

# Grants

Through engaged donors, Community Foundation of Henderson County supports many community causes with various competitive grantmaking processes. Grants are awarded to 501 (c)(3) or equivalent organizations to provide programs and services that help meet the challenging conditions within our community while holding true to each organization's mission. Strengthening the community through grantmaking and other services are elements critical to Community Foundation's mission of helping people who care make lasting contributions to causes that matter.

By utilizing the power of the Community Unrestricted Fund, the Perry N. Rudnick Endowment, Field of Interest Funds, and other unrestricted gifts, Community Foundation of Henderson County's competitive grantmaking programs are able to provide funding in a flexible manner with support and guidance that achieve grantmaking priorities and are responsive to the needs of the organizations and communities we serve. Competitive grants cover many areas of the nonprofit community. From providing basic needs and health to education, arts and culture, animal care, civic affairs and conservation, all facets of life are enhanced.

Community Foundation of Henderson County currently offers several grantmaking programs:

- Community Grants
- Perry N. Rudnick Endowment Fund Grants
- Field of Interest Fund Grants
  - Fletcher Community Fund Grants
  - WINS (Women in Need of Support)
  - Letter of Intent Opportunities for specified Program Areas

Applications and additional information can be found online at [www.CFHCforever.org](http://www.CFHCforever.org). For additional questions and information, please call us (828) 697-6224.

## Community Grants Competitive and Field of Interest

Community Foundation of Henderson County awarded the grants listed below from Unrestricted, Field of Interest, and matching Donor Advised Funds to improve the quality of life in our community. See pages 16 and 17 for additional awards by Donor Advised, Designated and Organizational Grants.

### Animal Care

**\$8,494**

**Appalachian Wildlife Refuge**  
Support for wildlife rehabilitation and the coordination and collaboration of the welfare of animals in Henderson County

**\$29,462**

**Blue Ridge Humane Society**  
Support for spaying, neutering, and the welfare and protection of animals in Henderson County

**\$3,494**

**Charlies Angels Animal Rescue**  
Support for the coordination and collaboration of the welfare of animals in Henderson County

**\$3,494**

**Henderson County Animal Services Center**  
Support for the coordination and collaboration of the welfare of animals in Henderson County

### Arts & Culture

**\$10,761**

**Arts Council of Henderson County**  
Support for equipment and programs of arts organizations in Henderson County and for 2019-2020 Betty Taylor Memorial Award recipient

**\$10,000**

**Center for Cultural Preservation, Inc.**  
Support for film project on Henderson County farming practices

**\$15,000**

**Flat Rock Playhouse**  
Support for theater upgrades (listening devices, lighting, and sound)

**\$15,000**

**Will and Deni McIntyre Foundation**  
David Holt's State of Music Season 5

### Civic & Community

**\$17,000**

**Camp Greystone**  
Camperships

**\$8,869**

**Camplify**  
Camperships for Falling Creek and Ton-A-Wanda campers

**\$755**

**City of Hendersonville**  
Main Street tree replacement

**\$12,000**

**Hola Community Arts**  
Translating support for Latinx community in Henderson County during COVID-19

**\$8,500**

**N.C. Cooperative Extension - Henderson County Center**  
Construction of a dedicated Community Outreach Resource Building

### Conservation

**\$9,825**

**Bullington Gardens, Inc.**  
Outreach Facility renovations

**\$7,500**

**N.C. Cooperative Extension - Henderson County Center**  
Bountiful Harvest Community Garden

### Education

**\$15,000**

**Economic Investment Fund of Henderson County, Inc.**  
Made in Henderson County

**\$15,000**

**Hands On! - A Child's Gallery**  
Renovations of facility's floors

**\$41,860**

**Henderson County Education Foundation, Inc.**  
Leader in Me Initiative

**\$9,700**

**Wingate University - Hendersonville**  
Henderson County Early Scholars program

### Health

**\$25,000**

**AdventHealth Hendersonville**  
Women's Behavioral Health Unit support

**\$2,000**

**Henderson County Free Medical Clinics, Inc.**  
Crawford Challenge

**\$25,000**

**Pardee Hospital Foundation, Inc.**  
Purchase and development of a mobile mammography unit to address late stage breast cancer

