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Ballet Theatre of Scranton	\$ 35,000.00	50th Anniversary of the Nutcracker
Blanket Incorporated	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2025
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Cypress House at St. Luke's	\$ 50,000.00	Cypress House Bakery
Dinners for Kids	\$ 25,000.00	Feeding hungry children
Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art	\$ 3,000.00	Observation Beehive at the Everhart Museum
Giving Back to the Community, Inc	\$ 9,000.00	Pack-a-Backpack School Supply Give Away
Giving Back to the Community, Inc	\$ 8,000.00	Pack-a-Backpack School Supply Give Away
Historic Jayhawk Theatre Inc	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2025
Indraloka Animal Sanctuary	\$ 50,000.00	Expansion of the NEPA Rescue Veterinary Clinic
Lackawanna Historical Society	\$ 5,000.00	Lackawanna Valley Regional Archive Planning
Lackawanna Valley Conservancy, Inc.	\$ 50,000.00	Caswell Hall Architectural Design
National Center on Education and the Economy	\$ 75,000.00	#PANeedsTeachers
Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Associati	\$ 50,000.00	Building the Future Campaign, Capital Gift for Journalism
O.S. Johnson Technical Institute	\$ 20,000.00	Training Regional Dental Hygienists to Meet Critical Regional Needs
Penn's Northeast INC	\$ 10,000.00	Penn's Northeast Mobile Marketing Campaign
Ronald McDonald House of Scranton	\$ 20,000.00	Allied Health Services Ronald McDonald Family Room
Scranton Public Library	\$ 25,000.00	Lackawanna County Newspaper Digitization Project
St Edmund's Academy	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2025
The Bronx River Art Center Inc	\$ 2,000.00	Discretionary Grant 2025
The Food Dignity Project	\$ 30,000.00	Food Dignity Health Equity Farm Project (HEFP)
The Institute	\$ 20,000.00	Artificial Intelligence and Its Impact on Northeastern Pennsylvania's Top Sectors
The Nature Conservancy, Pennsylvania-Delaware Chapter	\$ 30,000.00	Visitor Enhancements and Prescribed Fire Management
The University of Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	The Leahy Clinic Early Detection and Screening Program
Valley In Motion	\$ 19,950.00	Summer at the Furnaces
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	Supporting Survivors of Domestic & Sexual Violence
TOTALS	\$ 609,950.00	

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Allied Services Foundation	\$ 25,000.00	Sustaining Local Access to Advanced Pediatric Services
Blanket Incorporated	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2024 - General Support
Catherine McAuley Center	\$ 26,000.00	Family Support, Shelter and Housing Programs for Prevention of Homelessness
Community Kitchen Pittsburgh	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2024 - General Support
Everhart Museum of Natural History, Science & Art	\$ 3,000.00	Observation Beehive at the Everhart Museum
Geisinger Health Foundation	\$ 50,000.00	Addressing Community Behavioral Health Needs
Historic Jayhawk Theatre Inc	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2024 - General Support
Keystone Rescue Mission Alliance Inc	\$ 6,000.00	Pathfinders Workforce Development Program
Misericordia University	\$ 20,000.00	SURF PROGRAM-Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship
MyCIL Center For Independent Living	\$ 25,000.00	TSC is Spreading Petals for Goodness Sake
NativityMiguel School of Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	2024-2025 After School Program-NativityMiguel School of Scranton
Northeast Regional Cancer Institute	\$ 30,000.00	Community-Based Cancer Screening Navigation Program for Low Income Individuals
Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Association	\$ 100,000.00	Building the Future Campaign, Capital Gift for Journalism
Penn State Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	Behavioral Curriculum Training for Pre-K NEPA Teachers, Staff and Administrators
Saint Joseph's Center	\$ 50,000.00	Saint Joseph's Center Children's Learning Center
Scranton Area Foundation, Inc.	\$ 35,000.00	Building for the Future: SACF's New Home at the Century Club
Spring Hills Foundation	\$ 6,490.00	Sensory Scouts
The Bronx River Art Center Inc	\$ 6,250.00	Discretionary Grant 2024 - General Support
The Food Dignity Project	\$ 47,500.00	The Food Dignity Project Farm Stands
The Philharmonic Society of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 30,000.00	Building Bridges: The Power of Music through Outreach
Trust for Public Land	\$ 25,000.00	Scranton Community Schoolyards Initiative
United Neighborhood Centers of NEPA	\$ 25,000.00	Pine Brook Neighborhood Lighting Program
United Way of Wyoming Valley	\$ 20,000.00	Parent Support Line
TOTALS	\$ 598,990.00	

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Bay Area Lyme Foundation	\$ 5,689.94	research efforts to find reliable diagnostics and better treatments for Lyme disease.
Broadway Theatre League of Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	additional support for the year-long program to offer scholarships to students in need and to keep the tuition at a minimum cost.
Children's Advocacy Center of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 30,301.00	Developing and implementing a new app that will better connect the various entities responsible for responding to child abuse and neglect in our community.
Dinners For Kids	\$ 40,000.00	The grant will be used to cover the cost of providing daily nutritious dinners to 37 hungry children for one year.
For Good PGH	\$ 5,689.94	The Free Store 15104
Indraloka Animal Sanctuary	\$ 50,000.00	construction of a medical barn adjacent to the NEPA Rescue Veterinary Clinic for the purpose of quarantining rescued animals and performing veterinary procedures on large animals.
King's College	\$ 26,555.00	This grant will be used to provide seed money to initiate the Monarchs on a
Lackawanna Junior College	\$ 50,000.00	This grant will be used for the design, construction & Fit-out of the Lackawanna College Center for Technology Innovation Sonography Suite and Shared Classroom.
Marywood University	\$ 10,000.00	This grant will fund continued expansion of the Students Together Achieving Remarkable Success (STARS), a Marywood program that provides academic tutoring, college/career readiness, and other support services to underserved middle and high school Latinx youth and their families.
Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Association	\$ 10,000.00	This grant will help cover the production costs of filming the premiere of PALMA at the Scranton Cultural Center, so all of the 22-county communities we serve can enjoy the performance.
Penn's Northeast INC	\$ 3,000.00	For the research, design and development of this electronic resource.
Pennsylvania Heritage Foundation	\$ 17,000.00	This grant will be used for architectural design services to rehabilitate two historic homes as an interdisciplinary research center and overnight lodging at Eckley Miners' Village, a National Register-listed historic place and one of the nation's oldest open-air mining and community museums.
Scranton Area Foundation, Inc.	\$ 5,000.00	Community Needs Fund
Scranton Counseling Center	\$ 38,801.00	This grant will be used to install new security cameras for the protection of Scranton Counseling Center consumers and employees as well as a rapid flashing solar powered crosswalk system to make it safer for people to cross the street near a very busy intersection.
Spring Hills Foundation	\$ 6,065.00	Funding will be used in support of operation of Sensory Scout nature immersion program for children age 6 -12 in 2023, and one-time expenses to include materials for creation of outdoor education spaces which offer diverse sensory experiences, and two ADA ramps that assure camp is inclusive.
St. Ann's Passionist Monastery of Scranton	\$ 15,000.00	This grant is to be used for the purchase and installation of a new steam boiler, gas burner, piping and new steam traps.
The Institute	\$ 25,000.00	Labor to produce the materials, event costs, and web costs to update the data dashboard.
The Jump Start Cart	\$ 30,000.00	In order to expand and improve our organization and successfully employ young adults with special needs, funding is needed to support our growing operation by hiring a food manager and a job coach.
The Nature Conservancy, Pennsylvania-Delaware Chapter	\$ 30,000.00	Creation of community engagement and educational signage and implementation of prescribed fire management at the Eales Preserve.
The University of Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	This grant will support The University of Scranton's Prison Education Program at Dallas State Correctional Institution (SCI) in Dallas, PA which offers incarcerated inmates the opportunity to earn a tuition-free Associate of Arts degree in Liberal Studies from the University of Scranton.
The Youth Arts Coalition	\$ 30,000.00	The grant will be used towards youth athletic training and wrestling program costs for 150 elementary and middle school students.
Together in Dance Inc	\$ 5,689.94	General Operational Support
Waverly Community House, Inc.	\$ 25,000.00	The replacement of the deteriorating/ broken HVAC system in our building's After School Program area.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	Grant funds will be used to provide empowerment counseling, crisis support, advocacy, and resources to meet the immediate needs of survivors of domestic violence and sexual abuse.
Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Scranton	\$ 50,000.00	Construction of three additional child day care classrooms.
TOTALS	\$ 583,791.82	

