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YOUR GIFTS AT WORK

Since 2008 GGCF has given out and gotten grants for Glendive nonprofit projects totaling \$162,503.

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- > Peggy Iba
- > Mary Ann Phipps
- > Angie Hagen
- > Janine Huschka
- > Pam Feisthamel
- > LaNette Simonton
- > Paula Moline
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*We make a living by what we get.
We make a life by what we give.
- Sir Winston Churchill*

Greater Glendive CF is one of 75 community foundations in Montana. We are affiliated with the MT Community Foundation which professionally manages 1400 funds and \$178.5 million in assets.

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GRANTS IMPROVE QUALITY OF LIFE

Thanks to generous donors like you investing in Glendive through the Greater Glendive Community Foundation, \$12,500 was granted in May to fund four different community projects.



DCHS Art Department received \$2500 for community murals.



Dawson 4-H Council got \$3000 for moveable displays for the fair.



The Gallery had two children's week-long summer art camps filled to capacity, taught by DCC Art Instructor Jennifer Wheeler.



Not completed is the EPEC \$5000 grant of exterior renovations for paint, rain gutters and lighting to be done in 2025 as they complete fundraising. It will include murals guiding folks to Makoshika. 2025 grants are due April 15. Together we make Glendive a better place to live, work and play.

HKT MAKES WATERING EASY



The watering volunteers and GGCF board have certainly appreciated HKT's generous gift of their S10 pickup for watering downtown flowers when HKT replaced their service/delivery vehicle.

What a treat to have a pickup with radio, air conditioning and weather protection allowing volunteers to water safely, effectively and in comfort. The pickup box holds a 45 gallon tank and wand for watering the 12 blocks of flowers in downtown Glendive. The past two years we were grateful for the use of the Fairgrounds gator. We also appreciate the Give Local donors listed on page 3 for funding the flowers and our endowment.

Grateful thanks to waterers Patti and Dan Curran, Stella Peterson, Jim & Becky Hicks, Angie Hagen, LaNette Simonton, Janine Huschka and Peggy Iba. The Edward Jones Office at 200 S Merrill provided the city water, while Tractor Supply donated the potting soil, wand and fertilizer. The Bloom generously offered their greenhouse for six weeks to help start the supertunias watered by Pam Feisthamel. The City of Glendive Public Works hangs and removes the hanging baskets annually. We all are grateful the road construction on Merrill Ave is completed and traffic cones are gone.



CREATE YOUR LEGACY THROUGH GIFT PLANNING



If you would like to extend your charitable support to make a lasting impact, there are several gift arrangements to choose from. Whether you would like to put your donation to work today or create benefits after your lifetime, you can find a charitable

plan that lets you provide for your family and support your charitable goals.

While people often think of legacy giving as something that occurs after their lifetime, there are also many ways to give now that create long-lasting impact for the causes you care about while providing tax and finan-

cial benefits during your life.

Beneficiary Designations

It is very simple to name the Greater Glendive Community Foundation as a beneficiary. Start by requesting a change-of-beneficiary form from your policy administrator or download the form from your provider's website. Make your desired changes and return the form to establish your gift.

Gifts That Pay You Income

You can support GGCF or other charities and feel confident that you have dependable income in your retirement years. You can do this with a charitable gift annuity. With a CGA you agree to make a

gift to GGCF and we, in return, agree to pay you (and someone else, if you choose) a fixed amount each year for the rest of your life or until you no longer desire to receive income. You can also qualify for the [Montana Endowment Tax Credit](#) and a federal income tax charitable deduction.

Defer Your Payments

If you don't need or want to receive immediate payments—but want to qualify for the [Montana Endowment Tax Credit](#), you can set up a deferred gift annuity and save even more on state income tax.

