

CHARLES K. BLA...IN FOUNDATION
 GRANTS AND SC...ARSHIPS PAID
 DECEMBER 31, 2003

NAME	ADDRESS	FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT	PURPOSE	AMOUNT
KOOTASCA Community Action	1213 SE 2nd Ave.	501@3	Continued project support for the Parent Leadership Training Institute for residents of Itasca County	\$ 25,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th St	501@3	Continuation funding for the Itasca County Trails Task Force to facilitate and encourage the development of trails in Itasca County	30,000.00
Itasca County Housing/Redevel Authority	102 NE Third St Suite 160	Government	Project support to implement recommendations outlined in the Itasca County Housing Study for Itasca County	36,400.00
Itasca Development Corporation	12 NW Third St.	501@3	Project support for the Itasca Technology Enterprise Community (ITEC) initiative in Itasca County	110,000.00
Itasca Development Corporation	12 NW 3rd St	501@3	For continued operating support to promote economic development activity in Itasca County during 2003	140,000.00
KOOTASCA Community Action	1213 SE 2nd Ave.	501@3	Continued support for the Homebuyer Education Program in Itasca County	12,500.00
NE Entrepreneur Fund, Inc.	Olcott Plaza 820 N 9th St.	501@3	Project support for the microenterprise economic development program in Itasca County	20,000.00
Northern Itasca Joint Powers Board	PO Box 95	Government	Continued operating support for the Edge of the Wilderness Community Coordinator in Itasca County	13,000.00
American Cancer Society	PO Box 902	501@3	For continued operating support for the Grand Rapids Community Cancer Center	20,000.00
Northern Itasca Health Care Center	PO Box 258	Government	Sustaining contribution for the Home Visitor Program in Itasca County	5,000.00
Northern Itasca Health Care Center	PO Box 258	Government	For the Community Parish Nurse Project in Itasca County	25,000.00
Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave.	501@3	To evaluate the all-day-every-day kindergarten program at the Forest Lake Elementary School within the Grand Rapids School District	3,272.00
Bovey/Coleraine Youth Center	PO Box 432	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Youth Center in Bovey	30,000.00
Bridges Kinship Mentoring	703 North Pokegama Avenue	501@3	For continued support of the Bridges Kinship Mentoring Program in Grand Rapids through 2003	9,500.00
Camp Fire Boys & Girls, MN Council	2610 University Ave W	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Camp Fire program in Itasca County	10,000.00
Children's Mental Health Services/REACH	1421 E Highway 169	501@3	For the "Helping Each Other Grow" project as part of the Children First! Initiative in Itasca County	112,000.00
Cooperative Solutions	PO Box 146	501@3	Sustaining contribution for family mediation services in Itasca County	40,000.00

