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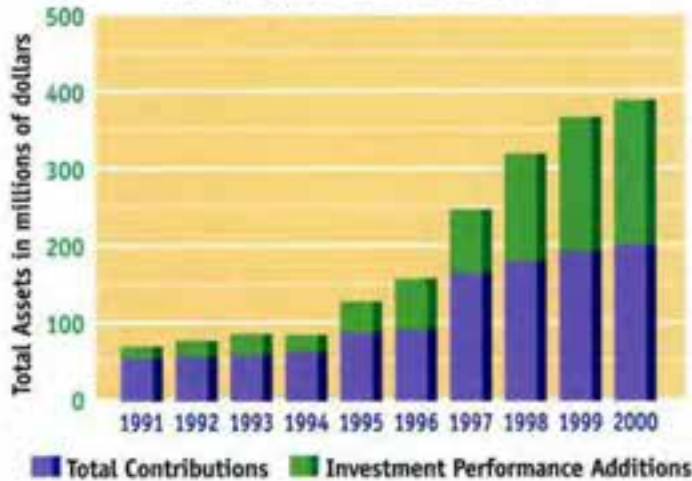


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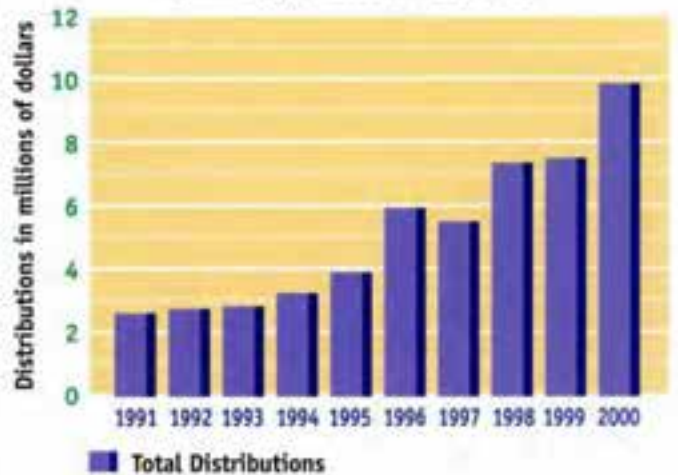
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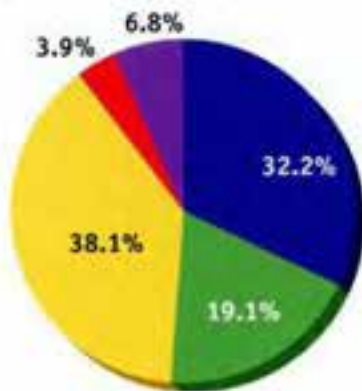
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Contributions by Type of Fund

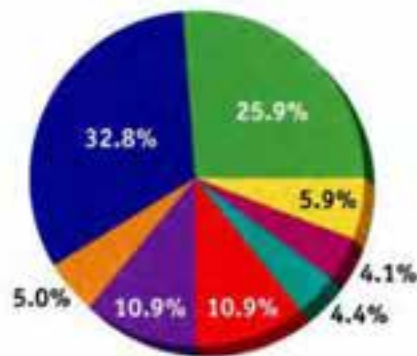
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- Designated Agency
- Temporary
- Scholarships
- Advised
- Affiliated

Distribution of Grants by Interest Area

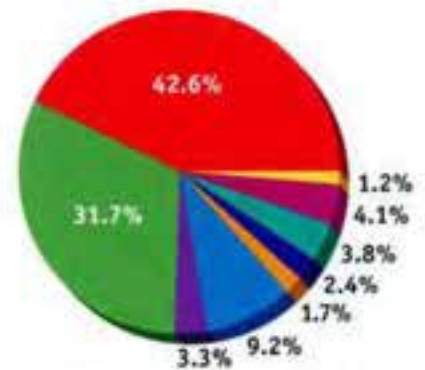
(Total grants of \$9.7 million)



- Arts and Culture
- Education
- Environment
- Health
- Social Services
- Youth
- Religion
- Other

Distribution of Assets by Type of Fund

(Based on June 30, 2000 assets of \$384 million)



- Donor Advised Affiliated
- Agency Endowment
- Disaster Relief
- Donor Advised
- Field of Interest
- Scholarship and Award
- Unrestricted
- Administrative
- Other

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation Mission Statement

The mission of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, a non-profit public charity, is to serve the charitable needs of the Oklahoma City area through the development and administration of endowment funds with the goal of preserving capital and enhancing its value for the benefit of the Oklahoma City area.

The mission will be fulfilled by pursuit of these goals:

- Provide convenient, efficient and effective ways through which donors can contribute assets to charitable purposes.
- Encourage donors to create funds that will benefit the community both now and in the future.
- Advocate for the development of endowment funds and provide appropriate means by which permanent endowment funds can be built and wisely managed to provide long-term support.
- Develop the Funds for Oklahoma City, restricted and unrestricted community endowments, which can be used by the Trustees and the community to develop, coordinate and enhance services and programs that meet the changing needs of the community.

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On the cover:

The covers symbolize the creativity and diversity of donors and beneficiaries served by the Oklahoma City Community Foundation.

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation

Letter from the President...

October 2000



*Jeanette L. Gamba
President,
Board of Trustees*

Dear Friends:

At the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, we are always working to create a better community — one dream at a time. In the process, we touch virtually every life — perhaps through the planting of trees at schools, managing endowments for more than 200 agencies, helping improve the health and welfare of senior citizens, or offering non-traditional student scholarships for a college education.

Throughout this Annual Report you will find stories of those who help and who are helped. I encourage you to consider their stories in relation to your charitable goals. These individuals are reminders that every donor makes a difference. All that is really needed is a dream.

In 2000, the Community Foundation began its 31st year. We are proud of the accomplishments of the past three decades, and the Foundation's future is bright with promise. We are poised to take on an even more significant role in the community. In the years ahead, we intend to clearly demonstrate excellence in donor services, superior asset management, leadership and innovation in community programs and the development of partnerships that build the community's capacity to serve. Your Community Foundation is committed to setting standards of performance unsurpassed by any organization of its kind.

These are ambitious but realistic goals. In each case, progress has already been made. For donors, we are taking steps to improve the quality and timeliness of information, to develop plans to broaden marketing reach and to improve the functionality of the Web site, www.occf.org.

To effectively manage assets, the staff and investment committee are looking for opportunities to fine tune policies in an ever-changing investment climate. As an added measure of accountability in fiscal 2000, an independent Audit Committee composed of highly experienced executives reviewed the Community Foundation's financial management practices. The committee found the Community Foundation's practices placed it among the leading non-profit organizations.

In community programs, new components of a beautification initiative and our comprehensive scholarship program will again demonstrate leadership in addressing community issues. We are also focusing on outreach efforts that will help bring us potential partners who want to make a genuine contribution to improving their community.

In short, we are proud of our past, focused on the present and excited about the future. We are hopeful that this year brings us the opportunity to touch your life in some way — and that we can help *your* dream come true.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jeanette L. Gamba".

Jeanette Gamba
President, Board of Trustees

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation

Year in Review

Every donor, we believe, can change a community. Just as each pebble tossed into a pond creates a widening ripple, each dollar donated toward a dream reaches far beyond its initial impact. For this reason, the Oklahoma City Community Foundation is intent on creating new opportunities for donors to shape the community — and ensuring that they know the full impact of their gifts.

As you will see from the pages that follow, our donors come from all walks of life (see page 8). They cannot be defined within a single social, geographical, or demographic category. Their diversity displays a cross section of the community. But like the pieces of a jigsaw puzzle, each contributes to a picture of the Community Foundation itself.

Services for Donors Reach New Levels of Excellence

Guided by a long-range plan adopted in 1997, the Community Foundation has created new services for donors (for more information, see page 6). Perhaps most significantly, the Community Foundation is more actively promoting the opportunities and advantages of donor-advised funds. These philanthropic vehicles are growing in popularity with donors seeking the flexibility of choosing their charitable focus each year. Although these funds are also available through certain for-profit investment companies,

the Community Foundation offers distinct advantages. For example, our ability to work with a wide variety of non-cash donations and our extensive knowledge of chari-



High-school guidance counselors utilize the Internet for scholarship research.

table organizations add value for our donors.

The Community Foundation can also provide various fund options and high-value, low cost administrative services, such as investment management, distribution suggestions and gift planning.

During the year, the Community Foundation also expanded its presence on the World Wide Web with the addition of a Donor Services section. The site, www.occf.org, will ultimately be recognized as the region's "one-stop shop" for information on charitable giving. Also active on this site are sections on charities in central Oklahoma. For professional financial advisors, the Community Foundation site hosts the Planned Giving Design Center,

a leading source for the latest news and tools for gift planning.

In the past year, the Community Foundation also reached out to donors through more traditional media with the first three issues of the *Donor Connection*. This eight-page publication is designed to link donors with charitable giving opportunities. The first two issues were very successful in allowing non-profit organizations to receive help in tackling smaller, but meaningful, initiatives. More important, the *Donor Connection* helps donors learn more about the mission and activities of local organizations. We look forward to the *Donor Connection* being a regular part of our donor services and education.

Powerful Program Initiatives Break Down Traditional Barriers

Community Foundation programs attracted attention throughout the year for their high levels of quality management and creative approaches. A major programming function with permanently endowed funding is the administration of scholarships (see page 86).

Currently, the Community Foundation operates the state's largest independent scholarship program. Scholarships may be awarded through 19 different programs. In fiscal 2000, 259 students were attending college or vocational schools with the help of these scholarships.

Under the administrative umbrella of the Community Foundation's New Opportunities Scholarship Initiative, the program addresses scholarships in a comprehensive way. In addition to funding, the effort helps high schools do a better job preparing students for college. The cornerstone of this comprehensive approach is the Guidance Counselor Network. Each of the 35 high schools in Oklahoma County participate. Activities include training for counselors in a wide range of areas relating to preparing students for college.

A new effort began in 2000 with the Foundation of Promise scholarships, which are available at all schools participating in the Guidance Counselor Network. The program targets first-generation college students. Promise Scholars commit to the program in their junior year. If the student successfully completes high school and enrolls in an Oklahoma college, he or she is awarded a \$1,000 scholarship. Commitments were executed with 53 juniors who will be eligible for college in the fall of 2001.

Community Foundation efforts also reach non-traditional students. The program works with six non-profit agencies to encourage adults to pursue higher levels of formal education.

As a service to all students, guidance counselors and parents, a Scholarship Center was created on the Community Foundation's Web site, www.occf.org, which

directs students to many scholarship opportunities and identifies links of interest to college-bound students.

Focusing on Public Spaces

The Parks and Public Spaces Initiative (see page 92) has captured regional attention with



School workers learn tree planting and maintenance at a Community Foundation sponsored Tree Symposium.

two innovative, large-scale projects. Through this program area, the Community Foundation is addressing beautification of public lands in central Oklahoma. A one-of-a-kind project, VIEW-Scape (Visual Interstate Enhancement Work), is nearing its first-stage completion. In cooperation with seven cities and Oklahoma County, a total review of all 120 miles of Interstate highway frontage was completed. Thanks to the Community Foundation's leadership, funding and administrative support, this project will result in guidance for improving the view along these high-traffic roadways. VIEW-Scape will help communities and other interested organizations identify appropri-

ate landscaping or public art themes, funding sources, hardy plant materials, implementation and maintenance practices and even areas that should be left alone.

A second beautification program, Clean and Beautiful Schools, received an enthusiastic reception from all quarters of Oklahoma County. This program is open to all 167 elementary schools, public and private, in the county. Once minimal requirements are met, each school receives a comprehensive, campus-wide landscaping and/or visual improvement plan. The Community Foundation also provides funding to begin implementation. The Clean and Beautiful Schools pilot effort demonstrated the

program's success in mobilizing neighborhoods and local businesses in not only school improvements, but also in raising beautification expectations community wide. A key component of this innovative effort is a focus on landscape maintenance through a network of school officials, Master Gardeners, parents and students. The program attracted a number of corporate sponsors and has emerged as a national model for encouraging beautification.

Providing Positive Options for After-School Hours

The Community Foundation's After School Options Initiative also received national recognition. One of the initiative's

collaborative programs, Play in the Park, was awarded the Public Service Excellence Award from the Public Employees Round Table. Play in the Park serves thousands of children age 6 through 13 during the summer months with educational, recreational and entertainment opportunities.

Help Continues for Survivors of Murrah Building Bombing

The year marked the fifth anniversary of the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. The Community Foundation administers various funds donated to help survivors of this tragedy. Those funds continue to provide educational opportunities for surviving children and children who lost one or both parents. Even to this day, physical and mental scars remain. For example, some rescue workers, unable to shake mental images of the bombing aftermath, are just coming forward for counseling. More than 60 families were still receiving assistance with counseling, medical care and retraining at the end of the fiscal year. Services to survivors are expected to continue for many years.

Agency Designated Endowments Rise to Record Levels

The Community Foundation's Agency Designated Endowment Fund program is the largest in the country (see page 62). Its success is a tribute both to individuals who have belief in the principles of endowments and to a single

individual, John E. Kirkpatrick, whose incredible generosity in supporting agencies is unmatched.

Fiscal 2000 was the third consecutive year of Mr. Kirkpatrick's series of challenges to non-profits to build endowments. By making matching



Play in the Park Program teaches kids how to play golf.

donations available to hundreds of agency funds, Mr. Kirkpatrick personally energized the community's commitment to endowments. There is no other local organization or foundation in the country that even approaches the breadth of Oklahoma City Community Foundation's designated fund program. The effort supports more than 200 agencies with a total distribution of \$2.1 million in fiscal 2000. During the year, 14 new designated funds were established.

Mr. Kirkpatrick has a long history as a philanthropist who puts his money where his mouth is. He once said, "I believe every organization really ought to think about putting something aside for the future." He has put "something aside" for hundreds of

agency endowments. His contributions under this program alone exceed \$3 million.

Strong Investment Performance Continues

At the heart of the Community Foundation's efforts is sound financial management (see page 98). At year end, assets totaled \$384 million, an increase of \$25 million compared with 1999. Total investment performance was 10.3 percent for the general pooled funds, well above industry benchmarks. Total grants were \$10 million for all distributions. The Community Foundation now ranks as the nation's 16th largest.

In conclusion, the work of the Community Foundation has never been more vibrant and creative. Each day, we are looking for new approaches to problems others feel are too big or too risky to address. This environment attracts bright, high-energy employees who are committed to making a difference for donors, who believe that each donor makes a difference and who believe that - with hard work - dreams can come true.

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation

Donor Services

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation works actively with donors to make their dreams reality and to enhance the quality of life in the community. The Community Foundation is:

simple-easy to understand and use

effective-brings together organizations and donors for the greatest impact with the lowest cost

flexible-accommodates change in both community needs and donors interests

perpetual-managed to provide an increasing income source long after donors are no longer active.

The Community Foundation has a professional staff which is able to work with donors in all aspects of charitable giving:

Gift Planning-helping donors determine the way to make a charitable gift that best provides maximum tax advantages, current income if needed and greatest long-term charitable benefit. The Community Foundation can assist donors with bequests or administer planned gift vehicles such as charitable gift annuity contracts, charitable remainder trusts, charitable lead trusts or other split-interest vehicles. The Planned Giving Design Center, an interactive service available through the Community Foundation's web site, www.occf.org, provides both donors and their financial advisors with the latest information on tax and estate planning law. For donors who want a gift planning vehicle which will benefit several different organizations, the Community Foundation is the ideal vehicle for a simple yet effective charitable gift.

Gift Facilitation-helping donors and charities receive the benefit of a gift in the most efficient way. The Community Foundation handles gifts of appreciated securities, manages oil and gas properties, receives gifts of real estate and works with donors to maximize the charitable benefit of closely held stock. Non-cash gifts are very advantageous for donors but often pose problems for charities. The Community Foundation makes it easy for donors to make gifts of these non-cash assets.

Gift Administration-helping donors make the most effective use of their gifts. The Community Foundation staff is available to assist donors with research and background information about specific organizations and can help a donor structure a gift to accomplish a particular charitable goal. The Community Foundation can administer a scholarship program, manage an endowment for a non-profit agency, conduct a grant program, or help a donor find an agency which is working in his or her areas of interest.

Professional Investment Management-provides donor funds with the same investment management available to all funds. The Community Foundation provides excellent investment results for its endowment funds because it understands that endowments are unique and require special investment and distribution policies. The Investment Committee hires professional investment managers and expects results consistent with those of large endowment funds. Each Community Foundation fund benefits from the size of the total endowment.

Fund Administration and Reporting-provides accounting and distribution reports to donors and beneficiary organizations annually. The Community Foundation administers all funds with the highest standards of accountability and stewardship. It maintains all records and files related to contributions and distributions. An annual audit is conducted and the Community Foundation has an additional independent committee of professionals which review the audit results.

one dream at a time



Margaret Annis Boys left a legacy to everyone who cherishes a tree, appreciates an attractive landscape, treasures a flower and is renewed in spirit by nature's beauty.

Miss Boys left her estate to the Community Foundation with one simple instruction - that her gift be used to beautify public lands in Oklahoma County. With the Community Foundation's

management of this endowment, her dream has literally blossomed.

The Margaret Annis Boys Trust is her gift to us all.



Personal Charitable Funds: Alternatives to Private Foundations

A personal charitable fund is the simplest and most flexible way for donors to accomplish charitable goals. The fund can be established in one tax year and the donor can receive the benefit of an income tax deduction. Because the donor can give advice on distributions from the fund, the charitable benefit can continue into the future. The personal charitable funds are exempt from the limitations and penalties associated with a private foundation. It is simpler and easier because there are no documents to draft and the Community Foundation takes care of all of the reporting and administration.

Personal charitable funds give donors the flexibility to respond to changing needs and interests, to make distributions according to a time frame best for the donor and purpose, and to respond to future opportunities and issues which may arise in the community.

There are four types of personal charitable funds at the Community Foundation, meeting the needs of almost all donors:

Escrow Fund. These funds can be established with a minimum of \$1,000. The entire amount is spendable and there are no fees or income allocated. Distributions can be made from the fund at any time. This is an ideal way to make a year-end gift of appreciated stock which can then benefit a number of organizations.

Donor-Advised Fund. These are permanent endowment funds for individuals or families which want to begin to build a charitable legacy. The minimum is \$10,000 and the fund benefits from the Community Foundation's investment performance. Cash distributions of 5 percent of the average market value are available for the donors' annual suggestions.

Partners Fund, A Charitable Gift Fund. These are funds of \$20,000 or more established by donors who want investment performance but still want to distribute the total gift for charitable purposes. Distributions can be made in any amount at any time. The Partner's fund is a less-expensive and more effective alternative to the commercial gift funds.

Affiliated Fund. These funds are the best alternative to a private foundation for an individual or family. The minimum fund size is \$500,000 and the fund benefits from both the Community Foundation's investment performance as well as all of the fund administration and reporting.

For more information about any of these funds or any Community Foundation services, please contact Penny Voss or Donna McCampbell at the Community Foundation office, or visit the Community Foundation's web site, www.occf.org (see story at right).



The Community Foundation's web site is a great resource for information about charitable giving for donors in the Oklahoma City area. Donors will find the latest information about charitable gifts, listings of Oklahoma area charities with links to their web sites, and complete information about all of the Community Foundation's funds and giving programs. The web site is updated regularly and is a great place to start for information about the community. Click on the following tabs:

Financial Planner Services contains technical information about estate and income tax issues, fund agreements, sample documents for trusts and annuities, and alternatives to private foundations. The Planned Giving Design Center, a state of the art interactive web site created exclusively for professional legal, tax and financial advisors, is available through this tab. There is no charge for this service but registration is required.

Central Oklahoma Charities is a directory of the more than 200 charities which have permanent funds at the Community Foundation. There is a profile page on each organization with contact information and links to web sites and E-mail, if available.

Scholarship Center contains information for both scholarship donors about utilizing the Community Foundation to administer scholarship funds and potential scholarship recipients. It lists the scholarship programs administered by the Community Foundation and has important links to other informative web sites about college admissions and financial aid.

Community Programs and Grants have program descriptions and application forms for all grant programs administered by the Community Foundation and its affiliated funds.

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation Donor Profiles

What are your dreams? World-class arts performances? Health services for low-income families? Beautiful parks? Scholarships for deserving students? Permanent support for your favorite non-profit organization?

The stories and faces contained in this section reflect the many programs and charitable organizations people from virtually every walk of life have chosen to support through permanent endowment funds.

Donors to the Community Foundation enjoy a wide variety of outlets for their giving, including sustained support for non-profit endowment funds and advised funds that allow donors to make ongoing recommendations for grants from their funds. Some donors have given memorial contributions in the name of a loved one. Others have chosen to remain anonymous.

Included in the Donor Profiles section are people with total cumulative contributions to permanent endowments of \$1,000 or more as of June 30, 2000. The Community Foundation makes an extra effort to include biographical information for donors whose contributions are \$5,000 or more.

Each donor has a unique story about how they chose to invest in our community. We hope they will inspire you.

Bring us your dream—we can help make it a reality.

A.A.R. OKLAHOMA

(1988) Contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund.

JACK ABERNATHY

(1973) Jack Abernathy was born in Shawnee, Okla., became an Eagle Scout and was a member of the first graduating class in Petroleum Engineering at the University of Oklahoma. In 1946, he formed Big Chief Drilling Co. with W.T. Payne and drilled the southern hemisphere depth record. Later he owned controlling interest in Southwest Bank. Mr. Abernathy served as a trustee of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation. His gifts, primarily of mineral interests, support the Omniplex and other funds.

**ABIDE INSURANCE AGENCY, INC.**

(1999) Contributions support the Genesis Project.

WILLIAM C. & PATRICIA ABNEY

(1994) Contributions support the Cimarron Circuit Opera Company, William Fremont Ham Gardens and Homestead and the Metropolitan Library System Endowment Trust.

MARLE & KATHLEEN ABSHERE

(1979) Native Oklahomans Marle and Kathleen Abshere married in 1941. Mrs. Abshere earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Oklahoma and a master's degree from the University of New Mexico. She taught school for 17 years and worked at Douglas Aircraft during World War II. Mr. Abshere graduated from Anadarko Business College and later taught there. He served in the Navy during World War II. For 28 years he worked for Capitol Steel Corp. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, World Neighbors and other organizations.

DR. & MRS. THOMAS E. ACERS

(1985) Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

JASPER D. ACKERMAN

(1970) Jasper Ackerman came from Buffalo, Wyo., to Colorado Springs as a young boy in a covered wagon. He started work as an elevator operator for Exchange National Bank in 1916 and later became its majority owner and CEO. He was highly regarded as a rancher, banker and philanthropist. Mr. Ackerman was one of the first contributors to the Community Foundation with a gift benefiting the National Cowboy Hall of Fame in 1970. His will bequeathed \$200,000 to the Community Foundation to support the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund.

RAY & LUCILLE ACKERMAN

(1988) Ray Ackerman was a native of Pennsylvania who came to Oklahoma in 1947 after serving as a Navy fighter pilot. He married Lou, an Oklahoma City native



and local artist, in 1948 and together they raised six children. Ray founded Ackerman McQueen advertising firm and wrote the book *Tomorrow Belongs to Oklahoma*. Their contributions support the Omniplex and Oklahoma City University.

TOM & MARYE KATE ALDRIDGE

(1979) Tom and Marye Kate Aldridge came to Oklahoma as newlyweds in 1927 with all of their worldly goods strapped to the back of a Model T Ford. Tom went to work for the C.R. Anthony Company retail chain as a

store manager and rose to vice president. Contributions from the couple, and a foundation they founded, support Oklahoma Goodwill Industries and the Donna Nigh Foundation.

MARY ALEXANDER

(1974) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

PATRICK B. & LINDA ALEXANDER

(1992) Contributions support Ambassadors' Concert Choir and Cimarron Circuit Opera Company.

ALL SOULS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

(1999) Contributions support Camp Fire Boys & Girls.

