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AMHERST, OH – The Nord Family Foundation announced the list of nonprofit organizations in the fields of health and social services, education, civic affairs, and arts that have been awarded grants this cycle. At the June 25, 2016 Board of Trustees meeting, grants approved totaled $1,701,968 to be disbursed in Lorain County, Ohio; Cuyahoga County, Ohio; Columbia, South Carolina; Metro Denver, Colorado; Boston, Massachusetts; Penn Yan, New York and other areas of interest. Fifty-eight other actions totaling $92,555 were also ratified at the meeting bringing the total grants authorized in this round to $1,794,523. Attached is a complete list of the grants authorized by the Trustees at their recent meeting.

The Nord Family Foundation is a successor to the charitable trust originally established by Walter G. Nord in 1952. The predecessor organization contributed more than $12 million to a variety of charitable causes between 1953 and 1988, primarily in Lorain County, Ohio. The Nord Family Foundation has contributed more than $111 million to nonprofit organizations in northern Ohio and selected geographic areas of family interest.

The Foundation’s grantmaking guidelines, annual report and Faces of Philanthropy videos are available at www.nordff.org or you may write to 747 Milan Avenue, Amherst, Ohio 44001, or call 440/984-3939. The Foundation only accepts grant applications on-line. The application can be accessed through the Grant Applications tab on our website. The Board of Trustees of the Nord Family Foundation will meet again in October 2016. Deadline for consideration of online grant applications is August 1, 2016.
## Arts and Culture

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<td>The Columbia Film Society</td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Columbia, SC</td>
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<td>Curious Theatre Company</td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>Denver, CO</td>
<td>in support of the Curious New Voices Youth Playwriting Program</td>
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<td>Ingenuity, Cleveland Festival of Art and Technology, Inc.</td>
<td>$9,500</td>
<td>Cleveland, OH</td>
<td>in support of Dancer's Dérive: A Journey of the Unplanned and Unexpected</td>
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<td>The MAD* Factory</td>
<td>$50,000</td>
<td>Oberlin, OH</td>
<td>in continued support for general operations</td>
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<td>Musical Arts Association</td>
<td>$180,000</td>
<td>Cleveland, OH</td>
<td>in continued support of education programming, over three years</td>
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<td>Neos Dance Theatre</td>
<td>$10,000</td>
<td>Ashland, OH</td>
<td>in support of Oberlin Summer Dance Intensive</td>
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<td>The Nord Family Foundation Initiative</td>
<td>$100,000</td>
<td>Oberlin, OH</td>
<td>in continued support of capacity building for arts programs in Lorain County</td>
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<td>Northern Ohio Youth Orchestra, Inc.</td>
<td>$35,000</td>
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<td>Oberlin Choristers</td>
<td>$37,500</td>
<td>Oberlin, OH</td>
<td>in continued support of general operations and administrative enhancements</td>
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**Total Arts and Culture**

(9 items) $482,000

## Civic Affairs

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<td>Denver, CO</td>
<td>in continued support of the Career Readiness Program</td>
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<td>Colorado Juvenile Defender Center</td>
<td>$24,000</td>
<td>Denver, CO</td>
<td>in support of the Believe in Youth program</td>
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<td>Forum of Regional Associations of Grantmakers</td>
<td>$5,000</td>
<td>Washington, DC</td>
<td>in support of the 2016 Joint Policy Institute</td>
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**ideastream**
Cleveland, OH
in continued support of regional broadcasts

**JumpStart Inc.**
Cleveland, OH
toward We Can Code IT in support of Coding Boot camps.

**The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland**
Cleveland, OH
in continued support of Homeless Prevention for Lorain County Residents

