

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 October 20, 2018 Board of Trustees meeting, grants approved totaled \$2,357,000 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. Twenty-eight other actions totaling \$60,471 were also ratified at the meeting bringing the total grants authorized in this round to \$2,417,471. 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 \$126 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 February 2019. The next deadline for consideration of online grant applications is December 3, 2018.

The Nord Family Foundation Approved Grants – October 20, 2018
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Arts and Culture

Firelands Association for the Visual Arts	\$55,000
Oberlin, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Great Lakes Theater Festival, Inc.	\$20,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of theater education programming in Lorain County</i>	
Oberlin College	\$25,000
Oberlin, OH <i>in continued support of Oberlin Community Music School scholarships</i>	
Total Arts and Culture (3 items)	\$100,000

Civic Affairs

Catholic Charities Corporation	\$110,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of Coordinated Entry for Lorain County, OH</i>	
Colorado Juvenile Defender Center	\$25,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of Education First: School to Prison Pipeline Project</i>	
Community Shares of Colorado	\$15,000
Denver, CO <i>toward Executive Leadership Institute Expansion</i>	
Dobama Theatre	\$20,000
Cleveland Heights, OH <i>in support of capital renovations</i>	
Emerald Development & Economic Network, Inc.	\$100,000
Cleveland, OH <i>to purchase property for a permanent supportive housing project in Lorain County</i>	
Health Law Advocates, Inc.	\$15,000
Boston, MA <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Keuka College	\$40,000
Keuka Park, NY <i>in support of Teaching Laboratory for Undergraduate Nursing Program</i>	
More Than Words, Inc.	\$25,000
Waltham, MA <i>in continued support of work-based social enterprise program in Boston, MA</i>	

Oberlin Community Services Council	\$72,000
Oberlin, OH <i>toward Refrigerated Truck for Food Distribution</i>	
Ohio Campus Compact	\$10,000
Granville, OH <i>toward the Ohio Campus Election Engagement Project in Lorain County</i>	
Second Harvest Food Bank of North Central Ohio	\$75,000
Lorain, OH <i>toward Refrigerated Semi-Trailer & Day Cab Tractor for Food Distribution</i>	
Social Finance, Inc.	\$25,000
Boston, MA <i>in support of strengthening high-need Ohio communities by developing an outcomes rate card to reduce infant mortality and improve birth outcomes</i>	
Total Civic Affairs (12 items)	\$532,000

Education

Cleveland Council on World Affairs	\$10,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of the Model United Nations Program 2018-2019 for Lorain County students</i>	
Colorado Seminary	\$30,000
Denver, CO <i>toward Expanding Restorative Practices in Denver Public Schools</i>	
The Diversity Center of Northeast Ohio	\$20,000
Cleveland, OH <i>toward Building Youth Leadership through Cultural Exchanges in Lorain County</i>	
DSST Public Schools Foundation	\$150,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of DSST - Aurora Expansion, over three years</i>	
The Epiphany School	\$30,000
Dorchester, MA <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Lake Erie Nature and Science Center	\$40,000
Bay Village, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Little Lighthouse Learning Center	\$50,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
University Circle, Inc.	\$15,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of the Early Learning Initiative</i>	

Vital Connections of the Midlands, Inc.	\$35,000
Columbia, SC <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Total Education	\$380,000
(9 items)	
<u>Health and Social Services</u>	
Boys & Girls Clubs of Lorain County	\$50,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Catholic Charities Corporation	\$80,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in continued support of the St. Elizabeth Center and the Elyria Family Center</i>	
El Centro De Servicios Sociales	\$300,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of general operations and the community development program, over three years</i>	
Enterprise Community Partners, Inc.	\$100,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in support of general operations, over two years</i>	
Family Planning Services of Lorain County	\$70,000
Elyria, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
The Gathering Place	\$30,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Homeless No More, Inc.	\$90,000
Columbia, SC <i>in continued support of core programming</i>	
Inquilinos Boricuas en Accion	\$25,000
Boston, MA <i>in support of the Resident Services Program</i>	
Lorain County Free Clinic, Inc.	\$80,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Lorain County General Health District	\$30,000
Elyria, OH <i>in continued support of the Lorain County Drug Repository Program</i>	
Lorain County Lutheran/Presbyterian Cooperative Ministry	\$15,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of general operations</i>	
Lovin' Spoonfuls, Inc.	\$30,000
Boston, MA <i>toward Lovin' Spoonfuls Food Rescue Program</i>	

Metro Denver Partners	\$25,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of the Gang Rescue and Support Project (GRASP)</i>	
Neighborhood Alliance	\$50,000
Lorain, OH <i>in continued support of the Senior Enrichment Services Home Delivered Meals Program</i>	
The Nord Center	\$100,000
Lorain, OH <i>in support of implementation of The Nord Center's strategic plan</i>	
The Nord Family Foundation Initiative	\$50,000
Amherst, OH <i>in continued support of the development and implementation of a coordinated collective response to the opiate/opioid crisis in Lorain County</i>	
Providence Network	\$20,000
Denver, CO <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Save Our Youth	\$50,000
Denver, CO <i>in continued support of one-to-one Mentoring and Education Programs</i>	
Stone Soup CLE, Inc.	\$40,000
Cleveland, OH <i>in support of general operations</i>	
Vocational Guidance Services	\$60,000
Elyria, OH <i>in continued support of the Elyria Center</i>	
Youth Challenge	\$15,000
Westlake, OH <i>in continued support for adapted sports and recreational programs for children with physical disabilities from Lorain County</i>	
Total Health and Social Services	\$1,310,000
(21 items)	
<u>Other</u>	
Philanthropy Ohio	\$35,000
Columbus, OH <i>in continued support of general operations and the Education Initiative</i>	
Total Other	\$35,000
(1 item)	
Grand Total	\$2,357,000
(46 items)	