O. JUNE ALLEN TRUST

(1987) June Allen was the widow of Featherstone H. Allen, who was in the oil business. A bequest from her will supports the Fund for Oklahoma City.

W.W. & JUDITH A. ALLEN

(1998) Contributions support the Nature Conservancy, Oklahoma Chapter.

ANN SIMMONS ALSPAUGH

(1983) Ann Alspaugh is the granddaughter of Louis and Ola Simmons, who founded the Rock Island Refining Co., Rock Island Oil Co. and Rocket Oil Co. in Duncan, Okla., where Ms. Alspaugh was born. With her mother and sister, she was instrumental in founding the L.B. and Ola W. Simmons Community Activities Center in Duncan. Her contributions support Ballet Oklahoma, Oklahoma City University, the Payne Education Center and other designated endowment funds.

TIMOTHY K. & LAUREL V. ALTENDORF

(1998) Contributions support Rosary Catholic School.

**DR. LAURENCE & CLAUDIA
ALTSHULER**

(1998) Contributions support the Fine Arts Institute of Edmond.

AMERICAN FIDELITY CORPORATION

(1986) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund, the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron and other designated endowment funds.

FISHER & JEWELL T. AMES

(1974) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MARJEAN ANDERSON MEMORIAL

(1993) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

AN-SON CORPORATION

(1974) Carl B. Anderson, Jr., made contributions through his company to support World Neighbors. Mr. Anderson earned an engineering degree at West Point and served four years in the Army Air Corps. Later, as a graduate student at the University of Oklahoma, he coached under Bud Wilkinson. He and his father founded An-Son in 1948.

ANNA ANDRASH

(1993) Oklahoma City architect Joe Andrash, a board member of Oklahoma City Beautiful, made contributions to the Community

Foundation in memory of his mother, Anna Andrash, who loved gardening and flowers. Earnings from his contributions support the planting of wildflowers along the east shoreline of Lake Hefner Trails.

**SULIE H. ANDRES**

(1999) Contributions support the Presbyterian Urban Mission.

CHRISTINE HOLLAND ANTHONY

(1985) Christine Holland Anthony was born in Oklahoma City, raised in Enid, was a Phi Beta Kappa graduate of the University of Oklahoma, and later a home economist for O.G. & E., teaching the use of the new electric powered stove. She married Guy Anthony in 1945, raised six sons, and was actively involved in Oklahoma City civic life. Later she was the first woman to chair the Oklahoma City branch of the Federal Reserve. Contributions support several designated endowment funds.

C.R. ANTHONY FOUNDATION

(1992) Mr. Anthony founded the C.R. Anthony retail stores in 1922 after migrating to Oklahoma from Tennessee as a child and later working for J.C. Penney in Idaho. He always wanted to be a merchant, and his personal and active involvement in the 300-store chain was legendary. He was also actively involved in Oklahoma City's civic life and encouraged store managers to do likewise in their communities. The foundation gifts support Children's Medical Research Institute.

GUY M. ANTHONY, JR.

(1985) Contributions support World Neighbors and the Oklahoma City Food Bank.

**GUY MAULDIN ANTHONY
MEMORIAL**

(1985) Guy M. Anthony was the third child of C.R. and Lutie Anthony and worked for his family's company for more than 50 years. He graduated from the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania and served in the South Pacific during World War II. He and his wife, Christine, raised six sons. A diabetic most of his adult life, he was keenly interested in research in diabetes and memorial contributions from family and friends at his death support those efforts.

RAY T. ANTHONY

(1994) Ray T. Anthony had an extensive career with the C.R. Anthony Company, finishing more than 50 years as the Chairman of the Board. Ray was the oldest son of C.R. and Lutie Anthony and followed his father as a civic leader in Oklahoma City in the YMCA, United Way and other community efforts. Mr. Anthony served as a trustee of the Community Foundation and his contributions support the YMCA, CELEBRATIONS!, Variety Health Center and donor-advised distributions.

**ARNESON CHARITABLE
FOUNDATION**

(1998) JoAnn Arneson and her husband, Leslie, were devoted supporters of symphonic and chamber music in Oklahoma City. Contributions from the Arneson Foundation in their memory support the Chamber Music in Oklahoma Designated Fund. They were natives of South Dakota, attended Augustana College and were married in 1957. They came to Oklahoma when Dr. Arneson became associated with the Health Sciences Center. JoAnn taught music in public schools for many years and was active in the Oklahoma City Orchestra League and the Chamber Music Series. They were both longtime members of Our Lord's Lutheran Church.

ARROW TRUCKING COMPANY

(1998) Contributions support the Nature Conservancy, Oklahoma Chapter.

GENE & CATHY ARTHUR

(1998) Contributions support the Edmond Public School Foundation, Jesus House and several other designated endowment funds.

ORA ASHWELL

(1981) Ora Ashwell was widowed when her husband was killed in World War I but still managed a successful business career. In 1949, she made a public appeal for help in spending \$10,000 of her life savings and was overwhelmed, and later distraught, by hundreds of suggestions. A bequest in her will asked that funds be used to support projects related to indigent children.

WILLIAM H. & MARTHA E. ATKINSON FOUNDATION

(1999) Contributions support the St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School.

MR. & MRS. GENE AUTRY

(1988) Gene Autry began his radio career in 1928 and by 1934 was known as "America's Favorite Cowboy." His career spanned more than 60 years and encompassed every facet of the entertainment business from radio



and recording star to motion-picture and television entertainer and major league baseball team owner. He is the only entertainer to have five stars on Hollywood's Walk of Fame. The Autrys' contributions support the National Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund.

BACHELORS' CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1977) Bachelors' Club members have presented more than 1,000 debutantes at their annual Christmas Ball since 1946. A less well-known tradition of the Bachelors' Club has been raising considerable sums for charity. Each year, the club designates the fund's earnings to support a worthwhile

Oklahoma City charity. The club's contributions support donor-advised distributions and the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

H.E. BAILEY MEMORIAL

(1977) Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

BETTY L. BAKER MEMORIAL

(1998) Betty L. Baker was a native of Shawnee and a graduate of Oklahoma City University. She was active in the Camp Fire organization as a young girl and later as a Camp Fire leader and supporter of her daughter's participation. The fund established by her daughter and her son-in-law, Ann and Scott Darnold, support Heart of Oklahoma Council of Camp Fire Boys & Girls.

J. TIMOTHY BALDWIN, M.D.

(1994) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

BANK OF OKLAHOMA

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund and the Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics.

C. WAYNE BARBOUR MEMORIAL

(1974) During high school, Wayne Barbour worked for his father, a building contractor, and rough-necked in the oil fields to earn money for college. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a degree in engineering, and in 1932 co-founded Allied Materials Corp. Barbour was considered a pioneer in the development and growth of the asphalt industry. When he died, his wife and two sons established this memorial to support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute and the American Cancer Society.

DAVID W. & CATHERINE MAE BARDWELL

(1982) Contributions support Baptist Retirement Center and Oklahoma Baptist University.

ANNE & MARCUS BARKER

(1979) Contributions support the Oklahoma Arts Institute, Prairie Dance Theatre, the Arts Council of Oklahoma City and Casady School.

GENE & ED BARTH

(1998) Gene and Ed Barth's contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and donor-advised distributions. Mr. Barth is a former President of the Community Foundation Board of Trustees and Chairman of the MAPS Citizens' Oversight Board. He is a partner in the Andrews Davis Law Firm. Mrs. Barth is active in many community arts and health organizations.

RICHARD BARTH

(1994) Memorial contributions from friends and family of Mr. Barth support the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Children's Center and the Oklahoma Philharmonic Affiliated Fund.

RICHARD A. BEALE

(1998) Contributions support the American Cancer Society, the Children's Center, Oklahoma City University's Law School and the Salvation Army.

JOHN M. BEARD

(1984) John Beard made the initial contribution to begin the endowment fund that became the Leadership Oklahoma City Affiliated Fund at the Community Foundation.

GERALD & JOANN BEATTIE

(1998) Contributions support the Salvation Army.

ETHEL C. BENEDICT

(1986) Ethel Benedict operated A & B Automotive Co. in Oklahoma City for more than 40 years. She came to Oklahoma from Detroit and was actively involved in the business, which maintained springs on cars and trucks. A bequest from her estate continues to support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

LOYD BENEFIELD

(1970) Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

DAVID BLAIR BENHAM

(1974) Under David Benham's leadership, the Benham Group, a 20-employee firm established by his father in 1909, grew to the nation's 22nd largest engineering consulting firm. Benham joined the firm in 1946 after graduation from the U.S. Naval Academy and was named its president in 1952. His contributions support Oklahoma City University and donor-advised distributions.

CLAY & LOUISE GAYLORD BENNETT

(1993) Contributions support Free to Live Animal Sanctuary, the Mental Health Association of Oklahoma County and the Morris Animal Foundation.

JULIE C. BENNETT

(1977) Contributions support Casady School.

PHILIP R. BENNETT MEMORIAL

(1977) Contributions support Celebrations Educational Services.

WILLIAM "BILL" BEVERS

(1994) Bill Bevers was born in Ada, Okla., and graduated from the University of Oklahoma and its law school. He had a successful career in law, banking and real estate including operating C&D Valve Company and the development of Glengate, a residential community. This fund was established by family and friends as a memorial and supports donor-advised distributions.

**PAUL & COLLEEN BICKET**

(1994) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry, the Edmond Educational Endowment, the Meadows Center for

Opportunity and Boy Scouts of America-Last Frontier Council.

ROBERT L. & FLORENCE G. BIRDWELL

(1999) Contributions support the Mental Health Association, Morris Animal Foundation and Free to Live.

R.K. BLACK

(1993) Contributions support Infant Crisis Services, Presbyterian Urban Missions, the Jesus House and several other designated endowment funds.

CHARLES E. & CAROL ANN BLACKWOOD

(1992) Contributions support Sugar Creek Camp, the Mental Health Association in Oklahoma County and other designated endowment funds.

F.G. BLACKWOOD

(1979) F.G. Blackwood worked his way through the University of Oklahoma as a gauger for the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Co. He later became an original general partner in Blackwood and Nichols Co., the first to register a public drilling fund with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Blackwood was instrumental in founding World Neighbors and later served on its board of directors. Contributions support World Neighbors.

G.T. & ELIZABETH BLANKENSHIP

(1983) G.T. Blankenship was the first Republican elected attorney general of Oklahoma. He later became involved in the banking industry in Oklahoma City. Elizabeth Blankenship is active in many civic and cultural organizations. Their contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, Oklahoma City University and other designated endowment funds.

COL. WILLIAM E. BLEAKLEY

(1993) Contributions made in honor of Col. Bleakley by his three sons support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund.

**MR. & MRS. H.R. BOCKUS**

(1999) Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

HENRY & TERESA BOCKUS

(1998) Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

DRS. TIM & SHELLEY BOHN

(1998) Contributions support the St. James School.

JAMES & MARILYN BONDS

(1999) Contributions support the Make a Wish Foundation, The Children's Center, Special Care, Coffee Creek Riding Center and other funds.

LINDA BONEBRAKE

(1998) Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club and Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club Scholarship.

CHARLES & CASSANDRA CAVINS BOWEN

(1994) Contributions support Variety Health Center and Contact Crisis Helpline.

MR. & MRS. ROBERT S. BOWERS

(1981) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MR. & MRS. JACK BOWKER

(1998) Contributions support the Epilepsy Foundation of the Sooner State.

T.H. BOWMAN

(1981) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

DON & JANE BOWN

(1998) Contributions support the Ambassadors' Concert Choir.

ORAL ANN BOWN

(1997) A bequest from her estate supports the Ambassadors' Concert Choir.

LOIS BOYD MEMORIAL

(1994) Contributions in memory of Ms. Boyd support the Work Activity Center.

DR. & MRS. GEORGE S. BOZALIS

(1976) Ruth Bozalis's parents made the land run into Oklahoma and George moved here from Nashville at age one in 1911. After six years in the Army Medical Corps serving with General Patton, George went into private practice in Oklahoma City, specializing in allergic diseases and also serving as a professor at the University of Oklahoma Medical College. The Bozalis's contributions support allergy research at the Health Sciences Center.

HOWARD J. BOZARTH

(1970) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City. Mr. Bozarth was a former trustee of the Community Foundation.

BARTH W. & LINDA BRACKEN

(1980) The Brackens contributed part of the working interest from a gas well to the Community Foundation. Earnings from this contribution support donor-advised distributions and Youth Services for Oklahoma County.

PHYLLIS L. BRAWLEY

(1993) Contributions support the Payne Education Center and A Chance to Change Foundation.

RUSSAL B. BRAWLEY

(1998) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

M.R. "DICK" BRACKIN MEMORIAL

(1998) This memorial was established by the Oklahoma Attorneys Mutual Insurance Company in memory of Dick Brackin. He was instrumental in helping the Oklahoma Bar Association establish the insurance company and served as its president from 1986 to 1993. The contributions support donor-advised distributions made annually in Mr. Brackin's memory.

THOMAS & PATRICIA DIX BREWER

(1992) Thomas Brewer was born in Oklahoma City and now lives in Missouri, where he manages a health service program for elderly patients. Dr. Pat Brewer is an obstetrician specializing in high-risk patients. The Brewers' gift was an insurance policy they transferred to the Community Foundation. Earnings from their gift support donor-advised distributions "to promote the values of justice and peace."

BEN BROWN

(1993) Born in Cleveland, Okla., and educated at Oklahoma Baptist University, Ben Brown has served in the Oklahoma Legislature since 1982. He also serves as the executive director of Metro-Alliance for Safer Cities, which operates FIRSTEP. His contributions support that program.

DAHL P. BROWN & DAHL P. BROWN, JR.

(1999) Dahl Brown, Jr., was born in Oklahoma City in 1924. He attended Oklahoma City Public Schools and graduated from Central High School. After serving in the U.S. Navy in WWII he graduated from the University of Oklahoma in 1950. His career spanned 48 years in the food brokerage business in Oklahoma. His contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association in memory of his father, Dahl P. Brown, Sr., who was a 1919 graduate of Central High School.

DR. & MRS. DAVID R. BROWN

(1999) Contributions support Rainbow Fleet and Ambassadors' Concert Choir.

V. ROSS BROWN

(1979) Mr. Brown made contributions to support the Oklahoma Symphony and later the Oklahoma Philharmonic Affiliated Fund.

BOB & KAREN BROWNE

(1995) Contributions support Variety Health Center and Contact Crisis Helpline.

JOHN R. & BETTY BROWNE

(1976) The Brownes' contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, World Neighbors and Deaconess Hospital. Mr. Browne, former chairman of Union Bank, is also a former trustee of the Community Foundation.

MAIMEE LEE BROWNE

(1973) Virgil Brown made contributions in honor of his wife to the Fund for Oklahoma City. "I don't believe she ever lost a moment of time in her life," he wrote in the introduction to a book of her poetry. She raised six children, led the effort to have the redbud named the state tree, and later organized Planned Parenthood in Oklahoma City, among a long list of civic efforts.



Dahl P. Brown, Sr.



Dahl P. Brown, Jr.

VIRGIL BROWNE

(1976) Virgil Browne came to Oklahoma City in 1922 to operate a Coca-Cola franchise and, over an 80-year business career, he introduced six-pack cartons, vending machines, and parking meters to Oklahoma City. Mr. Browne died in 1979 at the age of 102, and contributions in his memory support the Fund for Oklahoma City and several other organizations.

DR. JOHN & RUTH BRUTON

(1994) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

DANA ANTHONY BURNS

(1981) Born in Cleveland, Okla., and the youngest child of C.R. and Lutie Mauldin Anthony, Dana Burns grew up in Oklahoma City, lived all across the country and raised six children. Her contributions support the American Diabetes Association, the American Cancer Society and Oklahoma City University.

RICHARD A. & SALLY F. BURPEE

(1999) Contributions support the McCall's Chapel School and the Donna Nigh Foundation.

ELLEN BUSHYHEAD

(1990) Contributions support Canterbury Choral Society and the Tree Bank.

MELVA BYER

(1980) For 15 years, Melva Byer was the director and a teacher at the Erna Krouch Preschool at Temple B'nai Israel. Her sense of the excitement of learning was part of her gift to the children she taught and the teachers she trained at the school. Contributions benefit the Erna Krouch Preschool.

JEANNE C. & HUGH V. BYLER, JR.

(1987) Contributions support the Spirit Dancers at Oklahoma City University. The initial gift was a tract of real estate.

JEROME & ANN BYRD

(1994) Contributions support Free to Live Animal Sanctuary, the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma and the Myriad Gardens Foundation.

LARRY & TATJANA CADDELL

(1993) Contributions support St. John's Episcopal School.

CAIN'S COFFEE COMPANY

(1990) After her husband died, the mother of William Morgan Cain loaded her nine children into a horse-drawn wagon and headed west from Indiana. The family settled in Oklahoma shortly before the turn of the century. Cain first saw a pile of newly picked coffee beans in Brazil, one of his ports of call while in the Navy. From that time on, bringing those beans to the United States was his goal, and he began to save his money to establish his own coffee business. He bought out Oklahoma City's Western Tea and Coffee Co. in 1919. Contributions made by Cain's Coffee Co. support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

HORACE K. & AILEEN CALVERT

(1977) Contributions benefit Casady School and its scholarship program.

C.B. CAMERON MEMORIAL

(1979) The trustees of Westminster Day School made contributions in honor of C.B. Cameron, a founder, past chairman and board member of the school. In 1968, Cameron became president of the American Fidelity Assurance Co., which he founded with his father in 1960. He died in a plane crash near Aspen, Colo., in 1977. These contributions support Westminster School and the Myriad Gardens Foundation.

**DR. CHARLES M. &****VERA LEE CAMERON**

(1998) Contributions support the Friends of the Metropolitan Library and the International Photography Hall of Fame.

CANADIAN VALLEY RESEARCH

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma Archeological Survey.

THOMAS D. CAREY

(1994) The baritone, Thomas Carey, was born in South Carolina, reared in New York and studied at the City College of New York and later in Europe. After a prestigious career in Munich, Germany, he came to the University of Oklahoma and later helped found Cimarron Circuit Opera Company as a venue for his students' performances. His contributions support the opera company.

WILLIAM V. CAREY

(2000) This fund was established in memory of Mr. Carey by his friends and family and supports the Fund for Oklahoma City. Mr. Carey was a native of Illinois who came to Oklahoma City to join his uncle in the lumber business. He was active in civic affairs and was a leader in the American Red Cross, Omniplex and St. Anthony Hospital.

EARL & JANICE CARPENTER

(1993) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Naval ROTC.

THOMAS H. CARTER &**HARALDINE A. STAFFORD**

(1999) Contributions support the Civic Music Association, Westminster School and other charitable organizations.

LOGAN W. CARY MEMORIAL

(1977) Mr. Cary's wife, Launa, and his son, Logan Cary, Jr., made contributions in his memory to support Oklahoma City University, World Neighbors and Neighbor for Neighbor. Mr. Cary came to Oklahoma from Louisville, Ky., in 1919 and was active in both the utility and oil and gas industry.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS

(1991) Contributions support St. James School.

SANDRA & SAM J. CERNY

(1983) Contributions support the Rainbow Fleet and the YMCA.

CHAIN LAND AND CATTLE COMPANY

(1998) Ralph Chain is the president of this company which was founded more than 100 years ago. Mr. Chain still lives on the Dewey County homestead that his grandfather bought in 1893. The contributions support Oklahoma Christian University where Mr. Chain is the Board Chairman.

JOANNA M. CHAMPLIN & SHAWNEE BRITTAN

(1999) Contributions support the Jacobson Foundation, Presbyterian Urban Mission, Oklahoma Shakespeare in the Park and other organizations.

ROY W. & PAT CHANDLER

(1979) Contributions support Oklahoma Goodwill Industries.

DR. BERLIN B. CHAPMAN

(1996) A bequest from Dr. Chapman's estate upon his death in 1995 supports the Archives and Manuscripts Division of the Oklahoma Historical Society, where he was a board member for many years. Dr. Chapman was a professor at Oklahoma A&M, after moving here from West Virginia in 1927. He had a passion for history and Oklahoma that was reflected in his writings.

CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORPORATION

(1998) Contributions support Junior Achievement of Greater Oklahoma City.

DR. & MRS. DON B. CHESLER

(1998) Contributions support the Classen Awards Foundation.



Yvonne Chouteau

YVONNE CHOUTEAU & MARIA TALLCHIEF

(1976) To honor his wife's love of ballet after she passed away, Bryan Arnn established two memorial funds named for Oklahoma's two ballerinas, Yvonne Chouteau and Maria Tallchief. Arnn's wife, LeCiede Arnn, was a photographer who met Chouteau and became friends with her and later met Tallchief when she was teaching at the Oklahoma Arts Institute. Earnings from the gifts support Ballet Oklahoma.

YUNG HYE CHOE

(1998) Contributions support Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma.

CITY OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1993) Contributions support the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron at Tinker Air Force Base.

DR. JAMES R. & MRS. MARCEE HENOS CLAFLIN

(1998) Contributions support the Fine Arts Institute of Edmond.

MARY MILES CLANTON

(1974) Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

B.C. CLARK FAMILY FUND

(1992) In 1992, the B.C. Clark family established a donor-advised fund to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the B.C. Clark Jewelers, which was started in Purcell, Indian Territory, in the corner of a five and dime store. Railroad men were the first customers, and Clark moved to Oklahoma City in 1929 where the family-owned business still operates. The fund supports a number of charities through donor-advised distributions.

WILLIAM B. & HELEN P. CLEARY

(1979) Contributions support Youth Services for Oklahoma County and the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

HOWARD & EFFIE J. CLEMENS

(1998) Contributions support the Myriad Gardens Foundation.

CLEMENS FOODS FOUNDATION

(1999) Contributions support the Mental Health Association and the Classen Awards Foundation.

MR. & MRS. R.J. CLEMENTS

(1978) Contributions support the YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City and other designated endowment funds.

MR. & MRS. RICHARD H. CLEMENTS

(1978) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund and the Mental Health Association in Oklahoma County.

MARY M. CLOCK

(1978) Contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor.



NANCY COATS

(1999) Judge Nancy Coats has served as District Judge, State of Oklahoma, since 1995. She received her Juris Doctor degree from the University of Oklahoma. She is a member of the American, Oklahoma and Oklahoma County Bar Associations and several other associations including the National Association of Women Judges. Judge Coats also serves on many boards including the American Heart Association and the Oklahoma County Mental Health Association. Her contributions support the Mental Health Association and donor-advised contributions.

JAMES D. & LAVERNA L. COBB

(1990) The Cobbs' contributions support a scholarship at the Oklahoma State University School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, the alma mater of Jim Cobb and his four children. Both Mr. and Mrs. Cobb are active in the family firm, Cobb Engineering, and Mr. Cobb was the first member and president of the Oklahoma State Posse.

ELIZABETH MERRICK COE

(1992) Contributions support the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma.

ALBERT COHEN

(1998) Contributions support B'nai B'rith - Hillel Foundation.

COLE & REED

(1988) The Oklahoma City accounting firm of Cole and Reed is the successor to the

accounting firm of Billips, Arin and Mascho, and later the Oklahoma City office of Ernst and Whinney. As the auditing firm for the Community Foundation for a number of years, the firm has contributed a portion of its fee to support several designated endowment funds.

COMPLETE ENVIRONMENTAL PRODUCTS, INC.

(1999) Contributions support Legal Aid of Western Oklahoma.

JACK T. & GILLETTE CONN

(1970) Jack Conn was born in Ada, Okla., and orphaned as a child. He married Gillette Massey, graduated from the University of Oklahoma Law School in 1940 and began law practice in Ada with Robert S. Kerr. In 1965, he moved to Oklahoma City at the request of the Kerr family to become the chairman of the Fidelity Bank where he stayed until retirement in 1983. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Oklahoma Historical Society and other designated endowment funds.