**Lorain Palace Civic Center**
Lorain, OH
in support of SAFETY FIRST: Restoring the Palace Theater's foundation

**Maltz Museum of Jewish Heritage**
Beachwood, OH
in continued support of Stop the Hate: Youth Sing Out

**Neighborhood Leadership Institute**
Cleveland, OH
in support of MyCom's Youth Engagement programs

**Yates Cultural and Recreational Resources, Inc.**
Penn Yan, NY
in continued support for the "You're Welcome" Program

**Total Civic Affairs**
(10 items)

**Education**

**Camp Discovery at His Acres**
Blythewood, SC
in continued support of general operations

**Craig Hospital Foundation**
Englewood, CO
in support of The Spinal Cord Injury (SCI) Scholars Fund for the Education Programs

**EdVenture Children's Museum**
Columbia, SC
in support of the Community Engagement Initiative

**Effective Leadership Academy**
Beachwood, OH
in support of Camp LEAD programming for Lorain County students

**The Epiphany School**
Dorchester, MA
in continued support of general operations

**Florence Crittenton Services of Colorado**
Denver, CO
in support of the Healthy, Self-Sufficient Teen Families Project
Junior Achievement of Greater Cleveland, Inc.  
Cleveland, OH  
in continued support of K-12 Economic Education Programs for Lorain County students  
$12,000

Lorain County Community College  
Elyria, OH  
in continued support of "Atmosphere Adventures" science enrichment program presentations  
$9,000

MAGNET: The Manufacturing Advocacy and Growth Network  
Cleveland, OH  
in support of Manufacturing Success programming in Midview Schools  
$30,000

Midview Local School District  
Grafton, OH  
in support of Project Lead the Way's Biomedical Science and Launch program expansion  
$70,000

Saint Martin de Porres High School  
Cleveland, OH  
in support of professional development  
$50,000

Trinity Housing Corporation  
Columbia, SC  
in continued support for St. Lawrence Place Children's Program  
$25,000

Total Education  
(12 items)  
$346,000

Health and Social Services

The Free Medical Clinic  
Columbia, SC  
in support of general operations  
$30,000

Inner City Health Center  
Denver, CO  
in continued support for the Dental Department  
$15,000

The Lantern  
Cleveland, OH  
toward long-term residential opiate recovery programming for Lorain County residents  
$12,000

Lorain County Office on Aging  
Elyria, OH  
in continued support for the Kinship Caregiver Program  
$25,000

Mental Illness Recovery Center, Inc.  
Columbia, SC  
in continued support for Homeless Outreach, Supportive Housing and Assertive Community Treatment (ACT) services  
$30,000

Metro CareRing  
Denver, CO  
in support of core programming  
$25,000
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<td>in continued support of Transitions</td>
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<td>Milly's Pantry, Inc.</td>
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<td>Penn Yan, NY</td>
<td>in continued support for The School Supplies Program in Yates County</td>
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<td>North Coast Health</td>
<td>$15,000</td>
<td>Lakewood, OH</td>
<td>in continued support for the Charitable Care Program</td>
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<td>Peer Health Exchange, Inc.</td>
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<td>Boston, MA</td>
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<td>SafeHouse Denver, Inc.</td>
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<td>in continued support for the Counseling and Advocacy Center</td>
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<td>The Salvation Army - Elyria, OH</td>
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<td>Salvation Army of the Midlands</td>
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<td>Second Harvest Food Bank of North Central Ohio</td>
<td>$75,000</td>
<td>Lorain, OH</td>
<td>in continued support of the Lorain County Partner Hunger-Relief Network</td>
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<td>Sistercare, Inc.</td>
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<td>Step 13, Inc.</td>
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<td>Warren Village, Inc.</td>
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<td>WEDONTWASTE, INC.</td>
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<td>Denver, CO</td>
<td>in support for the Food Rescue &amp; Delivery Program</td>
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<td>The Women's Shelter</td>
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<td>YWCA of Elyria</td>
<td>$36,068</td>
<td>Elyria, OH</td>
<td>in continued support of the Youth Development Program</td>
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**Total Health and Social Services**

(20 items) $561,068
Other

The Foundation Center  $5,000
Cleveland, OH  
in continued support of general operations

Total Other  $5,000
(1 item)

Grand Total  $1,701,968
(52 items)