FY2018 - Green Lake Basic Needs Fund Grants



Green Lake County / Ripon Community Foundation

Agency	Project Title	Project Description	Grant Amount
ADVOCAP, Inc.	Green Lake County Community Response Fund	To provide one-time financial assistance to help 60 low-income individuals and families in Green Lake County who have emergencies/crises that prevent them from meeting their basic needs for food, shelter, transportation, medical/dental, and other dire circumstances.	17,000
Advocap, Inc.	Green Lake County Work N Wheels Program	To provide no-interest vehicle purchase and repair loans for at least 6 low-income persons in Green Lake County who are employed or have a firm employment offer and need transportation to accept or keep their jobs.	10,000
Berlin Police Department	Shop with a Hometown Hero 2018	To take children, selected by Green Lake County Human Services based on a lack of financial support, shopping to buy Christmas gifts for their families.	3,000
Boys & Girls Club of the Tri County Area	Unmet Needs and Mentoring Programs	To help youth with basic needs such as showers, laundry, food, shoes, clothing, medical care, vision care, dental care, emergency needs, school supplies and holidays; support students with clothing and hygiene needs through Operation Backpack; and help support a new mentoring program.	30,000
Christine Ann Domestic Abuse Services, Inc.	Help is Here Fund	To remove barriers for domestic abuse victims from Green Lake County to achieving independence and safety like purchasing birth records, bus tickets, gas, work clothes, rental assistance, medications, new door locks, vehicle maintenance and job training, as well as to support client advocacy-related expenses.	7,500
Feeding America Eastern Wisconsin	Regional Food Drop Site	To invest in the capacity of the Green Lake County Food Pantry to become a drop site for other area food pantries in order to increase food distribution, especially produce, bakery and dairy.	8,500
Green Lake County Health and Human Services	Food Pantry Program	To purchase canned goods, vegetables, fruit and cereal from local grocery stores for distribution at the Green Lake County Food Pantry, which serves as average of 450 individuals each month.	5,000
Green Lake County Health and Human Services	Operation Backpack	To purchase shoes for children from families with economic needs entering 4K through grade 12 in Green Lake County.	3,500
Green Lake School District	After School Program	To provide after school academic interventions (developed by teachers), social/emotional support, and personalized health activities for students in grades K-6.	6,713
Green Lake School District	Second Lunch	To provide a free second meal as requested by the student for 33 individuals, who are identified as low socioeconomic status.	4,950
Markesan Food Pantry	General Operating Support	To provide food to people in need residing in the Markesan School District that are referred to the pantry by area faith leaders, teachers, or county social services staff.	3,000
City of Princeton	Meals with City Staff	To take 8-10 widowed or isolated older adults to lunch or breakfast with the City Administrator and Executive Assistant.	300
City of Princeton	Shopping with City Staff	To take ten underprivedged children from the City of Princeton shopping locally for their families for Christmas.	750
United Methodist Church of Markesan	Winter Gear for Kids	To provide winter outerwear, winter clothing and shoes for children in need within the Markesan School District.	750

Total \$ 100,963

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