WILLIAM ROWE & GRETCHEN S. COOK

(1978) Gretchen Cook made these contributions in memory of her husband, who was vice president and general counsel for Mid-Continent Life Insurance Co. Mr. Cook also served in the Oklahoma Legislature and was a forthright and influential city councilman. Mrs. Cook was one of the first two women to be elected as elders of Westminster Presbyterian Church in 1960, and was president of Women of Westminster. She was also a founding member of the Women's Auxiliary of Presbyterian Hospital. Mrs. Cook's contributions benefit Presbyterian Urban Missions.

MR. & MRS. CLINT COOKE, JR.

(1981) Contributions support the Omniplex Affiliated Fund.

FERN K. & R. BOZE COOPER

(1977) The Coopers' contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

JOE COOPER FORD

(1999) Contributions support Genesis Project.

BRAD R. CORBETT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(2000) Luke, Becky and Carrie Corbett established this fund in memory of their son and brother, Brad R. Corbett. Brad attended

Edmond Memorial High School where he was involved in many activities. He particularly enjoyed being a member of the High School Academic Team and Debate Team. The contributions in his memory will support donor-advised distributions and Edmond Memorial High School.



CORRUGATED PACKAGING & DESIGN

(1996) Contributions support Infant Crisis Services.

TULLOS O. & MARGARET L. COSTON

(1976) Dr. Coston was a native of Lufkin, Texas, who received his M.D. degree from Johns Hopkins and moved to Oklahoma City in 1936. He had an ophthalmology practice and taught at the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine. Margaret Coston attended the American Academy of Dramatic Art in New York City. Their contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

COWBOY HALL OF FAME DONORS

(1970) In 1970 Jasper D. Ackerman of Colorado Springs, Colo. donated \$25,000 to the Oklahoma City Community Foundation to establish a fund for the National Cowboy Hall of Fame. This was the first designated fund at the Community Foundation and it has since grown in value to more than \$1 million. Its donor base includes a number of individuals from outside Oklahoma. Included in this list are: Bass Foundation, Texas; C.M. & J.E. Bennett, Colorado; T. Ross Clement, Idaho; Olive H. Daube, Oklahoma; Sam Daube, Oklahoma; Donald & Elizabeth Dickinson, California; Mr. & Mrs. Billy E. Fowler, Oklahoma; Hal French, Oklahoma; Lawrence Hagy, Texas; Robert E. Hogsett Foundation, Colorado; Frank Lett Foundation, Tennessee; Anne W. Marion, Texas; Watt R. Matthews, Texas; James W. McDonald, Texas; Dellora A. & Lester J. Norris Foundation, Illinois; David & Nona S. Payne, Texas; Chesley Pruet, Arkansas; Wayne Banes Rumley, Oklahoma; E.H. Shoemaker, Nebraska; and the True Foundation, Wyoming.

T. RAY COX

(1994) Mr. Cox's contributions support the United Methodist Boys Ranch, Contact Crisis Helpline and the Genesis Project. Mr. Cox is a former Contact volunteer and a school tutor who has a collection of stringed instruments and enjoys square dancing and travel. "I thank the Lord for giving me a good life," he recently wrote. "I am thankful for being able to support these causes."

JACK CRABTREE

(1994) Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

BESS M. CRANE

(1979) Bess Crane made contributions during her lifetime and through a bequest in her will to support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

PEARL H. CRICKARD

(1973) Pearl Crickard made contributions during her lifetime and through a bequest in her will to support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

ROBERT D. & EWING HARDY CROWE

(1974) Contributions support World Neighbors and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

CROWE & DUNLEVY

(1981) Crowe & Dunlevy was one of the first law offices in Oklahoma Territory, founded by a Swedish immigrant named Charles Edward "Ole" Johnson, who came to Oklahoma City in 1902. At that time Oklahoma City was on the verge of rapid expansion, with a population of 10,000. Johnson was active in the community and made civic involvement a hallmark of the firm. Today, Crowe & Dunlevy has offices in Oklahoma City, Norman and Tulsa. The firm selected the Community Foundation as the recipient of its 90th anniversary endowment gift, which supports the Ornniplex Affiliated Fund and donor-advised distributions.



Members of Crowe & Dunlevy with their wives in 1942.

LUTHER CRUM

(1999) Contributions support the Donna Nigh Foundation.

DOUGLAS R. &**PEGGY J. CUMMINGS**

(1974) Doug and Peggy Cummings graduated from Crescent Oklahoma High School, were married in 1951 and moved to Oklahoma City. After the Korean War, Doug joined Kirkpatrick Oil Company and later started Cummings Oil Company, which his sons have joined. Both are active supporters of the arts in Oklahoma City. Their contributions support the Oklahoma City Philharmonic and donor-advised distributions.

LT. COL. FRANCIS &**JOANNE F. CURRAN**

(1999) Contributions support the Oklahoma Lions Services Foundation.

GARVENE GAUCH HALES CUTCHALL

(1998) Mrs. Cutchall was a longtime volunteer for the American Red Cross-Oklahoma County Chapter and the Red Lands Council of Girl Scouts. Her contribution supports donor-advised distributions.

JACK D. DAHLGREN

(1975) Jack Dahlgren was born in 1924 in Oilton, Okla. He served as a pilot in the U.S. Army Air Corps for two years and later received a degree in chemistry from Oklahoma City University. He was executive vice president of Allied Materials Corp. for 30 years and later became president of the Peregrine Petroleum Corp. His contributions support World Neighbors and the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

LOUIS DANFORTH

(1985) Contributions support Oklahoma City University.

JUDGE FRED DAUGHERTY

(1984) Fred Daugherty was admitted to the Oklahoma Bar in 1937 but was called to active duty in the 45th Infantry in the Asian-Pacific Theater in World War II. He later became the commanding general of the 45th Infantry. In 1961, he was appointed Federal Judge of the Western District of Oklahoma. His contributions support the 45th Infantry Division Educational Fund.

KIM & NANCY DAVIS

(1999) Contributions support St. Charles Borromeo School.

ROWLAND & MARY DENMAN

(1999) Contributions support World Neighbors, Youth Services of Oklahoma, Salvation Army and other organizations.

ROBERT DENNIS

(1999) Mr. Dennis is a lifelong resident of Oklahoma City. Since 1994, he has served on the board of FIRSTSTEP, and served as president from 1997 to 1999. The fund was established by board members and supporters in his honor.

**O. K. DETRICK FOUNDATION**

(1978) Otis K. Detrick was born in Indiana in 1883 and came to Okmulgee, Okla., in 1917 during the early days of the oil industry. In his will, he set aside a group of oil properties to form the foundation that is administered by his family. Contributions support donor-advised distributions, Skyline Urban Ministry, Citizens Caring for Children and other children's charities.

DEVON ENERGY CORP.

(1999) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, the Nature Conservancy and the Myriad Gardens Foundation.

MARION BRISCOE DEVORE

(1976) Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

DOBSON TELEPHONE COMPANY

(1998) Contributions support Junior Achievement.

DOLESE FOUNDATION

(1988) The Dolese Foundation was created by Roger Dolese and is supported by the Dolese Co., an Oklahoma City concrete supplier and contractor. The company was started by three Dolese brothers operating a rock quarry near downtown Chicago. They moved to Oklahoma in the early 1890s as the railroad moved west. The foundation's contributions support the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund, the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron and Campbell Park.

BRIAN & MARILEIGH A. DOUGHERTY

(1999) Contributions support the Children's Center and the St. Charles Borromeo School.

SUE DOWLING

(1990) Mrs. Dowling worked for the Kerr Foundation, World Neighbors and the Metropolitan Library System. Her contributions support several local Oklahoma City charities.

**DOWNTOWN OPTIMIST CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY**

(1998) Contributions support YMCA Camp Classen.

CAROLE J. DRAKE

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

MR. & MRS. STANLEY D. DRAPER

(1975) Contributions support The Tree Bank.

GORDONA A. DUCA

(1998) Contributions support the Elsie Mae (Nat) Glosemeyer Memorial Scholarship Fund.

DENNIS D. & MARILYN C. DUFFY

(1999) Contributions support St. Charles Borromeo School.

LUTHER T. DULANEY

(1971) Born as one of 10 children in Cornish, Indian Territory, Luther Dulaney worked his way through the University of Oklahoma and left in 1924 to start a career in Oklahoma City. In 1938, he started an RCA-Victor dealership. Mr. Dulaney was one of nine original trustees of the Community Foundation and his contributions support health care and hospitals.

TOM DULANEY

(1987) The son of Luther and Virginia Dulaney, Tom attended the University of Oklahoma, worked for the Luther T. Dulaney Company and worked with boundless energy to promote arts projects in the community. In 1998, he was named King of the Beaux Arts Ball. His contributions support a number of designated endowment funds.

JAMES L. & EMILY B. DUNAGIN

(1998) Contributions support Classen Awards Foundation, the Salvation Army and the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine.

FRANK S. & MARY HELEN DUNAWAY

(1997) Contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association.

JACK & JUNE DURLAND

(1977) Jack Durland, a native of Texas, married June in 1937 and after law school, became a special agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation and later an attorney with Crowe & Dunlevy. He became president of Cain's Coffee in 1952 and stayed there until his retirement. Mrs. Durland was a lifelong supporter of the YWCA. Their contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, the YMCA and the Heritage Hall Affiliated Fund.

JACK R. DURLAND, JR.

(1986) Mr. Durland's contributions support the Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund.

JAMES L. "MIKE" & PAULINE EARLY

(1979) Mike Early was a native of Amber, Okla., graduated from college in Michigan, and during the Depression, returned to Oklahoma to work at the Oklahoma National Bank in Chickasha. He and Pauline married in 1936 and in 1952 they moved to Oklahoma City where he became executive vice president of Citizens National Bank. Contributions support Oklahoma Goodwill and the Salvation Army.

T. WINSTON EASON MEMORIAL

(1980) Born in Marlow, Indian Territory, in 1904, Winston Eason was the son of Anna and Thomas Thadeus Eason. He attended Notre Dame and the University of Oklahoma and graduated from Babson Business College. With his father, he developed Eason Oil into a significant oil and gas company. Mr. Eason's contributions support Speck Homes and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

THOMAS THADEUS & ANNA L. EASON

(1981) The Eason family traveled to Marlow, Indian Territory, from Ennis, Texas, in a buckboard. Once they settled, they operated a hardware store and eventually started an oil company in Garfield County. Mr. Eason and his son, Winston, built the company quite success-

fully and eventually sold Eason Oil to I.T.T. Family members made contributions in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eason to support Speck Homes and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MARGARET ANN EAST

(1998) Contributions support Free to Live Animal Sanctuary.

THE EBERLY FOUNDATION

(1999) The Eberly Foundation is a private Foundation established in 1963 by Orville



Eberly. The Eberly Foundation helps support a variety of educational, cultural and economic development projects, primarily in southwest Pennsylvania. However, the Eberly family enjoys a close and profitable connection to Oklahoma through its interest in Eberly and Meade, Inc., a natural gas production company with offices in Uniontown, Pa., and Oklahoma City. Contributions support the Eberly Endowment for the YMCA Camp Classen Fund.

B. D. EDDIE

(1970) Babe Eddie was born in Lebanon in 1903, moved to New Orleans when he was 2, and then later to Oklahoma City where his family operated a small grocery. By 1919, the Eddie grocery had become a feed store and later Superior Feed Mills. Mr. Eddie was an original trustee of the Community Foundation. His contributions support the Oklahoma Zoological Society and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

EMANUEL EDEM

(1994) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

LOUIS H. & ANNE J. EDERINGTON

(1999) Contributions support Jacobson Foundation.

MR. & MRS. BEVERLY C. D. EDWARDS

(1979) Contributions support the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma.

WILLIAM T. EGOLF

(1980) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

GRACE F. ELDRIDGE MEMORIAL

(1982) Grace Eldridge's daughter, Roberta Eldridge Miller, established this memorial to support medical research in arthritis and the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

R.L. ELDRIDGE MEMORIAL

(1976) R.L. Eldridge's daughter, Roberta Eldridge Miller, established this memorial to support medical research and the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund.

LT. W.H. ELDRIDGE MEMORIAL

(1982) Lt. Eldridge's sister, Roberta Eldridge Miller, established this memorial to support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund. Lt. Eldridge was killed in World War II.

RON & LIDA ELKINS

(1994) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

NANCY PAYNE ELLIS

(1992) Mrs. Ellis was raised in Oklahoma City and educated at Oklahoma State University, where she later served as president of the OSU Foundation. She was a founder of the Payne Education Center and a national board member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Mrs. Ellis was a trustee of the Community Foundation. Her contributions support the Pi Beta Phi Scholarship Fund and other designated endowment funds.

DON & MARGARET ELLISON

(1977) Don Ellison drafted the original organizing documents for the Oklahoma City Community Foundation and worked with John Kirkpatrick to study the operation of community foundations throughout the United States. He was the foundation's first corporate secretary and served in that capacity until his death in 1985. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

JON RONALD ELM MEMORIAL

(1991) Memorial contributions made by friends and family of Mr. Elm support the Heritage Hall Affiliated Fund.

JAMES A. EMBRY, JR.

(1996) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and Rainbow Fleet.

ROBERT Y. & KATHRYN E. EMPIE

(1994) Before marrying Bob in 1945, Katie Empie was a stewardess for American Airlines and taught at stewardess school in New York City. Later she was a speech therapist, both in private practice and for the public schools. Bob Empie was a banker for more than 50 years and served 8 years as State Banking Commissioner. Their contributions support the Donna Nigh Foundation, Oklahoma City Beautiful and donor-advised distributions.

EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA

(1975) Contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor.

A.D. & HELEN V. ERDBERG

(1987) A.D. Erdberg contributed his wife's vintage automobile to the Community Foundation as a memorial to her. Mr. Erdberg was an Oklahoma City attorney who advised many Community Foundation donors. These contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

BRONETA EVANS

(1986) Born in Story, Okla., in 1907, Broneta Evans was a pioneer woman pilot and made her first solo flight in 1929. She was instrumental in organizing the Oklahoma Flying Farmers in 1944 and was commissioned by the Civil Air Patrol to fly search missions during World War II. Mrs. Evans contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum and a bequest from her estate was made to the Fund for Oklahoma City.

HARVEY P. & RUTH J. EVEREST

(1973) Harvey and Ruth Everest began their 72-year marriage in 1915, two years after her graduation from Central High School. Mrs. Everest taught school and Mr. Everest developed a magazine distributorship and later became Chairman of Liberty Bank. Mr. Everest was one of nine original trustees of the Community Foundation. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and Sunbeam Family Services.

MR. & MRS. JEAN I. EVEREST

(1970) Jean Everest was the son of Harvey and Ruth Everest and graduated from Yale and the Harvard Business School. He married Janell Law in 1946 and operated Mid-Continent News Co. until 1975. He was a trustee of the Community Foundation and president of the board. Contributions support the Oklahoma Zoological Society, Casady School and several other designated endowment funds.

**ALICE ALLEN EVERETT**

(1994) Contributions support a cello scholarship in her name at the University of Oklahoma School of Music, the OU Bizzell Memorial Library - Mark R. Everett Fund and other designated endowment fund organizations.

ROYICE B. EVERETT

(1992) Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

EXPRESS SERVICES INTERNATIONAL

(1998) Contributions support the Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council.

THE FAITH FUND

(1998) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and donor-advised distributions.

MIKI PAYNE FARRIS

(1986) Ms. Farris contributed an award she received for volunteerism. Earnings support Infant Crisis Services, where she is executive director.

JAMES D. & MARGARET E. FELLERS

(1986) The Fellers both graduated from the University of Oklahoma and were married in 1939. Mr. Fellers practiced law in Oklahoma City and later served a term as president of the American Bar Association. Mrs. Fellers was a columnist, civic worker and tireless promoter of her native state. Their contributions support donor-advised distributions, Lyric Theatre and Oklahoma Christian University.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1979) The church's contributions benefit Oklahoma Baptist University.

HELEN FISHER

(1999) Contributions support the McCall's Chapel School.

MARGUERITE S. FITZWILLIAM ESTATE

(1994) A bequest from Marguerite Fitzwilliam's estate benefits the Oklahoma Historical Society.

RICHARD & ADELINE FLEISCHAKER

(1979) Both Richard and Adeline attended the University of Missouri. They moved to Oklahoma City after World War II and were in the oil business. They were avid art collectors, especially of Native American work, and helped start Red Earth and the Center of the American Indian. Their contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Jewish Federation of Greater Oklahoma City, the Daily Living Center and other designated endowment funds.

J. LANDIS FLEMING

(1997) Contributions support the Oklahoma Philharmonic Affiliated Fund. This fund was started by family and friends of Mr. Fleming in memory of his love of music and efforts to boost the arts.

FLEMING COMPANIES

(1992) Contributions support the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron.

DONALD D. & JUDITH C. FORBES

(1992) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

SCOTT FORBES

(1998) Contributions support Chamber Music in Oklahoma.

MR. & MRS. C. RICHARD FORD

(1974) Dick Ford was born in Texarkana, Texas in 1922, graduated from the University of Michigan, served during World War II and returned to

Michigan to earn a law degree. During the 1950s, he assumed the presidency of the Coors beer distributorship started by his father and later served as the

National Committeeman from Oklahoma for the Republican Party. Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum, the Boy Scouts, Casady School and other designated endowment funds.

**MR. & MRS. CARL S. FORD**

(1979) The Fords' contributions support 19 charities throughout the Oklahoma City area.

VERNON E. & BETTY J. FORSHEE

(1996) Contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association.

VIRGINIA STUART FOSTER

(1989) Charles Stuart's contributions in honor of his daughter, Virginia Stuart Foster, support donor-advised distributions and A Chance to Change Foundation.

JOHN ERICH & SUSAN R. FRANK

(1995) John Frank is a CPA and Susan Frank is the development director at Westminster School. Both are actively involved in community service and want their contributions to the Community Foundation to provide a vehicle for perpetual support for facilities and programs in Oklahoma City. Their contributions support World Neighbors, the Heritage Hall Affiliated Fund, Omniplex Affiliated Fund, Westminster School and several other organizations.

KENT F. FRATES

(1999) Contributions support the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society of America.

MEX L. FRATES

(1994) After graduating from Central High School at age 15, Mrs. Frates attended Pine Manor Junior College and graduated from the University of Oklahoma. A tireless civic leader for more than 60 years, she continues to be an inspiration to her family, friends and admirers for her charming and gracious support of so many people and causes. Her contributions support the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society in gratitude for the recovery of one of her sons.

RODMAN A. FRATES

(1994) Contributions support Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma.

GENEVIEVE & BENTLEY FRAYSER

(1993) The Fraysers operated the Bentley Frayser Insurance Company in Vinita for 40 years. During World War II, while Mr. Frayser fought in Belgium and Germany, Mrs. Frayser managed and expanded the agency back home. This fund supports donor-advised contributions and was started by their daughter, Jane Frayser Edmonds.

LEAMON & FAY FREEMAN

(1999) Contributions support the Oklahoma Lions Services Foundation.

RICHARD L. & PATTIE M. FREEMAN

(1999) Contributions support Presbyterian Urban Mission and Infant Crisis Services.

ANNETTE KARCHMER FRIEDLANDER

(1998) This fund was established by Al Karchmer in memory of his sister and her active and devoted career as a volunteer in educational, civic, cultural, social and political organizations. She was a leader in the National Council of Jewish Women and a long-time member of the board of the Community Council of Central Oklahoma. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

FRIENDS OF MUSIC UNITED

(1991) In response to the 1988 demise of the Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra, more than 400 people joined Friends of Music United to bring symphonic music back to Oklahoma City. The goal was achieved with the creation of the Oklahoma City Philharmonic in 1989 and the remaining funds were contributed to the endowment fund for the new orchestra.

REX & JANET FRYAR

(1992) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

BERNARD & DAISY RADLEY FUDGE

(1999) Contributions support World Neighbors, The Education and Employment Ministry and the Salvation Army.

BRIAN GABBARD

(1998) Contributions support Jesus House and Presbyterian Urban Missions.

REBA GALLASPY

(1998) Contributions support the Presbyterian Urban Mission, Chamber Music in Oklahoma and the St. John Christian Heritage Academy - Waltine Lynette Jackson Scholarship Fund.

GAMBA FAMILY FUND FOR LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

(1996) Jeanette Gamba is a native of Kansas and graduate of Kansas State who came to Oklahoma City as a promotion director for KWTU. She joined Jordan Associates and now serves as the chief executive of the state's second largest advertising agency. Ms. Gamba is a trustee of the Community Foundation and first woman to serve as president of its board.

GERALD L. GAMBLE

(1982) Contributions support Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council.

GARDNER MANAGEMENT COMPANY

(1997) Contributions support B'nai B'rith/Oklahoma Hillel Foundation.

DR. CHARLES & MARY KAY GELNAR

(1999) Contributions support St. Elizabeth Ann Seton School and Free to Live.

PAULA B. GETTYS

(1992) Contributions support Southeast Area Health Center.

JAMES A. GIBBS

(1993) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Naval ROTC.

MICHAEL T. GIBSON

(1994) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

DR. & MRS. GILBERT C. GIBSON

(1999) Gib and Aulena Gibson are both Oklahomans by birth and Lawtonians since 1958. Dr. Gibson practiced dentistry for a few years in Lawton. Then, due to increased involvement in other business ventures, he eventually chartered and served as Chairman for both Citizens Bank and First Commercial Bank. Dr. Gibson also was



instrumental in helping to form the Lawton Community Foundation. Aulena has been a long time civic leader in Lawton and has served on several statewide boards. Their contributions support the Lawton Community Foundation and the Oklahoma Historical Society.

GERTRUDE GILBERT

(1999) Contributions support the Mike Allen Memorial Education Trust.

NANCY & PAT GILLESPIE

(1986) Contributions support the Salvation Army.

ROBERT J. & MARY LEE GILMORE

(1998) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

ROGER GIVENS TRUST

(1980) Roger Givens was a builder and developer in Oklahoma City. He was born in Calvin, Okla., and graduated from Oklahoma City University. He was a charter member of the Oklahoma City Zoological Society. Earnings support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

GLAXO, INC.

(1995) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

MR. & MRS. RICHARD H. GODFREY, JR.

(1999) Contributions support the YMCA Camp Classen.

BILL & JOSEPHINE GOFF MEMORIAL

(1994) Contributions support the Arcadia Historical Preservation Society's Round Barn and the City Rescue Mission.

MONTE & ALFRED GOLDMAN

(1983) Monte and Alfred Goldman, sons of Sylvan Goldman, made contributions through several of their businesses to support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

SYLVAN N. GOLDMAN

(1973) Born in Ardmore, Sylvan Goldman served in World War I and then went to California where he learned about the operation of chain grocery stores. In 1936, as the president of Standard Food Markets, he developed the folding shopping cart, a unique part of the development of large chain grocery stores. Goldman served as one of nine original trustees of the Community Foundation. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, B'nai B'rith/Oklahoma Hillel Foundation and the Daily Living Centers.

GARY GOOD

(1994) Contributions support Infant Crisis Services, A Chance to Change Foundation and several other designated endowment funds.

E.L. GOSSELIN

(1970) Supports the Fund for Oklahoma City.

GOSSET/BOYER

(1979) Leroy Gosset served in the Marine Corps for 30 years, participating in three wars. His wife, Eileen Boyer Gosset was a school teacher and player with the Oklahoma City Symphony. Contributions support the Last Frontier Council of the Boy Scouts of America, where Mr. Gosset volunteered for more than 40 years.

**BILL & SUSAN GRANA**

(1998) Motivated by a strong desire to give back to the community, the Granas established a donor-advised fund at the Community Foundation to support those gifts. Dr. Grana, a graduate of Harvard, is an orthopedic surgeon in Oklahoma City specializing in sports medicine and Mrs. Grana has been a middle school counselor in Edmond as well as director of the Edmond Public School Foundation.

BARRY & GRETCHEN GRAY

(1998) Contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor.

EARL Q. & LUCILE R. GRAY

(1978) Earl and Lucile Gray were leaders in Ardmore, Okla. He was an attorney who served the Bar Association at county, state and national levels; she was an accomplished pianist with a master's degree from Radcliffe College. They were loving parents who provided their children with happy memories. Their daughter, Nancy Cheek,

established this fund to honor them. Contributions support research in Parkinson's Disease and arthritis, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater Oklahoma City and several other designated endowment funds.

