



## HERE FOR GOOD

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Volume 8

### YOUR GIFTS AT WORK

Since 2008 GGCF has given out and gotten grants for Glendive nonprofit projects totaling \$118,662.

### Board Members

- > Peggy Iba
- > Bruce Miller
- > Angie Hagen
- > Janine Huschka
- > Betsey Hedrick
- > Eric Knudsen
- > Pam Feisthamel
- > LaNette Simonton
- > Charity Schreibeis
- > Would you like to help?

*We make a living by what we get.  
We make a life by what we give.  
~ Sir Winston Churchill*

Generous Montanans have entrusted MT Community Foundation with over 1,200 philanthropic funds to benefit communities across this great state. Greater Glendive CF is one of 75 community foundations in Montana.

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## 2021 GRANTS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Greater Glendive granted \$6000 this year to GROW, Friends of Makoshika, DCEDC for T-Rex repair and Yellowstone Plains Foundation for downtown statues. Greater Glendive is honored with your trust to fund projects that benefit the Greater Glendive area.

### G.R.O.W. Glendive Recycles Our Waste

GROW's 33 active volunteers are keeping recycled material out of the landfill. They have recycled 4 truckloads of cardboard of 102 tons each, freeing 408 cubic yards in the landfill. The plastic baler they got this summer has baled 15 pallets or a ton of water bottles and milk jugs. They are humbled by the support and used the grant from GGCF for signage to thank donors. They have 10 recycle containers in the community and schools and give educational programs.



The Friends of Makoshika's grant was for a movie projector system for the park's amphitheater which they combined

with other grants to purchase the laser projector, JBL sound system, microphone and 25' screen. The amphitheater will host movies monthly next summer where you can also check out the McDonough Pavilion.

The EPEC T-Rex will be getting a facelift and total body repair with new boards, lighting and will be freshly painted by Charity Schreibeis. You can help fund the EPEC T-Rex repair through GoFundMe. [www.gofundme.com/epec-trex-repair-project](http://www.gofundme.com/epec-trex-repair-project) or send a check direct to DCEDC, Box 173, Glendive with a note it's for T-Rex.

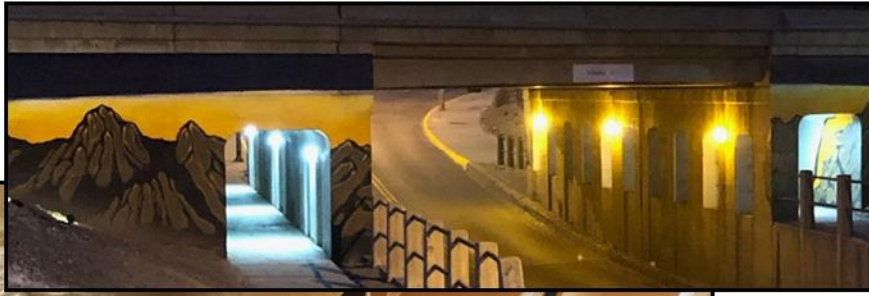


We are blessed Pamela Harr has adopted Glendive and is making our main streets a 24/7 art gallery with a bronze statue trail. Her latest, **It's Gonna Be a Rodeo** on both sides of Towne & Kendrick is the only double statue in MT.

She donates her time and talents but the foundry fees are an investment that takes a village. Consider donating to Yellowstone Plains Foundation, Box 1184, Glendive, for any of her future life-size bronzes.



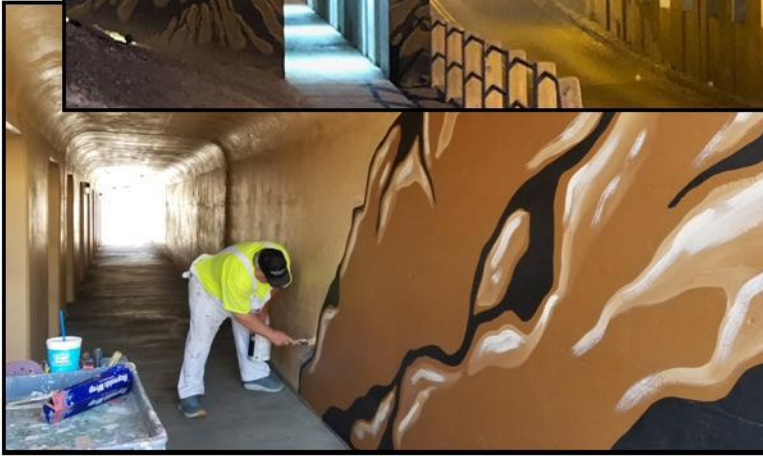




## FINISHING TOUCHES

Bruce Miller, board member and professional painter spearheaded painting the walkways and railings and lighting of the Barry Underpass. This adds finishing touches to the landscaping beautification GGCF has worked on the last three years.

