OMAHA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

WHO WE ARE

Our mission is to coordinate informed, effective and innovative giving that inspires positive change within our communities.

- ·We exist to make the community better.
- · We accomplish that by helping donors invest more in our community, more effectively:
 - · By making the process of charitable giving more convenient.
 - · By finding financially beneficial ways for donors to give money so they are able to give more.
 - By helping donors conduct research on issues, causes, and organizations so that they can focus their giving on what matters most to them.
- · We coordinate philanthropic efforts to enhance productivity:
 - By bringing nonprofit, for-profit, and governmental agencies together to address problems and fill gaps in a coordinated fashion
 - · By bringing together donors of like interests to discuss collective impact
- •We are made up of a community of nearly 800 donors that have collectively given over \$500 million to more than 1300 charitable organizations since our inception in 1982.
- ·We serve 9 county community foundations from Southwest Iowa that are affiliated with OCF.
- Despite the economic downturn in 2008, our donors continued to invest in our community. Audited results:
 - •\$88.6 million in grants (our best year ever)
 - \$100.5 million in new gifts (our 2nd best year ever)
 - •\$405 million in total assets
 - ·121 new accounts

OCF'S NATIONAL RANKING

- •7th year in the Philanthropy 400 (only 28 community foundations included)
- In the top 5% of community foundations for 5 years

WHAT WE DO

- •We help people meet their giving objectives whether their annual giving totals \$1000 or \$1 million.
- •We offer a variety of accounts that can be opened with a gift of cash, stock, or appreciated assets.
- Donors receive an immediate tax deduction with no requirement on when money is distributed from their accounts.
- •We have a professional staff knowledgeable about the community, what issues are relevant to the community, and what organizations and programs are addressing these issues.
- · Our flexibility allows donors to have as little or as much assistance in their giving it's up to them.

G

Omaha Community Foundation

Let good grow.