FREDA POOLE GRAYSON

(1997) This scholarship fund was established by the family of Mrs. Grayson to honor her years of service as a teacher. Donors to the fund include: Robert Densford, Bob and Donna Densford, Bobby K. and M. Jane Grayson, A.M. and Connie Turk, Rockey and Martha Leavelle, M. Kaye Leavelle, Romar Consulting, and Robert G. and Rachel G. Mills. (See the scholarship section page 58)

GREENBERG FAMILY

(1996) Contributions support the Arts Council of Oklahoma City.

ALAN C. GREENBERG FOUNDATION

(1993) Contributions support Contact Crisis Helpline.

RONALD & ADRIANNE GREENBERG

(1993) Contributions support Contact Crisis Helpline.

VIRGINIA & ROBERT GREENBERG

(1998) Contributions support the Myriad Gardens Foundation.

STEPHEN V. GREER

(1998) Contributions support the Salvation Army.

DAVID F. GRIFFIN

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

LESLIE & TODD GRIFFITH

(1997) Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

MR. & MRS. JAMES G. GRISSOM

(1993) Contributions support St. John's Episcopal School.

C.H. GUERNSEY CO.

(1992) Contributions support the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron.

LOUIS & COMER JUANITA GUTIERREZ

(1999) Contributions support St. Gregory's Scholarship and St. Charles Borromeo School.

W. DOW GUMERSON MEMORIAL

(1978) The Oklahoma Chapter of the American Institute of Architects established this memorial to honor the memory of one of the leaders in the effort to preserve the historic Overholser Mansion. Mr. Gumerson was an architect for 42 years and designed many Oklahoma City buildings. Contributions support the Overholser Mansion, now operated by the Oklahoma Historical Society.

JAMES L. & CAROL M. HALL FAMILY

(1992) Mr. and Mrs. Hall's contributions support donor-advised distributions. Mr. Hall was a leading attorney with Crowe & Dunlevy and the visionary of the James L. Hall Center for Mind, Body and Spirit at Integris Medical Center. (See the James L. Hall Center for Mind, Body and Spirit Designated Fund, page 68)

MRS. JOHN M. HALL

(1994) Contributions support the Jacobson Foundation.

PATTY MULLINS HALL MEMORIAL

(1981) Brooks Hall established this memorial to his wife, Patty. Many family members and friends also made memorial contributions. Earnings support World Neighbors and research in diabetes and heart disease.

THOMAS PATRICK HALLREN

(1999) Contributions support World Neighbors and The Education and Employment Ministry.

THE HANKINS FOUNDATION

(1998) Contributions support the Donna Nigh Foundation.

JANE & JAMES G. HARLOW, JR.

(1970) Mr. Harlow was a native of Oklahoma City and graduated from the University of Oklahoma. He served as president, CEO and chairman of the board for Oklahoma Gas and Electric for many years. He was active in civic and cultural service to a variety of organizations. Mrs. Harlow is a founder of the Oklahoma Philharmonic Affiliated Fund and the Bizzell Library Society at the University of Oklahoma. The Harlows' contributions support donor-advised distributions.

F. DAIL HARPER

(1979) Contributions support Casady School.

JUANITA HARRIS MEMORIAL

(1993) Patrons of the Erna Krouch Preschool made contributions in memory of Mrs. Harris, a longtime teacher, to support the school.

VIRGIL W. HARRIS

(1999) Contributions support United Methodist Boys Ranch and the Myriad Gardens.

RICHARD D. HARRISON

(1979) Richard Harrison was a graduate of Stanford University and University of Michigan Law School. As chief executive of Fleming Company, he moved the headquarters to Oklahoma City from Kansas. He was a trustee of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation and a president of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

EDWARD J. HARVEY

(1996) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

DR. & MRS. CHARLES HAUNSCHILD

(1994) Contributions support Oklahoma Youth with Promise Scholarship Fund. Janice Haunschuld served on the scholarship committee of the Community Foundation.

D. JEAN & DANIEL E. HAYES

(1982) Jean Hayes was a Canadian nurse working in a displaced persons' camp in Germany after World War II when she met Dan Hayes, a U.S. Army platoon leader who was stationed there. They married shortly



afterward and moved to Oklahoma so Mr. Hayes could finish his degree in geology at the University of Oklahoma. Mrs. Hayes has been a visiting nurse in Cleveland and Oklahoma counties. The Hayes' contributions helped start the designated endowment fund at the Community Foundation for the Visiting Nurses Association.

LARRY K. HAYES

(1994) Contributions support the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program.

JUDGE ROBERT HEFNER FAMILY

(1979) Contributions support the Oklahoma Heritage Association.

TRAVIS HENDERSON

(1981) Contributions support the Foundation for Senior Citizens.

ANN C. HENRY

(1992) Contributions support the Payne Education Center.

EARL J. HENRY

(1993) Contributions support Trinity Episcopal School.

ANGIE HESTER

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

MR. & MRS. H.A. HEWETT, JR.

(1979) H.A. Hewett was born in Durant, Okla., in 1922 and graduated from the University of Oklahoma. He served in the U.S. Army and was president of Capitol Steel Corp. from 1975 until his retirement in 1984. He served as mayor of The Village and provided leadership to various community and professional organizations. Contributions support Oklahoma Goodwill Industries.

WILLIAM J. & HELEN HILSEWECK

(1978) Contributions support World Neighbors.

HISTORICAL PRESERVATION, INC.

(1993) Contributions made by the Heritage Hills Historical Preservation Area and the Heritage Hills Associate Board support the Overholser Mansion, a territorial-era home preserved with its original Victorian furnishings.

HITACHI COMPUTER PRODUCTS OF AMERICA

(1994) Contributions support the Jacobson Foundation.

H. C. HITCH, JR.

(1988) The Hitch family settled in the Oklahoma Panhandle in 1884 and started a cattle operation. Ladd Hitch was born in Guymon, Okla., and after serving in the Navy, returned there to run the family business which became the ninth largest cattle feeding operation in the country. Contributions support the National Cowboy Hall of Fame.

EDMUND M. HOFFMAN

(1998) Contributions support the Classen Awards Foundation.

DAN HOGAN, III

(1979) A graduate of Classen High School and the University of Oklahoma, Dan Hogan has been an Air Force pilot, a stockbroker, banker and newspaper publisher. He has provided leadership to many Oklahoma City organizations including the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce, Casady School and the Community Foundation. His contributions support Oklahoma City University, Casady School, the Fund for Oklahoma City and other designated endowment funds.

BLANCHE & MILDRED HOLLAND

(1993) These sisters are the two youngest of nine children of a Methodist minister. They lived in Norman, Okla., graduated from the University of Oklahoma and taught at Classen and Northwest Classen High School for many years. The fund was established by their niece, Christine Holland Anthony, in memory of their support of her and other relatives and supports scholarships at Casady School.

JAMES H. HOLLOMAN, JR.

(1994) Jim Holloman is a native of Frederick, Okla., a graduate of the University of Oklahoma Law School with a master's degree from New York University. He is a member of the Crowe & Dunlevy firm, a trustee of the Community Foundation and chairman of its Investment Committee. He is also a former president of the Deer Creek Board of Education. Contributions support Deer Creek Schools and the Payne Education Center.

MR. & MRS. ROBERT M. HOOVER, JR.

(1979) The Hoovers' contributions support 13 agencies throughout the community.

JAMES K. HOTCHKISS

(1992) Contributions support the Community Foundation's administrative endowment and the Nature Conservancy. Mr. Hotchkiss serves as the investment counsel for the Community Foundation.

MARGARET R. HOWELL

(1981) Contributions support Daily Living Centers, American Red Cross and the Salvation Army.

GARY & BETTY HUCKABAY

(1994) The Huckabay's have been active in both civic and community life throughout Oklahoma for many years. Gary is from Snyder and Betty has lived in Seminole, Pawhuska, Norman, and Oklahoma City. Betty was the first staff member for the



Oklahoma Foundation for Excellence and later worked at the Community Foundation. Their contributions support CELEBRATIONS!, Ham Homestead and a special scholarship for students from Canadian County through the Oklahoma Heritage Association.

HUDIBURG AUTO GROUP

(1999) Contributions support Infant Crisis Services, Regional Food Bank of Oklahoma and City Rescue Mission.

G. ED HUDGINS FAMILY

(1989) Ed Hudgins was a founding partner of the Oklahoma City architectural and engineering firm, Hudgins, Thompson and Ball, later HTB, Inc. A graduate of Oklahoma A&M, and veteran of World War II, he established this fund to support donor-advised contributions and a scholarship at the Oklahoma State University College of Architecture and Engineering.

W.W. & NONA JEAN HULSEY

(1970) Nona Jean Hulsey was the daughter of L.A. and Patsy Macklanburg and an accomplished artist. W.W. Hulsey was CEO of Macklanburg-Duncan for several years. Their contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, Ballet Oklahoma and other designated endowment funds.

M.O. & PATRICIA HUNTRESS

(1999) Contributions support Presbyterian Urban Mission.

WALTER HUNZICKER

(1979) Walter Hunzicker was born in Lafayette, Ind., in 1910. He graduated from Washington and Lee University in 1932 and became associated with Hunzicker Brothers Electrical Distributors, a family business established in 1920. His contributions, as well as additional contributions by Hunzicker Brothers and his family, support Sugar Creek Camp, the Omniplex Affiliated Fund, the Fund for Oklahoma City and other designated endowment funds.

KHADER K. & CECILIA H. HUSSEIN

(1998) Contributions support the Hospice Foundation of Oklahoma.

ROBERT D. HUTCHINSON

(1985) A bequest made by Robert Hutchinson supports the Fund for Oklahoma City.

IMKE FAMILY

(1994) Gene and Suzy Imke share a common birthplace, St. Anthony Hospital, a high school, Northwest Classen, and both attended the University of Oklahoma where Suzy was a cheerleader and Gene received a BBA in finance. After many years of teaching dance and gymnastics, Suzy joined Gene at Imke Associates, an employee benefits and insurance agency in Oklahoma City. Their contributions support donor-advised distributions.



INDUSTRIAL GASKET, INC.

(1998) Contributions support the Children's Center.

STUART C. IRBY COMPANY

(1998) Contributions support the Genesis Project.

MRS. GUY JAMES

(1979) Manila James was the widow of Guy James, an Oklahoma City builder and city councilman. Mrs. James was an active supporter of Oklahoma Baptist University and served for many years on the Metropolitan Library Commission. Her contributions support Oklahoma Baptist University.

EVELYN SEAGRAVE JANEWAY

(1999) Contributions support the St. Gregory's Scholarship Fund.

LINDA JENNINGS

(1985) Contributions support the Heritage Hall Affiliated Fund and were made by parents in honor of this social studies teacher.

JEROME'S

(1975) Contributions made by Jerome Bernstein, founder of an Oklahoma City ladies' clothing store, support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MARY POTTER JOHNS

(1979) Contributions support the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma.

BRUCE H. & FRANCES R. JOHNSON

(1973) The Johnsons' contributions support World Neighbors and donor-advised distributions.

CARLOS E. JOHNSON

(1998) Contributions support Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council.

JANA LEE JOHNSTON

(1996) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

VIRGINIA C. JOHNSTON

(1993) Ms. Johnston was a first and second grade school teacher for more than 40 years. Contributions made in her honor by her sister, Anita Dahlgren, support Payne Education Center.

WILLARD JOHNSTON FOUNDATION

(1979) Ross Johnston established the foundation in honor of his father who made the 1889 Land Run and later started the first commercial bank in Shawnee, Okla. Ross joined his father in the banking business after World War I and attending the University of Oklahoma. He later entered the mortgage business, helping to establish Midland Mortgage Co. Contributions support Oklahoma Foundation for the Disabled, Casady School and Pi Beta Phi Scholarship Fund.

JOHNSTONE FAMILY FUND

(1998) Bill Johnstone is a native of Bartlesville, Okla., who became the chief executive of City Bank and Trust in

Oklahoma City. In 1996, he joined his wife Ann at C-TEQ, a data processing company they started in 1986 to serve the banking industry. Mr. Johnstone is a trustee of the Community Foundation and former president of its board. Mrs. Johnstone is a trustee of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

CATHERINE MAE JONES FOUNDATION

(1993) Contributions support Sugar Creek Camp.

FRED JONES CORPORATION

(1994) Contributions made by the corporation support the Ema Garcia Memorial Scholarship, Francis Tuttle Vo-Tech, the Tree Bank and other designated endowment funds.

FRED & MARY EDDY JONES

(1976) Mrs. Jones made an initial contribution to the Community Foundation in appreciation of the Oklahoma City community. Later gifts support the Omniplex, Oklahoma City University and the Fred Jones, Jr. Museum of Art at the University of Oklahoma. Mrs. Jones was a community leader and arts patron in Oklahoma City for most of the 20th century. She kept her age a secret but her family believes that she was in her 90s when she died in April 2000. She was part of a generation of Oklahoma City pioneers who assumed responsibility for the founding of many cultural institutions which still endure.



MELVIN D. & MARY E. JONES

(1998) Contributions support Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council.

EMMA JORDAN MEMORIAL

(1979) Emma Jordan, a native Oklahoman, was a jeweler in Oklahoma City for many years and was active in the Altrusa Club, which established this memorial. Altrusa International is the oldest women's service club in the world. Composed of business and executive women, its primary purpose is to enhance the well-being of women everywhere. Earnings provide scholarships for women at St. Gregory's University in Shawnee, Okla.

HAROLD I. JOSEY

(1972) Mr. Josey was a businessman and one of the founders of the Better Business Bureau of Central Oklahoma. He walked the streets in 1930 soliciting memberships for the organization that would combat unethical business practices. Mr. Josey started his career with Oklahoma Gas and Electric and later became an investment advisor. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and Sunbeam Family Services.

THE JOULLIAN FAMILY

(1972) E.C. Joullian came to Oklahoma from Mississippi to work in the oil fields and became president of Consolidated Gas and later his own firm, Mustang Fuel. His son, E.C. Joullian, III, was a trustee of the Community Foundation and president of its board. Mr. Joullian was actively involved with the Boy Scouts of America on both the local and national level. Contributions support the Boy Scouts, Oklahoma Philharmonic and other designated endowment funds.

BETTY E. & GEORGE B. KAISER FOUNDATION

(1998) George B. Kaiser is chairman of the Bank of Oklahoma. His primary charitable focus is to support social service, particularly children's issues from pre-natal to age 4. Other contributions support the Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics.

AARON & GERTRUDE KARCHMER FOUNDATION

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

FREDERICK H. & LOIS KATE

(1998) Frederick H. and Lois Kate were both born and educated in northeastern Ohio. They moved to Oklahoma City in 1944. One a retired geologist and one a homemaker, the couple became interested in the Presbyterian Urban Mission through their church. Contributions support Presbyterian Urban Mission.

CHRISTIAN K. KEESEE

(1974) The president of American Bank in Edmond, Okla., and the Kirkpatrick Oil Company, Chris Keesee was raised in Oklahoma City and attended college at Menlo and Pepperdine. He currently serves as a trustee of the Community Foundation and president of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund, the Community Foundation's largest affiliated fund. Mr. Keesee's contributions support Heritage Hall, the Fund for Oklahoma City and City Arts, a multipurpose arts education center that he helped found.

EVELYN E. KEIL

(1992) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

NANCY I. KENDERDINE

(1998) Contributions support Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

DONALD S. KENNEDY

(1992) Mr. Kennedy was born in Indiana, educated at the University of Arizona, and came to Oklahoma in 1923 to work in the accounting department of Oklahoma Gas and Electric. He retired as president of the company in 1982 and continued, with his wife Gertrude, his volunteer leadership and contributions to many civic and cultural organizations. His contribution to the Fund

for Oklahoma City in 1970 was among the first to help start this fund.

JOE C. KERNKE, JR.

(1998) Contributions support the Mental Health Association of Oklahoma County, where Mr. Kernke is a lifetime member of the Board of Directors.

KERR FOUNDATION

(1985) During his lifetime, U.S. Sen. Robert S. Kerr discussed with his family the value of establishing a foundation devoted to the development of Oklahoma's human and natural resources. Following his death in January 1963, Grayce B. Kerr and her children, Robert, Kay, Breene and William, created the foundation he had envisioned. In 1985, the Kerr Foundation donated a building at 115 Park Ave. in downtown Oklahoma City to the Community Foundation, where its offices were located until 1995.

DAVID KENWORTHY KERR MEMORIAL

(1980) This memorial was established by the William Kerr family in memory of their son and supports the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund, donor-advised distributions and several designated endowment funds.

ROBERT S. & GRAYCE B. KERR FOUNDATION

(1992) Contributions support the William Fremont Harn Gardens and Homestead.

KERR-MCGEE CORPORATION

(1971) The Kerr-McGee Corp. donated a tract of land near the Oklahoma City Zoo to the Community Foundation. The earnings from that gift and other contributions support the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron, Payne Education Center and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

CLARA SUE KIDWELL

(1999) Contributions support Jacobson Foundation.

DARLENE KIDD

(1985) Contributions support Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater Oklahoma City where Ms. Kidd was a former executive director.

MR. & MRS. JOHN KILPATRICK, JR.

(1975) Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund, the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Community Foundation's administrative endowment and several designated endowment funds. Mr. Kilpatrick is a former trustee and president of the Community Foundation and now serves as a member of the Margaret Annis Boys Trust Advisory Committee.

WILLIAM M. KILPATRICK MEMORIAL

(1974) William Kilpatrick, an Oklahoma City investor and developer and a well-



known civic leader, made contributions during his lifetime to support the Fund for Oklahoma City. Family members and friends contributed memorial gifts at the time of his death.

WILLIAM & MARTHA KING

(1998) Martha King is a trustee of the Oklahoma City Disaster Relief Fund and a member of the Scholarship Committee of the Community Foundation. She has been a faithful volunteer helping the Community Foundation help survivors of the 1995 Murrah Building bombing. Contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor, Sugar Creek Camp, World Neighbors and other designated endowment funds.

KIRKPATRICK FOUNDATION

(1985) The Kirkpatrick Foundation was started by John E. and Eleanor B. Kirkpatrick in 1955. It has supported a wide variety of Oklahoma City cultural and charitable organizations and has been a primary benefactor of many designated endowment funds at the Community Foundation.

MR. & MRS. JOHN BOLE KIRKPATRICK

(1976) The Kirkpatricks' contributions support the John E. Kirkpatrick Horticulture Center at Oklahoma State University-Oklahoma City and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

JOHN E. & ELEANOR B. KIRKPATRICK

(1969) John E. Kirkpatrick, an Oklahoma City oilman, banker and civic leader, and the late Eleanor Blake Kirkpatrick established the Kirkpatrick Foundation in 1955, but realized that Oklahoma City needed an institution to serve the charitable needs of a large number of citizens and non-profit organizations. They provided initial leadership, contributions and administrative support for the founding of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation in 1969. Mr. Kirkpatrick served as the founding president of the trustees from 1969 to 1979 and again served as trustee from 1985 to 1991. The Kirkpatricks have given special attention to the development of endowment funds held at the Community Foundation for non-profit organizations. In addition to the support given to the community through the Kirkpatrick Family Affiliated Fund, they have made contributions to support more than 150 designated endowment funds. Mrs. Kirkpatrick died in May 1997, leaving behind a legacy of leadership in the city's arts community that gave direction and stability to many key arts institutions. (See *Kirkpatrick Family Fund* on page 95)

E. PHIL & ROBERTA L. KIRSCHNER TRUST

(1991) This trust is one of five trusts that were established by the estate of E.P. Kirschner, an oilman from Muskogee, Okla., who was known as an influence for good in many arenas. One of the Kirschners' wishes was to help orphans with



no stable family or home. The trust set up at the Community Foundation benefits Citizens Caring for Children, an organization which helps foster children receive education and training past high school.

JOHN S. & DONNA J. KISER

(1998) Contributions from Mr. and Mrs. Kiser support donor-advised distributions. A special interest of the Kisers is the after-school program and summer camp held at Immanuel Lutheran Church.

KIVA CLASS, UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NICHOLS HILLS

(1996) This Sunday School class' contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.



PERRY & JEANIE KLAASSEN

(1999) Dr. and Mrs. Perry Klaassen were both born and raised on farms in western Oklahoma. Both grew up in homes that valued faith in God and service to humankind and these teachings were further engrained in the schools both attended, Corn Bible Academy and Tabor College, Hillsboro, Kan. Upon completion of their college degrees, Perry attended the University of Kansas Medical School, and Jeanie taught school in the Republic of Congo. After their marriage they spent three and a half years near Calcutta, West Bengal, India, where Perry attended patients in a village setting. The inner sense of wanting to serve the underprivileged people of society led Perry to the completion of a Master's Degree in Public Health and a residency in Preventive Medicine at Tulane University and the Mary Mahoney Memorial Health Center. He has served the Mary Mahoney Memorial Health Center as medical director and also intermittently as director of the Health Center for 26 years. Contributions support the Mary Mahoney Memorial Health Center Fund.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 5759

(1998) Supports the Tracy Wilson Scholarship Fund for students at St. James Elementary School.

JUNE KNOTTS MEMORIAL

(1983) Max and June Knotts' original contributions to the Community Foundation support Integris Baptist Medical Center and the Omniplex. Following Mrs. Knotts' death, contributions from family and friends have established a memorial which contributes to her favorite charities through donor-advised distributions each year. June Knotts was an accomplished artist and devoted much time to community organizations including the Decorators Show House, the Oklahoma City Zoo and the Omniplex.

DON & SUSAN KRILEY

(1998) Contributions support the Guy Fraser Harrison Academy for the Performing Arts.

MR. & MRS. FRANK J. KUNC

(1976) The Kuncs' contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

GRACE LAMAR/EPWORTH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(1992) Grace Dunn LaMar came to Oklahoma from Arkansas at the age of 18 and enrolled in business school to become a law secretary. For 40 years she worked in the offices of her uncles, J.Q.A. Harrod and Laynie W. Harrod. In 1925, she married C.A. (Ham) LaMar, a grocer who died in 1974. Epworth United Methodist Church made contributions in memory of Mrs. LaMar to support Skyline Urban Ministry.

PERRY A. & MONA S. LAMBIRD

(1977) Perry and Mona Lambird and their daughter Jennifer were tragically killed in an automobile accident in Turkey in August 1999. Perry was a pathologist with a passion for politics who owned and operated the Medical Arts Laboratories. Mona was a respected attorney, the first woman president of the Oklahoma Bar Association and a trusted advisor to many organizations, including the Community Foundation. The Lambird Family Memo-

rial Fund will continue to support the organizations to which they devoted so much of their lives.

ADA V. LANCE MEMORIAL

(1979) Contributions support Camp Fire Boys and Girls Heart of Oklahoma Council.

LEVITA ADAMS LAND MEMORIAL

(1998) Contributions made in memory of Ms. Land by Scott and Geneva Smith support the Central High School Alumni Association Scholarship Fund. A graduate of Central High School, Mrs. Land worked for AT&T for 27 years and continued to be active in the Central High School Alumni Association until her death in 1997.

HOBART F. LANDRETH MEMORIAL

(1973) This memorial was established by friends and colleagues of Dr. Landreth, who was research director at the Oklahoma City Zoo. Earnings support research at the zoo.

SALLY CLARK LANGSTON

(1996) The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Clark, Sr., Sally Langston moved to Oklahoma City with her family in 1929. She attended Classen High School and graduated from Oklahoma City University where she was campus queen. She worked at B.C. Clark Jewelers part-time in addition to raising her three children. Her contributions support the B.C. Clark Family Fund and many designated endowment funds.

WANN & CLARA LANGSTON

(1978) The family of Dr. Wann Langston made contributions in the couple's honor to support the medical library at Integris Baptist Medical Center. Dr. Langston had a 52-year medical career and was a well known teacher and lecturer at the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine.

LAWTON INSURANCE ASSOCIATES

(1998) Contributions support the OMA-Marie Welch Scholarship.