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Abington Area Joint Recreation Board	\$ 25,000.00	Development and program operations person to facilitate current and future programming on a part-time basis
Anthracite Bike Coalition	\$ 30,000.00	New .5 mile ADA accessible trail and parking in Mayfield.
Black Scranton Project	\$ 40,000.00	BSPCAC Archive, Library, Catalog & Gallery
Dinners for Kids	\$ 40,000.00	Feeding 30 children in Luzerne County
Discovery Multiple Intelligences Preschool	\$ 40,000.00	Purchasing materials and supplies, furniture and equipment
Food Dignity Project	\$ 25,000.00	Purchase of a used box truck to allow Food Dignity® to pick up and deliver a large variety food across the community.
Garden of Cedar	\$ 40,000.00	The grant will be used to close a \$40,000 funding gap between the cost of the lowest responsible construction bid and fundraiser
Geisinger Health Foundation	\$ 30,000.00	Education and patient support to the FFF programs serving participants in the northeast communities via an available Health Coach providing telephonic support/coaching and providing evidence-based and performance-based programming courses.
Indraloka Animal Sanctuary	\$ 50,000.00	Capital expenses for renovations and operating expenses for the clinic related to opening and operating.
Nativity Miguel School	\$ 25,000.00	After School Program: includes a teacher position, art supplies, athletic supplies, STEM kits and robotics kits.
Scranton Jazz Festival	\$ 14,000.00	Venue rental costs as well as paying the musicians hired for the festival.
Scranton Public Library	\$ 50,000.00	Matching funds for a grant from the Keystone Recreation, Park and Conservation Fund.
Telespond Senior Services	\$ 25,000.00	Enhance the lives of aging adults and help redefine the concept of a senior day center with an enhanced lifelong learning program.
The Institute	\$ 25,000.00	STIR - Research, data, analytics, and solutions to many community challenges
United Neighborhood Centers of NEPA	\$ 25,000.00	Year two of the Pine Brook revitalization plan
United Way of Wyoming Valley	\$ 10,000.00	The Nurse's Pantry: an in-school resource for at-risk students that provides health and hygiene items at no cost to children in need.
Valley in Motion	\$ 20,000.00	Marking walking trails and bike lanes connecting the Scranton Iron Furnaces to downtown Scranton, the Lackawanna River Heritage Trail, and Nay Aug Park.
Waverly Community House	\$ 25,000.00	The replacement of the building's deteriorating Preschool HVAC system.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	Empowerment counseling, crisis support, advocacy, and resources to meet the immediate needs of survivors of domestic violence and sexual abuse.
TOTALS	\$ 564,000.00	

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Black Scranton Project	\$ 64,283.00	The funding requested will be used to develop a community kitchen. A utility to support and host healthy meal programs, will be used a food pantry, and incubator kitchen to promote local entrepreneurship.
Family Service Association of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	This grant will be used for covering the cost of 2,772 calls in FY2022 and will greatly aid in offsetting the funding burden necessary to support the reduced United Way funding in Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties.
Lacawac Sanctuary Foundation	\$ 10,000.00	Funding of Well Nature Kids Program will provide at-risk and low-income (below poverty level) children and youth with opportunities to better themselves through outdoor nature experiences.
Lackawanna Valley Conservancy	\$ 25,000.00	We will use the grant to fund project management, administration, legal representation and closing costs.
Meals on Wheels of Northeastern PA	\$ 30,000.00	This grant is to be used for general operational support for the nutritional and community health programming of Meals on Wheels of NEPA.
The Pennsylvania State University - Scranton	\$ 50,000.00	Three-year funding for the Penn State Scranton LaunchBox Fellowship Program - which will allow us to award paid internships & fellowships to high achieving, qualified students/recent graduates of the Bachelor of Science in Business Program (or other applicable majors) offered at Penn State Scranton.
Wilkes University The Institute for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 15,000.00	Functions of grantmaker program and development of a data dashboard site.
Diamond City Partnership	\$ 10,000.00	Funding of the Diamond City Partnership's Downtown College Ambassador Program
Keystone College	\$ 45,000.00	The Keystone College is seeking funding for start up cost associated with the Work Earn Learn Allied Health Initiative. Funding will be utilized for the cost associated with the Allied Health Simulation Lab and Apprenticeship curriculum and coordination.
KidsPeace National Centers	\$ 24,900.00	A foster family recruitment campaign to raise awareness of the need for foster homes in the local community and increase the number of homes available to care for foster youth in the local region.
Maternal & Family Health Services	\$ 25,000.00	This grant is to be used to support the hiring and credentialing of a fulltime-equivalent master's-level social worker as part of the implementation of an innovative maternity medical home model at MFHS Circle of Care in Scranton.
Misericordia University	\$ 36,000.00	This grant will be used to further our mission of promoting equality and dignity for all through education, by offering nine programs during the 2021-2022 academic year to students, staff, and faculty, that focus on diversity, equity, and inclusion.
Scranton-Lackawanna Human Development Agency	\$ 50,000.00	Phase II renovation of the second floor of the Pre-K Center project to serve low-income children and families in early learning programs and wrap-around support services.
The Jump Start Cart	\$ 25,000.00	Purchase of a truck to transport the food truck.
The University of Scranton	\$ 15,000.00	This grant if received will be used to research, develop and present an original play to the public that highlights the pivotal role that Scranton and the 1902 Anthracite Coal Strike Commission played in the American labor movement.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeastern PA	\$ 25,000.00	UNC is requesting implementation funds to transform the Pine Brook section of Scranton into a recognizable destination neighborhood that offers residents and business owners a bright future through increased opportunity, economic stability, and community engagement.
United Way of Wyoming Valley	\$ 20,000.00	To help children stay on target to meet critical early literacy skills, to improve school readiness, regular attendance, summer learning loss, and to read proficiently by the end of third grade.
Volunteers of America of Pennsylvania	\$ 30,000.00	The provision of safe, inclusive, and affordable housing for up to nine homeless emancipated adolescents and young adults in Scranton to support them as they work toward long-term stability.
Wilkes University Family Business Alliance	\$ 10,000.00	Hiring a facilitator to get three peer groups started this fiscal year for family businesses and closely held businesses to learn from one another and grow in our communities.
YMCA of Greater Scranton	\$ 100,000.00	Improvements for commercial kitchen, teaching kitchen and common area for increased socialization.
TOTALS	\$635,183.00	

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Abington Area Community Classroom	\$ 25,000.00	Hillside Park Improvements and Updates that will provide a safer and more userfriendly experience.
Black Scranton Project	\$ 39,000.00	This grant will be used to achieve our goal being a resource to the community through year-round programs, events, historical archives, social media, educational support, and in-person interaction with Scranton area residents.
Broadway Theatre League of Scranton	\$ 20,000.00	This is an arts integration program for underprivileged children who attend regional Head Start centers in northeastern PA.
City of Scranton	\$ 50,000.00	The Project involves the evaluation of the Tax Policy, Billing and Collection Process for Scranton. Goals of increasing collection rates, strengthening internal controls, eliminating waste and provide tax relief for Scranton residents and enhance the City's economic growth/development prospects.
Countryside Conservancy	\$ 37,085.00	This grant is to be used as match against \$296,900 of secured funding to complete the acquisition and permanent protection of 65 acres of open land adjacent to Lackawanna State Park in North Abington Township, PA.
Outreach Center for Community Resources FKA Employment Opportunity & Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 30,000.00	Funding will be used to support the reentry workforce development supplies, center equipment usage, and services provided to program participants. Grant funding will be used for the workforce and educational services provided to participants by program managers and case managers.
Family Service Association of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 15,000.00	This grant will be used for covering the cost of 3,278 calls in FY2021 and will greatly aid in offsetting the funding burden necessary to support the unbudgeted and unfunded COVID-19 calls in Lackawanna County.
Hospice of the Sacred Heart	\$ 15,000.00	Costs associated with starting a new virtual workshop including materials, videography, contractor fees, printing and offset of staff salaries
Lackawanna County Library	\$ 5,000.00	Financial support for speaker and venue costs.
Leadership Lackawanna	\$ 25,000.00	tuition assistance for the inaugural members of the Leadership U class and to create a permanent Leadership U scholarship endowment fund.
Nativity Miguel School of Scranton	\$ 17,000.00	Hiring a part time teacher, upgrading equipment and furniture, purchasing art supplies and transportation and entrance fees for field trips.
The Nature Conservancy	\$ 40,000.00	This grant is to be used for engineering and restoration design work for the dam removal and restoration, and community engagement during the design process.
Scranton Area Foundation	\$ 10,000.00	Special Grant (COVID-19 Fund)
Scranton Lackawanna Human Development Agency	\$ 40,000.00	To develop a city-wide early learning center for qualifying/low income pre-school children who were displaced by the Scr School District's closure of pre-school and respond to social distancing guidelines presented by COVID.
Scranton Shakespeare Festival	\$ 10,000.00	Funding from the Willary Foundation will support artist wages and production costs such as set construction, costumes, and sound equipment.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	UNC is requesting implementation funds to transform the Pine Brook section of Scranton into a recognizable destination neighborhood that offers residents and business owners a bright future through increased opportunity, economic stability, and community engagement.
United Way of Wyoming Valley	\$ 15,000.00	To provide vision care services to uninsured and under-insured children and funding for lost or broken glasses.
Waverly Community House, Inc.	\$ 15,000.00	This grant will be used for the installation of HEPA air filtration systems and UV-C lighting in the Comm Kids After School Program, Comm Kids Preschool, and Comm Kids Sensory Center.
Waverly Community House, Inc.	\$ 6,000.00	Special Grant
Wilkes University Institute for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 10,000.00	Supporting the program elements - Institute Review, Issues Briefing Book and Legislative Retreat.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	Grant funds will be used to provide support, advocacy, and resources to meet the immediate needs of survivors of domestic and sexual violence
Wyoming Valley Children's Association	\$ 12,500.00	This grant will be used for the purchase of paint supplies, new dividing walls, and innovative gross motor therapy equipment.
TOTALS	\$ 486,585.00	

