

THE
NORD
Family Foundation



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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 16, 2018 Board of Trustees meeting, grants approved totaled \$2,269,149 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. Thirty-eight other actions totaling \$84,826 were also ratified at the meeting bringing the total grants authorized in this round to \$2,353,975. 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 \$124 million to nonprofit organizations in northern Ohio and selected geographic areas of family interest.

The Foundation's grantmaking guidelines, prior press releases and Faces of Philanthropy videos are available at www.nordff.org. The Foundation only accepts grant applications online, accessible through the *Information for Grantseekers* tab on our website. The Board of Trustees of the Nord Family Foundation will meet again in October 2018. The next deadline for consideration of online grant applications is August 1, 2018.

The Nord Family Foundation Approved Grants – June 16, 2018

Arts and Culture

Cleveland Opera Theater	\$35,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
The Columbia Film Society	\$50,000
Columbia, SC <i>in continued support of core programming including the Nickelodeon Theatre and Indie Grits Labs</i>	
Curious Theatre Company	\$60,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of Curious New Voices and New Play Development programs, over three years</i>	
Lorain Historical Society	\$15,000
Lorain, OH <i>in support of 2017-2018 Programming: Engaging Diverse Audiences and Increasing Social Impact</i>	
The MAD* Factory	\$50,000
Oberlin, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Neos Dance Theatre	\$130,000
Ashland, OH <i>in support of advancing dance related arts in Lorain County, over two years</i>	
Northern Ohio Youth Orchestra, Inc.	\$50,000
Oberlin, OH <i>in continued support of general operations and 50th Anniversary fundraising goal support</i>	
Oberlin Choristers	\$40,000
Oberlin, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Total Arts and Culture	\$430,000
(8 items)	

Civic Affairs

Blythewood Historical Society	\$15,000
Blythewood, SC <i>toward the renovation of the historical museum at the Langford-Nord House for the Blythewood Historical Society and Museum</i>	
Boys Hope Girls Hope	\$50,000
Garfield Heights, OH <i>in support of the Academy Center construction project</i>	

Causewave Community Partners, Inc.	\$25,000
Rochester, NY <i>toward capacity-building for nonprofit organizations in Yates County</i>	
Center for Work Education and Employment	\$10,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support of the Career Readiness Program</i>	
Christ Episcopal Church	\$9,175
Oberlin, OH <i>toward dishwasher upgrade</i>	
Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas	\$70,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in support of a Coordinator position for Cuyahoga County Recovery Court</i>	
Dudley Street Neighborhood Initiative, Inc.	\$50,000
Roxbury, MA <i>toward the Development without Displacement Initiative</i>	
The Episcopal Diocese of Ohio	\$34,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in support of Bellwether Farm/JumpStart Collaborative</i>	
The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland	\$100,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of the Housing Stability Project, over two years</i>	
Lorain City Schools	\$100,000
Lorain, OH <i>in support of peer-to-peer exchanges for the current Lorain City Schools' CEO and leadership team, over two years</i>	
The Philanthropy Roundtable	\$6,000
Washington, DC <i>in support for the Alliance for Charitable Reform</i>	
Rise Colorado	\$90,000
Aurora, CO <i>in support of a Chief of Staff position, over three years</i>	
The Road to Hope, Inc.	\$30,000
Elyria, OH <i>in support of capital improvements</i>	
Rocky Mountain Microfinance Institute	\$15,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Western Reserve Land Conservancy	\$20,000
Moreland Hills, OH <i>in support of an update of the 2013 Lorain Property Inventory</i>	
Total Civic Affairs	\$624,175
(15 items)	

Education

Denver Kids, Inc.	\$10,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Florence Crittenton Services of Colorado	\$25,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support of Academic and Life Success for Two Generations</i>	
Midview Local School District	\$67,000
Grafton, OH <i>in continued support of Project Lead The Way expansion and implementation</i>	
Saint Martin de Porres High School	\$50,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Teach For America, Inc.	\$120,000
Charleston, SC <i>in continued support of general operations, over two years</i>	
Youth On Record	\$75,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of Teaching Artists, over three years</i>	
YWCA of Greater Cleveland	\$10,000
Cleveland, OH <i>toward the Outdoor Classroom for YWCA's trauma-informed two-generational Early Learning Center</i>	
Total Education (7 items)	\$357,000

Health and Social Services

Columbia Free Medical Clinic, Inc.	\$15,000
Columbia, SC <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Echoing Hills Village, Inc.	\$48,974
Warsaw, OH <i>in support of community-based transportation</i>	
Home Works of America, Inc.	\$120,000
Columbia, SC <i>in support of sustaining and scaling the Health Works Program, an expansion of the HWoA mission, over two years</i>	
Inner City Health Center	\$30,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support for dental services for at-risk individuals</i>	
Lorain County Office on Aging	\$30,000
Elyria, OH <i>in continued support of the Lorain County Kinship Caregiver Program</i>	

Mental Illness Recovery Center, Inc.	\$50,000
Columbia, SC <i>in continued support of the Supportive Housing Program for Youth and Housing and Homeless Services</i>	
The Nord Family Foundation Initiative	\$300,000
Amherst, OH <i>for the initial infrastructure stabilization project of Golden Acres and for the capital campaign</i>	
Palmetto Place Children's Shelter	\$20,000
Columbia, SC <i>in continued support of the Unaccompanied Youth Program</i>	
Passages Connecting Fathers and Sons, Inc.	\$25,000
Cleveland, OH <i>toward the Passages, Inc.: Lorain County Jobs for Dads Program</i>	
Providence House, Inc.	\$25,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of crisis services for children and their families from Lorain County</i>	
SafeHouse Denver, Inc.	\$25,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support of the Counseling and Advocacy Center</i>	
The Salvation Army - Elyria, OH	\$50,000
Elyria, OH <i>in continued support of core programming in Elyria and Lorain</i>	
Sistercare, Inc.	\$44,000
Columbia, SC <i>in continued support of the Early Intervention Counseling Program</i>	
Urban Peak Denver	\$15,000
Denver, CO <i>toward Shelter and Supportive Services for Homeless Youth</i>	
Warren Village, Inc.	\$25,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of the Self-Sufficiency Program</i>	
The Women's Shelter	\$15,000
Columbia, SC <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Total Health and Social Services	\$837,974
(16 items)	

Other

National Center for Family Philanthropy

\$20,000

Washington, DC

in support of Pride of Place, a comprehensive research report that will allow giving families and others to assess their practices and approaches to place-based giving to be presented at the 20th Anniversary Symposium

Total Other
(1 item)

\$20,000

Grand Total
(47 items)

\$2,269,149