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First Call for Help of Itasca Cty	1211 SE 2nd Ave Grand Rapids	501@3	Sustaining contribution for emergency, information and referral services in Itasca County	25,000.00
Friendship Ventures	10509 NW 108th St Annandale	501@3	Sustaining contribution for disabled youth to participate in camping activities from Itasca County	1,700.00
Girl Scouts - Land of Lakes Council	117 South Fourth Street Grand Rapids	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Girl Scouts program in Itasca County	7,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th St Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued operating support	66,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th Ave Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued support for the Itasca County Sharing Fund, an emergency assistance program in Itasca County	90,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th st Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued operating support through 2006	279,000.00
City of Grand Rapids	City Hall 420 N Pokegama Av Grand Rapids	Government	Project support for telecommunications, downtown redevelopment, airport projects and various economic development efforts within the City of Grand Rapids	70,450.00
Greenway Senior Citizens	Box 383 Marble	501@3	Capital support to replace the furnace at the Senior Citizens Center in Marble	2,000.00
Itasca Community College	1851 E Highway 169 Grand Rapids	Education	To conduct a needs assessment on community attitudes regarding sexual assault in Itasca County	2,000.00
Itasca Community Television	724 Conifer Dr Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued support for programming and operations in Itasca County	60,000.00
Itasca Partnership/Quality Healthcare	126 SE First Ave Grand Rapids	501@3	For a Childbirth and Parenting Preparation Project as a result of the Children First! Initiative in Itasca County	38,750.00
KOOTASCA Community Action	1213 SE 2nd Ave. Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued support for the Teenage Parent Program in Itasca County	35,000.00
KOOTASCA Community Action	1213 SE 2nd Ave. Grand Rapids	501@3	Continued support of the Itasca Area Crisis Nursery as a result of the Children First! Initiative in Itasca County	27,500.00
Legal Aid Service of Northeastern MN	302 Ordean Bldg Duluth	501@3	Continued operating support to provide legal services to residents in Itasca County	103,000.00
MN Child Care Resource & Referral Networ	380 Lafayette Rd Suite 103 St Paul	501@3	For TEACH, an early childhood program to reduce turnover and encourage the continued education of child care and early childhood staff as a result of the Children First! Initiative in Itasca County	25,000.00
MN Diversified Industries	1700 Wynne Ave St. Paul	501@3	Capital support for a rotary die cutter to increase efficiency and productivity at the Grand Rapids plant	240,000.00
MN Special Olympics Incorporated	400 S Fourth St Ste 915 Minneapolis	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Special Olympics program in Itasca County	30,000.00
Mount Itasca Ski Patrol	623 Golf Course Rd. Grand Rapids	501@3	Capital support for safety equipment at Mt. Itasca Ski Hill in Coleraine	5,500.00

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North Star Community Dev Corp	301 W 1st St Suite 604	501@3	For Project Provider 2000 to improve the retention of child care providers and increase the quality of care provided in Itasca County as a result of the Children First Initiative	9,400.00
Second Harvest North Central Food Bank	PO Box 5130	501@3	Sustaining contribution for Food Bank operations in Itasca County	30,000.00
Spang Township	15674 U.S. Hwy. 169	Government	Capital support to construct a town hall/community center near Hill City	25,000.00
Star of the North Humane Society	PO Box 458	501@3	Capital support for their organization in Coleraine	2,000.00
United Way of 1,000 Lakes	Suite 111 201 NW 4th St	501@3	Sustaining contribution in support of administration	10,000.00
Voyageurs Area Boy Scouts	3877 Stebner Rd	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Boy Scouts program in Itasca County	6,500.00
Youth for Christ	PO Box 209	501@3	Sustaining contribution for the Campus Life program in Itasca County	20,000.00
Youth for Christ	PO Box 209	501@3	Continued support for the Ground Floor Youth Center in Grand Rapids	70,000.00
Arrowhead Economic Opportunity Agency	1215 SE 2nd Ave	501@3	For the Blandin Foundation Adult Scholarship Program during 2003-04 for Itasca County residents	120,500.00
Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave.	501@3	To implement a college planning and financial aid estimator program in Itasca County	-
Depot Comm.	1 NW 3rd St	501@3	Operating support for the Linking Learning to Life School-to-Work Partnership in Itasca County	35,000.00
Independent School District 318	820 NW 1st Ave	Education	Sustaining contribution for the Grand Rapids School District Debate Program	3,000.00
Independent School District 318	820 N Pokegama Ave.	Education	To implement a strategic plan for excellence within the Grand Rapids School District	38,000.00
Itasca Community College	1851 E Highway 169	Education	For financial aid assistance for Itasca County students during the 2003-04 school year	255,000.00
Itasca Community College	1851 E Highway 169	Education	Capital and programming support for the ICC Engineering Center in Grand Rapids	150,000.00
Itasca Community College	1851 E Highway 169	Education	For child care assistance for Itasca County students during the 2002-03 school year	10,000.00
Independent School District 316	PO Box 195	Education	Capital support for playground equipment at VanDyke Elementary School in Coleraine	3,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th St	501@3	Capital support for the Bigfork Fine Arts Center in Bigfork	450,000.00
Independent School District 318	820 NW 1st Ave	Education	Capital support for playground equipment at Forest Lake Elementary School in Grand Rapids	15,000.00
Guthrie Theater Foundation	725 Vineland Pl	501@3	Sustaining contribution to sponsor the participation of Grand Rapids/Itasca County schools in the Guthrie's Education Program	25,000.00