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Back Mountain Memorial Library	\$ 25,000.00	The Back Mountain Memorial Library is working to preserve in digital form, The Dallas Post weekly newspaper (years 1929-2014) and provide access to the volumes. Currently the only existing copies are bound paper copies housed in the library.
Broadway Theatre League of Scranton	\$ 25,000.00	Arts for Life© is a program supported by the Lackawanna County Area Agency on Aging, the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts, aieNEPA, the arts education program of the Northeastern Educational Intermediate Unit, The Jewish Home of Eastern Pennsylvania, Broadway Theatre of Northeastern Pennsylvania, The Scranton Area Foundation and The Everhart Museum that will engage older adults, in working with professional artists. Another aspect of the Arts for Life© is that participants will have the opportunity to attend Broadway Theatre
CASA of Luzerne County	\$ 25,000.00	There are two aspects to this project for general operating expenses. One, assist with the recruitment and training of new volunteer advocates. Two, assist with the support and retention of those newly trained advocates as well as our current active advocates. We provide 35 hours of pre-service training to prospective advocates and 12 hours of in-service training each year to current active advocates.
Children's Advocacy Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	The Children's Advocacy Center of Northeastern Pennsylvania (CAC/NEPA) respectfully seeks funding from the Willary Foundation in support of our child abuse education program, which trains thousands of adults, children, professionals, and leaders each year. This unique program enhances the quality of life for residents of Northeastern Pennsylvania, and it has a ripple effect, increasing the rate of informed referrals of suspected child abuse to our healing services, while also seeking to decrease the rate at which abuse occurs.
Diocese of Scranton Catholic School System	\$ 22,500.00	The diocese is seeking a funding partner to become the third arm of a shared-cost model, in which the diocese, the donor and the student's family each pay one third of a student's annual \$7,500 tuition, or \$2,500, with the unifying goal of keeping NativityMiguel graduates economically; academically and socially empowered and therefore well positioned for college and employment success.
Geisinger Health Foundation	\$ 50,000.00	Geisinger's Fresh Food Farmacy® (FFF) is an innovative, sustainable program using food-as-medicine to address the health challenges of low income patients with diabetes and food insecurity. This program has had tremendous local impact for our patients, while also is recognized for its national implications that could fundamentally change the way we treat this disease.
Greater Carbondale YMCA	\$ 50,000.00	There are a few outdoor recreational opportunities in the city of Carbondale. Phase II of the Community Park will add much needed activities and amenities to continue to transform the quality of life in this low income neighborhood.
Greater Scranton YMCA	\$ 5,000.00	Over the past several years, the Greater Scranton YMCA (GSY) has taken steps to enhance program offerings and playground spaces to ensure those we serve with mental and/or physical disabilities are provided the same opportunities as their peers. In continuing this work, the GSY is applying to the Willary Foundation for funding to support We are Y, a program serving individuals from childhood through adulthood with varying physical and/or mental disabilities.
Heritage Valley Partners	\$ 10,000.00	A community pavilion and outdoor classroom located adjacent to the Lackawanna River Heritage Trail and Nay Aug Avenue Natural Play area to serve programming needs in the area of local history, environmental education, health and wellness programming, and cultural presentations and festivals
Wilkes University Institute for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 10,000.00	In 2018, the Institute began to implement the Grantmaker Initiative. This project consists of public policy and education/information sharing on issues and solutions. The Institute wants to augment delivery under this initiative. It is currently funded by the Moses Taylor Foundation and Scranton Area Community Foundation.

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Jewish Federation of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 10,550.00	The major event of the Holocaust Education Resource Center is the Annual Teen Symposium on the Holocaust, addressing over 1,800 students, teachers, and adult guests from both public and parochial schools in 30 school districts running over two days. Participants interact with survivors and liberators, making an indelible mark and life long impact on each other. Elie Wiesel, in his preface to the novel Night, writes: "For the survivor who chooses to testify, it is clear; his duty is to bear witness for the dead and for the living. He has no right to deprive future generations of a past that belongs to our collective memory. To forget would be not only dangerous but offensive; to forget the dead would be akin to killing them a second time. It is our plight to preserve memory and continue to awaken the conscience of the young.
King's College	\$ 8,000.00	The King's College Department of Theatre will produce sensory-friendly productions each year, which will consist of 4 to 6 performances, in order for those with autism or other sensory sensitivity disorders to have the opportunity to attend theater performances. In order to provide the proper atmosphere, updated lighting is necessary for the successful implementation of these sensory-friendly productions; therefore, King's College is requesting \$8,000 in grant funding from the Willary Foundation to purchase 10 Portable ETC Colorscore Par Lights.
Lackawanna River Conservation Association	\$ 25,000.00	The LRCA completed a "Lower Lackawanna River - Watershed Restoration & Assessment Plan" (LLR-WRAP) in 2012. This plan assessed abandoned mine land and mine drainage pollution, as well as proposed solutions with support from the Willary Foundation and Susquehanna River Basin Commission, among others. This proposal supports Phase 2 of that work to attain Qualified Hydrologic Unit Plan (QHUP) status for the Lower Lackawanna mine sites, allowing the use of federal mine reclamation funds for our proposed remediation plan.
Luzerne County Historical Society	\$ 10,000.00	The Luzerne County Historical Society is seeking \$10,000 to support developing and implementing an archaeology program for elementary-school-age children at the Society's Swetland Homestead, 885 Wyoming Avenue, Wyoming, PA. This 90- to 120- minute hands-on program will introduce children to the methodology and study of archaeology, the history of the Swetland family and how we learn about our local history from archaeology.
Meals on Wheels Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 50,000.00	The Agency's request for \$30,000 seeks new funds to achieve new levels of excellence and to assist and support or strategic, capital decisions for investments for Building and Equity.
The Nature Conservancy	\$ 25,000.00	The Nature Conservancy (TNC) would like to improve the main parking area/entrance at the Dick and Nancy Eales Preserve. This preserve sees a large volume of vehicles throughout the year and the parking lot area is showing the wear and tear from that usage.
Ronald McDonald House of Scranton, Inc.	\$ 30,000.00	With many years of wear and tear on our property and the many advances in energy efficiency, environmental friendliness, technology, and soundproofing since then, our house campus needs to be renovated. By renovating, refurbishing, and repairing our facility, we will ensure that the Ronald McDonald House continues to be a haven for sick children and their families while providing the highest standard of hospitality and not impacting our planet's future.
Scranton Civic Ballet Company	\$ 1,000.00	This year Scranton Civic Ballet Company will offer our 33rd performance of The Nutcracker on December 14th and 15th at the Scranton Cultural Center. We have three performances which include one for school aged students and two for the general public. Scranton Civic Ballet Company would like to provide our school performance of the Nutcracker free of charge to local area students.
Scranton Cultural Center at Masonic Temple	\$ 25,000.00	The Scranton Cultural Centers Youth performing arts program has been very successfully since 2014. We have developed this additional curriculum that exposes youth to career opportunities in the performing arts. We believe this program is worthy of continuing and refining.

