

**BLUE GRASS**  
**COMMUNITY**  
**FOUNDATION**  
WE'RE IN IT FOR GOOD.



**MONEY  
DOESN'T  
GROW  
ON TREES.**

**It Grows in Endowments.**

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**Guide to Endowed Charitable Funds**

## Community Endowment Funds

Blue Grass Community Foundation's greatest impact comes through awarding grants from our community-centered funds. By pooling the resources of many, these funds can catalyze change and fund innovative solutions to the region's most challenging problems and interesting opportunities.

These funds are served by local boards that best understand community needs. These funds provide the flexibility needed to address the critical issues of today and for many generations to come.

Fund for Greater Lexington  
Boyle County Community Fund  
Clark County Community Foundation  
Franklin County Community Fund  
Harrison County Community Fund  
Madison County Community Fund  
Magoffin County Community Fund  
Our Foundation for Morgan County  
Rowan County Community Fund  
Woodford County Community Fund  
Fund for Appalachia Kentucky

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**“The best time to  
plant a tree was  
20 years ago.  
The second best  
time is now.”**

— Chinese Proverb

## Agency and Designated Funds

These funds help nonprofit organizations safeguard charitable dollars for the future of their work and their mission. Through an endowment with BGCF, nonprofits and donors are assured the funds are provided prudent stewardship and protection for the future. Anyone in our community can contribute to an endowment in any amount, at any time.

African American Forum Fund  
Baby Health Services Endowed Fund  
Battle of Richmond (KY) Fund  
Big Brothers Big Sisters of the  
Bluegrass Endowed Fund  
Blessing Hands Endowment Fund  
Bluegrass Greensource Endowment Fund  
Bluegrass Land Conservancy Fund  
Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center Endowed Fund  
BUILD  
(Building a United Interfaith Lexington  
through Direct Action)  
Camp Horsin' Around Endowment Fund  
Carnegie Center Endowment Fund  
CASA of Lexington Endowed Fund  
Central Kentucky Audubon Society Endowment  
Charles H. Stone Endowed Fund  
Child Development Centers of the Bluegrass  
Endowed Fund  
Children's Advocacy Center of the Bluegrass  
Endowed Fund  
Chrysalis House Endowed Fund  
Civic Leadership Fund to support BGCF  
Clark County Animal Shelter Fund  
Clark County Community Services  
Endowment Fund  
Clark County Homeless Coalition  
Endowment Fund  
Community Action Council Fund  
Community Action Council RSVP Fund  
Curious Forever Endowment Fund  
Elizabeth Cannon Fund  
to support the First Church of Christ, Scientist  
Ellen and Herb Moelis Industry Service Award  
to support Thoroughbred Charities of America  
Faith Feeds of Kentucky Endowed Fund  
Flight 5191 Memorial Preservation Fund  
Friedell Committee for  
Health Transformation Endowed Fund

Friends of McConnell Springs Endowed Fund  
Friends of the Kentucky Theatre  
Endowed Fund  
Frontier Nursing University Endowment  
FUMC of Cynthiana Endowed Fund  
Garbulinska Initiative Endowment Fund  
to support the Lexington Philharmonic  
Gateway Regional Arts Center  
God's Pantry Food Bank Hunger Relief Fund  
Greenhouse 17 Endowed Fund  
Growing Together Preschool Endowed Fund  
Harrison Memorial Hospital Agency  
Endowment Fund  
Headley-Whitney Endowment Fund  
Henry T. Duncan Memorial Fund  
to support the Fayette County Bar Association  
Historic Christ Church Preservation Fund  
Hope's Wings Endowment  
Hospice Care Plus Endowment Fund  
Hospice of the Bluegrass Fund  
J.K.R. McClanahan Foundation  
to support Eastland Church of God  
James F. Glenn Fund for Indigent Medical Care  
to support the University of Kentucky  
Human Needs Fund  
Jane Keeble Resident Education Fund  
to support the University of Kentucky  
Department of Surgery  
Jean B. Ezzell Foundation Account for First  
Presbyterian Church  
Jewish Federation of the Bluegrass Endowment  
Josephine Sculpture Park Endowment Fund  
Just Fund Education Project  
Kentucky Center for Performance Excellence  
Endowed Fund  
Kentucky Equal Justice Center  
Endowment Fund  
Kentucky Historical Society Kentucky Treasures  
Endowment  
Kentucky Law Enforcement Memorial  
Foundation Fund  
Kentucky Refugee Ministries Endowment Fund  
Kentucky Resources Foundation  
Kentucky River Foothills Development  
Council Fund  
LCHS Tuition Assistance Endowment Fund  
Leeds Center for the Arts Endowment Fund