For more information contact Jim Bennett at 406-3018 or jim@mtof.org

GIFTS & MEMORIALS – MANY THANKS

Mary Ann Phipps

In memory of Karen Mills

Doug Nissley
LaVerne Trangmoe

Sandra Koffler

Lanette Simonton

In memory of Hilary Hopfauf

Sandra McGovern

In memory of Francis Steiner

Kathy Ackerman

In memory of Delight Simon

Gerald Kelly
Peggy A. Iba

Bloom Coffeehouse & Eatery

David L. Zimmerman

In honor of Craig & Jill Wagner

John L and Marilyn J. Olson
Family Foundation

Anne Freistone

In memory of Randy Kniepkamp

Sandra McGovern

In memory of Mable Kolstad

LaVerne Trangmoe
Kathy Ackerman

Susan Anderson

Dawson County Arts Unlimited

Cammy Oakland

In memory of Verna Carpenter

Doug Nissley

In memory of Jim Squires

LaVerne Trangmoe

Barbara J. Markham

In memory of Rocky Shoopman & Gordon Kolberg

Deb J. Crennen
Deb Shoopman

In memory of LaDonna Jimison

Jerry Jimison
Carol Kittler

In memory of Charla Dukart

Bruce Miller
Lilola Hunemuller

Nancy Pedersen

Maurine Lenhardt

Gibbs Equipment

HKT Big Sky Motors

Sandra McGovern

Jacki Reynolds

Peggy Handtmann

Myrna Sadorf

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In memory of Don Nentwig

Diane Nentwig
Keith E. Robinson

Dallas Mitchell

In memory of Neil Oakland

Brent Oakland

Peggy A. Iba

Alice Cullinan

CHMS

Cody Sevier

Downtown Flower Pots

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Pam Feisthamel

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Deb Shoopman

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Peggy Handtmann

Victoria Dellapaolera

Tom & Linda Eaton

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Justin & Jamie McMillan

Greg & Myrna Sadorf

Wilbur & Karen Wallace

In memory of Don and Bev

Buxbaum by Lory Heltemes

In memory of Rudy & Marie Diegel

& Donna Mitchell

Judy Johnson



YES, I WANT TO INVEST IN GLENDIVE

Enclosed is my tax deductible contribution to the Greater Glendive Community Foundation for
\$50 \$100 \$200 \$500 other

Gifts to the foundation can be land, stock, insurance policies, IRA required minimum distributions or Qualified Charitable Distributions. Remember us in your will or as stock beneficiaries. Planned gifts can give you an income and/or tax planning. Gifts from a business qualify for a 20% Montana Endowment Tax Credit deducted off your MT Income Tax. For individuals, it must be a planned gift of at least \$2500 to qualify for a 40% MT Endowment Tax Credit. For help with planned gifts, contact Jim Bennett at the MT Community Foundation 406-301-3918 or jim@mtcf.org.

Name _____
Address _____ City _____ zip _____

Please keep my name anonymous if checked.

(Optional) In memory of or in honor of _____

Please send acknowledgement of this gift to _____
Address _____

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

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FOCUS ON A DONOR—CURT MILNE



Curt Milne has been a faithful donor to GGCF through the years, sending memorials gifts in memory of farmers he was friends with through his work at Milne Implement. Now he lives in Helena at Touchmark Sr. Living, close to his daughter Lorna and 85 miles from son Kyle who visits twice a week. Last year Curt had Edward Jones send his IRA Required Minimum Distribution to the Greater Glendive Community Foundation. He is leaving a legacy of good in Glendive. Curt has 11 grandkids and 21 great-grandchildren. That's quite a legacy!

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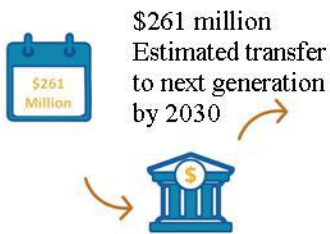
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IMAGINE
WHAT WE
COULD
ACCOMPLISH

DAWSON
COUNTY'S NET
WORTH IN 2020
\$2.1 BILLION



If 5% were endowed
to Dawson charities



GIVE LOCAL GLENDIVE—1 ST THURSDAY IN MAY



Greater Glendive Community Foundation tags on to the National Day of Online Giving in May by coordinating **Give Local Glendive**. It is an opportunity to raise funds and awareness for 22 worthy local nonprofits who signed up and are making a big difference where we live. The goal is to make philanthropy simple and fun, no matter how small or large the gift.

Each of the nonprofits shared their story at their table and on stage between entertainment by LaDonna's Dancers, Jerom and Kate Joyce, Earl Jensen on accordion and Corinne Canen. Donors could enjoy free ice cream and root beer floats by Cross Petroleum and Cross Country Brewery. The Moose did a lively business selling their delicious roast beef dinner.

Give Local Glendive continues to grow annually as nonprofits raised funds for their

causes at the Moose on May 2. Although it is not known what each made at their individual tables, over \$17,500 was raised by those writing one check or credit card to multiple organizations.

Thanks to Stockman Bank for \$1500 divided among the nonprofits, to BNSF Credit Union for \$200 in gift cards and to the Moose for not charging rental fee. Special thanks to Billings Allegra, owned by Brian McGovern, for \$300 in services to nonprofits who participated online through YellowstoneGives.org. GGCF won \$1000 for the most donors during the night owl timeslot when our Moose donations were added online.

We have outgrown the Moose so May 1, 2025 Give Local Glendive will be held at the EPEC, with entertainment plus dinner served by the Moose or CowBelles.