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Scranton Shakespeare Festival	\$ 4,000.00	The Scranton Shakespeare Festival (SSF) respectfully requests a renewed grant of \$4,000 to support its 2019 summer season which will include: Shakespeare's "Richard III" and "Troilus and Cressida"; a special production of Andrew Lloyd Webber and Tim Rice's "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat" geared towards family audiences; a site-specific production of Kander and Ebb's "Cabaret"; and the world premiere of "The Behavior of Light" by Tony-nominee Douglas Carter Beane, set in Reading, PA in the 1970s. All performances will be completely free and open to the public.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	The Immigrant Leadership Education and Development Program has been designed to assist Scranton-area immigrants in exercising their leadership potential by participating in guest-speaker led workshops on topics such as goal setting, entrepreneurship, education, wellness and civic involvement. Participants will become a source of knowledge for other underrepresented groups in their community and gain experience collaborating with community members they may otherwise not normally interact with, such as the city's Chief of Police, civic leaders, and educational and entrepreneurial facilitators in the community.
United Way of Wyoming Valley	\$ 17,000.00	United Way of Wyoming Valley requests your financial support of an innovative initiative called Loads of Love. The project helps reduce school absenteeism by ensuring students from economically disadvantaged families can attend classes in clean school attire.
Waverly Community House, Inc.	\$ 15,000.00	The Waverly Community House, Inc. respectfully requests support from the Willary Foundation to continue the final renovation phase for the Comm Kids Interactive Learning Center with Sensory Technology. This phase will result in project completion and full scale public access scheduled for May, 2019.
Wright Center for Community, The	\$ 25,000.00	The Wright Center for Community Health (TWCCH) is requesting \$25,000 from the Willary Foundation for equipment and supplies to fit out the lab within the 501 S Washington Avenue Clinic, and a triage area for children, adults, and individuals with special needs. General equipment requirements include: pediatric and adult thermometers, large capacity scales (including biometric impedance analysis and wheelchair scale), stainless steel equipment, diagnostic equipment (centrifuge, urine/chemistry/glucose analyzers, microscope, specimen refrigerator/freezer etc.), protective equipment (gloves, eyewear, facemasks), procedure tables and more.
Wyoming Valley Catholic Youth Center	\$ 25,000.00	The Wyoming Valley Catholic Youth Center, in partnership with Luzerne County Mental Health & Developmental Services and its System of Care, has taken on an innovative new Respite Care Program that offers a much-needed break to caregivers for children ages 5-13 who are actively receiving mental-health services. This program offers sanctuary for the children and solace for the caregivers, who need time to rest, restore energy and look after their own well-being.
TOTALS	\$ 543,050.00	

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Abington Area Joint Recreation Board	\$ 25,000.00	The handicapped-accessible walking trail around Eston Wilson Lake at Hillside Park in Abington Township is threatened by about 250 dead and dying ash trees ravaged by the Emerald Ash Borer, a destructive and invasive tree insect, that have begun to fall and damage the boardwalk section of the trail, blocking access and causing a direct threat to park users. This project is essential to maintain safe public access to a popular recreational asset currently threatened by a grove of dead and dying ash trees.
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 75,000.00	To meet the needs of the increasing number of families with mental and/or behavioral health issues, including families who have children with autism, and parents who have opioid or substance abuse disorders, Outreach plans to hire a master's level mental/behavioral health specialist. This specialist/case manager would work with families in crisis to ensure family safety and well-being as well as train Outreach staff to respond appropriately to crisis situations.
Great Valley Technology Alliance	\$ 25,000.00	tecBRIDGE is requesting Willary Foundation support to launch the next generation of regional collaboration on biomedical research and economic development activities. A key piece of our efforts will be to enhance the current tecBRIDGE Regional Resource Portal (Database) to expand critical information capture requirements and enhance key user experience deficiencies in support of the bioscience learning, degree and research activities taking place at our regional IHEs. Building on this initiative, we will use the Life Science NEPA data enhancement effort as a starting point towards creating a "NEPA University" profile representing all of the regional assets associated with our local colleges and universities.
Greater Wilkes-Barre Growth Partnership	\$ 25,000.00	This request for \$25,000/1 year in funding will enable the Wilkes-Barre Connect Pitch program to continue the momentum of last year's launch and continue covering the \$10,000 in event costs, and allow Wilkes-Barre Connect to grow and expand its programs and services to local businesses, including the Pitch education and training program, for which \$15,000 of this request will be contributed.
Jewish Family Service of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	This request for \$25,000/1 year in funding will enable the Wilkes-Barre Connect Pitch program to continue the momentum of last year's launch and continue covering the \$10,000 in event costs, and allow Wilkes-Barre Connect to grow and expand its programs and services to local businesses, including the Pitch education and training program, for which \$15,000 of this request will be contributed. Requesting funding to serve individuals who present with mental health issues and are in need of professional counseling services. Services provide goal-directed interventions for diagnosable conditions to make gains in symptom reduction, improve self-management and restore or enhance daily functioning.
F.M. Kirby Center for the Performing Arts	\$ 25,000.00	The antiquated infrastructure of the F.M. Kirby Center is becoming a detriment. This proposal seeks funding to rectify two of the major issues: sewage backups and lacking sound quality.
Lackawanna County Library	\$ 5,000.00	The 2018 American Masters Lecture will feature Colson Whitehead, author of The Underground Railroad, a novel that won both the Pulitzer Prize and the National Book Award in 2017. The free lecture will be held on November 15, and all in attendance will have an opportunity to meet and ask questions of the speaker. The William W. Scranton Laureate will also be named at this event.
Lackawanna Historical Society	\$ 25,000.00	Using Professor Glynis M. John's preliminary research as a foundation, she in partnership with the Lackawanna Historical Society (LHS), propose to develop a special collection African Americans who have been residents of and contributors to Scranton, PA for more than 150 years. The African American Archival Project of Scranton, PA will be stored and maintained at LHS as well as shared and linked with Albright Memorial Library for its inclusion in the Lackawanna Valley Digital Archives to further promote its usage and encourage additions to the documents.
Marywood University	\$ 100,000.00	Special Grant to be directed to the President's Discretionary Fund

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Nativity Miguel School of Scranton	\$ 15,000.00	Requesting support to fund a comprehensive visual arts program which will provide impoverished students access to high quality art instruction; opportunities to showcase their work; and an ability to give back to others who may not have access to this educational medium. The program will also establish a Nativity Miguel School Art Gallery, which will become a focal point for not only our students, but also for various forms of community engagement.
Scranton Shakespeare Festival	\$ 4,000.00	The Scranton Shakespeare Festival respectfully requests a grant of \$4,000 to support its 2018 summer season which will include Shakespeare's "As You Like It"; the musicals "Footloose" and "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying"; a reimagined version of "The Tempest" featuring only four actors; a new play entitled "Sycorax", an original prequel to "The Tempest"; and an adaptation of "Hansel and Gretel" created and performed by local high school students. All performances will be completely free and open to the public, and will be staged at various venues in Scranton.
University of Scranton	\$ 17,500.00	The Business High School Scholars Program is a new initiative started by Dr. Doug Boyle & some business faculty colleagues to attract promising local high school students to the University & assist them in reducing their potential student loan debt by offering classes for real college credit at greatly reduced tuition costs. Participants for the program will be recruited from all local high schools in Northeastern Pennsylvania. By providing scholarships to students who want to participate in the program, they are encouraged to continue their education and then use the business skills and education that they have acquired to enrich their own Northeastern Pennsylvania communities. The first cohort of nineteen Business High School Scholars successfully completed their first course in July. This grant request is to provide partial scholarships to high school students so that finances will not be a barrier to their participation in the program.
Treatment Court Advocacy Center	\$ 25,000.00	The Treatment Court Advocacy Center (TCAC) is seeking funds to purchase a building to provide transitional housing for women and women with children. Many times women do not have safe or even any housing options, we would like to resolve this dilemma.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	The Immigrant Leadership Education and Development program has been designed to assist Scranton-area immigrants exercise their leadership potential by participating in workshops presented by guest speakers including the chief of police, nonprofit and civic groups and taking on various leadership roles in the community. Participants will become a source of knowledge for other underrepresented groups in their community and gain experience collaborating with community members they may otherwise not normally interact with.
Volunteers of American of Pennsylvania, Inc.	\$ 25,000.00	General operating support.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	General operating support.
Greater Carbondale YMCA	\$ 30,000.00	There are limited recreational opportunities within the city of Carbondale. The proposed community park of 2+ acres in the heart of the city would be transformative to the quality of life.
TOTALS	\$ 496,500.00	