BILL & PAT LARSON

(1993) Pat Larson founded Free to Live Animal Sanctuary. The Larsons' contributions support Free to Live, the Mental Health Association in Oklahoma County and the Child Abuse Response and Evaluation Center.

LEDBETTER INSURANCE AND RISK

(1979) Contributions support Oklahoma Goodwill Industries.

DAVID & LYNN LEE

(1992) Contributions support Oklahoma City University Law School and Skyline Urban Ministry.

ROBERT E. & JANE LEE

(1977) Bob and Jane Lee were natives of Oklahoma, attended the University of Oklahoma and were both active community leaders for many years. Mr. Lee worked for Lee Way Freight and then was active in the oil business after his retirement. Contributions support Mercy Health Center.

MR. & MRS. R.W. LEE

(1992) A pioneer in the trucking industry, Whit Lee began operating with a horse and buggy in Hammon, Okla., in 1914. The operation that developed to help salesmen to reach outlying areas with their wares became Lee Way Motor Freight. He and Bess, his wife of 53 years, were active in many Oklahoma City civic and church organizations. This donor-advised fund was established in their memory by their three children and families.

STANLEY & JERRY LEE

(1980) Stanley and Jerry Lee have been active in civic and cultural events for years. Mr. Lee has been actively involved in the Omniplex and YMCA and was president of both. The Lees' contributions support the YMCA, the Omniplex Affiliated Fund and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

EDWARD P. & NORMA LESLIE

(1993) Ed Leslie's incredible record of more than 60 years of perfect attendance at meetings of Club 29 of Rotary International is a testimony to his loyalty to Rotary and its mission. Mr. Leslie was a longtime agent for Mutual of New York and a supporter of Oklahoma State University. Contributions support donor-advised distributions as well as the designated endowment funds for the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Salvation Army, Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation and the Rotary Club.

ANDREW W. LESTER

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

DR. BERTHA LEVY

(1991) In 1941, Dr. Bertha Levy opened a private pediatric practice in Oklahoma City and began volunteering her services at the Variety Health Center. Today, she is retired from practicing medicine but continues her association

as a board member with Variety, which provides maternal and child health services to low-income families.



When Variety raised funds to convert a donated office building to a new clinic, they contributed to the Community Foundation in Dr. Levy's name to support Variety Health Center.

HARRISON & HELEN S. LEVY

(1980) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

LIBERTY NATIONAL BANK

(1974) BankOne acquired Liberty Bank in 1997, but contributions from the formerly locally owned bank will continue to benefit Oklahoma City in perpetuity. Contributions benefit the Myriad Gardens Foundation, Leadership Oklahoma City Affiliated Fund and the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

OKLAHOMA LIONS SERVICE FOUNDATION

(1992) The Oklahoma Lions Service Foundation Fund at the Oklahoma City Community Foundation was started in 1992. The following Lions Clubs throughout Oklahoma have provided support to this fund: Expressway, Tulsa Metro, Duncan Noon, Sapulpa, Cushing, Northwest Tulsa, Medford, Lawton Sundowners, Bartlesville, Balco, Norman, Seminole, Limestone, Oklahoma City Downtown, Perry Noon, Canadian Valley, Kingfisher, Broken Arrow, Atoka, Midwest City, Stockyards, Muskogee Noon, Lawton Noon, Brookside, Wewoka, Clinton Evening, Briggs Evening, Keys, Pryor, Newkirk, Davenport, Tulsa McCullough, Northwest, Red Fork, Stillwater Noon, North Enid, Garber, Belle Isle and Blackwell.

LIPPERT BROTHERS CONSTRUCTION

(1988) Contributions made by the company and by Don and Martha Lippert support the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund, the Myriad Gardens Foundation and other designated endowment funds.

KATHLEEN LISTER

(1995) June and Jim Young's contributions in memory of their daughter, Kathleen Anna "Kay" Lister support Canterbury Choral Society and Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation. She was a member of Canterbury and a microbiologist at O.M.R.F who was tragically killed in a 1995 auto accident.

LUCILLE E. LITTLE

(1975) Contributions support the Hobbs Lectureship at Oklahoma Baptist University.

JACK & GLADYS LONDON

(1987) Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

RAYMOND LONG WORDS OF JESUS FOUNDATION

(1993) Raymond Long, a retired postal employee, compiled a thesaurus of all the words spoken by Jesus in the King James version of the New Testament. He published it under the title *All the Words of Jesus* and asked that the proceeds be used to establish a fund to benefit the homeless and the needy. Pendleton Woods, a friend of Mr. Long, completed the publication and worked with the Community Foundation to establish the fund to carry out Mr. Long's wishes.

JAMES P. & ROSELLE MacKELLAR

(1987) Pete MacKellar was born in Loveland, Okla., graduated from the University of Oklahoma, and married Roselle Neville on Christmas Day 1941. Contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

L.A. & PANSY E. MACKLANBURG

(1970) Louis Macklanburg was born in Minnesota and moved to Oklahoma with his family in 1903. After serving in World War I, he and his brothers and H.M. Duncan founded a factory for manufacturing metal weather strips, caulking compound and other builders' hardware. Contributions support Oklahoma Christian University and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MARY MACKLANBURG

(1976) Mary Macklanburg's contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

**ROBERT A. MACKLANBURG JR.**

(1970) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

M.P. & PEGGY MADDEN

(1994) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry and The Education and Employment Ministry.

MAGUIRE FOUNDATION

(1992) Contributions support Mount St. Mary High School, Erna Krouch Preschool, and Red Lands Council of the Girl Scouts.

DAVID & LINDA MALLORY

(1995) Contributions support St. John's Episcopal School and other designated funds.

MR. & MRS. EUGENE MAPLES

(1988) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MRS. MURIEL I. MARRIOTT

(1998) Contributions support the Friends of the Metropolitan Library.

JEFFREY & ALICE MARSEL

(1992) Contributions support the Erna Krouch Preschool and the Payne Education Center.

MARIE, GEORGE, TRAVIS, STEVE & KYM MASON

(1999) Contributions support Arts Council of Oklahoma City, Coffee Creek Riding Center and the USS Oklahoma City.

MR. & MRS. E.H. MASONHALL

(1986) Contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund.

HARDIN W. & GERTRUDE C. MASTERS

(1975) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MATHIS BROTHERS FURNITURE

(1998) Contributions support the Nature Conservancy and Neighborhood Alliance of Oklahoma City.

DARWIN & ELEANOR MAURER

(1973) Eleanor Maurer grew up in Thomas, Okla., and graduated from Stephens College. She joined the Kirkpatrick Oil Company in 1951 and rose to be an officer and trusted employee of Mr. Kirkpatrick for more than 40 years, until her death in 1998. She served as treasurer of the Community Foundation for more than 25 years and provided important long-term leadership to the organization in its early years. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

ROBERT & DONNA McCAMPBELL

(1999) Contributions support Casady School Scholarship, Oklahoma Zoological Society and the Kerr-McGee Swim Club.

McCASLAND FOUNDATION

(1991) Thomas Howard McCasland was born near Duncan, Indian Territory, in 1895. He attended the University of Oklahoma and played football. He later started an oil company, Mack Oil, which developed extensive oil and gas production in Oklahoma and Kansas. Gifts from the Foundation now run by his family supports the Ham Homestead and the Oklahoma City Art Museum.

MR. & MRS. TOM H. McCASLAND, JR.

(1993) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Naval ROTC.

MR. & MRS. AUBREY McCLENDON

(2000) Supports donor-advised distributions.

GENE E. McCOLLUM, JR., MEMORIAL

(1980) Mr. and Mrs. Gene McCollum established this memorial for their son, who died from burns received in an automobile accident in 1972. Earnings support the Burn Center at Integris Baptist Medical Center.

M. G. McCOOL MEMORIAL

(1981) This memorial was established by Lucile McCool in memory of her husband and supports Speck Homes. "Mac" McCool was born in Arkansas, worked in the oil business in both the United States and Venezuela, and later became president of American Iron and Machine Works. He acquired Little Giant Pump Company in 1955 and ran it until his death in 1978.

THOMAS O. McCULLOUGH

(1994) Thomas McCullough was a pioneer in the drug and alcohol treatment field. Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

RON & BETTY McDANIEL

(1991) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry, the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Myriad Gardens Foundation and other designated endowment funds.

MR. & MRS. DEAN A. McGEE

(1973) Dean McGee was a native of Kansas who worked his way through the University of Kansas getting a degree in mining engineering. After working for Phillips Petroleum, in 1937 he teamed with Robert S. Kerr to start Kerlyn Oil which eventually became Kerr-McGee. In 1938, he married Dorothea Swain who also was a geologist working for Phillips. Mr. McGee was one of nine original trustees of the Community Foundation and also was vitally involved in the development of the Health Sciences Center and redevelopment of downtown

Oklahoma City. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and Oklahoma City University.

JAMES W. & LEE ANN McINTYRE

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

LT. FELIX CHRISTOPHER McKEAN

(1993) Felix McKean graduated from the University of Arkansas in 1940. He majored in foreign languages, business and mathematics and enjoyed writing poetry. In 1944, Mr. McKean was a first lieutenant in the Army Air Corps when he was killed in action at age 24. He had been serving as navigator-bombardier on a B-26, which was



downed by German fire. Fifty years after his death, his sister, Mary Meier, made contributions in his honor to help veterans in the Oklahoma City area.

JOSEPH D. McKEAN, JR., M.D.

(1994) Contributions support the Genesis Project and the Putnam City Schools Foundation.

MRS. YEN DO McKENZIE

(1999) Contributions support the Library Endowment Trust and Friends of the Metropolitan Library.

WILBUR E. & ELOISE McMURTRY

(1993) Contributions support Trinity Episcopal School and other agencies.

WILLIAM F. & SALLY McNUTT

(1976) The McNutts' contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor, the Salvation Army, the United Way of Metropolitan Oklahoma City and several other designated endowment funds.

ALBERT & DEBORAH McWHORTER

(1998) Contributions support YMCA Camp Classen.

JAMES & VIRGINIA MEADE

(1993) Jim Meade is an active Oklahoma oil and gas producer and president of Eberly and Meade. He is a native of Pittsburgh and his wife Virginia is from Mexico City but they have lived in Oklahoma City for 35 years. Active in the board of the Oklahoma City Art Museum, Mr. Meade established a fund to support acquisitions at the museum and also to support Christ the King Catholic School.

K.T. & MARILYN M. MEADE, JR.

(2000) Marilyn was born and raised in Oklahoma City. She graduated from Casady School, Bradford Junior College, Boston,



and the University of Oklahoma. For the past 17 years she has been the Alumni Director of Casady School. "Bud" was born in Pittsburgh, Pa. He is a graduate of Portsmouth Priory School, Newport, R.I., Georgetown University, Washington D.C., and Oklahoma City University School of Law. He is actively engaged in oil and gas exploration as a partner of Eberly and Meade, Inc. Contributions support the Eberly Endowment for the YMCA Camp Classen.

PEARL MEANS

(1999) Born in Ripley, Okla., Pearl Means married her husband "Sonny" in 1927 and they both began to work at the C.R. Anthony Company. They traveled around Oklahoma for 10 years opening new stores. They moved to Oklahoma City in 1957, when he became a director of the company. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

THE MEINDERS FOUNDATION

(1998) Contributions support Junior Achievement.

MARK H. & PATRICIA MELLOW

(1992) Dr. and Mrs. Mellow's contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund and Executive Women International.

ELIZABETH MELTON

(1996) Elizabeth Niblack Melton was born in Guthrie, Okla., in 1910. She was the granddaughter of Charles Nathaniel Haskell, Oklahoma's first governor, and daughter of Leslie Niblack, owner of the *Guthrie Daily Leader*. Contributions support the Oklahoma Historical Society.

MERLE FRANCIS & HOWARD MELTON

(1994) The Meltons were married for 50 years and were avid art patrons. She was the daughter of Merle and Frank Buttram, and Howard owned and operated a medical surgical supply business started by his father. They established the Melton Art Reference Library, which benefits from contributions made by Howard. The library is an excellent reference source for art students in the Oklahoma City area.

**THOMAS MARSHALL ROGERS
MEREDITH MEMORIAL**

(1995) Mary Ellen and Howard Meredith made contributions in memory of their son to support donor-advised distributions, the Jacobson Foundation and other designated endowment funds.

MERRICK FOUNDATION

(1996) The foundation's contributions support the Fleming Scholarship Program at the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation.

THE MIDLAND GROUP

(1982) The Midland Group is a financial services company involved in the banking, mortgage and savings and loans industry in central and western Oklahoma. The company's contributions to the Community Foundation support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, Executive Women International, the Nature Conservancy, Girl Scouts of the U.S.A.-Red Lands Council and the Youth with Promise Scholarship Program.

BETTY SKOGSBERG MILAM

(1994) Betty Milam was hooked on helping and volunteering from a young age, when her father supervised soup lines during the Depression and would bring home a needy child which she and her mother would bath and feed. She was educated at Briarcliff, the universities of Oklahoma and Toronto and married Tom Milam during World War II. She and Tom raised 8 children, teaching all of the importance of her Roman Catholic faith, education, helping and volunteering.

LARRY L. & DONNA N. MILES

(1998) Contributions support CELEBRATIONS!, Casady School Scholarships, Skyline Urban Ministry, Neighbor for Neighbor and the Children's Center.

WENDELL E. MILES

(1998) Contributions support Central High School Alumni Association Scholarship.

DR. OSCAR H. MILLER MEMORIAL

(1982) The memorial was established by Oscar Miller's wife, Roberta Eldridge Miller, and supports research in heart disease.

ROBERTA M. ELDRIDGE MILLER

(1982) The contributions made by Roberta Miller support Neighbor for Neighbor, the Salvation Army, Oklahoma Goodwill Industries and several other designated endowment funds.

GEORGE R. MILNER, III

(1998) Contributions support Oklahoma City University Law School - Dean's Fund.

LLOYD MINTER

(1979) Born in Pocasset, Okla., in 1918, Lloyd Minter received his B.A. from Oklahoma Baptist University and his L.L.B. from the University of Oklahoma School of Law. Minter wanted his contributions to "enhance and encourage the School of Business at OBU and implement the training of young business aspirants in a Christian-oriented environment."

WILLIAM V. MONTIN

(1992) A native of New York City, Bill Montin joined the Marland Oil Company at age 17. He had an extensive career building railroads and pipelines throughout North and South America and in Europe. With Earl Benson, he formed the B&M Construction Company. His contributions support the Kerr-McGee Swim Club and Prairie Dance Theatre.

**DONALENE MOODY**

(1983) Born in Cordell, Okla., and a graduate of Classen High School and the University of Oklahoma, Mrs. Moody worked for Home State Life Insurance Company until she retired in 1970. Contributions support the YMCA and the Omniplex.

GARY M. MOORE, M.D.

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Film Institute and a scholarship at Oklahoma City University.

HANK MORAN & ASSOCIATES

(1979) Contributions support Oklahoma Goodwill Industries.

K.D. MORRIS

(1992) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

WILLIAM B. & VIRGINIA MORRIS

(1975) The Morrises' contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City. Mr. Morris was the owner of Morris Chevrolet at N.W. 52nd and May Ave.

JAMES MORRIS AGENCY

(1995) James Morris initially made contributions to help educate children of the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building. He graduated from Putnam City High School and Oklahoma State University. He joined John Hancock in 1973 and bought the agency in 1981. The fund supports donor-advised distributions.



SISTER ANTOINETTE MORRY MEMORIAL

(1987) Sister Antoinette was born Lina Morry in Providence, R.I., in 1926 and entered the Carmelite Sisters in 1943. She graduated from Incarnate Word College in San Antonio, Texas, and did post-graduate work in religious education. The Carmelite Sisters of St. Therese made contributions in her honor to support general educational needs for students at Villa Teresa School.

NORMAN A. & EMILIE MORSE

(1972) Norman Morse was born in Hobart, Okla., in 1903. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma. In 1929, he co-founded the Home State Life Insurance Co. with his father and was president when the company merged with American General Insurance Co. of Houston in 1958. Contributions support the YMCA and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

FRANKIE PAULINE MORTON ESTATE

(1998) Contributions support the Kirkpatrick Manor Fund.

JERRY & VETTYE MORTON

(1976) Jerry Morton graduated from the Eastman School of Music but later joined his father's business, United Tool and Valve in Shreveport, La. While there, he developed a high volume diesel engine powered pump for extinguishing oil field fires. The company moved to Oklahoma City when it merged with another in 1967 to become United Engines. Vettye Morton was also from Louisiana and married Jerry in 1950. Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation.

HELEN EASON MURPHY MEMORIAL

(1976) Born in Marlow, Indian Territory, Helen Eason Murphy was the daughter of Anna and Thomas Thadetus Eason. She attended the University of Oklahoma and worked in a bookstore in Tulsa during the 1950s. The memorial, established by her family, supports the Fund for Oklahoma City and Speck Homes.

CHARLES MUSGRAVE

(1999) Contributions support World Neighbors.

MARILYN B. MYERS

(1992) Contributions support donor-advised distributions, City Arts Center and the William Fremont Harn Gardens and Homestead. Ms. Myers was the director of

the Arts Council of Oklahoma City during the 1970s, when the Festival of the Arts became one of Oklahoma City's major cultural events. She joined the Kirkpatrick Oil Co. as an officer in 1983. Ms. Myers is an officer of the Community Foundation and director of the Kirkpatrick Family Affiliated Fund.

COL. PAUL H. MYERS

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma County Senior Nutrition Program.

KENNETH A. & MARIE W. NASH

(1999) Contributions support the Mental Health Association and FIRSTSTEP-Oklahoma City Metro Alliance for Safer Cities.

NEW COVENANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(1997) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

NICHOLS HILLS DEVELOPMENT/ PLAZA NORTH LIMITED

(1997) Nichols Hills Plaza and the Richard Coyle family were important early supporters of the efforts to provide community support for children in foster care. Contributions support the Oklahoma Youth with Promise Scholarship.

JOHN W. & MARY D. NICHOLS

(1997) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Bizzell Memorial Library and other designated funds.

SAM NOBLE

(1988) Born in Colorado Springs, Sam was educated at the University of Oklahoma and Dartmouth and served in the U.S. Navy from 1943 to 1946. He became head of Noble Affiliates at age 25 after the untimely death of his father, Lloyd, in 1950. Contributions support the National Cowboy Hall of Fame and the Donna Nigh Foundation.

JAMES & MADELYN NORICK

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, Travelers' Aid Society, the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron and other designated endowment fund organizations.

JOHN S. NORRIS

(1997) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and the Donna Nigh Foundation.

VIRGINIA SEWELL NORVILLE

(1999) Virginia Sewell Norville was a native of Texhoma, Okla., and graduated from the University of Oklahoma where she was a member of Pi Beta Phi. She was an active choir member and financial secretary of Lakeside United Methodist Church. Mrs. Norville left a bequest in her estate to support the Pi Beta Phi Scholarship Fund at the Community Foundation.

ALTHEA NOTSON

(1999) After graduation from the Oklahoma College for Women, Ms. Notson started working for Edna Balliet, the founder of a woman's specialty shop. She later became general manager of the Penn Square store before retiring in 1990. She attended St. John Episcopal Church and was active in the choir. Her contributions support donor-advised distributions to be made by a group of her friends.

CLARK & IMA NYE

(1979) The Nyes' contributions benefit the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MRS. J. MARSHALL NYE

(1994) Contributions support the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma.

OAKLEY'S INC.

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma State University - Oklahoma City Horticulture Department and the Rumsey Garden.

PAT & LAURA O'HARA

(1999) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University - Fine Arts Department.

OKLAHOMA ALLERGY CLINIC FOUNDATION

(1970) Contributions support allergy research and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

OKLAHOMA CITY ART MUSEUM ASSOCIATES AND VOLUNTEERS

(1995) Contributions from these two groups support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

OKLAHOMA CITY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

(1990) The Economic Development Foundation solicited these contributions from the Kimberly-Clark Corp. to support the Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics. The organization is an affiliate of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce.

OKLAHOMA CITY FUTURE FUND

(1991) The Future Fund was built by a group of young men and women who each pledged at least \$1,000 to the fund, paid in \$200 yearly increments. The Future Fund was conceived as a way to get young professionals involved in supporting the community. The mission of the group is to provide endowed financial support to non-profit organizations serving youth in the Oklahoma City area.

OKLAHOMA GAS & ELECTRIC FOUNDATION

(1987) Contributions from both OG&E and its charitable foundation support the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron, Executive Women

International, Harn Gardens, FIRSTSTEP and other designated endowment funds.

OKLAHOMA MALT BEVERAGE ASSOCIATION

(1995) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

OKLAHOMA NATURAL GAS

(1992) The contributions made by the company support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, the Oklahoma State University - Oklahoma City campus and Rumsey Garden and other designated endowment funds.

EDGAR R. OPPENHEIM FAMILY

(1994) The Oppenheim Family made its first contributions in 1994 in memory of Ed



Oppenheim's 70 years of service to Oklahoma City and to perpetuate his charitable interest in the community. He was president and chairman of Leo Oppenheim from 1946 to 1980 and

guided the firm to national recognition as a bond underwriter. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

ROBERT & HARRIETTE ORBACH ENDOWMENT

(1982) This endowment is part of the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund. Robert Orbach and his wife, Harriette, invented their own fund-raiser, a cookbook, for the Oklahoma Museum of Art. Mrs. Orbach wrote the recipes and Mr. Orbach set each one, letter by letter, on his letterpress. Each page is unique. A copy of the Orbach's cookbook is kept in the Rare Books Room at the New York Public Library.

RUTH J. ORCUTT

(1991) Contributions support World Neighbors, Presbyterian Urban Mission and Neighbor for Neighbor.

JOHN E. ORR

(1998) Contributions support the Donna Nigh Foundation, Jesus House, Neighbor for Neighbor, Speck Homes and World Neighbors.

CYNDA & LARRY OTTAWAY

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

CLARENCE E. PAGE

(1987) Clarence Page was the aviation pioneer who in 1980 established the Oklahoma Air Space Museum. Mr. Page, whose family made the land run into Oklahoma, witnessed the first airplane flight in Oklahoma City and learned to fly as an Army pilot during World War



I. During World War II, Page conducted a primary flight training school for 8,500 cadets at Cimarron Field (now named Clarence E. Page Airport) and Mustang Field in El Reno. Mr. Page was the principal donor to the Oklahoma Air Space Museum and served as president and curator until his retirement in 1988. His contributions support the museum he founded.

CLARENCE & POLLY PAINE

(1974) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

JEWELL & GEORGE PARLEIR MEMORIAL

(1979) Contributions support Sunbeam Family Services.

NELL C. PATTERSON

(1975) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma City University and the National Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund.

DOROTHY A. PAUL

(1977) Dorothy Paul decided she wanted to do something to support her new community when she moved to Oklahoma City from Duncan, Okla. Her contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

OLGA PELLOW

(1988) Ms. Pellow's contributions support the Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund and the Oklahoma Arts Institute.

OREN LEE & LUCILE J. PETERS

(1998) Contributions support Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council.

F.M. & THELMA PETREE

(1977) "Pete" Petree was born in Union City, Okla., graduated from both the University of Oklahoma and its Law School. He later became an assistant state insurance commissioner.

He married Thelma, a Clinton, Okla., native, in 1939. He was founder and president of Liberty Mortgage until 1960. Mr. Petree was chairman of the executive committee of Oklahoma City University and is widely credited with helping the university turn around from near bankruptcy to sound financial footing. Mr. Petree was a trustee of the Community Foundation and his daughter, Linda Lambert, currently serves as a trustee. The Petrees' contributions support Oklahoma City University.



MARVIN & RUBY PETTY

(1975) Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

CARLA & NELSON PICKRELL

(1986) Both natives of southwestern Oklahoma, the Pickrells have been active contributors to many volunteer activities in Oklahoma City for more than 30 years.

Carla was among the first women hired on the professional staff of the Peat Marwick accounting firm and later became the comptroller and director of administration of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation. Nelson is the president of the First National Bank of Bethany and former chairman of the Festival of the Arts. Their contributions support donor-advised distributions and several agency endowment funds.