### Human Services

**\$8,878**

**Blue Ridge Literacy Council**  
Computer upgrades

**\$12,000**

**Camplify**  
Support for 5th grade leadership camps

**\$8,516**

**Council on Aging for Henderson County**  
Meals on Wheels program expansion

**\$25,000**

**Crossnore School & Children's Home**  
Training and supplies; vehicle purchase for therapeutic services

**\$3,000**

**The Haven of Transylvania County**  
Region 2 Transportation support

**\$685**

**Homes For Youth, Inc.**  
Support for capital campaign plan development

**\$8,000**

**Interfaith Assistance Ministry**  
Crawford Challenge

**\$40,000**

**Latino Advocacy Coalition**  
Education and mental health support

**\$20,000**

**MANNA Food Bank**  
Food distribution in Henderson County

**\$40,000**

**Pisgah Legal Services**  
Justice for All program

**\$3,000**

**Ronald McDonald House of Chapel Hill**  
Support for Henderson County families receiving treatment

**\$15,000**

**Safelight, Inc.**  
Support for Batterer Intervention program

**\$24,006**

**SPARC Foundation**  
Startup support for Family Centered Treatment program

**\$45,000**

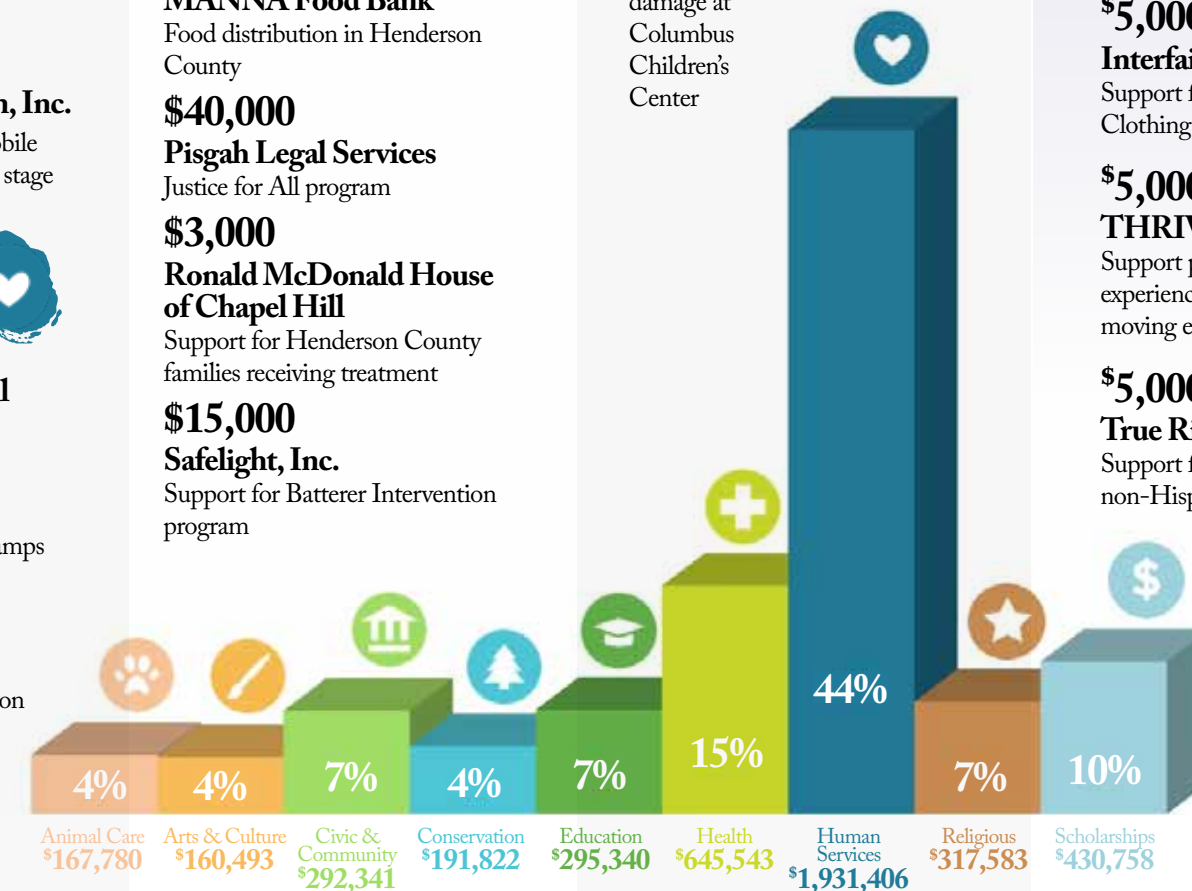
**St. Gerard House**  
Economic Impact Plan and Feasibility study

**\$10,000**

**THRIVE**  
Purchase of a minivan for safe transport of members

**\$5,000**

**Western Carolina Community Action, Inc.**  
Support for repairs from flood damage at Columbus Children's Center



The Women in Need of Support (WINS) Endowment Fund was established in 1989 by seven visionary women from Henderson County who were dedicated to helping women improve their lives. The WINS Fund provides resources to nonprofits that assist women in reaching their goals to obtain more education or training so they can improve their current situations and their lives. While the emphasis is on education and training, WINS grants may also be used to help nonprofits assist women going through a time of crisis or chaos.

2019-2020 WINS Grant Awards:

**\$5,000**

**Interfaith Assistance Ministry**  
Support for the Working Women's Clothing Closet

**\$5,000**

**THRIVE**  
Support program that assists women experiencing homelessness with deposits, moving expenses, and other costs

**\$5,000**

**True Ridge Foundation**  
Support for a safe haven for Hispanic and non-Hispanic women