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Discovery Multiple Intelligences Preschool	\$ 5,610.00	We are expanding our school to accommodate more children and provide kindergarten.
Downtown Hazleton Alliance	\$ 25,000.00	This grant will fund the interior fit out of the 450 square foot Digital Arts Classroom within the new City Arts Center in downtown Hazleton, which will be used by the Hazleton Art League, Luzerne County Community College, and Power City Arts.
Eckley Miners' Village Associates	\$ 25,000.00	Eckley would like to convert the interior of an underutilized miner' house to create multi-purpose space to extend our outreach, broaded our programing, and continue to provide excellent educational services to surroundings families, and schools. The functions of the reovated house could include; a touchable exhibit, local flora/fauna that can be seen at Eckley, a classroom space, and genral expansion of the sites educational programming with the aid of technological advacemnts.
Geisinger Health Foundation	\$ 25,000.00	Creative Arts at Geisinger Community Medical Center Intensive Care Unit - Throughout 2018, certified art thearpists and local musicians will join together to create a healing art and music therapy program for the patients and families utilizing the intensive care unity at Geisinger Community Medical Center, in partnership with the Lackawanna County Arts and Culture Department.
Greater Wilkes-Barre Association for the Blind	\$ 10,000.00	Over the past few years the Grtr W-B Assn for the Blind has grown is InSight Kids Club & Transition Assistance program to be year-round programs for children who are blind and visually impaired in NE PA. For the 2017-2018 school year, the Assn plans to continue its efforts for the Transition Assistance program by broadening & increasing its participation & attendance, curriculum & advocacy efforts, & individual student results.
Greater Wilkes-Barre Growth Partnership	\$ 25,000.00	\$25,000/1 year funding will enable the W-B Connect Pitch program to launch successfully, covering the \$10,000 in event costs, and allow W-B Connect to grow and expand its programs and services to local businesses, including the implementation fo the Pitchk 3-month education and training program, for which \$15,000 of this request will be contributed.
Heritage Valley Partners	\$ 10,000.00	Community Pavilion @ Olive Street Trailhead to serve as organization central for over 15,000 runners/walkers of 40 races by nonprofits to raise funds and awareness as well as cultural and heritage programming site near the river. The pavilion will also serve as an outdoor classroom for environmental studies with Scranton High School, Steamtown National Historic Site and other institutions.
Wilkes University Institue for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 15,000.00	The Institute facilitates, convenes and provides research support for seven community volunteer issue based task forces. There is not a task force studying social service issues and these funds would allow for the formation of the task force and subsequent research.
Keystone Iron Works	\$ 25,000.00	In collaboration with the International Conference on Contemporary Cast Iron Art (ICCIA), Keystone Iron Works (KIW) seeks funding for tow interrelated community arts initiatives that will result in permanent public sculptures: (1) cast iron sculpture workshop series for at-risk High School students; and (2) professional artists' cast iron sculptural demonstrations during the ICCIA Conference and community Arts on Fire Festival to be held at the Historic Scranton Iron Furnaces in June 2018. A selection of resulting sculptural pieces will be installed along Lackawanna Heritage Valley Authority (LHVA)'s public trails to highlight the area's rich industrial history and enhance the cultural landscape
Scranton Public Library	\$ 18,000.00	The Century Club of Scranton and the Scranton Public Library have partnered to digitize the Centry Club's collections.
United Neiborhood Centers of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	Seeks to help new immigrants overcome language, cultural, and other barriers to obtaining employment or advancing careers by providing case management assistance and instruction related to employment "soft skills" job acquisition, and career development through the SCOLA Learning Center.

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Waverly Community House, Inc.	\$ 25,000.00	To renovate accessible basement space in the South Wing of the building to house the new Children's Interactive and Inclusive Learning Center. This Center is building on a recent donation of children's museum exhibits and is an expansion of our current programming for children of all ages and abilities. It will also serve the dual purpose of a public service and charging station, to assist individuals and families during times of emergency, such as power outages.
Wilkes University	\$ 25,000.00	This grant will allow for the continuation of comprehensive business support services to nascent entrepreneurs within Northeastern PA, by Kirby Scholars (Wilkes-University students).
TOTALS	\$ 258,610.00	

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Camp Koala	\$ 5,000.00	A renewal grant would allow us to continue our grief support camp for children, as well as operate grief support groups at Geisinger, distribute comfort boxes to newly bereaved students and offer Children's Grief Awareness activities.
Great Valley Technology Alliance DBA TecBridge	\$ 25,000.00	TecBridge is requesting Willary Foundation support to re-energize regional collaboration on biomedical research and related economic development activities. Specifically, TecBridge is proposing to lead a regional coalition to pick-up and move forward the Region Bioscience Initiative (RBI) and Biomedical Research Implementation Committee (BRIC) efforts that have slowed in recent years.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	To use funding from the Willary Foundation to address the economic and housing needs of domestic violence survivors through the WRC Economic Advocacy Program. Comprehensive support services will enable survivors to move past a myriad of economic barriers that women and their children must navigate after fleeing a violent relationship.
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	Focus on Fatherhood will provide cognitive-behavioral education and support for 75-100 low-income fathers preparing for release from Lackawanna County Prison. The project introduces the innovative Inside-Out Dad curriculum to help bridge separated fathers and their children and to promote healthy family relationships postrelease.
ARC of Luzerne County	\$ 25,000.00	TRACE- Transition to Community Employment- is a one year work readiness program developed by the Arc of Luzerne County and delivered through Luzerne County Community College for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) and autism. The program is comprised of one year of structured employment preparation that includes customized life and employability skills training, career exploration and mentoring, and a supervised experiential learning work apprenticeship related to aptitudes, career goals and skill development of the individual, and work/life balance programming in the community.
ARC of Northeastern Pennsylvania	\$ 20,000.00	To purchase a minivan for the Community Intergration expansion program
King's College	\$ 10,875.00	King's College/Ruth's Place Women's Shelter Employment Program - King's College is requesting \$10,875 as seed money to initiate an Employment Program in conjunction with Ruth's Place Women's Shelter. This program would entail King's College students assisting clients' efforts in performing job searches, completing employment applications, and preparing for interviews.
Lakeland School District	\$ 10,000.00	Lakeland Elementary School Scott Campus is requesting a grant to update an outdated limited circulation of library books. Reading enhancement programs have been established but the current library circulation is not adequate to support these programs.
St. Joseph's Center	\$ 25,000.00	Saint Joseph's Center is requesting grant funding to develop therapeutic and recreational outdoor spaces on the grounds of the Adult Day Program on Blakely St in Dunmore. At this location, 90 adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities who are medically fragile receive day services for the provision of personal care and active treatment for skill development, therapy and socialization.
Scranton Area Foundation	\$ 25,000.00	The Scranton Area Foundation, Inc. (SAF) requests \$25,000 in funding from the Spring 2016 grant cycle for its newest initiative, Women in Philanthropy (WIP), which is dedicated to empowering and transforming the lives of women and girls in Lackawanna County; if approved, funding from the Willary Foundation will apply toward fulfilling a conditional grant requirement from The Harry and Jeanette Weinberg Foundation and enable WIP to receive an additional grant distribution of \$150,000 in year two of the initiative. WIP seeks to foster systemic change through a multi-faceted approach targeting four core priority areas: 1. Entrepreneurship & Micro-Lending, 2. Matched Savings Groups with Financial Education, 3. STEAM Education, and 4. Health & Wellness (this grant request applies to priority areas 1, 2, and 3).