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Itasca County Historical Society	PO Box 664 Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Sustaining contribution for Historical Society operations located in Grand Rapids	30,000.00
Itasca Orchestral Society	PO Box 140 Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Sustaining contribution to provide orchestral music opportunities to adults and youth in Itasca County	40,000.00
Judy Garland Children's Museum	PO Box 724 Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Continued operating support for the Judy Garland Children's Museum in Grand Rapids	50,000.00
MN Historical Society	345 W Kellogg Blvd St. Paul MN 55102	501@3	For acquisition of Sylvan Point and construction of a four-season, public interpretive trail in Grand Rapids	150,000.00
Reif Arts Council	720 Conifer C Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Continued support for programs and operations in Grand Rapids	135,000.00
Advocates for Family Peace	1611 NW 4th Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Sustaining contribution to help reduce domestic abuse in Itasca County	35,000.00
Itasca Alliance Against Sexual Assault	Pokegama Pr 501 S Pokegama Av Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Sustaining contribution to help reduce sexual assault in Itasca County	20,000.00
Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	Project support to market diversification of wood products in the Grand Rapids area as part of the Minnesota Wood Campaign	75,000.00
Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	To assist with the innovation plan for the Grand Itasca Hospital and Clinic in Grand Rapids	50,000.00
Grand Rapids Area Community Foundation	201 NW 4th St Grand Rapids MN 55744	501@3	For operating support and implementation of a marketing plan for the Friends of the Forest History Center in Grand Rapids	195,000.00
Itasca Community College	1851 E Highway 169 Grand Rapids MN 55744	Education	For continued support of the Itasca Technology Exchange and development of workforce programs in the Grand Rapids area	90,000.00
Itasca Community College Many Nonprofits Educational Awards Program	1851 E Highway 169 Grand Rapids/Itasca Co Area Grand Rapids/Itasca Co Area MN MN MN	Education 501@3 N/A	For financial aid assistance for Itasca County students during the 2004-05 school year Matching Gifts Program Scholarship Program - see statement 21	260,000.00 23,086.00 632,518.00
SUBTOTAL GRAND RAPIDS/ITASCA COUNTY AREA GRANTS				4,812,576.00