PETER G. & VIRGINIA M. PIERCE

(1993) The Pierces were married in 1948 after Pete returned from World War II where he served as a gunner and radio operator in the Air Corps in both Europe and the Pacific. In 1967, he acquired controlling interest in the First National Bank of Bethany and pioneered small business lending in this area. Contributions support the Community Foundation Administrative Fund and Bishop McGuinness High School.

W. DEVIER PIERSON

(1999) Contributions support the McCall's Chapel School.

PILOT CLUB OF NORTHWEST OKLAHOMA CITY

(1976) The contributions made by this Oklahoma City affiliate of Pilot International and by members' contributions through the years support a scholarship at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center. Pilot International is a civic-service organization for professional women. The organization's basic principles are friendship and service.

DR. & MRS. IRA POLLOCK

(1977) Contributions support Mercy Health Center.

PONTIAC PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHERS ASSOCIATION INC.

(1998) Contributions support the International Photography Hall of Fame.

RAY & PAT POTTS

(1976) Pat Potts served as executive director of the Community Foundation from 1980-81 and later founded the Oklahoma City office of the Support Center (now called the Center for Nonprofit Management). Contributions made by the Potts, including the gift of several mineral interests, support the Oklahoma City Public Schools Foundation, the Downtown Branch of the YMCA, Junior Achievement and several other designated endowment funds.

MARK WAYNE & BRENDA GAYLE POWELL

(1999) Contributions support Presbyterian Urban Mission and Junior Hospitality Club.

PRUDENTIAL SECURITIES/CARL BUSCH

(1993) Carl Busch came to Oklahoma City in 1988 as a vice president and branch manager of Prudential Securities. He has worked with investments and financial planning since 1969. A native of Houston, Mr. Busch received his undergraduate degree from the University of Houston in 1966. Contributions support the Wildflower Fund of Oklahoma City Beautiful.

KEVIN & LISA PUTT

(1998) Contributions support Free to Live.

QUAIL CREEK BANK

(1990) Quail Creek Bank, n.a., was founded in 1974 by a distinguished group of civic-minded businessmen who recognized the significant role a community bank can play in the development and ongoing growth of a community. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City in honor and memory of the founders and the continued support their family members give to the bank and the community.

FREDERICK & JAYNE QUELLMALZ

(1982) Born in New York City and educated at Princeton, Fred Quellmalz became the editor of the PSA

Journal in 1939 and then of Professional Photographer Magazine until 1974. He worked with John

Kirkpatrick to move the collection of the International Photography Museum to the Kirkpatrick Center in Oklahoma City.

**H.E. & JEANNINE RAINBOLT**

(1995) The Rainbolt's charitable interests center around activities that favorably impact the lives of children and their ability to maximize their opportunities as adults. H.E. "Gene" Rainbolt is chairman of BancFirst. Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, the Oklahoma Zoological Society, Myriad Gardens Foundation and Lyric Theatre.

JAMES L. RAINEY

(1981) James Rainey was born in Indiana, educated at Purdue, served in the Korean War, and began his business career with Allied Chemical in 1954. He became president of Kerr-McGee Chemical Corp. in 1975 and later became president of Farmland Industries, which became a Fortune 500 company under his leadership. Contributions support the Deer Creek Schools Affiliated Fund.

DON & WILLADEAN RAMSEY

(1979) Native Oklahomans, Donald and Willadean Ramsey met while working at a pig sale in Wewoka. They married in 1966, and in 1970, founded the Blue and Gold Sausage Co., which sells its product to non-profit groups to use as a fund-raising program. Mr. Ramsey was a Future Farmers of America teacher in the Jones school system for 20 years and served several terms

on the school board there. Mr. Ramsey is still active in agriculture education and Future Farmers of America in Oklahoma. He has been an advocate for developing endowment support among all the groups with which he works. Contributions support the Dale Rogers Training Center and Aid for Individual Development.

ROBERT GLENN RAPP FOUNDATION

(1994) The Robert Glenn Rapp Foundation is an educational foundation established in 1951 by Florence Bunn Rapp Clark in memory of her late husband. Mr. Rapp was a geologist who served as president of Denver Production and Refining Co. and was one of the co-founders of the Oklahoma City oil field. The foundation's contributions support the Omnplex Affiliated Fund.

FRANCIS & MARY RARDIN FOUNDATION

(1998) The Rardins were both born and raised in Illinois and moved to Oklahoma City following World War II. Mr. Rardin worked for various printing companies and, for 17 years, was part owner and production superintendent for Universal Typographers, at one time the largest printer in the city. Bequests from the Rardins' estate support donor-advised distributions to Central Oklahoma Habitat for Humanity, Jesus House, Salvation Army, the American Red Cross and City Rescue Mission.

ROBERT & JUDITH RAULSTON

(1993) Contributions support donor-advised distributions, the Jesus House, Skyline Urban Ministry and several other designated endowment funds.

STEVE & SUSAN RAYBOURN

(1998) Contributions support Presbyterian Urban Missions.

EDISON A. REBER

(1986) Contributions support the 45th Infantry Division Association Educational Fund.

GEORGE J. RECORDS

(1990) George Records served as a pilot for the U.S. Air Force's Strategic Air Command from 1954-1957 and graduated two years later with distinction in economics from Dartmouth College. As he neared 30 years of service with the Midland Group of mortgage bankers, employees of the company began to plan how to celebrate his anniversary. They decided to raise money to support one of his favorite charities, the United Way of Metropolitan Oklahoma City. Additional contributions in his honor also support donor-advised distributions. Mr. Records is a former trustee and president of the Community Foundation and member of its Investment Committee.

DR. JOHN RECORDS

(1988) Contributions were made by physicians throughout Oklahoma in honor of Dr. Records' long service to Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma. Dr. Records was an ob/gyn physician who provided professional services and active board support to Planned Parenthood for more than 40 years.



BERT R. REED, JR.

(1998) Bert Reed established a donor-advised fund as a tribute to his parents. Bert, Sr., was an early day pioneer in the insurance industry and Audrey was active in civic affairs in Oklahoma City. Bert, Jr., graduated from Classen High School and the University of Oklahoma Law School and served with the U.S. Air Force Judge Advocate's Office in the United States and in Europe. He has also taught both business and law at Oklahoma City University.

JERRY REED

(1992) Contributions support the Jesus House and the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

JOHN & MARJORIE REIFF

(1997) Contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association.

VERNA MARIE RENFRO

(1999) Contributions support the Visiting Nurses Association, Chamber Music in Oklahoma Fund and the Oklahoma City University Film Institute.

MARGARET K. REPLOGLE

(1970) Margaret Replogle was born in Georgia, Russia, in 1910. Her parents, Jacob and Marie Renz, moved the family to the United States in 1911, settling in the Weatherford area. Mrs. Replogle graduated from Southwestern University and taught school in western Oklahoma prior to moving to Oklahoma City, where she became a medical technician. Earnings support World Neighbors, the Salvation Army and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

DR. SANTIAGO R. & MRS. GLENYCE REYES DE LA ROCHA

(1998) Contributions support the Children's Center.

ALLIE P. REYNOLDS

(1992) Allie Reynolds was born in Bethany, Okla., and graduated from Capitol Hill High School and Oklahoma A&M College (now Oklahoma State University). As pitcher for the New York Yankees, Mr. Reynolds became a six-time All-Star and the first American Leaguer to pitch two no-hitters in one season. He made a successful transition from the ball field to the oil field as manager, and later owner, of the Atlas Mud Co. and Reynolds Petroleum. Mr. Reynolds was deeply involved in the preservation of his Native

American culture through service with several groups including the American Indian Hall of Fame and Red Earth. Contributions support Red Earth.

MAXEY & NORMAN REYNOLDS

(1979) The Reynolds were among the founding parents for Heritage Hall School in Oklahoma City, and their contributions support the school as well as other designated endowment funds. Mr. Reynolds earned a law degree at the University of Oklahoma following World War II, and he was later elected to the State Legislature and served as a special justice of the state Supreme Court.

HORACE G. RHODES

(1999) Contributions support Oklahoma City Metro Alliance for Safer Cities and Legal Aid of Western Oklahoma.

MR. & MRS. W.T. RICHARDSON

(1977) Dub Richardson married Mozelle Groener in 1939, moved to Oklahoma City and opened a small used car lot shortly after the war. He purchased a Ford dealership, which he built into one of the top ten in the United States. He was a fine metal sculptor and active supporter of both the Oklahoma Museum of Art and founder of the National Cowboy Hall of Fame. Mozelle is a well-known writer. Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum and other designated endowment funds.

MR. & MRS. CLARK A. RITCHIE

(1975) Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

JOHN L. ROACH

(1993) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

SISTER HILDEGARDE ROAN MEMORIAL

(1987) Sister Hildegard was born Martha Roan in 1896 in Bury, England, and moved to Providence, R.I., as an infant. She entered the Carmelite Sisters in 1932. She attended Oklahoma City University, St. Louis University and Our Lady of the Lake College. This memorial was established by the Carmelite Sisters of St. Therese and supports general educational needs for students at Villa Teresa School.

BEULAH & CLARENCE ROBERTS

(1976) The contributions made by Beulah Roberts in memory of her husband support World Neighbors and the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

COOPER BRETT & KARMA ROBINSON

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

MALCOLM & SUSAN ROBINSON

(1998) Contributions support Chamber Music in Oklahoma, Crown Heights-Edgemere Heights Homeowners' Association, the Oklahoma City Orchestra League and various other agencies.

ROBINET-SMITH FOUNDATION

(1998) Contributions support the Jesus House, Regional Food Bank, Referral Center and World Neighbors.

PAUL MICHAEL ROCKNE MEMORIAL

(1987) This memorial was established by the Carmelite Sisters in memory of Paul Michael Rockne. It supports Villa Teresa School.

JOHN & VELMA RORING FUND

(1976) Contributions support research in arthritis.

ROSARY HOME & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

(1996) Contributions from this parent/teacher organization support Rosary Catholic School.

DAVID & ANNA-FAYE ROSE

(1999) Contributions support the Oklahoma Youth With Promise, Skyline Urban Ministry and several other organizations.

HARVEY L. & PATSY R. ROSE

(1999) Contributions support the Lions Services Foundation.

ROBERT N. & JO ANN ROSS

(1996) Contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association.

LINDA & RON ROSSER

(1994) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

JULIAN J. ROTHBAUM

(1999) Contributions support Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund and the Donna Nigh Foundation

MR. & MRS. H.G. ROUNTREE

(1997) Contributions support the Central High School Alumni Association.

MARCUS C. & ELIZABETH A. ROWLAND

(1998) Contributions support the endowment fund of Positive Tomorrows.

MR. & MRS. JOSEPH RUMSEY

(1988) Contributions support donor-advised distributions and several designated endowment funds.

MARY BAKER RUMSEY

(1976) Mrs. Rumsey was the first president of the Oklahoma City Junior League and a pioneer board member of the Oklahoma Symphony. The initial contributions, made by Mary Rumsey, provide support for the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma and Speck Homes. The Junior League later added contributions in Mrs. Rumsey's honor to support an annual award for volunteer service. (See *Scholarship Funds* section page 60)

FRIENDS OF ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON CATHOLIC SCHOOL

(1998) Contributions from three couples helped establish the endowment fund for St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic School.

ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI CATHOLIC CHURCH

(1996) Contributions support Rosary Catholic School, which is affiliated with St. Francis of Assisi.

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

(1995) Contributions support the Meadows Center for Opportunity.

ST. JOHN MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

(1997) Contributions support the Waltine L. Jackson Scholarship Fund.

WARREN & SHELIA SAHA

(1993) Contributions support Mount St. Mary High School.

SARKEYS FOUNDATION

(1974) S.J. Sarkey was a Lebanese immigrant who came to Oklahoma at age 17 in 1891 and began peddling a new invention called a carbide lamp. He began buying oil and gas leases throughout the state. He funded the Sarkeys Foundation through his will in 1965. Contributions from the foundation support Ham Gardens and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

W. S. SATTERFIELD

(1998) Contributions support Oklahomans for Special Library Services.

J. B. SAUNDERS

(1979) Saunders moved to Oklahoma in 1905 at age 3 and grew up around the oil fields. He founded Triangle Refineries in 1937, which in 20 years became the largest independent marketer of petroleum products in the United States. It merged with Kerr-McGee twenty years later. Mr. Saunders was a founding trustee of the Community Foundation. Contributions support Oklahoma Christian University, Oklahoma City University and several designated endowment funds.

J.B. SAUNDERS, III

(1979) The contributions made by J. B. Saunders support Oklahoma Christian University, the Omnplex Affiliated Fund and Payne Education Center.

ROBERT C. SAUNDERS

(1994) Educated at Yale University and the University of Oklahoma Law School, Bob Saunders served in the Navy during World War II and then joined his father's law firm. He became president of Brittain Brothers, Inc., an auto parts distributor. This memorial was established by family, friends and business associates and supports donor-advised distributions.

LEONARD H. SAVAGE

(1973) Mr. Savage was born in Blanco, Indian Territory, and worked his way through college and law school at the University of Oklahoma. He organized Standard Life Insurance Company where he served as president until 1974. His contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MOLLIE & EMILY SAY

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.

TONY & KATIE SAY

(1992) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Future Fund.



Braden Park Development

KERMIT SCHAFER

(1999) Born and raised in Oklahoma City, Kermit Schafer has been involved in the real estate business in Oklahoma City since 1962, developing Hefner Village, Fox Run and Old Farm Estates. The Braden Park development, within the Deer Creek School District, has provided the Deer Creek Affiliated Fund with a special bonus. For each lot sold, Mr. Schafer has donated a portion of the proceeds to the affiliated fund as a way to give back to the community and to support the quality schools in the area.

GARY D. & MARY SUE SCHNELL

(1998) Contributions support the Guy Fraser Harrison Academy for the Performing Arts.

CHARLES & ALLEYNE SCHWEINLE

(1975) The Schweinles' contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

BROOKE & PAULA SCOTT

(1999) Contributions support Mount St. Mary High School.

LUCILLE & WILLARD SCOTT

(1976) Willard Scott was a senior partner with Oliver & Donnelly, a New York and Washington-based law firm that served as general counsel for the American Potash and Chemical Corp. When that company merged with the Kerr-McGee Corp., the Scotts moved to Oklahoma City, where Mr. Scott served as vice president and general counsel from 1968 until he retired in 1974. Mr. and Mrs. Scott's contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund.

PAUL A. SCOTT

(1998) Contributions support the St. James School.

A. TOM F. & GLADYS SEALE

(1986) Born in 1907 in Alvarado, Texas, Tom Seale graduated from Texas A&M University with a civil engineering degree. He served in the Corps of Engineers as a lieutenant colonel and retired from Kerr-McGee Corp. after 30 years of service. He was also a past president of the Oklahoma City Petroleum Club. Mr. Seale was instrumental in the design and construction of Kerr-McGee's first offshore drilling platform. He also helped Dean McGee build Kerr Park in downtown Oklahoma City. The Seales' contributions support donor-advised distributions and the Jesus House.

FRED W. & MILDRED R. SEIBEL

(1999) Contributions support the Infant Crisis Services and CELEBRATIONS!

MRS. J. B. SELIGSON

(1992) Contributions support several designated funds.

SEMINOFF, BOWMAN & ASSOCIATES

(1976) Contributions made by this Oklahoma City architectural firm support the Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund.

GEORGE & SHARON SEMINOFF

(1974) George Seminoff has practiced architecture since 1950. He was born in



Hobart, Okla., in 1927, served in the U.S. Navy for two years after high school and graduated from Oklahoma State University with a degree in architecture. He has traveled extensively to study architecture throughout the world and opened his own firm in 1960. Sharon Seminoff is an artist. Their contributions support Westminster School and The Tree Bank.

BARNEY & GAYLE SEMTNER

(1994) Contributions support the Omnplex Affiliated Fund, the Oklahoma City Rotary Foundation, the Salvation Army Boys and Girls Club and other designated endowment funds.

BEN SHANKER & BERNARD SHANKER

(1974) Contributions support Crimestoppers Foundation for Improved Police Protection, Youth Services for Oklahoma County, the Oklahoma City Public School Foundation and other designated endowment funds.

WILLIAM F. & PAM SHDEED

(1976) The Shdeeds' contributions support the YMCAs Camp Classen, Integris James L. Hall Center for Mind, Body and Spirit and the Oklahoma City University Law School. Mr. Shdeed is a local attorney and Mrs.

Shdeed operates a retail business. Both have been active in the community. Mr. Shdeed currently serves as chairman of the executive committee of Oklahoma City University and is a trustee of the Community Foundation.

SHEET METAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION

(1999) Contributions support the Valerie Koelsch Memorial Scholarship.

MURIEL M. SHELTON

(1992) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

PHYLLIS T. SHELTON

(1999) Phyllis Shelton, the second daughter of Mayrne and Paul Trendley, was born on the farm acquired by a grant signed by President Theodore Roosevelt. She is still the proud owner of this homestead. She attended public schools in Frederick, Okla., and later graduated from the Oklahoma College for



Women (U.S.A.O.). In 1934, she married Robert E. Shelton, the newly elected county attorney of Grady County. They had one child, Joe Trendley, who died in 1977.

Robert became a prominent attorney-at-law in Oklahoma with several years of public service including county attorney, assistant United States attorney and United States attorney for the Western District of Oklahoma. He was appointed by Harry Truman. The family moved to Oklahoma City in 1943. Her gift is in memory of Robert E. Shelton and Joe Shelton. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

DON N. & MARY SHERMAN

(1999) Contributions support the Jacobson Foundation.

KHANH SHERMAN

(1993) Contributions support an annual award at Mustang Valley Elementary.

CARRIE SHIRK MEMORIAL

(1970) Born in Goshen, Ind., in 1883, Carrie Shirk came to Oklahoma in 1909 with her husband John who was a local attorney. She was active in church and school activities during the years her four children were growing up. The memorial was established by two of her children, George and Lucyl, and supports donor-advised contributions, Ham Homestead and other designated endowment funds.

GEORGE H. SHIRK

(1978) The son of Carrie and John Shirk, George Shirk was an attorney who was involved in scores of civic endeavors. After the resignation of the mayor in 1964, Shirk was appointed to the position. He later served for two decades as the president of the Oklahoma Historical Society. His will left numerous oil and gas holdings to the Community Foundation to support Mercy Health Center, Oklahoma Heritage Association and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

DON SHOCKEY

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma Archeological Survey.

CARL & BETH SHORTT

(1994) Mr. Shortt is the president of Bank of Oklahoma Trust Co. in Oklahoma City and Mrs. Shortt is the executive director of Leadership Oklahoma City. The Shortts' contributions support the Omnplex Affiliated Fund, the Oklahoma City Rotary Foundation and several other designated endowment funds. Mr. Shortt serves as a trustee of the Omnplex Affiliated Fund.

R.L. & JEANETTE F. SIAS

(1982) Dick Sias is a native Kansan and a graduate of University of Kansas Law School. He has worked for Continental Oil,



An-Son and retired in 1990 from Mustang Fuel after 20 years of service. The Siases have been heavily involved as patrons of the arts in Oklahoma City since coming here in 1955. Mr. Sias is a trustee of the Community Foundation. Contributions support the designated endowment funds of several organizations.

MICHAEL B. SILVA

(1999) Contributions support the Donna Nigh Foundation.

ANN GORDON SINGER

(1998) Contributions support the B'nai B'rith/Oklahoma Hillel Foundation.

JANICE & JOE L. SINGER

(1992) The Singers contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City and the Oklahoma City Jewish Community Foundation. The Singers are active supporters of Jewish social services and educational activities in Oklahoma City. Mr. Singer serves on the board of St. Anthony Hospital Foundation, the Mental Health Association and the Oklahoma City Philharmonic.

MORRIS & LIBBY SINGER FOUNDATION

(1977) Joseph Baer Singer made these contributions in memory of his parents. Born in Enid, Okla., he lived and worked in Oklahoma City for more than 60 years involved in every phase of the petroleum business. Contributions support the Jewish Federation, Integris Baptist Medical Center and other designated endowment funds.

PAUL L. & HELEN I. SISK CHARITABLE TRUST

(1998) Contributions support the Classen Awards Foundation, Central High School Alumni Association and the University of Oklahoma Marching Band - Jerry Cooper Scholarship.

JO L. SLAMA

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

R. EMERY & MARY LEE SMISER

(1978) The Smisers' contributions support donor-advised distributions and Free to Live Animal Sanctuary.

ANNA MAUDE SMITH

(1974) Contributions support the Foundation for Senior Citizens.

LEO C. SMITH AND KEITH L. SMITH

(1995) This memorial was established by Mark D. Smith for his father and grandfather. Contributions support Genesis Project.



Leo C. Smith

PAUL & LILLYANNE SMITH

(1978) The Smiths' contributions support the Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund, World Neighbors, Mercy Health Center and other designated endowment funds.

PHILIP E. & VIVIAN S. SMITH

(1986) The Smiths came to Oklahoma in 1949. Dr. Smith was Dean of Allied Health and Public Health at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center. Mrs. Smith taught at Oklahoma City University and is an advocate for in-home and community-based services for the elderly. Contributions support the Daily Living Center and Mayfair Center.

EARL & CORNELIA SNEED

(1974) Following service in the Army Air Corps in World War II, Earl Sneed returned to the University of Oklahoma to teach in the College of Law where he served as Dean for 16 years. In 1967, the Snees moved to Oklahoma City where Mr. Sneed became president of Liberty National Corporation. Contributions support Crimestoppers, Allied Arts and other designated endowment funds.



SOROPTIMIST CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1974) The Soroptimist Club is a professional business women's club. Contributions support donor-advised distributions and the Areawide Aging Agency.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL CORPORATION FOUNDATION

(1989) Contributions support the Travelers' Aid Society and FIRSTSTEP.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL PIONEERS

(1999) Contributions support the Area-wide Aging Agency.

**SOUTHWEST HOMEBUILDERS ASSOCIATION**

(1999) The Southwest Homebuilders Association was originally formed in 1960 by a group of 15 homebuilders who established the Southwest Showcase of Homes, which became an annual event. The Southwest Homebuilders Association is made up of more than 50 home builders who build a project house and donate a portion of the profits from the sale of that house to a charitable organization or project. In 1965, five acres of land was purchased on Southwest 74th street and in 1980, 2 ½ acres of that land was donated to the South Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce for its new headquarters. In early 2000, the remaining 2 ½ acres was sold and the money from that sale was used to establish the Southwest Homebuilders Association Fund at the Community Foundation to benefit charitable organizations in south Oklahoma City.

ROBERT H. & LYNNIE SPAHN

(1999) Bob Spahn graduated from the University of Missouri in 1935 and came to Oklahoma to work for the Oklahoma Publishing Company in 1937. He retired after 40 years as the vice president of production and management. Lynn timer was born in Ardmore, Okla., graduated from Oklahoma City University Law School and became an assistant attorney general. Contributions support the McCall's Chapel School.

JOHN K. SPECK FAMILY

(1971) Contributions support Speck Homes. Mr. Speck, an Oklahoma City attorney, helped found Speck Homes to deal with juvenile delinquency.

MELVIN & DENA SPENCER

(1977) In 1961, the Spencers moved from Kansas City to Oklahoma City, where Mr. Spencer practiced law until 1975. He became the administrator of Deaconess Hospital and Home at that time. Contributions support Deaconess Hospital.

DR. JOSEPH W. & RUTH STAFFORD

(1998) Contributions support Oklahoma Christian University and Oklahoma Youth with Promise.

THOMAS P. STAFFORD

(1988) Born in Weatherford, Okla., and graduated from the Naval Academy in 1953, Tom Stafford was selected as an astronaut in 1962. He flew on Gemini VI, Gemini IX, Apollo 10 and the Apollo-Soyuz test mission. Contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum.

MR. & MRS. E.M. STANLEY

(1987) A bequest from Mrs. Stanley's will supports the Fund for Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley operated a business in Hobart, Okla., for many years.

