

The Douglas County Community Foundation provides leadership and responsible stewardship of philanthropic resources to enrich the lives of every resident in Douglas County.

We are committed to responsibly managing philanthropic contributions, maintaining agile funds for emergencies, inspiring generosity, and providing support to local nonprofit organizations serving the needs within our community.

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# HOW WE HELP

Nonprofit Support Fundraising for the Community

Douglas County Gives FEATURE PROGRAM HIGHLIGHT:

Dauglas Has Heart

Douglas County Community
Foundation currently manages
a variety of private and public
grant funds, including the
Douglas County Has Heart
Fund, while also helping
facilitate grants for Douglas
County's Philip S. Miller fund.
We provide guidance and
consultancy services to
nonprofits based in Douglas
County without charge to help
our nonprofit partners have
the tools and guidance to
thrive.

Thanks to the generous financial contributions of donors, we have established a Community Emergency Relief fund which can be quickly accessed and distributed to those in Douglas County who need it most, when they need it most. The Kendrick Castillo Memorial Fund also calls DCCF home.

As the regional champion for Colorado Gives Day, Douglas County Community Foundation promotes Douglas County nonprofits through the Colorado Gives Day fundraising program. Our expertise in philanthropy as well as marketing and promotion allows participating nonprofits a unique and powerful opportunity to raise funds and awareness in December of each year.

Fund Balance \$3.994

Donations \$13.994

Grants Made \$70.000



\$278,000 IN 2024

Total amount of grants distributed to Douglas County nonprofit organizations through our various community grant programs this year.

2.11 2.11 \$1.5M IN 2024 Amount raised during Colorado Gives Day 2023 by participating Douglas County nonprofit organizations.

250+

Number of individual grants awarded to Douglas County nonprofit organizations, Symposium attendees, and the number of anticipated nonprofits featured supported by Douglas County Gives Giving.

\$1,321,187

Amount donated and raised this year in support of Douglas County Community Foundation initiatives, programs, and in support of.

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# INVESTMENT UPDATE

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Your generous gift, along with other gifts from Douglas County governmental jurisdictions, allowed DCCF to maintain our focus of utilizing private donations for impact. With administrative expenses supported by governmental jurisdictions whom we serve, we were able to leverage all private individual and corporate donations to our grant cycles, resource events, and community funds. This past year we had a record-breaking number of organizations apply for funding and doubled our grant dollars in support of their amazing causes. Through our work as Regional Champion for Colorado Gives Day, we helped our local nonprofits raise over 2.1 million dollars. We also held our very first symposium to a sold-out crowd of philanthropists and charities. We believe that with your support, our community foundation thrives, and when we thrive, our nonprofits thrive. And we can all agree that when our nonprofits thrive so does Douglas County.



### PHILANTHROPIC SUPPORT

DCCF looks forward to expanding our reach to help more donors and philanthropists in Douglas County truly embrace their giving potential. We are eager to launch our DAF program by the end of year, recently went to RFP for an investment partner, and can now accept gifts of stock on behalf of smaller Nonprofits. DCCF will also have a record breaking amount of internal funds to grant out in 2026!

#### SYMPOSIUM

Because of your support, DCCF hosted our first ever Symposium engaging businesses, nonprofits, and other community stakeholders for a day of education, collaboration, and growth. We sold out with over 100 people in attendance.

#### MORE FUNDS

We now administer not only our own grant program, but two external programs (Opioid & PSM), as well as manage five funds (Castillo, HEART, CERF, Roose, Klobetanz, Garden).

Thank You!