

NEWS RELEASE

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Fairfield County Foundation Announces Cycle 2 Grant Recipients

LANCASTER, Ohio – The Fairfield County Foundation recently announced the recipients for the second grant cycle of 2020. The Foundation awarded nine grants totaling \$138,792 at their July Board meeting.

"In the midst of so many challenges presented by the COVID-19 pandemic, we are pleased to be able to continue to provide support for these important community initiatives in Fairfield County," said Amy Eyman, Executive Director of the Fairfield County Foundation. "We encourage the community to take advantage of these opportunities and we look forward to conducting the third grant cycle!"

Below is a complete listing of the Cycle 2 grant recipients:

Alma S. Busby

Hospice of Central Ohio - Complementary therapies for Fairfield County patients

Ann Chess

Millersport Community Theatre - Lighting and sound equipment

George & Dollie L. Zimpfer Memorial

Fairfield Area Humane Society – Puppy Wing addition

Janet S. Crist

Evelyn Hazel Miller Foundation – Little libraries in Fairfield County communities

Pickering Family

Robert K Fox Family Y – Hot water heater

Terry A. McGhee/Sally J. Grimm Community Fund

Afterschool Programs of Lancaster – Laptops and printers for staff

Fairfield 33 Development Alliance – Fairfield County Career Readiness Program

United Way of Fairfield County – Dolly's Imagination Library

Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action – Recycling center packer truck

Following are the deadlines for the third and final grant cycle of 2020:

CYCLE 3:

- Preliminary Grants: Due second Monday in September September 14, 2020
- · Invitations to submit full grant sent second week of September
- · Grant Application: Due second Monday of October October 12, 2020
- Grant Committee recommendations to Board of Trustees for approval November 19, 2020

To view grant guidelines and preliminary grant application, visit <u>http://www.fairfieldcountyfoundation.org/grants/</u>. If you have any questions or would like to discuss applying in cycle 3, please contact Abby King at <u>aking@fairfieldcountyfoundation.org</u>.

About the Fairfield County Foundation:

The Fairfield County Foundation is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit that along with its supporters, helps to sustain and enhance the quality of life and economic viability in our community. Its scholarship program helps to sustain opportunities for local youth to achieve their academic goals. The Foundation was formed in 1989 and grants today continue to support the arts, children's programs, health and wellness projects, community development, academics, and more. For more information, call 740-654-8451 or visit <u>www.fairfieldcountyfoundation.org</u>.

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