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STATEWIDE	NAME	ADDRESS	FOUNDATION STATUS OF RECIPIENT	PURPOSE	AMOUNT
	MN 4-H Foundation	U of MN Gate 200 Oak Street SE, : Minneapolis MN	501©3	To pilot the Blandin Youth Leadership for Vital Communities Initiative in three rural communities, which includes Grand Rapids	178,750.00
	Wilder Foundation	919 LaFond Ave St. Paul MN	501©3	Continued support for the James Shannon Leadership Institute for community leaders throughout the State	25,000.00
	Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave Grand Rapids MN	501©3	Project support to conduct a workshop regarding the health hazards of fibrous particles associated with taconite ore	50,000.00
	Greater MN Housing Fund	First National 332 Minnesota St. St. Paul MN	501©3	Continued support to provide affordable housing to residents in rural Minnesota communities	800,000.00
	Charities Review Council of MN	46 E 4th St Ste 636 St. Paul MN	501©3	Sustaining contribution to help provide information and education to donors and charities throughout Minnesota	2,500.00
	Council on Foundations	1828 L St. NW Washington DC	501©3	Sustaining contribution for continued membership in their organization	6,200.00
	Duluth-Superior Educational TV Corp.	632 Niagara Ct. Duluth MN	501©3	Sustaining contribution for the production of Venture North	15,000.00
	Duluth-Superior Educational TV Corp.	632 Niagara Court Duluth MN	501©3	For an educational web site of the six-part documentary television series on the history and contemporary culture of the Anishinaabe/Ojibwe people	17,000.00
	Foundation Center	79 5th Ave16th St New York NY	501©3	Sustaining contribution for continued membership in their organization	2,000.00
	MN Council of Nonprofits Inc	2314 Universi St. Paul MN	501©3	Project support to develop and educate the broader nonprofit community about the benefits and use of information technology as part of the Nonprofit Broadband Initiative	35,000.00
	MN Council on Foundations	15 S 5th St Ste 600 Minneapolis MN	501©3	Sustaining contribution for membership assistance within their organization	21,900.00
	MN Public Radio	45 E 7th St. St. Paul MN	501©3	Continued support to provide Mainstreet Radio throughout rural Minnesota	375,000.00
	Northern Minnesota Public Television	Bemidji State 1500 Birchmont Dr ↑ Bemidji MN	501©3	Sustaining contribution as matching support for the March and August fund drives to provide produced programs in northern and central Minnesota	15,000.00
	Northland Foundation	610 Sellwood 202 W Superior St Duluth MN	501©3	Continued sponsorship for the KIDS PLUS conferences in 2001, 2002 and 2003 for rural Minnesota residents	22,500.00
	Ready for K	Wright Buildir 2233 University Ave St Paul MN	501©3	For early childhood advocacy training, policy training, communications consultation and business enlistment in rural Minnesota	73,500.00
	Kids Voting Minnesota	30 West Superior Street Duluth MN	501©3	For expansion of the Kids Voting Minnesota program in rural Minnesota	30,000.00

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Mille Lacs Band of Chippewa Indians	43651 Oodena Drive Onamia MN 56359	Government	Continued support for the Nay Ah Shing school to increase student performance and provide quality educational programs as part of the "Best Practices in Indian Education" program	45,000.00
Children's Theatre Company & School	2400 S 3rd Ave Minneapolis MN 55404	501©3	Sustaining contribution for touring performances in 2003-04 throughout rural Minnesota communities	20,000.00
The Loft	Open Book S 1011 Washington A Minneapolis MN 55415	501©3	Sustaining contribution to continue the "Minnesota Literature Live" program throughout rural Minnesota communities	20,000.00
Minneapolis Institute Of Arts	2400 3rd Ave S Minneapolis MN 55404	501©3	Sustaining contribution for the ArtsReach Centers in Greater Minnesota	25,000.00
Mixed Blood Theatre Company	1501 S 4th St Minneapolis MN 55454	501©3	Sustaining contribution for touring performances in rural Minnesota communities and schools	20,000.00
MN Orchestral Association	1111 Nicollet Mall Minneapolis MN 55403	501©3	Sustaining contribution for Young People's Concerts and Chamber Group Residencies in rural Minnesota for the 2002-03 season	30,000.00
Walker Art Center	725 Vineland Ave Minneapolis MN 55403	501©3	Sustaining contribution to support ArtsNet Minnesota throughout rural Minnesota communities	23,000.00
Aitkin County	217 2nd St NW Room 131 Aitkin MN 56431	Government	Project support for group certification efforts as part of the forest industry in the Aitkin County area	4,000.00
Blandin Foundation	100 N Pokegama Ave Grand Rapids MN 55744	501©3	For the Community Guide to Broadband Development as part of Public Policy and Engagement throughout rural Minnesota	64,000.00
James Jerome Hill Reference Library	80 W 4th St St. Paul MN 55102	501©3	For business information training to community leaders in nine rural Minnesota communities	35,000.00
Minnesota Rural Partners, Inc.	1030 E Bridge St Redwood Falls MN 56283	501©3	Support for the 2003 Minnesota Rural Summit	5,000.00
Minnesota Rural Partners, Inc.	1030 E Bridge St Redwood Falls MN 56283	501©3	To increase the demand for broadband services in rural communities throughout Minnesota	25,500.00
MN Community Capital Fund	13911 Ridgedale Dr Suite 260 Minneapolis MN 55305	501©3	Start-up support for the Minnesota Community Capital Fund to provide small rural Minnesota communities with access to secondary debt markets	200,000.00
Whittier Community Development Corp. Bemidji State University Dunwoody Institute Many Nonprofits	2845 Harriet Ave S 1500 NE Birchmont Dr 818 Dunwoody Blvd Rural MN	501©3 Education Education 501©3	Operating support to promote economic development in rural communities with high Latino immigrants as part of the Latino Economic Development Center Trustee Fees Donation Trustee Fees Donation Matching Gifts Program	40,000.00 10,000.00 2,000.00 32,070.00
SUBTOTAL STATEWIDE GRANTS				2,269,920.00

