#### Parke County Community Foundation,



Through all the challenges, newfound opportunities, and every high and low we've experienced during the last couple of years, it's no surprise why we might be striving for more balance. Whether it's about the markets and global economy or what's happening in our local communities, some of the news we're hearing on a daily basis has the potential to disrupt the balance of even the best portfolio.

If 2022 was about recognizing imbalances that had built in the economy, we believe 2023 will be about setting ourselves up for what comes next as the economy and markets find their way back to steadier ground— even as the adjustment period continues. The Federal Reserve (Fed) spent 2022 aggressively fighting inflation by raising interest rates. In 2023, we expect the Fed to find that point where it can stop raising rates, as inflation starts to come under control. The Fed's efforts to control inflation throughout 2022 pulled interest rates off of extremely low levels that were historically unprecedented. While that has been painful for bond investors, for the first time in a decade savers can now get an attractive yield, and

2023 will be more focused on how to potentially benefit from this significant shift.

Stock market expectations may also see some realignment heading into 2023. We also expect 2023 will likely be more focused on the opportunities that may emerge from the 2022 market sell-off. Progress continues toward balance. These are the times when sound financial advice is more valuable than ever as it helps us find our center, remember our plan, and stay focused on our goals.

Best,

Evan Lunsford

Member, Board of Directors

Parke County Community Foundation



## Parke County Community Foundation

115 N. Market Street PO Box 276 Rockville, IN 47872

Phone: 765-569-7223 Fax: 765-569-5383

E-mail: foundation@parkeccf.org

For good... For ever... For Parke County



# Foundation Finance

December 2022

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

### Foundation Grants & Scholarships Exceed \$1 Million in 2022!

#### Officers:

Nick Sauter

Chair

Jeremy Montgomery Vice Chair

Karen Durr Secretary

Rick Hobbs Treasurer

#### Directors:

Mary Hanner

Sharon Harmon

Matt Helderman

Bill Livers

Patricia Lohrmann

Evan Lunsford

Paula Rahn

Sheila Rohr Chris Sanders

FOUNDATION STAFF

Brad C. Bumgardner Executive Director

Colleen Engle
Office & Program Director

The Parke County Community
Foundation is pleased to announce that the Foundation
made grants of more than

\$1 Million

for the year 2022.

\$1,010,000

(as of 12/31/2022)

**Scholarships** 



Designated



\$328,591

Legacy/Unrestricted

**₹** \$326,527

- \* Scholarship awards of \$354,000 were made to more than 75 students with each averaging north of \$5,000!
- Donor Designated funds allowed donors to designate their endowment fund to assist the charity or field of interest of their choice!
- In 2022, 130 unrestricted grants were made to charities who are striving to improve the quality of life in Parke County!







For good... For ever... For Parke County!



## 2023 Lilly Community Scholar

The Parke Community Foundation is pleased to announce the recipient of the 2023 Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship for Parke County – Josie Bodine of Parke Heritage High School. Josie is the daughter of Christopher and Sharon Bodine of Marshall. Lilly Endowment Community Scholars are known for their community involvement, academic achievement, character, and leadership.

"The Lilly Endowment Community Scholar applicants displayed discipline and academic prowess throughout the process," said Brad Bumgardner, Executive Director of the Parke Community Foundation.

Each Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship provides for full tuition, required fees and a special allocation of up to \$900 per year for required books and equipment for four years. The scholarship is for undergraduate students studying on a full-time basis leading to a baccalaureate degree at any eligible Indiana public or private nonprofit college or university.



Josie Bodine

"As a Lilly Endowment Community Scholar, I am so honored to represent my community during and after college. I have been given this amazing opportunity and now I can attend a great college to gain a valuable education. I plan to major in elementary education. In order to become a great teacher and provide a good education for my students, I



will work hard to prepare myself in a college that is best for me," said Josie Bodine (2023 Lilly Endowment Community Scholar).

The primary purposes of the Lilly Endowment Community Scholarship Program are: 1) to help raise the level of educational attainment in Indiana; 2) to increase awareness of the beneficial roles Indiana community foundations can play in their communities; and 3) to encourage and support the efforts of current and past Lilly Endowment Community Scholars. Since 1993, the Parke County Community Foundation has been connecting donors with the needs of the Parke County community.

## **Announcements**

#### ATTENTION NEW SCHOLARSHIP APPLICANTS!



- The Parke County Community Foundation's Spring scholarship cycle is now open!
- To apply, please visit www.parkeccf.org/scholarships



Operating

Board-designated-grant funds

Pag

## Statements of Financial Position: December 31, 2021 and 2020

\* These figures reflect PCCF assets from our May **ASSETS** 2022 audit by Blue & Co. 2021 2020 Cash and cash equivalents 678,466 672,874 Investments 19,632,258 16,606,723 225 225 Other receivable Charitable trust 1,709,077 1,768,321 785,499 638,198 Property and equipment, net 22,805,525 19,686,341 LIADILITIES AND NET ASSETS

LIABILITIES AND	NET ASSETS		
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	20,000	\$ 10,210
Grants payable		259,796	276,724
Charitable gift annuities		330,260	66,057
Liability under charitable trust		1,678,084	1,596,434
Custodial funds		301,388	196,745
Total liabilities		2,589,528	2,146,170
Net assets			
Without donor restrictions			

Board designated administrative endow. 712,552 673,286 1,875,157 1,630,294 Total without donor restrictions With donor restrictions 251,229 326,639 Restricted due to time restrictions 703,254 385,775 Restricted for specified purpose 12,971,986 Restricted in perpetuity-endowment 13,827,277 Restricted subject to Organization's spending policy 3,559,080 2,225,477 18,340,840 15,909,877 Total with donor restrictions 20,215,997 17,540,171 Total net assets 22,805,525 19,686,341

1,082,605

80,000

857,008

100,000

## Foundation Investment Report

Following are the 1, 3, 5, 10, and 15 year returns:

1 Year 3 Year 5 Year 10 Year 15 Year

-11.3 4.48 5.58 8.11 6.6

With a forever funding horizon, the Foundation investment philosophy prioritizes the preservation of the original donor gift. A good number of the endowed funds donors created with the Foundation are given as unrestricted, which means the Foundation has the discretion to grant those annual earnings to meet pressing needs in Parke County. These funds are called Legacy Funds. The Foundation holds more than 40 Legacy Heritage Funds (\$10,000 or more) and five Legacy Heirloom Funds (\$100,000 or more). Earnings of more than \$150K are distributed from these funds annually. Check our website or contact the Foundation at www.parkeccf.org, or call us at 765-569-7223 for more information on how you can leave a lasting legacy in Parke County.

Scholarships are due March 6, 2023