



Cedar Valley
UNITED WAY

FY 2027

COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS

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HEALTH

Access to Mental Healthcare

Black Hawk - Grundy Mental Health Center

School Based Mental Health.....\$95,044.73

NAMI Black Hawk County

Services for People with Mental Illness, their Families, Partners and Friends.....\$10,000

Riverview Center

Sexual Assault Intervention Services.....\$41,700

SuccessLink

Success Street.....\$42,000*

UnityPoint Health - Allen Hospital

Allen Child Protection Center.....\$80,000

Access to Physical Healthcare

Allen College

DeBonis Free Medical Clinic.....\$36,000

MercyOne Waterloo Medical Center

SHIIP (Senior Health Insurance Information Program).....\$10,000

Peoples Community Health Clinic

Access to Dental Care Relating to Missing Teeth.....\$40,594.50

Increase Healthy Behaviors - Family Violence, Child & Elder Abuse

Friends of Iowa CASA and ICFCRB

Friends of Iowa CASA Support.....\$10,800

SuccessLink

Success Street.....\$42,000*

Together for Youth Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention.....\$21,000*

Young Parents Together.....\$15,000*

Waypoint Services for Children and Families

Waypoint Domestic Violence Victim Services Program
.....\$22,228.50

Increase Healthy Behaviors - Maternal Health & Infant Well-Being

Lutheran Services in Iowa

Healthy Families America - HOPES.....\$15,240

SuccessLink

Young Parents Together.....\$15,000*

UnityPoint Health - Allen Hospital

Enhanced Maternal Health.....\$24,500

Increase Healthy Behaviors - Sexual Health

SuccessLink

Success Street.....\$42,000*

Together for Youth Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention.....\$21,000*

Increase Healthy Behaviors - Substance Abuse

Pathways Behavioral Services

On-Site Adolescent Substance Use Disorder Treatment
.....\$20,099.20

SuccessLink

Success Street.....\$42,000*

TOTAL HEALTH GRANTS AWARDED: \$484,206.93



EDUCATION

Afterschool & Summer Learning

Boys and Girls Clubs of the Cedar Valley

Project Learn.....\$10,000

RIYO Refugee and Youth Immigrant Organization

Youth Navigator Program.....\$16,755

College & Career Preparation

Iowa Jag, Inc.

iJAG: Bridging the Gap Between High School & Careers.....\$17,500

Early Education

Cedar Valley Preschool and Child Care Center

General Childcare Services.....\$18,000

Growing Minds Early Learning Center

General Childcare Services.....\$47,500

Hawkeye Community College Foundation

Family Literacy Program.....\$10,000*

Parent & Mentor Support

Hawkeye Community College Foundation

Family Literacy Program.....\$10,000*

Operation Threshold

Home Visitation Program).....\$10,000

YWCA Black Hawk County

Parents Achieving Success with Support.....\$10,000

Wize Girlz.....\$10,000

TOTAL EDUCATION GRANTS AWARDED: \$149,755

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FINANCIAL STABILITY

Achieving Financial Stability

Americans for Independent Living

Housing & Transitional Resources for Veterans.....\$17,640

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Dubuque

Immigration Legal Services.....\$20,000

Growing Minds Early Learning Center

Removing Childcare as a Barrier to Work for Low-Income Families.....\$25,000*

Hawkeye Community College Foundation

WE Build Waterloo.....\$20,000*

The Job Foundation

Financial Stewardship Mentoring Program.....\$10,000

Operation Threshold

Refugee Services.....\$10,000

Pathways Behavioral Services

Junkman-Knoebel Transitional Housing.....\$20,000

The Salvation Army of Waterloo / Cedar Falls

Pathway of Hope.....\$10,000

Try Pie

Try Pie Bakery.....\$10,000*

YWCA Black Hawk County

Summer Daze Child Care.....\$10,000

Y's Before & After School Child Care.....\$12,000

Housing Stability

Cedar Valley Friends of the Family

Black Hawk County Housing Project.....\$18,000

Iowa Heartland Habitat for Humanity

Strategic Giving Initiative: Building Community Together.....\$15,000

Iowa Legal Aid

Income Stability Project.....\$22,000

Workforce Development

Growing Minds Early Learning Center

Removing Childcare as a Barrier to Work for Low-Income Families.....\$25,000*

Hawkeye Community College Foundation

WE Build Waterloo.....\$20,000*

Try Pie

Try Pie Bakery.....\$10,000*

TOTAL FINANCIAL STABILITY GRANTS AWARDED: \$219,640



EMERGENCY & BASIC NEEDS

Food Assistance

Cedar Valley Dream Center

Community Stability Program.....\$9,000

Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging

Home Delivered Meals.....\$9,000

Northeast Iowa Food Bank

Cedar Valley Food Pantry.....\$9,000

The Salvation Army of Waterloo / Cedar Falls

Food Assistance.....\$9,000

University of Northern Iowa Foundation

Veggie Vouchers.....\$9,000

Removing Barriers to Safety or Work

American Red Cross

Disaster Services - Preparedness, Response & Recovery.....\$12,000

Jesse Cosby Neighborhood Center

No One Without a Home.....\$12,000*

Operation Threshold

Pocket Change.....\$13,500*

Rental Assistance

Operation Threshold

Safe & Stable Housing.....\$10,000

The Salvation Army of Waterloo / Cedar Falls

Rent / Utility Assistance.....\$10,000*

Shelter

The Salvation Army of Waterloo / Cedar Falls

Housing Services.....\$20,000

Transportation Assistance

Northeast Iowa Area Agency on Aging

Assisted Transportation.....\$10,000

Operation Threshold

Pocket Change.....\$13,500*

Utility Assistance

Jesse Cosby Neighborhood Center

No One Without a Home.....\$12,000*

Operation Threshold

Crisis Utility Assistance.....\$12,300

The Salvation Army of Waterloo / Cedar Falls

Rent / Utility Assistance.....\$10,000*

TOTAL EMERGENCY & BASIC NEEDS GRANTS AWARDED: \$144,800

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