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Davis County Community Foundation

<http://foundation.daviscounty.org/>

Grants Awarded Today

\$88,387 Awarded

An estimated 8,000 Davis County residents will benefit from the 7th round of grants made by the Davis County Community Foundation.

The 15 grants, totaling \$88,387, support arts & culture, education, community betterment, health & recreation, and youth development.

The Foundation is awarded money from the Iowa County Endowment program. This program is a legislative initiative designed to foster the investment of philanthropic resources into local communities throughout the state.

The legislation requires that 25% of the funds be placed into a permanent

county endowment to be invested, and that 75% be awarded in grants or designated for specific projects.

In addition to the funds from the state legislation, the Foundation can assist donors who wish to make outright and testamentary gifts to the DCCF and support those charitable organizations important to them. DCC Foundation has received over \$26,000 from donors to the endowed fund.

The DC Foundation partners with organizations in projects---rarely does the Foundation cover all the costs of a project. In addition, applicants must legally be either a gov't entity, a 501c3 IRS designated group, or partner with a gov't entity or a 501c3 group.

Awardees

• City of Pulaski	Depot Upgrades	\$8,000
• DC Babe Ruth League	Fencing Renovation	\$2,500
• DC Conservation Board	Concrete Pads at Campsites	2,000
• DC Day Care & Preschool	Childcare Equipment	\$2,700
• Parks & Rec Board	Boat Dock	\$6,500
• DC Quail Forever	No-Till Drill	\$8,000
• Camp Wapello Preserv. Gr	Tractor/Mower/rock	\$4,000
• DC Historical Society	Chimney Work	\$7,150
• Bloomfield Main Street	Bloomfield Square Plan/IJOB Plan	\$20,000
• Davis County Elementary	iPad Lab	\$10,000
• Friends of Lake Wapello	Lighting at Park	\$2,000
• DC Courthouse Foundation	Clock Tower Lighting	\$6,262
• DC Tourism	Promotional Activities	\$5,000
• DC Ag Extension	Leadership Development	\$3,000
• DC High School	Defibrillator for HS Building	\$1.275