LexArts Inc. Fund  
Lexington Children's Theatre Fund  
Lexington Community Radio  
Endowment Fund  
Lexington Fairness Endowment Fund  
Lexington History Museum Endowment Fund  
Lexington Humane Society Endowment Fund  
Lexington Philharmonic Orchestra Foundation  
Lexington Public Library Clock, Pendulum and  
Rotunda Preservation Fund  
Lexington Rescue Mission Endowed Fund  
Living Arts & Science Center Fund  
Lower Howard's Creek Heritage Park Fund  
Madison County Athenaeum Fund to support  
the Madison County Public Library  
in Berea and Richmond  
Martin Luther King Neighborhood Association  
Endowment Fund  
Mary Louise Young and Mary Lillard Young  
Fund to support Central Christian Church  
Migrant Network Coalition Quetzal  
Endowment Fund  
Millie E. and Gayle J. Adams Memorial Fund to  
support cancer research at the  
Lucille Markey Cancer Research Center  
Mission Lexington Endowed Fund  
Morehead Optimist Club Endowment Fund  
Mt. Sterling-Montgomery County  
Parks and Recreation  
New Opportunity School  
for Women Endowed Fund  
Newton's Attic Endowment Fund  
NoLi CDC Endowment Fund  
Nursing Home Ombudsman Agency Fund  
Ohavay Synagogue Endowed Fund  
Opera Lex Endowment  
Paris Animal Welfare Society Endowed Fund  
Paris-Bourbon County YMCA Endowed Fund  
Prichard Committee for Academic Excellence  
Endowed Fund  
Ralph W. Gabbard Educational Fund  
to support the Governor's Scholar Program  
for the Gabbard Communications Class  
Richmond Area Arts Council Endowed Fund  
Rose Mary C. Brooks Place Fund

## Agency and Designated Funds (cont.)

Saykaly Garbulinska Philharmonic Foundation  
Composer-In-Residence Fund  
Seton Catholic School Endowment Fund  
Shoulder to Shoulder Endowed Fund  
St. Agatha Academy Endowment Fund  
Surgery on Sunday Endowment Fund  
Sweet Blessings  
Temple Adath Israel Blue Grass Fund  
The Georgetown & Scott County  
Museum Foundation  
The Montessori High School Endowment Fund  
The Nest Center for Women, Children and Families  
The Plantory Endowed Fund  
The Providence Montessori Endowment Fund  
The United States Pony Clubs Inc.  
Endowment Fund  
Thoroughbred Charities of America  
Endowment Fund  
W. Paul and Lucille Caudill Little Endowment  
for Lexington Children's Theatre  
to support outreach programs in Elliot  
and Rowan counties  
W. Paul and Lucille Caudill Little Endowment  
for the Morehead Theatre Guild  
Wilderness Trace Child Development Center  
Endowed Fund  
Woodford County Rural Land Board  
Endowed Fund  
Zantker Endowed Fund for PJ Library Bluegrass

## Scholarship Funds

The Community Foundation manages scholarship funds to assist high school seniors, as well as undergraduate and graduate students. Contact us for more information about our funds or to establish your own fund.

### Add to this List!

As an individual donor, you can establish a charitable fund to support the causes you care about. You can also encourage your favorite nonprofits to invest in their futures by creating their own endowment funds at the Community Foundation. Please contact us to learn more.

## Endow Kentucky Tax Credits

The Endow Kentucky tax credit program was established by the Kentucky legislature in 2010 to increase current giving to endowment funds held at certified community foundations. Donors who contribute to endowment funds at qualifying community foundations can receive a tax credit of up to 20 percent of the value of their gift. The pool of tax credits opens on July 1 each year. Please contact us to learn more and to complete a preliminary tax credit application.

Blue Grass Community Foundation is a public charity established by local citizens in 1967 to promote giving and improve the quality of life in Lexington and the many communities we serve across Central and Appalachia Kentucky. The Community Foundation is a starting place for people who have always wanted to give and those who never knew they could.

By joining with us, your involvement can lead to a more generous, vibrant and engaged community.

