking Fund

Gregory R. and Holly M. Flax Charitable Checking Fund

Linda G. and Richard J. Butler Charitable Checking Fund

Warder Library Restoration Project, Inc. Charitable Checking Fund



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