MR. & MRS. WALTER J. STARK

(1979) Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute where Mr. Stark was the administrator for many years.

DALE & JOAN STAUFFER

(1994) Contributions support the Jacobson Foundation.

THOMAS H. STERLING MEMORIAL

(1977) Contributions support World Neighbors.

MARION S. STEWART

(1996) Contributions support Rosary Catholic School and Neighbor for Neighbor.

MICHAEL STEWART

(1994) Contributions support the Omniplex Affiliated Fund.

ROY P. & JUNE W. STEWART

(1978) Roy Stewart worked for the *Daily Oklahoman* for 30 years. His "Country Boy" columns documented life in Oklahoma and *Born Grown*, a history of Oklahoma City, won the Western Heritage Book Award. Contributions support World Neighbors, Foundation for Senior Citizens, Oklahoma Westerners Indian Territory Posse and other designated endowment funds.

STIFEL, NICOLAUS & COMPANY

(1986) The contributions made by the Oklahoma City office of this St. Louis-based securities brokerage firm support Bishop McGuinness High School, the Fine Arts Department at Oklahoma City University and FIRSTSTEP.

DANIEL C. & JEANNIE STITH

(1999) Contributions support St. Charles Borromeo School.

DANIEL R. & PHYLLIS J. STOUGH

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

CHARLES & LOIS STUART

(1977) Charles Stuart was born in McAlester and joined Fidelity Bank in Oklahoma City in 1944 as executive vice president and head of the Trust Department. Lois Stuart was born in Hattisburg, Miss., and volunteered with the Junior League and other organizations. Their contributions to the Community Foundation remember their life in Oklahoma City.

HAROLD C. & JOAN S. STUART FOUNDATION

(1988) The Stuart Foundation was started by Harold Stuart, a former assistant secretary of the Air Force. Contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund.

MRS. R.T. STUART

(1977) Ida Freeny Stuart was born in 1900 in Caddo, Indian Territory, and was the daughter of Judge Robert Clay Freeny and Josephine Baxter Freeny. She married Robert Stuart in 1931 and lived most of her adult life in Oklahoma City, actively participating in church and civic affairs. Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute.

ROSE KARCHMER SUGARMAN

(1998) Al Karchmer started this donor-advised fund in memory of his mother and her many contributions to numerous Oklahoma City charities. She was born in Missouri and moved to Oklahoma City in 1917. She was a leader in the Jewish community and a supporter of the Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra. She also sponsored an annual music scholarship to an aspiring student.

CAROL DAUBE SUTTON

(1982) Mrs. Sutton was a native of Ardmore, Okla., and her family had been prominent in that community since it was in Indian Territory. Her contributions support the Omnplex. Additional contributions in memory of her have been given by her granddaughter, Laurie Williams.

GEORGE MIKSCH SUTTON

(1971) George Sutton made contributions to support the Oklahoma Zoological Society to encourage the appreciation, study and preservation of bird habitats. Mr. Sutton was a renowned ornithologist, author and artist who kept extensive bird notes as a boy and began drawing birds at age 7. He wrote and illustrated numerous articles and books, including *Oklahoma Birds* and was

professor emeritus of zoology at the University of Oklahoma.

RICHARD E. & GENEVA T. SWAN

(1979) Contributions support the National Society of Colonial Dames of America in Oklahoma, the Omnplex Affiliated Fund and the Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund.

ART L. SWANSON

(2000) Contributions support A Chance to Change.

MR. & MRS. M.A. SWATEK MEMORIAL

(1970) Contributions made by Judge Luther and Marie Swatek Bohanon to the Fund for Oklahoma City are in memory of her parents who made the Land Run of April 22, 1889.

LOIS W. SWINFORD

(1998) Contributions support Crown Heights-Edgemere Heights Homeowners' Association, Neighbor for Neighbor of Oklahoma and the National Society of Colonial Dames.

BILL & WANDA SWISHER

(1999) In 1964, Mr. Swisher founded CMI Corp., one of the world leaders in the manufacturing of road-making equipment. While raising six children, the Swishers have been extremely active in the Oklahoma City community. Mr. Swisher has been a past president of the Chamber of Commerce and a leader with the Boy Scouts of America. Mrs. Swisher has chaired successful campaigns for both the YWCA and the Children's Center, both resulting in important new facilities for the community.



WILLIAM H. TAFT MEMORIAL

(1976) William Taft attended the Naval Academy and graduated from the University of Oklahoma. During World War II, he was assigned to the carrier U.S.S. Monterey in the South Pacific. After teaching at Annapolis, he taught at the University of Oklahoma. Contributions made by family members in his honor support Westminster School, Speck Homes and the Fund for Oklahoma City.

RICHARD G. TAFT, JR., MEMORIAL

(1983) Richard Taft graduated from Williams College and Baylor School of Medicine. He headed one of the largest detoxification programs in the United States at New York City's Lincoln Hospital. Contributions were made by his cousin, Joseph Taft, who described Dr. Taft as a "person who cared for mankind." Earnings support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

JANET M. TALIAFERRO

(1986) Janet Myers Taliaferro is an Oklahoma City native, graduate of Southern Methodist University and active in both civic and political activities all of her life. She works in the oil and gas and commercial real estate investment businesses and is an active supporter of Planned Parenthood, where she was the president of the board. Contributions support Canterbury Choral Society, Oklahoma City Philharmonic, Planned Parenthood and FIRSTSTEP.

WILLIAM W. TALLEY

(1982) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Naval ROTC, the U.S. Navy E6-A Squadron and the Donna Nigh Foundation.

JOHN W. & JO TARR

(1981) Contributions support the Deer Creek Affiliated Fund and donor-advised distributions.

JAMES W. & LINDA MANNING TAYLOR

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma Archeological Survey.

TELEPHONE PIONEERS OF AMERICA—OKLAHOMA CITY METRO COUNCIL

(1994) Contributions support Infant Crisis Services, Junior Achievement and the Salvation Army.

ROY & JO THEIN

(1993) The Theins were part of a group that established the Work Activity Center, a sheltered workshop for disabled adults in Moore, Okla. They have worked with the disabled in south Oklahoma City and Moore for the past 40 years and have used the Community Foundation as a vehicle to create an endowment and to provide ongoing support to perpetuate their efforts.

J. EDWIN, LAURA, ROSS & JIM THOMAS FAMILY TRUST

(1997) Jim Thomas established this fund in memory of his parents and brother. Thomas spent most of his life in Oklahoma City. After attending Rice and graduating from the University of Oklahoma, he joined his father in the residential construction business. His contributions support donor-advised distributions to several organizations and were funded through a planned gift that provides lifetime income to him and a charitable fund as the beneficiary.



Ross and Jim Thomas

MR. & MRS. JIMMIE C. THOMAS

(1979) An Ada, Okla., native, Jimmie Thomas graduated from Oklahoma State University and was a Navy aviator decorated for service in Iwo Jima. He owned and operated Thomas Concrete with his brother Tom. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

MICHAEL C. THOMAS FAMILY

(1975) Michael Thomas is a graduate of the University of Oklahoma who has been active in the real estate management and development business in Oklahoma City since 1977. Contributions support the Allied Arts Foundation and donor-advised distributions.

TOM A. THOMAS, JR.

(1979) Tom A. Thomas, Jr., loved airplanes and flying. He flew 78 combat missions in World War II and later built a remarkable collection of 72 antique World War II aircraft. He and his brother operated Thomas Concrete, and he was active in the pre-cast concrete business for 26 years. His initial contributions to the Community Foundation support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum. Later gifts from trusts established in his estate will benefit more than 40 non-profit organizations.

JERRY M. THOMASON

(1999) Contributions support CELEBRATIONS!

ELAINE B. THOMPSON

(1998) Contributions support Crown Heights-Edgemere Heights Homeowners Association, the Salvation Army and Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club Scholarship.

RICHARD & LINDA TIPPIT

(1999) Contributions support St. James School.

JOHN T. & ANELISA THOMPSON

(1998) Contributions support Mount St. Mary School.

DR. & MRS. WAYMAN J. THOMPSON

(1976) Contributions support medical research.

CHARLES TILGHMAN

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

REBECCA GOEN TISDAL

(1992) Contributions support the Foundation for Senior Citizens.

JAMES R. TOLBERT, III

(1992) Contributions support the Myriad Gardens Foundation, FIRSTSTEP and other designated endowment fund agencies. Mr. Tolbert is a past president and trustee of the Community Foundation and life-time board member of the Arts Council of Oklahoma City.

J. EUGENE TORBETT

(1983) Eugene Torbett was a partner at the Oklahoma City office of Arthur Andersen and later was the administrative director of Crowe & Dunlevy.

Mr. Torbett's contributions support Neighbor for Neighbor and Sugar Creek Camp. He serves on the Community Foundation's audit committee.

**W.G. & MARSHA A. TOWNSEND**

(1999) Contributions support the Eberly Endowment for YMCA Camp Classen.

JACK D. & EVELYN B. TRACHTENBERG

(1995) This donor-advised fund was established by Evelyn Trachtenberg and her son, Larry. Jack and Evelyn Trachtenberg were both born in the Ukraine, later moved to Philadelphia and eventually settled in Oklahoma in 1929. Mr. Trachtenberg was in the oil field service business.

GUY B. & LOUISE TREAT

(1977) Born and educated in Michigan, Guy Treat came to Oklahoma and became a director of the Oklahoma Railway Company. He married Louise Worley in 1920 and started his own consulting firm in 1946, where he was involved in the present urban highway system in Oklahoma City as well as the Atoka Reservoir and pipeline. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, World Neighbors and Allied Arts Foundation.

MR. & MRS. MORRISON TUCKER

(1972) The Tuckers came to Oklahoma City in 1951 after school and working on the East Coast and with the Rockefeller family in Venezuela.

Tucker accepted a position with Liberty Bank and eventually owned his own group of six community banks as well as American Bank Systems, which provides forms and software for the industry. Mr. Tucker was a trustee of the Community Foundation. Contributions support Oklahoma City Beautiful, which named a beautification award for him, and other designated agency endowment funds.



DR. WILLIAM P. TUNELL

(1998) Contributions support Bishop McGuinness High School.

JACK & JANINE TURNER

(1998) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry and donor-advised distributions.

ROBERT E. & MARTHA TURNER

(1982) Contributions support the Deer Creek Affiliated Fund.

UNARCO COMMERCIAL PRODUCTS

(1995) UNARCO is the successor to Folding Carrier, the company founded by Sylvan Goldman in 1937 to manufacture the shopping cart he invented. Today, UNARCO still manufactures and distributes shopping carts and other food handling equipment for warehouses and grocery stores. Contributions support Rainbow Fleet and The Tree Bank.

RICHARD VAN CLEEF

(1998) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

MARILYN WARREN VANDEVER

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund, the Junior League - Mary Baker Rumsey Award and other designated endowment funds.

MR. & MRS. LAWRENCE V. VAN HORN

(1977) Lawrence Van Horn graduated from Central State College and became chairman and CEO of Capitol Steel Corp. in 1935, one year after he and Doretha Howerton were married. Contributions support World Neighbors and Mercy Health Center, where Mr. Van Horn was a trustee.

ROBERT V. & SHARON VARNUM

(1999) Contributions support Casady School, Oklahoma Baptist University, Boy Scouts of American-Last Frontier Council and other organizations.

ANNE ELEANOR VENTERS

(1997) Contributions support donor-advised distributions, specifically the Westminster Presbyterian Church's SPARK program. The fund was established by Mr. and Mrs. Harley Venters in memory of their daughter.

HARLEY EUGENE VENTERS, JR.

(1997) Contributions support donor-advised distributions, specifically the Westminster Presbyterian Church's SPARK program. Fund was established by Mr. and Mrs. Harley Venters in memory of their son.

JUSTIN E. & MARGUERITE E. VOGT

(1995) Contributions support scholarships at St. Gregory's University, Associated Catholic Charities, Bishop McGuinness High School and Sugar Creek Camp.

WAYNE VON FELDT

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

LEON G. VOORHEES MEMORIAL

(1974) Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute and was established by Mrs. Voorhees in memory of her husband.

VOSE FOUNDATION

(1981) Contributions made by the First National Bank Foundation, which later became the Vose Foundation, support Integris Baptist Medical Center of Oklahoma and FIRSTSTEP.

DARYL STEPHENS VOSS MEMORIAL

(1998) Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

WALMART FOUNDATION/SAM'S CLUB MIDWEST CITY

(1998) Contributions support FIRSTSTEP.

WARNER LAMBERT COMPANY

(1999) Contributions support Epilepsy Foundation of the Sooner State and FIRSTSTEP.

ROMAYNE WARREN

(1981) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City.

DR. O. ALTON & DOROTHY WATSON
(1979) Dr. Watson was the chairman of the Department of Otolaryngology of the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine. He and Mrs. Watson were ardent supporters of historic preservation. Contributions support a scholarship fund at the OU College of Medicine, the National Society of Colonial Dames, and the Overholser Mansion.

GARY D. & JANE WEEKS
(1998) Contributions support the endowment fund of Make Promises Happen, a program of Oklahoma Christian Camp.

HERMAN & MARY WEGENER FOUNDATION
(1971) Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, the Omniplex Affiliated Fund and the Daily Living Centers.

BEN K. WEST FAMILY
(1970) Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

LUCY K. WESTERHEIDE
(1999) Contributions were made in memory of Mrs. Westerheide by family and friends to support family assistance work of A Chance to Change.

JEROME & ELLEN WESTHEIMER
(1979) A graduate of Stanford and chief geologist for Sarnexan Oil Company, Mr. Westheimer formed his own exploration company in 1951 in Ardmore, Okla. He and his wife, Ellen, began collecting art on a trip to Taos, N.M., and built an outstanding collection of 19th and 20th century work. Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum.



PETE WHITE
(1999) Contributions support FIRSTEP.

JOHN & GEORGIANA WIESNER
(1998) Contributions support A Chance to Change and FIRSTEP.

KATHLEEN WILCOX
(1993) Mrs. Wilcox made a gift of real estate to the Community Foundation. Earnings from that gift support the William Fremont Ham Gardens and Homestead.

ROBERT E. & VIOLA M. WILD
(1996) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

BEN C. & ADDIE MAE WILEMAN
(1974) Between 1940 and 1960, Ben Wileman constructed more than 3,000 homes in the Oklahoma City area. He developed the Penn Square, Windsor Hills, and Shartel shopping centers. Mrs. Wileman's interest revolved around art, which she began studying in the late 1940s. Contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, Boy Scouts of America and Oklahoma City Art Museum.

D. FRANK & NADINE R. WILKERSON
(1998) Contributions support Skyline Urban Ministry.

G. RAINEY WILLIAMS
(1993) Contributions support the Nature Conservancy and Chamber Music in Oklahoma.

JOSEPH H. WILLIAMS
(1998) Contributions support the Nature Conservancy, Oklahoma Chapter.

SHERRIL & VIOLA J. WILLIAMS
(1998) Contributions support Deaconess Hospital and Skyline Urban Ministry.

RICHARD K. & SUSAN WILLIAMSON
(1998) Contributions support World Neighbors.

FLORENCE OGDEN WILSON
(1971) Born in New York City, Florence Wilson came to Oklahoma with her brother to live with their aunt and uncle, Alice and William Fremont Ham. The Ham home was donated to the city to become a museum. Miss Wilson's contributions were among the earliest received by the Community Foundation and established endowment funds for the Oklahoma City Art Museum, the Oklahoma Zoological Society and other organizations. Later trusts established through her will benefit the Fund for Oklahoma City.

GUSTAVE R. WOERZ TRUST
(1989) Gustave Woerz created a trust through his will to support the Oklahoma Society for Crippled Children. The trust assets were later transferred to the Community Foundation to support the Society's designated endowment fund.

PENDLETON & ROBIN WOODS
(1986) Pen Woods was born in Arkansas and is a veteran of both World War II, where he served as a prisoner of war, and the Korean War. A historian and writer, he retired in 1996 as the director of the American Citizenship Center at Oklahoma Christian University. Pen has received numerous awards for his volunteer service, including the J.C. Penney Golden Rule Award that he donated to benefit the Epilepsy Foundation. Other contributions support the Oklahoma City/County Historical Society, the Boy Scouts of America, The Tree Bank and other designated fund endowments.

ROY G. & ALTA WOODS MEMORIAL

(1977) This memorial was established by Alta Woods in memory of her husband who was born in Missouri in 1900 and came to Oklahoma in 1921. In 1933, he founded United Transports, the first interstate automobile carrier in the Southwest. When gasoline was drastically curtailed during World War II, he became involved in the oil and gas business, forming Woods Petroleum in 1954. Contributions support donor-advised distributions, St. Anthony Hospital and Integris Baptist Medical Center.

**GEORGE WOODWARD, JR.**

(1981) Contributions support the Oklahoma Zoological Society.

ELECTA MARIE WOODY

(1986) A gift from the estate of Electa Woody supports the Fund for Oklahoma City.

ANNE WILEMAN WORKMAN

(1995) Contributions support the Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund.

ALLEN & JACQUE WRIGHT

(1998) Contributions support several designated endowment funds.

MURIEL H. WRIGHT HERITAGE

(1973) Muriel Wright was the editor of the *Chronicles of Oklahoma* for three decades and a nationally recognized writer of Oklahoma and Indian history. Contributions made at the time of her death support a publications award made by the Oklahoma Historical Society.

D. & C. WYGANT

(1982) Thomas G. Wygant's contributions, in honor of his two children, benefit the

Deer Creek Affiliated Fund. Starting with kindergarten, Mr. Wygant's children, David and Christina, attended the Deer Creek Schools, where "they experienced knowledgeable, devoted teachers and established long-lasting relationships with fellow students," Mr. Wygant wrote.

HOSIE C. WYNNE

(1973) Hosie Wynne's gift of oil and gas mineral interests supports the Fund for Oklahoma City.

M. BLAKE YAFFE

(1998) Contributions support the Oklahoma City University Law School Dean's Fund.

DR. & MRS. JAMES J. YOCH, JR.

(1998) Contributions support the University of Oklahoma Bizzell Memorial Library-Mark R. Everett Fund and the University of Oklahoma School of Music Alice Everett Cello Scholarship Fund.

RONALD & JUDY YORDI

(1984) Ron and Judy Yordi's contributions support donor-advised distributions, the William Fremont Ham Gardens and Homestead and Camp Fire Boys and Girls-Heart of Oklahoma Council.

CAROL ELIZABETH YOUNG

(1992) Carol Young was a graduate of Casady School, a National Merit Scholar and attended Stanford. She was interested in humanitarian projects and traveled to underprivileged countries, assisting in medical care. Contributions made in her memory support the Mental Health Association in Oklahoma County.

REVERE A. & MARY YOUNG

(1988) Contributions support the Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund.

STANTON L. & BARBARA YOUNG

(1974) Contributions support the Dean A. McGee Eye Institute. Mr. Young is a former trustee of the Community Foundation.

MR. & MRS. R.A. YOUNG

(1970) A Stillwater, Okla., native, Ray Young graduated from Oklahoma State University and began his career as a high school principal. He also worked with S.H. Kress in Pueblo, Colo., and founded the R.A. Young Co. in Kingfisher in 1927. In 1936 he moved to Oklahoma City and was a founder of the TG&Y store chain. He served as president from 1936 to 1964. Mr. and Mrs. Young's contributions support the Fund for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Baptist University and a scholarship at Casady School named in memory of their daughter, Carolyn Young Hodnett.

DON T. & CAROLYN T. ZACHRITZ

(1992) Contributions support donor-advised distributions, the Oklahoma Zoological Society and other designated endowment funds. Mr. and Mrs. Zachritz have been founders and active supporters of the Classen 55 Scholarship Fund in honor of their high school class. The fund awards a scholarship annually to a current graduating senior at Classen.

DORIS WOODSON ZAHASKY

(1998) Contributions support St. James School.

ROB ZASLAW MEMORIAL

(1998) Robert "Rob" Zachary Zaslav was born Nov. 11, 1977 in Enid, Okla. He passed away at age 17 after a courageous battle with diffused cell lymphoma. He was a junior at Edmond Memorial High School and was a member of Waterloo Road Baptist Church. His mother, Candace Zaslav, established this fund to help others as Rob was always trying to do. Contributions support donor-advised distributions.

JOHN STEELE ZINK FOUNDATION

(1994) Contributions support Humanities in Oklahoma and the designated endowment fund of the Oklahoma Humanities Council.

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation

Permanent Funds

Funds are the building blocks of the Community Foundation. The assets are divided into more than 600 separate funds, each of which serves a particular community purpose or recognizes the charitable interest of a specific donor.

All funds share the same administrative, investment management, program support and trustee oversight. It is through the distributions from these funds that the Community Foundation is able to support such a wide variety of community activities and needs.

Within this section, permanent funds are described based on how they are utilized to support community needs:

Family Funds, Special Donor Funds and Distribution Committee Affiliated Funds are donor-advised funds that give donors the opportunity to utilize services of the Community Foundation to support their personal charitable goals and interests.

Field of Interest Funds support focused charitable goals or areas. Community Foundation trustees make grants from these funds in areas defined by the donors.

Scholarship and Award Funds support a wide variety of grants that help individuals with educational needs or that recognize outstanding achievements.

Agency Endowment Funds include both Designated Funds and Agency Affiliated Funds. Contributions to these funds are earmarked to support specific charitable organizations through endowment fund earnings.

Donors may contribute to any existing fund or establish a new fund to meet a specific charitable purpose. More information on donor-advised funds is provided in the donor-services section, pages 6-7. Donor profiles on pages 8-48 list many of the funds that individual donors have supported. Please contact the Community Foundation office for more information about establishing a fund or visit the Community Foundation's Web site, www.occf.org.

Family Funds

In recent years, more and more families are looking for new charitable giving opportunities. Many have found a Family Fund at the Oklahoma City Community Foundation to be an ideal vehicle for their philanthropy.

These donor-advised endowment funds have many of the benefits of private family foundations without the accompanying high costs and severe restrictions.

The Community Foundation appoints the majority of the trustees, but family members serve as trustees and are involved in the decision making.

The Family Fund retains the identity of the family and all distributions are identified to the recipients as coming from the Family Fund.

Families are finding that these funds provide opportunities for them to learn more about charitable institutions through the grant-making process, to teach children about philanthropy and to create a simple and efficient method of adding new contributions to the funds. Perhaps as important for many families is knowing their contributions will be managed for the long term and will continue supporting causes they choose for perpetuity.

Family Funds can be either donor-advised funds or Affiliated Funds. Those included in this section are organized as Affiliated Funds.

BOB & NANCY ANTHONY FAMILY FUND

(1999) When Nancy Anthony became the executive director of the Community Foundation in 1985, she and her husband Bob established a donor-advised fund. They added to it each year and established additional funds for their four daughters, Elizabeth, Christine, Suzanne and Katie B., as each one reached high school. With an additional gift in 1999, all of the funds were combined into the Anthony Family Affiliated Fund which will continue the family's charitable interests and will allow the four daughters to learn about charitable giving and civic responsibility.



The Anthony Family

WILLIAM E. & MARGARET H. DAVIS FAMILY FUND

(1987) In 1986, attorney Bill Cheek dropped by the Community Foundation offices to find out what could be done to help a client who was selling a family-owned business. The client wanted to set up a charitable foundation. The Community Foundation's Executive Director, Nancy Anthony, visited with him about the tax advantages of affiliating as a supporting organization of the Community Foundation instead of creating a private foundation. The change in the capital gains rate and the personal income tax rate made contributions in 1986 much more advantageous to donors than in previous years. The Davis Family Affiliated Fund was established by the children of William and Margaret Davis: Porter, Richard, Charles, Elizabeth, Anne and Marnie. The Davis Family founded W.E. Davis and Sons which is now one of the largest distributors of institutional foods in the southwest. The fund has distributed more than \$750,000 since it was established.