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Scranton Neighborhood Housing	\$ 10,000.00	The Light The Town project is designed to expand NeighborWorks Northeastern Pennsylvania's already established signature Paint The Town and NeighborWorks Week projects, which are part of the Home Matters Repair Initiative. Light The Town is a program through which Scranton residents who live in vulnerable neighborhoods can have a free solar-powered, motion-detecting exterior light placed on their home.
The Gathering Place	\$ 25,000.00	Community Classroom is raising funds to renovate and transform the former Clarks Summit firehouse into The Gathering Place for Community, Arts and Education. This new venue will be an arts and education center for the community, a permanent home for the Abing Area Community Classroom, and a satellite studio for The Deutsch Institute.
Wilkes University Institue for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 2,500.00	The completion of an assessment on regional financial literacy and the impact on families and the regional economy.
TOTALS	\$ 233,375.00	

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Center for Anti-Slavery Studies	\$ 21,150.00	Special grant.
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 30,000.00	To fund innovative services for 150 vulnerable women preparing for release from Lackawanna County Prison. EOTC's multi-component Women-in-Transition initiative will improve outcomes for targeted women by providing prerelease assessment and planning, gender-informed education, mentoring and case management.
Keystone College	\$ 30,000.00	The Keystone College Miller Library is the academic center and focal point of Keystone's campus; it functions as a campus and community library, a study and social center, an art gallery and an instructional/classroom area. Funds are being sought to install new windows in the Miller Library. The existing windows are the original windows. These windows are inefficient, and a coating that was on the windows has discolored. The current condition of the windows is unappealing and causes the library to appear dark.
The Nature Conservancy	\$ 25,000.00	The Nature Conservancy would like to install a low-maintenance, solar powered composting toilet facility at our nature preserve on Moosic Mountain, the Dick and Nancy Eales Preserve. This will improve visitors' experience of this popular preserve and help protect its natural resources by minimizing human impact.
Northeast Regional Cancer Institute	\$ 25,000.00	The Cancer Institute Community Based Cancer Screening Navigation Program is a cancer screening initiative focused on barrier reduction and facilitation of cancer screening among low income residents of northeast Pennsylvania. The chosen target screenings - breast, cervical and colon are widely recommended, successful in detecting and preventing cancer, offer statistically reliable cost effectiveness yet remain under utilized.
Penn State-Worthington Scranton Campus	\$ 5,000.00	The Student Hardship Fund at Penn State Worthington Scranton supports undergraduates who need a helping hand when experiencing extraordinary and sometimes unexpected hardships that affect their ability to cover the costs of their education. Things like a family member's or student's own job loss, illness, death, loss of home to fire, etc. may be too much to overcome financially and hinder the student's ability to continue his or her education without assistance.
The Wright Center	\$ 10,000.00	The Wright Center plans to establish a Primary Care Clinic at Skyview Park Apartments in Scranton that will provide a full range of services including mental and behavioral health and dental care to individuals who are uninsured, underinsured, and low income with a particular focus on the growing Bhutanese refugee, Asian, and Hispanic communities in Scranton. Funds are requested to implement the Portable Remote Network that will connect the Skyview Primary Care Clinic and its patients to an electronic medical record to facilitate better care, care coordination and link to services in the community.
Camp Koala	\$ 5,000.00	Camp Koala hosts grief support camps for children ages 7-12, and for teens who have experienced the death of a parent, primary caregiver or sibling. In 2015 we will open four new camps, in the Wilkes-Barre and Scranton area for grieving children.
Heritage Valley Partners	\$ 20,000.00	Development of a trailhead community park and natural play area that is ADA accessible for nature play, cultural performances and environmental education programming. The site is located along the Lackawanna River Heritage Trail that travels throughout 70+ miles and 30 municipalities and is open to the public, free of charge.
Lacawac Sanctuary	\$ 7,500.00	The future well-being of our local watersheds will soon rest in the hands of its youngest citizens. Establishing strong, targeted environmental education programs now provides a vital foundation for these future watershed stewards. Lacawac's Watershed Education and Awareness Program operates in local schools and afterschool programs in Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties to teach natural resource sciences, ecosystem management, and watershed stewardship to 3rd, 4th and 5th graders.

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Penn's Northeast INC	\$ 25,000.00	Penn's Northeast, a four-county regional economic development organization in NEPA is requesting funding to aid in our latest four-year marketing and recruitment initiative. Our organization's sole purpose is to market the region and recruit business operation to Lackawanna, Luzerne, Monroe and Wayne counties, and we're looking to achieve that purpose by directly engaging with over 8,000 companies throughout the United States and Europe we've identified within our target industries.
Scranton Tomorrow	\$ 30,000.00	Scranton Tomorrow is leading the collaboration of the non-profit organizations, historical and heritage based organizations, tourism, arts and cultural sector, neighborhood associations, governmental bodies, private businesses and the community at large for the planning of the City of Scranton's Sesquicentennial Celebration, marking 150 years. The goal of this year's celebration is to educate, recreate and celebrate our region's rich history through various mediums. Throughout the year we will showcase our history through artifacts, artwork, craftsmanship, food, photography, dance, song and written word. The funds we have requested will help support the celebration throughout the year.
TOTALS	\$ 233,650.00	

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Countryside Conservancy	\$ 25,000.00	The goal of this grant is to secure funds necessary to pay for the Abington Little League Trail connector as part of a safe road crossing at Ackery Road in Phase 1 of the Trolley Trail (Clarks Summit to Dalton - 2.8 miles).
Fractured Atlas for REV Theatre Company	\$ 15,000.00	REV Theatre Company will partner with the Scranton Cultural Center and use the requested funds to present Living Shakespeare . This program will offer free to low cost performances of a professional production Hamlet to students in Scranton/Lackawanna and potentially Luzerne Counties, along with public performances, in February 2015.
Greater Wilkes Barre Association for the Blind	\$ 10,000.00	The Transition Assistance Program will provide blind and visually impaired high school students with skills and knowledge they need to successfully transition from high school to college, trade school or employment. The goal is to help students identify and gain more information on careers of interest, and the steps they need to take to make the successful transition to life beyond high school.
Institue for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 12,000.00	Would like to use funds to produce a quarterly economic publication which includes economic and business data in order to assist organizations and businesses in understanding the local economy, trends, changes and how certain indicators impact the economic and social well being of businesses and individuals.
Misericordia University	\$ 32,950.00	Funds will be used for a week-long Diversity Camp which will analyze the impact of their leadership in their schools and community as well as increase awareness of community organizations and institutions that assist the community.
PAISBC	\$ 10,000.00	Grant proceeds would be used for a free, one on one, educational, instructional, and motivational intervention utilizing physical activity to address and improve physical capability and wellness among other quality of life issues related to cancer and side effects of its treatment
Scranton Cultural Center at Masonic Temple	\$ 50,000.00	The Scranton Cultural Center is seeking funding for the installation of the HVAC system on the fourth floor, which would enable the expansion of the facility use during the spring, summer, and fall months. The HVAC system will allow SCC to transform empty space into additional facilities to be utilized for revenue, additional jobs, and innovative programs provided at low or no cost to families. Furthermore the SCC will provide local community groups with event space.
Scranton Shakespeare Festival	\$ 4,000.00	The Scranton Shakespeare Festival plans to use the requested funds to support their Summer 2014 productions of Shakespeare's Twelfth Night and Gilbert and Sullivan's The Pirates of Penzance . All performances will be completely free and open to the public.
The University of Scranton Leahy Community Health & Family Center	\$ 25,000.00	The Leahy Clinic serves a limited but signifiant role in the community's health "safety net" by offering "nonemergent health care" to uninsured people who would otherwise forgo health care becasue of cost, or seek care inappropriately in hospital emergency rooms.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	The Women's Resource Center proposes to use funding from the Willary Foundation to address the economic and housing needs of domestic violence survivors through the WRC economic Advocacy Program. Comprehensive support services will enable survivors to move past the myriad of economic barriers that women and their children must navigate after fleeing a violent relationship.
TOTALS	\$ 208,950.00	