Thanks to these folks who jumped in to pay for the installation of LED lighting last year: Doyle Keaster, First American Title, Betsey Hedrick, Mari Brant, Tori Zander, Lance Silha, Paul Zumpf, Vicki Turtle, Gary & Lynell Miller, Muleskinner BBQ, Anthony Olmstead, Sherry & Arvid Corneliusen, Leslie Hunter, Mary Geiger, Jay Miller and Shawn Walker Electric. Funds went directly to the city who agreed to upkeep if funds were raised. Bruce said "I'm glad we did a beautiful thing for Glendive."



## PLANNED GIVING A WIN-WIN

**Think of the Greater Glendive Community Foundation as your adopted child. List them as a beneficiary in your will, IRA, stock or insurance.**

The **Montana Endowment Tax Credit** was a win-win for the donors saving on taxes and five years later GGCF endowment got a \$25,000 boost when four planned gifts matured. The owners donated the planned gift annuity to the beneficiary-GGCF. The 90 year old has been getting 5% interest payments the last five years with the option of continuing until

the end of life, the balance then going to GGCF. The Montana Endowment Tax Credit can help you too. It allows donors to make planned gifts of \$2500 or more and receive a MT tax credit equal to **40%** of the charitable value of the gift. The gift can be in the form of cash or stocks and can provide the donor with annual income payments.

**For businesses it is much easier.** They can simply write a check of any size to qualify for a **20% MT tax credit**. All gifts to a Montana endowment also qualify for federal **tax deductions**.

For more information on gift planning funded with investments, art, land and livestock, contact Heather Ohs, Philanthropy Office at [heather@mtcf.org](mailto:heather@mtcf.org), 406-671-9843 or [www.mtcf.org](http://www.mtcf.org)



**Give Local  
Glendive**



Greater Glendive Community Foundation coordinated **Give Local Glendive** on the national Give Local Day in May at the Gallery. Over \$20,000 was raised to help 21 local nonprofits from Frontier Gateway Museum to Boy Scouts and Love Like Justice. Thanks to the nonprofit volunteers with missions to improve our community and **THANK YOU** for helping make dreams come true.



## MEMORIALS & GIFTS TO GREATER GLENDIVE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

**2021**

**In memory of Bob Allen Baker**

Jay & Shelly Morasko

**In memory of Sherry Bergland**

Deborah J. Crennen

**In memory of Pat Peterson Boje**

Jay & Shelly Morasko

C.J. Milne Family Trust

**In memory of Matt Brown**

Deborah & Tim Crennen

**In memory of Tom Hughes**

Keith E. & Jan Robinson

George V. Samuelson

Shirley Mathews

Deborah & Tim Crennen

Judy and Gary Huncovsky

Verle Jones

Louellen Crennen

C.J. Milne Family Trust

Margaret A. Crennen

**In memory of Don Jenner**

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**In memory of Pat Jones**

Keith & Janet Robinson

Kristi Rager

Jay & Shelly Morasko

Deborah & Tim Crennen

**In memory of Edeltraud Kron**

Deborah & Tim Crennen

**In memory of Gary Kunick**

LaVerne A. Trangmoe

**In memory of Rita McGovern**

Kathy & Bob Ackerman

Brenner Averett & Co. PC

Kisti Rager

Peggy and Mike Iba

**In memory of Leroy Moline**

Donna & Steve Merrill

Gloria Garceau-Glaser

Peggy & Mike Iba

**In memory of Helen Mittlestedt**

LaVerne A. Trangmoe

**In memory of Don Mullendore**

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**In Memory of Cherie Oakland**

Deb & Tim Crennen

Michael Hughes

**In memory of Elizabeth O'Dea**

Jay & Shelly Morasko

**In memory of Alvin Odenbach**

C.J. Milne Family Trust

**In memory of Jacob Popp**

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**In memory of Delores Prank**