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Cuyuna Lakes Trail Association	PO Box 111	Crosby	MN 56441	501@3	For economic development, trails and cultural efforts within the Cuyuna area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	20,000.00
City of Luverne	102 E Main Street	Luverne	MN 56156	Government	For restoration of native prairie and to expand tourism in Luverne as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	100,000.00
City of Luverne	PO Box 659	Luverne	MN 56156	Government	For economic development, a mentoring program and tourism efforts in Luverne as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	157,000.00
Sibley County	Box 207 Cour	Gaylord	MN 55334	Government	To assess community technology needs and to offer youth summer technology programming in Sibley County as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	3,709.00
Stevens County Historical Society	116 W 6th St	Morris	MN 56267	501@3	For support to develop an appreciation for the arts, address cultural diversity and youth programming focused on experiential learning in Stevens County as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	125,000.00
Todd County	Todd County 221 1st. Ave. S. Ste. Long Prairie		MN 56347	Government	For trails development, technology training collaborative and food product development in Todd County Phase III as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	-
Todd County	Todd County Courthouse	Long Prairie	MN 56347	Government	For improved telecommunications and to provide learning and constructive opportunities for youth in Todd County as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	92,000.00
U of MN - Morris, Center for Small Towns	231 Commun 600 East 4th Street	Morris	MN 56267-2114	Education	Continued support for the Community University Partnership in the Morris area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	81,175.00
City of Willmar	Box 755	Willmar	MN 56201	Government	To educate the community on diverse ethnic cultures and to encourage and support minority leadership and businesses in the Willmar area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	75,000.00
City of Willmar	City Office Bu PO Box 755	Willmar	MN 56201	Government	To fund a Nursing Simulation Center on the Willmar Campus of Ridgewater College as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	150,000.00

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City of Fairmont	PO Box 751 Fairmont	MN 56031 Government	For the development of a kingship mentoring program and youth council in the Fairmont area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	259,693.50
City of Walker	PO Box 207 Walker	MN 56484 Government	Start-up and programming costs associated with a Community Foundation in Walker as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	25,000.00
The Crossing Arts Alliance	PO Box 348 Brainerd	MN 56401 501©3	For continued operating support to provide quality arts programming and promote business development in the Brainerd area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	25,000.00
Great River Arts Association	PO Box 157 Little Falls	MN 56345 501©3	For trails development, a community foundation, safe visitation facility and technology in the Little Falls area as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	233,600.00
City of Waseca	508 State Street South Waseca	MN 56093 Government	For intergenerational initiatives, welcoming and accepting diversity and addressing water quality issues in Waseca as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	125,000.00
City of Cambridge	626 N Main St City Hall Cambridge	MN 55008 Government	Capital and planning support to redevelop the Regional Treatment Center campus that supports affordable housing, parks and a community center in Cambridge as part of the Blandin Community Investment Partnership	375,000.00
SUBTOTAL COMMUNITY GRANTS				1,847,177.50
TOTAL GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS				\$ 8,929,673.50