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Bread Basket Food Bank	\$ 5,000.00	Special grant to the Bread Basket Food Bank in honor of William Warren Scranton.
Children's Advocacy Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 8,706.00	This project will create a Teen Advocacy Center that provides a Teen Library to allow a safe space for Northeastern Pennsylvania's victims of physical and sexual abuse and/or neglect.
Cori's Place	\$ 10,000.00	Funds will be used to purchase a wheelchair van due to the increase in the number of clients and their multifarious physical disabilities. A van will allow clients access to the community for both recreational and volunteer activities.
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	EOTC seeks funding to help reduce waiting lists for its Blueprint-Against-Violence Incredible Years (IY) parenting skills program. During the project, 60-75 parents at risk for child abuse/neglect will receive research-based classroom training, individual coaching and links to crucial resources.
Fractured Atlas for REV Theatre Company	\$ 3,500.00	REV Theatre Company will partner with the Mayor's Office, Scranton and the Department of Parks & Recreation to present free outdoor performances of a professional production of Comedy of Horrors in Nay Aug Park in June 2013. They will also partner with United Neighborhood Centers to offer eight drama workshops for at-risk children and youth who are enrolled in the UNC Summer Camps.
Scranton Public Library	\$ 16,000.00	The Library proposes to digitize over thirty rare books commemorating the Centennials of Lackawanna County communities and make them available via the Lackawanna Valley Digital Archives. These books, published in the mid to late 20th century, record the history of the town or township and contain important historical information not found elsewhere.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 24,456.00	The Path to Citizenship Program will provide literacy education and tools of empowerment for non-English speaking adults that will increase their chances for employment and successful integration into American society.
United Neighborhood Centers of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 5,000.00	A special grant to the Food Bank of United Neighborhood Center in honor of William Warren Scranton.
United Way	\$ 7,500.00	A special grant to the United Way - Gift of Warmth in honor of William Warren Scranton.
The University of Scranton Leahy Community Health & Family Center	\$ 25,000.00	Funding for the Edward R. Leahy Jr Center Clinic for the Uninsured which provides free, non-emergency health care to uninsured Lackawanna County Residents.
Volunteers in Medicine of Luzerne County	\$ 25,000.00	VIM provides quality compassionate medical and dental care to working low income families that have no access to health insurance. VIM will expand Mental Health Services to alleviate the extreme demand for treatment associated to mental illness.
WVIA TV/FM Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Association	\$ 10,000.00	A grant to WVIA exclusively for the use of Erika Funke for a WVIA project of her choice, in recognition of Erika's years of support for the regional arts' communities and continued encouragement to all artists.
TOTALS	\$ 165,162.00	

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Abington Area Community Classroom	\$ 25,000.00	The Abington Area Community Classroom with its partners, The Abington Area Joint Recreation Board, the Clarks Summit Borough and The Deutsch Institute, is in the process of renovating the former Clarks Summit Fire House into an inclusive community center where residents of the Abingtons and surrounding areas can come together for recreational and artistic programs while providing employment to people with special needs.
Center for Cancer Wellness - Candy's Place	\$ 20,000.00	Funding for an exercise program geared toward improving the health of the participants and increase their physical activity. Candy's Place offers these classes free to cancer patients and at a low cost to Luzerne County residents who otherwise can not afford or are unable to take these types of exercise programs at other organizations.
Fractured Atlas for REV Theatre Company	\$ 3,400.00	Funding to present free outdoor performances of a professional production of Midsummer Night's Dream in Nay Aug Park in June. Rev Theatre will partner with the mayor's office and the Department of Parks & Recreation. They will also partner with the United Neighborhood Center, Bellevue Center, Scranton to offer drama workshops for at-risk children and youth.
Friends of the Poor	\$ 24,689.00	Friends of the Poor will collaborate with Marywood University's Campus Ministry and the University of Scranton's Community Outreach Office to expand the Big Friends/Little Friends after-school program at Valley View Terrace in Scranton.
Great Valley Technology Alliance	\$ 15,000.00	Great Valley Technology Alliance and Northeastern Pennsylvania Technology Institute will be consolidating their organizations. The funding will be used for the rebranding, legal consolidation, fiscal consolidation and facilitation of a business plan.
Keystone College	\$ 25,000.00	Funding to complete a concept and feasibility study to develop concept designs for the Miller Library - a multipurpose building which includes library, art gallery, classrooms and offices. This will help determine the cost and viability of renovations and enhancements that align with a visionary campus master plan that supports Keystone's continued growth - now and into the future.
Meals on Wheels Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 10,000.00	The Fast Track Home Delivered Mean Program assists older individuals, recently discharged from a hospital or rehabilitation facility by providing them with hot nutritious meals for a 2 to 4 week period. Meals on Wheels can not provide funding due to increasing costs combined with decreasing subsidized monies.
Pittston Memorial Library	\$ 19,439.00	The Pittston Memorial Library is requesting grant funding for start-up supplies and equipment for the Intergenerational Family Center Program which is a pilot program designed to provide support, counseling and other services to grandparents who are raising their grandchildren.
St. Joseph's Center	\$ 25,000.00	Development of a therapy Garden on the grounds of St. Joseph's Center for their residents. They are currently working with Marywood University School of Architecture Faculty and students who developed the design for the Therapy Garden.
United Neighborhood Centers of Lackawanna County	\$ 24,958.00	Funding for our Photography and Creative Writing program for low income at risk youth in Lackawanna county. Youth between the ages of 11-18 will partake a year long educational program where they will learn the basics of digital photography and creative writing.
TOTALS	\$ 192,486.00	

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Community Intervention Center of Lackawanna County	\$ 25,000.00	Down payment for purchase of a building Center of Lackawanna County located in the City of Scranton. Community Intervention Center is in its 40th year of service to individuals with mental health disorders, chemical dependencies and homelessness.
Hospice of the Sacred Heart	\$ 25,000.00	Expansion of services of PATH (Palliative and Transition to Home/Hospice) to members of the community currently facing serious illness who wish to seek curative treatment and require help with pain/symptom management addressed by the sub-specialty of Palliative Medicine and also to assist with navigating the continuum of care in health care systems.
Institue for Public Policy & Economic Development at Wilkes University	\$ 15,000.00	Preparation of a Regional Economic Indicators Development Report for Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties. After the report is released at a community forum, the Institute serves as a convener and primary researcher for the taskforces formed at the event that will work on developing a policy agenda.
Misericordia University	\$ 20,000.00	Funding for Inclusive Excellence Professional Development Project and Misericordia University's Diversity Institute Camp. These programs underscore the University's role as a major community resource and innovator in promoting diversity.
The University of Scranton	\$ 15,000.00	Funding for clinic offering non-emergent health care to uninsured people.
Leahy Community Health & Family Center	\$ 25,000.00	Funding for the third year to enhance the Economic Justice Program by addressing the economic and housing needs of domestic and sexual abuse survivors in Women's Resource Center's Transitional Housing Program.
TOTALS	\$ 125,000.00	

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Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 24,982.00	Funding for Family Reunification Services to assist 40 court-involved families (estimated 60 children) who are at high risk for child abuse and neglect. The project will provide EOTC with the tools for therapeutic parent-child activities, intensive case management and an innovative moms group for women in recovery.
Geisinger Health Services LIFE	\$ 12,000.00	Funding for training of select LIFE health care professionals to become Master Trainers for the research-based, community outreach program <i>A Matter of Balance: Managing Concerns About Falls</i>
Great Valley Technology Alliance	\$ 10,000.00	Funding for business plan competition.
Institute for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 15,000.00	Analyze data, compile findings, publish a regional economic indicators report for Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties and release the report at a community forum. After release of the report, the Institute serves as conveyor and primary researcher for the task forces formed at the event that will work on implementing short- and long-term goals aimed at community revitalization and sustainability.
King's College	\$ 7,193.00	Funding for the African American Male Outreach Program, which aims to improve the college retention rate among the black male population.
The Nature Conservancy	\$ 10,000.00	Funding to support the Lackawanna County Open Space Initiative Group, which is researching the possibility of securing long-term funding for open space protection in Lackawanna County.
Penn State-Worthington Scranton Campus	\$ 25,000.00	Funding for a Student Success Center which will enhance the learning
Scranton Public Library	\$ 28,000.00	Funding for "Out of the Wilderness: The Development and Industrialization of the Scranton Area 1850-1865". It is the digitization of 67 historical items that will be available to the public via an interactive website.
Women's Resource Center	\$ 10,000.00	Funding for the second year to enhance the Economic Justice Project by
TOTALS	\$ 142,175.00	

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Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	Third of a 3-part grant for installation of star-qualified building components in its Seventh Avenue Center Headquarters
Institute for Public Policy & Economic Development	\$ 15,000.00	Funding for research and data analysis to publish a regional economic indicators report for Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties
Johnson College	\$ 25,000.00	Development of a green learning house on campus which provide students with opportunity to work on curriculum entirely centered around sustainability concepts
Lackawanna River Corridor Association	\$ 30,000.00	Creation of community partnership of property owners, business interests, public and development organizations that will advance the reclamation of the Old Forge Hole mine drainage discharge and investigate opportunities for green technology development of lands along the river confluence area Duryea and Old Forge.
United Way of Lackawanna County	\$ 15,000.00	Emergency Heating Program
Women's Resource Center	\$ 25,000.00	Creation of a broad-based economic justice project by developing and implementing a transitional housing program
TOTALS	\$ 135,000.00	

