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2024 Annual Update

A Status Update for Donors and Supporters of Dunn County's Permanent Endowment Fund.

Dear Friends,

A recent article in The Chronicle of Philanthropy noted that rural areas in America receive much less charitable funding from national foundations than they should based on population. This doesn't come as a big surprise to many of us who live in "flyover country" as rural areas are often overlooked.

While this statistic may be discouraging to some, it is actually *inspiring* to our committee. We don't wait for help or handouts from national organizations to build projects or support programs here in Dunn County - while we appreciate any support we can get, we are busy building our own charitable resource in the Killdeer Area Community Foundation.

Our foundation will generate charitable dollars for grant awards in our area forever, regardless of what other funding may come our way. **Please consider how you can help our fund grow to be a significant resource for our area.**

Thanks for helping us secure a brighter future for the residents of Dunn County!

Killdeer Area Community Foundation Committee

Linda Kittilson, Chair
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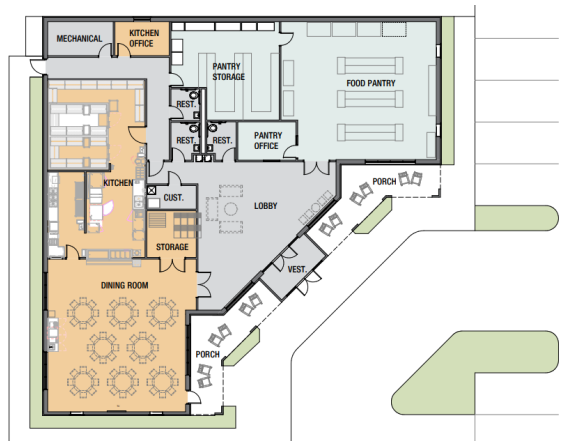
\$3,000 Awarded in 2024

The Killdeer Area Community Foundation Advisory Committee awarded \$3,000 to CHI - Health Connect at Home to help purchase Home Health and Hospice fleet vehicles in 2024.

"We serve clients in Dunn County specifically in Marshall, Killdeer, Manning, Halliday, Dunn Center, and Dodge and cover a radius of 60 miles from Dickinson," wrote Joel Babcock in the grant application.

"Currently, staff drive personal vehicles seeing Home Health and Hospice clients in their personal homes or in nursing homes. CHI Health at Home needs reliable vehicles that function year round in all conditions, on all types of roads, and any time day or night. With reliable vehicles we want to provide staff with better personal safety as well as being more secure/confident in meeting every client's appointment. Homebound clients require our services and are dependent on staff making it to their homes."

Grants are awarded from the fund once a year. Any organization with a 501(c)(3) status or government agency may apply. Applications are available online at www.NDCF.net/Killdeer.



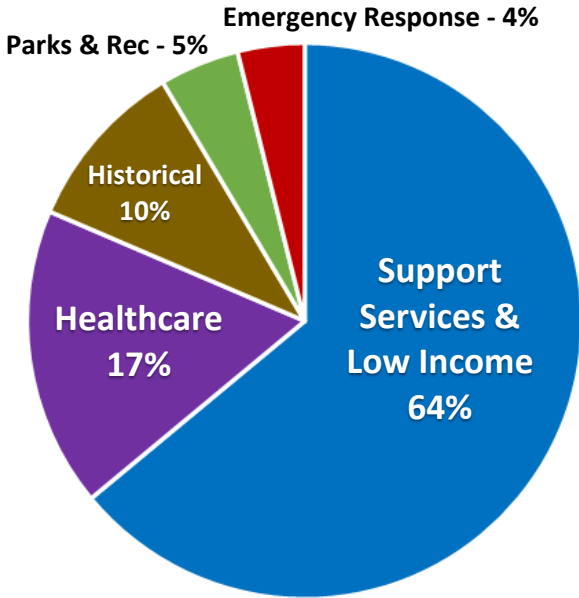
The Killdeer Area Community Foundation has previously awarded grants to Dunn County RoundUp for a new building (rendering above) to include a food pantry, soup kitchen, and other areas to serve the community.

Killdeer Area Community Foundation

- Established in 2012
- Total Assets (as of 9/30/24): **\$195,067**
- Total Grants Awarded in 2024: **1 grant totaling \$3,000**
- Total Grants Awarded since 2017: **8 grants totaling \$17,184**

Where Have Our Grants Gone?

The Killdeer Area Community Foundation has awarded over \$17,000 in 8 different grants since 2017 to various organizations and entities in our area. Here is a breakdown of where those grant dollars have gone:



Support Services - Low Income	\$10,995
Healthcare	\$3,000
Historical/Heritage	\$1,720
Parks & Rec	\$799
Emergency Response	\$670
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Thank you to the many different individuals, families, and businesses that have donated to our foundation in the past. **Your generosity made these grants possible!**

Questions or want more information?



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Give Other Than or In Addition to Cash?

Why, yes you can! The Killdeer Area Community Foundation can accept many different types of gifts. Depending on your situation, you may want to consider donating one of the following:

- **Gifts of farm commodities:** Avoid income recognition by having the elevator make a direct transfer to the Killdeer Area Community Foundation.
- **Real estate,** which allows the donor to deduct the current appraised value of the real estate and avoid capital gains taxes.
- **Depreciated business property** (farm equipment, etc.) Avoids recapture tax.
- **Appreciated investment assets,** valued on the date of transfer, are tax deductible and you can avoid paying capital gains tax.
- **Over 70 1/2? A charitable IRA rollover counts as your required minimum distribution,** but you don't need to claim the donated portion as federal income. Must be sent to NDCF by direct transfer.
- **Gifts of mineral** acres outright, assignment of mineral royalty income, or make the Killdeer Area Community Foundation an income or remainder beneficiary of your family mineral trust.



For gift planning or anonymous giving, please contact John Heinen at the North Dakota Community Foundation (701-590-4614 or John@NDCF.net). Consult your tax advisor about your specific situation.



"Do what you can, with what you have, where you are." - Theodore Roosevelt



The Killdeer Area Community Foundation is a component fund of the North Dakota Community Foundation (NDCF). Established in 1976, NDCF provides comprehensive charitable services including donor gift planning, bequest planning, and fiduciary services such as accounting, audit, and money management. For more information about NDCF, contact John Heinen, NDCF Development Director at 701-590-4614.