

Regional Development Authority
Spring 2025 Grant Recommendations

Association of Fundraising Professionals	Strengthening Philanthropy Through Fundraiser Support and Collaboration	\$ 4,795
ASWAS, Inc (A System Within a System)	Empowering Youth Through Expert-Led Workshops at the 2025 Summit	\$ 7,500
Autistic & Loved Foundation	Enhancing Sensory and Social Experiences for Children with Autism	\$ 7,500
Ballet Quad Cities	Family Day at the Ballet: A Collaboration for Growth and Access	\$ 6,135
Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley	Digital and social media content and marketing enhancements	\$ 15,000
Cancer Support Community Iowa & NW Illinois	Expanding Development Capacity to Sustain Cancer Support Services	\$ 48,000
Children's Therapy Center of the Quad Cities, NFP	Addition of a new multisensory room and PT/fundraising space at RI clinic	\$ 5,000
City of Buffalo	Safety Equipment -Self Contained Breathing Apparatus for Fire Department	\$ 10,000
City of Eldridge	Crandall Park ADA Compliant Restroom	\$ 20,000
Colonel Davenport Historical Foundation	Replace the west wing siding and windows of the Colonel Davenport House	\$ 5,000
Common Chord	Musical Instruments Activating the Power of Music	\$ 20,000
Community Health Care, Inc.	Expanding Pharmacy Access for Low-Income Patients at the River Drive Clinic	\$ 100,000
Davenport Community School District	Extended Day Preschool Pilot Program	\$ 50,000
Davenport Southeast Little League	Completion of 2 partially constructed baseball fields	\$ 20,000
Dixon Volunteer Fire Department	Ice rescue equipment to save life's	\$ 4,500
Donahue Volunteer Fire Department Inc.	Res-q jacks rescue struts	\$ 10,000
Dress for Success Quad Cities	Career Connection Entrepreneurial Support in the Quad Cities Region	\$ 7,500
Eldridge Volunteer Fire Co. Inc.	Education / Training Room Refurbishment	\$ 10,000
Empower House	Salary Support to Expand Brain Injury Survivor Programming	\$ 15,600
Empowering Abilities	EmpoweringTech: Advancing Independence Through Innovation	\$ 20,000
Family Resources, Inc.	A Regional Investment in Scott County Youth	\$ 32,500
Friends of the Quad Cities	QC, That's Where We Grow: Meetings, Conventions, Reunions & Sports Events	\$ 50,000
Hand In Hand	Early Learning Without Limits: Ensuring Equity in Childcare Access	\$ 60,000

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Humane Society of Scott County	Addressing Critical Community Needs Through Animal Shelter Expansion	\$ 50,000
Humble Dwellings	Providing New Beds to People in Need	\$ 20,000
Humility Homes and Services, Inc.	Multi-Option Navigation for Affordable Housing (MONAH)	\$ 75,000
Illowa Council, Boy Scouts of America	Exploring Workforce Development: Career Exposure in Public Safety, Service	\$ 10,000
Iowa College Access Network	Future Ready: Building Career & College Readiness Through Parent Engagement	\$ 20,000
Iowa Jobs for America's Graduates	Raising the Standard for Workforce Development through Work-Based Learning	\$ 25,000
Jewish Federation of the Quad Cities	Violins of Hope	\$ 7,500
Keep Scott County Beautiful	Reaching Scott County Volunteers to Clean Up the Community	\$ 4,000
lift Women's Foundation	Expanding Financial Access and Business Coaching for Women Entrepreneurs	\$ 10,000
Martin Luther King Jr Center	Thanksgiving Meals	\$ 7,500
Midwest Writing Center	20 Years of Young Emerging Writers	\$ 3,500
Mississippi Valley Workforce Development Board	Advancing Education and Economic Opportunity Through Skillup Training	\$ 10,000
MyGEAR Outreach	Cultivating Hope and Fostering Belonging	\$ 7,000
Nahant Marsh Education Center	Bridging Nahant Marsh's Development Capacity	\$ 32,500
NAMI Greater Mississippi Valley	Quad Cities Trauma Informed Care Consortium (\$81,000 award multicycle 2025 Spr/Fall)	\$ 40,500
NAMI Greater Mississippi Valley	Expanding Mental Health Support for Scott County Residents	\$ 17,500
North Scott Community School District	ADA-Accessible Swing Equipment	\$ 2,200
Partners of Scott County Watersheds	Goose Creek - Safe Access to Water Resources	\$ 40,000
Princeton Iowa Volunteer Fire Department	New Wildland Brush Truck	\$ 25,000
Project Renewal	Youth Program Expansion & Renovation Project, phase 2 (\$100,000 award multiyear 2025 & 2026)	\$ 50,000
Quad Cities Community Broadcasting Group, Inc.	Access to Opportunity: Empowerment Through Media Messaging	\$ 35,000
Quad Cities Housing Council	Creation and Preservation of Affordable Housing Units	\$ 75,000
Quad Cities Open Network	Improving community outcomes through collaborative case management	\$ 75,000

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Quad City Symphony Orchestra	2025-26 Masterworks Concert Season	\$ 20,000
Quad-City Electrical Joint Apprenticeship & Training Program	A Hands-On Boot Camp for Aspiring Electricians in the Quad Cities Region	\$ 10,000
River Bend Food Bank	Matching Funds Challenge to Close a Federal Funding Gap	\$ 100,000
SBC Outreach Music & Arts Academy	Bringing Music & Art Lessons to Low-Income and At-Risk Children	\$ 7,500
Scott County Library System	Learn to Read Collection to Support Early Literacy	\$ 10,000
Soles for Children Inc	10th Annual Coats & Shoes Giveaway for Low-income Children in Scott County	\$ 10,800
Spring Forward Learning Center (Bett)	Combating the Summer Slide in Bettendorf Community School District (BCSD)	\$ 7,500
St. Alphonsus ECEC	Removal of window air/replace with functioning windows	\$ 9,037
Testimonies of Hope, Inc/Argrow's House of Healing and Hope	Expand Economic and Workforce Development for Domestic Violence Survivors	\$ 15,000
The Friends of Donahue	Picnic Tables for City Park	\$ 4,061
TMBC - Together Making A Better Community	TMBC Career Academy	\$ 37,001
Transitions Mental Health Services (TMHS)	7th Judicial Mental Health Court Program	\$ 75,000
Treasure Box U-S	2025 Summer Vibe Program	\$ 7,500
Vera French Foundation	The Carol Center Clubhouse - Hope & Belonging For Mental Illness Recovery	\$ 6,000
Walcott American Legion Post 548	Remove & replace Heating, Ventilation, & Air Conditioning (HVAC) unit	\$ 18,686
World Relief Quad Cities	Emergency Housing Case Management for Refugees and Immigrants	\$ 41,355
		\$ 1,550,670
Multi-Cycle Payments		
Figge Art Museum	Light Sculpture (6 of 10)	\$100,000
City of Bettendorf	Splash Landing and Winter Skating (5 of 10)	\$100,000
QC Community Foundation	Center for Nonprofit Excellence (3 of 3)	\$100,000
City of Davenport	Lighting for River Park (4 of 5)	\$75,000
		\$375,000
	Total for Spring 2025 Cycle	\$ 1,925,670