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Boys & Girls Clubs of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	The Boys & Girls Clubs Shuttle Program provides families with an affordable way to provide transportation and care for children after school daily including days with planned or unplanned early dismissals.
Co-Operative Farmer's Market	\$ 10,000.00	Design plan for new buildings and new roof for farmer's market
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	Second of a 3-part grant to fund the salary of development director, who will implement and administer Building Our Future, a \$500,000 capital campaign for renovation of Seventh Avenue Center.
Keystone College (Environmental Education Institute)	\$ 15,000.00	Funding for Watershed Concepts teacher-training course.
Keystone College (The Gathering 2008)	\$ 15,000.00	The Gathering is a theme-based literature conference that focuses on sources of literary imagination and inspiration. The goal is to bring world-class literary figures to the area for a 3-day event that will be affordable to local readers writers and others interested in literature.
Keystone College (The Gathering 2008)	\$ 25,000.00	Special grant.
Luzerne County Historical Society	\$ 5,000.00	Identification and mapping of historic trees at the Swetland Homestead.
Misericordia University	\$ 17,500.00	Funding to renovate the exterior of Pauly House, a residence for use by Women with Children program, which provides economically disadvantaged single mothers the opportunity to pursue a baccalaureate degree while residing in a designated residence hall with their children.
Penn State-Worthington Scranton Campus	\$ 25,000.00	Renovation and equipment of approximately 7,500 square feet in an existing building to create a science suite. The suite will be furnished with the most current technology available in the science field.
Russell Park	\$ 5,000.00	Improvements to Russell Park, including paving of parking lot, upgrade of walkways in and out of park and landscaping of entranceway.
Shiloh Baptist Church	\$ 1,200.00	Purchase of pre-school kits containing school supplies as part of "The Fresh Start Project" which supports disadvantaged children within Lackawanna County. The kits would be distributed at Back-to-School Block Party.
United Neighborhood Center Lackawanna Cty	\$ 37,750.00	UNC's Leader-In-training Program (LIT) is a gang-intervention program that coordinates a collaboration of family, school and community support networks in an intense, youth development program that involves participants in personal and community goal setting, emphasizing the ability of participants to have a positive impact on their own lives, as well as their community
TOTALS	\$ 206,450.00	

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Greater Carbondale YMCA	\$ 25,000.00	Upgrade of the 1914 and 1980 structures and addition of building space to accommodate a wide range of community programs, i.e., daycare and fitness/wellness.
Joint Urban Studies Center Wilkes University	\$ 10,000.00	Joint Urban Studies Center will complete thorough research, analyze data, compile findings, publish a Regional Economic Indicators Report for Lackawanna & Luzerne Counties and release the report at a community forum. After report release, the JUSC would act as convener and primary researcher for the task forces formed at the event that will work on implementing short- and long-term regional goals aimed at community revitalization and sustainability
Marywood University	\$ 14,355.00	Year three of a three-year program for visiting artists
Nay Aug Conservancy	\$ 35,000.00	Public art installation consisting of large standing clay tablets (stela or stelae plural) in Nay Aug Park.
Northeast Pennsylvania Philharmonic	\$ 15,000.00	Funding for Educational Outreach Initiatives (EOI) which creates opportunities for access to high-quality music programming for under-served youth and their families. A major part
Northeast Regional Cancer Institute	\$ 25,000.00	Advanced regional epidemiology research of a range of women's cancers. The knowledge gained will develop targeted Educational and outreach initiatives to address areas in which disparities may be found.
The Northeast Theatre Performance Space at the Hotel Jermyn	\$ 7,500.00	Acting Alone is a two-part series of original monodramas (created and performed by a single person). The grant is support for Part One, which is comprised of 3 plays featuring artists with Scranton roots and will include master classes open to the local theatre
The University of Scranton Leahy Community Health & Family Center	\$ 15,000.00	Partnership between the University and Lackawanna Medical Society to establish a free health clinic for uninsured residents of Scranton and nearby communities. The Scranton Free Clinic will offer acute, episodic "non emergency" care to Lackawanna County residents who may otherwise forgo health care due to cost.
TOTALS	\$ 146,855.00	

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Friends of Arabesque	\$ 8,250.00	Provide dance classes at no cost to 30 under- privileged students.
Greater Carbondale YMCA	\$ 25,000.00	Upgrade of the 1914 and 1980 structures and add building space to accommodate a wide-range of community programs, i.e., day care and fitness/wellness
Willary Water Resource Center Keystone College	\$ 25,000.00	Proposal to enhance the capability of the Willary Water Resource Center to provide GIS-based large format maps of the region through the purchase of a large format printer computer workstation, monitor and supplies
Marywood University	\$ 15,093.00	Year 2 of a 3-year program for a visiting artist series
The Nature Conservancy	\$ 30,000.00	Grant to pursue stewardship and ecological management at Moosic Mountain by raising community awareness and encouraging compatible recreational and Educational uses
Scranton-Abingtons Planning Association	\$ 25,000.00	Ten contiguous municipalities in Lackawanna County have voluntarily come together to develop a cooperative ("multi municipal") comprehensive plan that will include land use, land preservation and transportation elements.
St. Francis of Assisi Kitchen	\$ 10,000.00	Update of fifteen-year-old computer system to track donations, food inventories and research new community resources
United Neighborhood Centers of Lackawanna County	\$ 37,811.00	Project to provide the residents of Skyview Park with the knowledge and tools to improve the quality of life for themselves and future residents.
Volunteers in Medicine of Luzerne County	\$ 10,000.00	Funds for the project planning and development phase of a free clinic for employed residents of Luzerne County who lack health insurance.
The Language Institute c/o Wilkes University	\$ 15,000.00	Development and delivery of two instructional programs in Spanish - one for healthcare professionals and one for human service providers.
TOTALS	\$ 201,154.00	

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Allied Services	\$ 25,000.00	General grant with no restrictions
Countryside Conservancy	\$ 35,000.00	Purchase of land or land development rights from older landowners in the region who need supplementary income to maintain an acceptable standard of living
Covenant Church	\$ 50,000.00	Construction funding.
Employment Opportunity and Training Center of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 25,000.00	Funding of renovation to an existing building which will serve EOTC employees and clients.
Friendship House	\$ 11,500.00	Funding of "Yoga: An Alternative Approach," a program utilizing yoga principles to provide an alternative approach to working with at-risk children or adolescents.
Greater Hazleton Philharmonic	\$ 1,500.00	Free or very low-cost instrumental music lessons and exposure to fine arts to the under-served local youth
Holocaust Educational Resource Center Jewish Federation of Northeast Pennsylvania	\$ 11,630.00	Funding of a community conference, "Through the Voices of Women: Ravensbruck 1945-2005 concepts for the Contemporary Community." The aim of the conference is to study the example of how women coped with great challenges in the Holocaust.
Joint Urban Studies Center Wilkes University	\$ 10,000.00	Proposal to complete thorough research, analyze data, compile the findings and publish a Regional Economic Indicators Report for Lackawanna and Luzerne Counties.
King's College	\$ 10,366.50	The proposed "cultural experience for Hispanic children" is a year-long series of cultural and historical excursions for Hispanic children in grades 1 through 6 who participate in the King's College Dan Flood Tutoring program located on King's campus
Marywood University	\$ 13,005.00	Proposal for a visiting artist series to host environmental artists over a three year period.
O.S. Johnson Technical T/A Johnson College	\$ 7,500.00	Establishment of a textbook lending library for Johnson College students who cannot afford to purchase their course textbooks.
Penn State-Worthington Scranton Campus	\$ 50,000.00	General grant with no restrictions but with a recommendation that it be used for business curriculum.
Tri-County Human Services Centers, Inc.	\$ 4,000.00	Funding for a summer program entitled, "The Living Arts Camp" for at-risk children.
United Neighborhood Centers of Lackawanna County	\$ 36,924.00	Project provides the residents of Skyview Park the knowledge and tools to improve the quality of life for themselves and future residents.
Volunteers of American of Pennsylvania, Inc.	\$ 22,000.00	Development of permanent and transitional housing for the 18-25 year old population that is, or is at risk of, homelessness
Women's Resource Center	\$ 30,000.00	General grant with no restrictions.
WVIA TV/FM Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television Association	\$ 40,000.00	Funding for the production of a biographical documentary on Federal Judge Max Rosenn
	\$ 25,000.00	General grant with no restrictions but with a recommendation that it start an endowment fund.
TOTALS	\$ 408,425.50	