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**In memory of Leona Rahr**

LaVerne Trangmoe

**In memory of Marge Reynolds**

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Jay & Shelly Morasko

**In memory of Janet Rowe**

Kathy & Bob Ackerman

**In memory of Dick Sadorf**

Kathy & Bob Ackerman

**In memory of "Gerry" Craig**

Schultz

Jay & Shelly Morasko

**In memory of Lisa Shields**

Peggy & Mike Iba

**In memory of Mark Simon**

Hope D. Simon

**In memory of Harry Trangmoe**

LaVerne A. Trangmoe

**In memory of Clint Sallee**

Keith & Janet Robinson

**\$10,000 Plus**

**Planned gifts transferred**

Peggy & Mike Iba

Arlene B Legare

**Community Gold**

Stockman Bank

Myrna Kintz

Badlands Drifters, Inc.

Jay & Shelly Morasko

LaNette Simonton

Pam Feisthamel

John & Marilyn Olson

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Susan & Bruce Peterson

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Bruce Miller

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Michele & Gary Carpenter

Healthy Essentials, LLC

Kyle & Eileen Milne

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Mary Lou Ayre

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Margaret D. Reynolds

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Lynell Miller

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## MURALS REPLACE BOARDED-UP WINDOWS

With a grant from Reimagining Rural and the MT Community Foundation, the DCHS art class under the direction of Charity Schreibeis, painted murals to cover boarded up second story windows. A bonus from the project is that some businesses refurbished their windows to use their second story. The Magic Diamond is for sale, so that building mural is on hold. This year the grant is committed to the EPEC T-Rex repair and a "welcome to Glendive" event for newcomers chosen by attendees of Reimagining Rural.

Kenna Gabbert



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GROWING A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE  
FOR DAWSON COUNTY.

Dear Donor:

We are proud of our work as seen throughout this newsletter. Thank you for your trust and investment to benefit our community and county for generations to come.

Now more than ever, we know that the future is hard to predict. We also know that we will continue to need resources to fuel our mission. To help ensure a strong future for our organization and our community, the Greater Glendive Community Foundation established an endowment fund at the Montana Community Foundation (MCF) for the permanent benefit of our organization's vital work.

**You can play a part in our future, making an impact for generations to come.**

Even better, qualified contributions to this endowment enable donors to take advantage of the **Montana Endowment Tax Credit (METC)** – **a direct credit toward your Montana state tax liability**. Individuals can claim up to \$10,000 in METC annually or \$20,000 for couples filing jointly, and business donors are eligible for up to \$10,000 as well. If you are able to make a gift of contribution of \$2,500 or more to benefit Greater Glendive Community Foundation and could benefit from receiving a direct credit on your income tax, this is an excellent opportunity to consider. **Here's how it works:**

MT considers "planned gifts" from individuals such as charitable gift annuities, deferred gift annuities, charitable trusts and paid up life insurance to be qualifying donations for the METC. Your contribution is made directly to MCF and set up as a planned gift that will provide future benefit to the Greater Glendive Community Foundation.

- Charitable gift annuities offer lifetime income payments until you die and the remainder is transferred to GGCF.
- Deferred gift annuities are invested and held in your name for five years as required by the state. You can then relinquish the annuity and the balance which has grown is transferred to the GGCF endowment.

MCF handles all administrative details and investment responsibilities for our fund. To learn more if this can be a win-win for you and GGCF, contact Heather Ohs, Philanthropy Office at 406-671-9843 or [heather@mtcf.org](mailto:heather@mtcf.org).

**Your gifts and memorials, large and small help continue the good work being done.** A study from 2011 shows we are in the greatest transfer of wealth in the next 50 years from one generation to another. In Montana \$123 billion will transfer to the next generation by 2060. If just 5% stayed in endowments in the communities that helped build that wealth and we gave out 5% of the growth annually, we would have \$234,000 to give away annually in Dawson County to projects that better our community and the people living here. Please consider giving online or by mailing a check to GGCF, Box 1122, Glendive, MT 59330. Check all the ways you can give at [www.mtcf.org](http://www.mtcf.org), like adding GGCF to your will or as a beneficiary on investments or life insurance.

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