The Davis Family

THE EVERETT FOUNDATION

(1993) Dr. Mark Allen Everett is a native of Oklahoma City who retired from the Department of Dermatology at the University of Oklahoma in 1998. The Everett Foundation was established in 1960 to support his passion for the arts in Oklahoma. It was moved to the Community Foundation in 1993 to take advantage of the administrative support provided by the Community Foundation. The Alice Everett Cello Scholarship at the University of Oklahoma School of Music, named for Dr. Everett's mother, and the Mark R. Everett Scholarship at the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine, named for Dr. Everett's father, also are part of the Everett Foundation Affiliated Fund. Mrs. Everett was active in many local civic and cultural organizations and Dr. Mark R. Everett was a former dean of the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine.

**JOHN & CLAUDIA HOLLIMAN FUND**

(1997) Claudia Holliman was executive director of Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma, went to law school, and then became a successful stock broker with Smith-Barney. She and her husband John, a professor of pathology at the University of Oklahoma, created this fund as a convenient and efficient vehicle for their charitable contributions. The focus of the fund is the enrichment of cultural, social and educational opportunities both in Oklahoma City and in parts of the world where they have traveled. The Holliman Fund contributions reflect their commitment to opportunities for all.

*The Hefner Family***RAYMOND H. & BONNIE B. HEFNER FAMILY FUND**

(1998) This fund was established by Raymond and Bonnie Hefner and their children, Vici Heitzke, Brenda Burkey and Richard Hefner. Raymond and Bonnie formed Bonray Oil Co. in 1957 and have led various Bonray companies since that beginning. Among several objectives, the Hefner family would especially like this fund to aid young people in their development toward becoming productive adults. Mr. Hefner was a trustee and treasurer of the Community Foundation.

LOVE FAMILY FUND

(1999) In 1964, Tom and Judy Love leased an abandoned filling station in western Oklahoma and began selling self-service gasoline. From these beginnings, Love's Country Stores stands today as a major presence along America's highways and in smaller communities. It has grown to employ over 2,500 people in 14 states.

For many years, the Loves had contributed to various non-profit organizations in Oklahoma. In 1999, they sought to expand this role by donating at larger levels and they looked to the Community Foundation. After talking with Nancy Anthony, they decided that a support organization was the best alternative for their charitable giving goals. The Love Family Fund was then

established. Though not totally restricted, the major part of its contributions are to causes within Oklahoma. With Tom and Judy and their four grown children involved, their affiliated fund is truly a Love Family Fund.

MALZAHN FAMILY FUND

(1992) The fund was established in 1991 by Ed and Mary Malzahn to benefit Perry, Okla. Ed's father operated a welding and machine shop which was started by his grandfather in 1902. With the help of his father, Mr. Malzahn began to develop a trenching machine which is now known as Ditch Witch. Fifty years later, Ditch Witch equipment, all designed and manufactured in Perry, is used worldwide. The Malzahn Family Fund, which includes the Malzahn children Don, Pam and Lissa, supports the people and community of Perry and continues the Malzahn Family tradition of generosity and civic responsibility.

*The Love Family*

Special Donor Funds

The Community Foundation provides donors with simple, effective, flexible and perpetual ways to administer permanent funds. Each of the following funds is equivalent to an Affiliated Fund in both size and donor involvement. Each of these donors has found the Community Foundation as an effective alternative to a private foundation and a good steward for carrying out the donors' intentions after they are no longer actively involved. This group of funds represents the wide range of donor interests and unique programs which can be served under the Community Foundation's administrative umbrella.

MARGARET ANNIS BOYS TRUST

(1991) Margaret Annis Boys left a lasting legacy of beauty to her native state of Oklahoma. She was a longtime educator and a wildflower and tree aficionado. As a school teacher and principal for more than 42 years, she touched the lives of countless Oklahoma children. In her spare time, she would take long car trips with friends, calling out the names of wildflowers along the road. And though she traveled to far away places like Alaska and Europe, she loved her native



state and lived in Oklahoma until her death in 1990. Miss Boys left her estate to the Community Foundation, with earnings from the trust to be used for the beautification of the city's parks and public spaces. This fund is also a primary source for the Community Foundation's program, Clean and Beautiful Schools. *(Read more about the projects funded by the Boys Trust in the Community Programs section pages 92-93.)*

ROBERT D. & BLANCHE H. GORDON FAMILY FUND

(1993) Robert Gordon was born in 1920 and grew up in Winetka, Ill. He graduated from Cornell University with a degree in petroleum geology and served in the Army during World War II. He married Blanche Hoyt in 1946 and moved to Oklahoma City with the Ashland Oil Co. in 1950. Mr. Gordon served Ashland in positions from junior geologist to vice president until 1976, when he retired and became an independent petroleum geologist. This fund supports religious, educational and social service organizations in which the Gordons have a long-term interest.



JOHN E. KIRKPATRICK COMMUNITY FUND

(1996) The John E. Kirkpatrick Community Fund was established by Mr. Kirkpatrick to continue his support of charitable activities in Oklahoma City. The primary purpose of the fund is to support a broad range of community organizations in



ways that encourage them to use their resources to meet the changing needs of the community, that encourage other donors to provide support and that help organizations plan for the future through good management and the development of endowment resources. The fund has supported the Community Foundation's Parks and Public Spaces Initiative as well as the 1998 Kirkpatrick Challenge for designated endowment funds.

DONNA NIGH FOUNDATION

(1996) In 1985, a group of Donna Nigh's closest friends established the Donna Nigh Foundation in honor of the former Oklahoma first lady's birthday and of her work on behalf of the developmentally disabled in this state since 1968. Mrs. Nigh was instrumental in lobbying the state



legislature to establish the state's first group home program. One of the primary functions of the Donna Nigh Foundation has been providing adaptive equipment for those in group homes or individuals cared for by their families. The Nighs turned over administration of the foundation to the Community Foundation after former Gov. George Nigh retired as president of the University of Central Oklahoma. "When we knew that my husband would be retiring we realized that a lot of things in our lives would be changing," Donna Nigh said. "We felt comfortable in knowing that even when we are not around, the foundation's support (will) carry on." The board of the Donna Nigh Foundation is actively involved in the development of this fund and in grant recommendations.

WILLIAM T. PAYNE FUND

(1976) Bill Payne was an early supporter of the Community Foundation. He liked the idea of giving to a foundation that could oversee the organizations he supported and could transfer funding to other areas if needed. Mr.

Payne lived by the adage "The price we pay for living on earth is what we do for others." His compassion for others came from his own



experiences. Born to a poor family, Mr. Payne was one of five children. Originally in Tecumseh, Neb., the Payne family moved to Oklahoma when Mr. Payne was three, the same year Mr. Payne's mother died. Mr. Payne graduated from Oklahoma State University in 1915, then worked his way through MIT by selling pots and pans. He also worked on oil rigs before forming his own oil company, Big Chief Drilling, the Oklahoma company that drilled the southern hemisphere depth record. Mr. Payne also formed Payne Petroleum specifically to support his charitable interests. He left the assets of the company to the Community Foundation to perpetuate his charitable interests. Mr. Payne's was the first significant bequest to the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, doubling the foundation's assets. Earnings from this gift support donor-advised contributions, Oklahoma Christian University and several other designated endowment funds.

WINONA S. PRESLEY FUND

(1999) Born in McLoud, Okla., Winona Shingleton attended Oklahoma A&M and returned to her native White Rock School as a 5th and 6th grade and high school typing teacher. After returning to college, she moved to Britton, Okla., for a "temporary"

job at Long Bell Lumber Co. The job lasted 14 years and she married Edwin L. Presley in October 1952 at the Britton Methodist Church. She was supportive of her family and established endowments at the Oklahoma 4-H Foundation, the University of Central

Oklahoma and Oklahoma City University. Her bequest to the Community Foundation will be used as part of the Fund for Oklahoma City and will



continue her strong interest in education.

OLIVE MAY STEWARD FUND FOR HUMAN SERVICES

(1994) This fund was established through a bequest from Ms. Steward to serve the needs of the people of Oklahoma City, especially those related to basic welfare and health needs. The fund has been used to support direct service organizations working with the poor and disabled, to construct a medical clinic and to assist with services for those going from welfare to work. Ms. Steward was the daughter of Judge Seymour and Mary Grace Steward and worked for many years at the First National Bank.

OKLAHOMA CITY JEWISH FOUNDATION FUND

(1999) This collection of funds was transferred by the Oklahoma City Jewish Foundation to the Community Foundation and combined into an affiliated fund. The earnings on the funds support the Jewish Federation of Oklahoma City and a wide range of other activities of interest to the Oklahoma City Jewish population. Profile donors to the Oklahoma City Jewish Foundation include: Bernice Butkin, Charles L. Fagin, David and Pam Fleischaker, Kenneth Don and Althea Rose Henderson and Marvin A. Weiss. Funds

within the Jewish Foundation include the following:

Jerry B. and Jacqueline Bendorf Fund
Morris Butkin Fund
Justin and Linda Gardner Fund
Bob and Joy Heiman Fund
Carrie Jacobi Fund
Karchner Charitable Fund
Avia Goldstein Reshev Fund
Joe B. and Ann G. Singer Fund
Janice and Joe L. Singer Fund
Mary and Larry Trachtenberg Fund

THOMAS UTTERBACK FUND

(1999) Born in Guthrie, raised in Oklahoma City, and a graduate of Oklahoma State University and the University of Wisconsin School of Banking, Thomas Utterback began an active business and banking career in Oklahoma City in 1931 when he went to work for the City National Bank. He became president of the Oklahoma National Bank in 1964 and retired in 1977. He was an active supporter of charitable organizations and efforts in south Oklahoma

City. Mr. Utterback never married and lived in the same modest house until his death. He never installed air conditioning but invested his money very



astutely. At his death, a large number of organizations were remembered with bequests in his will. This fund at the Community Foundation will support Mr. Utterback's interest in south Oklahoma City and its citizens.

Distribution Committee Affiliated Funds

An Affiliated Fund can be an excellent alternative to a private foundation for donors who want to establish a charitable fund and be involved in directing the earnings. This type of fund is called a Distribution Committee Affiliated Fund.

While the Community Foundation appoints the majority of the trustees for each fund, donors can serve as trustees. In that capacity, they can be directly involved in the distribution of earnings from the fund and in setting investment policies, while the administrative details of each grant can be handled by Community Foundation staff.

As the donors become older or unable to participate as a trustee to the fund, the policies they have established will be carried out in a consistent manner and their charitable goals will be perpetuated.

Because the Community Foundation is a public foundation, the Distribution Committee Affiliated Fund is not subject to excise taxes, payout requirements or restrictions on the types of investments that can be held by the fund, as it would be if it had been established as a private foundation.

In addition, contributions to a Distribution Affiliated Fund by individual donors have greater tax advantages than similar contributions to a private foundation because of the fund's affiliation with a public charity.

HOSPICE FOUNDATION OF OKLAHOMA

(1998) The changing nature of health care has caused a complex reorganization of non-profit home health care services. The operations of Hospice of Oklahoma County, a non-profit hospice provider, were sold to a local hospital in 1997, and the beneficiary was the Hospice Foundation of Oklahoma. It turned to the Oklahoma City Community Foundation to create an affiliated fund which would hold its investment assets and provide the administrative and investment support the voluntary board would need since it no longer had staff support. The endowment created by the sale of the hospice operations supports palliative care education and hospice services in Oklahoma. Other grants have supported work in ethical issues by Oklahoma Alliance for Better Care of the Dying.

LAWTON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

(1999) With the inspiration of what John Kirkpatrick started with the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Dr. Gilbert Gibson organized the Lawton Community Foundation. Heading the board of the Lawton Retail Merchants Association, Dr. Gibson convinced the board that the excess assets of the Retail Merchants' Association should be used to start the Lawton Community Foundation.

The Lawton Retail Merchants Association continues to support the Lawton Community Foundation with matching grants for increasing or establishing endowment funds with the Lawton Community Foundation. With the assistance of this program, the Lawton Community Foundation has added nine additional funds. Two other funds have also been added to the Lawton Community Foundation to benefit agencies and programs in the Lawton area. Those funds are listed in the designated fund section of the annual report.

The Lawton Community Foundation provides a vehicle for the people of Lawton



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to support their charitable interests and concerns. The Lawton Community Foundation also has a community grants program for Lawton area charities.

The Lawton Community Foundation is the first "Community Fund" established by the Oklahoma City Community Foundation. (see page 82) It is a fund which takes advantage of the size and expertise of our larger organization to benefit the donors and activities in another Oklahoma community.

OKLAHOMA CITY DISASTER RELIEF FUND

(1995) Following the bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City in 1995, the Community Foundation assisted the offices of the Mayor of Oklahoma City and the Governor of Oklahoma, as well as more than 20 other organizations, with the collection and distribution of contributions to benefit those who were injured and the families of those who were killed. The largest fund created by this effort is the Survivors' Education Fund which provides college scholarships for children whose parents were killed in the bombing. More than five years later, counseling, medical and education expenses still are being paid from the funds for hundreds of survivors.

OKLAHOMA CITY RETAILERS FOUNDATION FUND

(1999) In September 1998, the Oklahoma City Retailers Association completed the sale of its credit bureau operations and decided to establish a fund to benefit charitable organizations in the community. Board member Jim Daniels contacted the Community Foundation for advice, and the Oklahoma City Retailers Foundation was formed to administer the charitable proceeds that resulted from the transaction. The fund provides academic scholarships to college business majors interested in the retail industry and a community grants program for Oklahoma City charities.

RURAL OKLAHOMA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

(1995) Carolyn Watson feels strongly that people in rural parts of Oklahoma need good educational, cultural and community-based opportunities to improve the quality of life in parts of the state removed from the major urban areas. She started the Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation in 1995 to improve the quality of life in Coalgate, Caddo, Clayton, Mountain View and Apache. The fund has made an impact in these communities by providing scholarships for teachers' continuing education, grants to schools in nineteen districts and grants to assist programs and projects in the communities. The schools report an increase in test scores and an increase in the quality of education. The fund has assisted with beautification projects, summer reading programs, funding programs for local police and fire departments and funding for community centers.



The Coalgate Library was one of many progressive projects by the Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation.

The Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation, a distribution committee affiliated fund with the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, is working to enhance educational opportunities in rural communities.

The Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation targets communities where banks are owned by Shamrock Bancshares. The classroom enhancement grants are for activities and resources that provide students with a significant opportunity to expand their knowledge or understanding in a specific area. In 2000, the foundation awarded a total of \$29,000 in

grants to schools in Shamrock Bancshares communities.

During the past three years, the Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation has received 142 applications for classroom enhancement grants and teacher scholarships. The scholarships permit teachers to continue their training or education.

The foundation has awarded over \$168,000 in grants since its inception.

The foundation's grant programs promote education, community appearance, economic development and arts and the humanities.

Field of Interest Funds

Many donors choose to support a particular area of interest or charitable need instead of supporting a single non-profit agency or making contributions to support the broad needs of the community through the Fund for Oklahoma City.

A Field of Interest Fund allows the donor, at the time of the gift, to recommend a charitable field of interest for distributions from the fund. The fund is used each year to meet current needs within that scope. Some funds have advisory committees that can make grant recommendations on a yearly or quarterly basis. Several of these funds have been created as a result of bequests, and others were set up by donors seeking an alternative to a private foundation.

An extremely flexible charitable tool, a Field of Interest Fund can be the perfect way to perpetuate your own interests or those of a loved one.

W.H. CROCUS SEEING EYE DOG FUND

(1998) A local businessman established this fund to help blind individuals secure Seeing Eye dogs. In the building where he worked, a blind man and his Seeing Eye dog would pass him in the hall every day, and he would admire the trusting relationship between the man and his dog. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$65,917.53.

EMBASSY OF KOREA

(1975) John E. Kirkpatrick, Honorary Consul for the Embassy of Korea in Oklahoma City, received a check for \$1,000 from the Ambassador of Korea for special program activities in the Oklahoma City area. Mr. Kirkpatrick donated this and many subsequent checks to the Community Foundation to establish this fund. The earnings from the fund are used to support Asian cultural activities which occur at Kirkpatrick Center and throughout the community. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$124,122.54.

FORWARD OKLAHOMA

(1997) Forward Oklahoma was established in the early 1980s by a group of young businessmen to help metropolitan Oklahoma City build its economic strength by

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recruiting new industry and creating new jobs through an aggressive economic development program. When the group's core members moved on to other projects, an endowment fund was established at the Community Foundation with the remaining assets of Forward Oklahoma. Distributions from the fund will continue to support the economic development of Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$24,776.10.

HOSPITALS AND HEALTH CARE

(1971) This fund was established by Luther T. Dulaney and also has been supported by John and the late Eleanor Kirkpatrick to support health care services through grants to organizations that provide direct services. It has been used to assist with indigent care for prescription drugs, eyeglasses, medical exams, dental care and other medical services. All funds are used for direct services and no administrative support is funded. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$56,592.95.

FLORIDA M. KNIGHT TRUST

(1975) This fund receives and distributes the earnings of the Florida M. Knight Trust to benefit handicapped children in the



Oklahoma City area. Mrs. Knight was a local businesswoman who left a downtown building in the original trust. The building is gone and her family no longer lives in Oklahoma City but the Florida Knight Trust makes grants annually to improve the quality of life of handicapped and disabled children.

LILLIAN FRANCES WATTS MEADOR

(1996) This fund was established by Mrs. Meador's son, William Meador of Columbus, Ohio, in memory of his mother, who loved both flowers and Oklahoma City. The earnings are used to purchase and plant hyacinth bulbs in Oklahoma City, a perennial flower which returns each spring. The funds are distributed as part of the Margaret Annis Boys Trust process. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$15,619.08.



MEDICAL RESEARCH FUNDS

(1986) The Community Foundation has received gifts from a number of donors to establish research funds for various areas of medicine. Each year the Community Foundation cooperates with the University of Oklahoma College of Medicine Alumni Association and the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation to fund research projects at those institutions in the specific areas. By cooperating with these institutions, the Community Foundation's funds are joined with other funds for a greater impact on medical science. Separate funds are maintained in the following areas:

ALLERGY RESEARCH

June 30, 2000 fund value was \$88,442.17.

ARTHRITIS RESEARCH

June 30, 2000 fund value was \$192,188.18.

DIABETES RESEARCH

June 30, 2000 fund value was \$11,859.67.

HEART DISEASE RESEARCH

June 30, 2000 fund value was \$83,239.16.

PARKINSON'S DISEASE RESEARCH

June 30, 2000 fund value was \$160,008.03.

OKLAHOMA CITY OPERA ASSOCIATION

(1970) The fund was established by the Opera Association at its last meeting in 1970. The organization was distributing surplus funds after a four-year period of sponsoring Metropolitan Opera performances in Oklahoma City. The original \$12,260 has grown and grants are made from the fund to support opera performances. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$131,382.87.

OKLAHOMA WESTERNERS INDIAN TERRITORY POSSE

(1975) The Indian Territory Posse of Oklahoma Westerners is an organization of 50 men who are dedicated to the preservation of the history of the great American West. It includes educators and authors of Western history and biography, as well as devoted history buffs. Earnings from its Community Foundation investment has been used to benefit the Oklahoma

Historical Society and Westerners International and to establish scholarships. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$68,227.00.

TINKER AIR FORCE BASE—GENERAL'S FUND

(1988) The fund was established by John E. Kirkpatrick to support special needs of those serving on the base. The fund has supported receptions for special performances at Civic Center Music Hall and grants for landscaping the entrance to the wildlife reserve along the Greenway Trail. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$95,982.20.

Former Designated Funds

Over the course of its 31 year history, the Community Foundation has had several Designated Funds, funds intended to serve as endowments for non-profit organizations, lose their stated beneficiaries. The variance power of the Community Foundation's organizing documents enables the trustees of the Community Foundation to redirect the earnings on those funds toward other community purposes. It is the policy of the Community Foundation trustees, in consultation with the primary donors to these funds, to utilize earnings from former agency Designated Funds in ways which are consistent with the original mission and purpose of the organization in the community. The following Field of Interest Funds were originally Designated Funds and are utilized by the trustees in this way.

CANTERBURY LIVING CENTER

(1982) Supports needs of the elderly as previously served by the Episcopal Retirement Community before its conversion to a for-profit facility. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$20,068.97.

CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

(1986) Supports presentation of chamber music programs in Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$9,104.11.

OAKHURST ACADEMY

(1991) Supports independent elementary school education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$50,472.17.

HISPANIC CENTER

(1984) Supports activities and services for the Spanish-speaking population of Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$24,472.26.

HOSPITAL HOSPITALITY HOUSE

(1971) Supports needs of families of patients undergoing medical treatment in area hospitals. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,150.82.

KIRKPATRICK MANOR-PRESBYTERIAN HOMES

(1978) Supports social services programs of the Presbyterian Church, especially those directed to the elderly. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$209,055.72.

PATHWAYS CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

(1996) Supports quality pre-school education and care for children in a nurturing environment. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$196,520.89.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHILDREN'S HOME

(1979) Supports needs of orphans, foster children and children who need special services not provided by their families. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$119,533.19.

Scholarship & Award Funds

The Community Foundation administers scholarship and award funds for individual donors, non-profit organizations, service groups and corporations.

Scholarship and award funds differ from other funds at the Community Foundation in that the recipients of the distributions are individuals, rather than non-profit organizations. Earnings from these funds are used to make awards for educational assistance or for recognition of achievement to individuals chosen through a careful selection process administered by the Community Foundation.

These funds provide an easy and efficient way for donors to help students attain higher education or other training opportunities. Donors benefit from a wide range of services and the Community Foundation's considerable experience in administering scholarships. The Community Foundation can help a donor establish criteria for the scholarship and design the application process, promote the scholarship to potential recipients, oversee the selection process and administer payment of the monetary award.

The Community Foundation currently manages \$9 million of permanent endowment assets in 34 scholarship and award funds. Three pass-through funds, which are not permanent, are also included in this section. This range of funds serves a variety of donors' interests and assists hundreds of students who attend both public and private universities and vocational programs in Oklahoma and other states.

MIKE ALLEN MEMORIAL EDUCATION FUND

(1996) Established by the Oklahoma City Federation of Teachers in honor of a late president of the organization, this fund provides scholarships for qualified graduates of the Oklahoma City Public Schools and grants for teacher training and educational research. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,985.92.



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

(2000) Established by the American Society of Civil Engineering to assist engineering students in Oklahoma by providing a scholarship to a student at both the

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University of Oklahoma and Oklahoma State University. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$5,099.53.

J. EDWARD BARTH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLAR AWARD

(1998) This scholarship award was established by the trustees of the Community Foundation in appreciation of Ed Barth's nine years of service when he retired from the board in June 1998. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,922.60.

FRANK AND MERLE BUTTRAM STRING AWARDS

(1991) The fund was established by Dorsey Buttram in memory of his parents to encourage teenagers in the appreciation of stringed instruments through an annual competition and award program. Merle Buttram was a professor of violin at the University of Oklahoma who helped establish a string music program in Oklahoma City high schools after World War II. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$51,035.66.



Merle Buttram

CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1996) The fund was established by the alumni of Central High School and is supported annually through individual gifts and reunion fund-raising. Scholarships are awarded through the Community Foundation Scholars program and other grants to vocational education students. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$158,989.46.

CLASSEN '55 SCHOLARS

(1998) Established through the generosity of the Classen High School graduating class of 1955 and other donors, the fund provides scholarships to deserving students from the Classen School of Advanced Studies for their continuing education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,004.05.

CLASSEN AWARDS FOUNDATION

(1998) The fund supports awards to outstanding graduates of Classen and Northwest Classen High Schools. The Classen awards were originated by Anton H. Classen in 1926. One of the recipients is selected to receive a scholarship. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$61,275.79.

HARLEY CUSTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(1991) The fund was established by friends and family of Harley Custer, an executive with the Oklahoma Livestock Marketing Association and promoter of the livestock industry. The scholarship is awarded to a participant in the Oklahoma 4-H and FFA Junior Livestock Show. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,465.19.

**DANA CORPORATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

(1988) The fund was established by the Dana Corporation to support scholarships for dependents of employees of its Oklahoma City manufacturing plant and other local students. Awards have been made to 45 students over the last ten years and the fund has supported two Community Foundation Scholars. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$123,232.66.

BARBARA FAGIN AWARD FUND CHRISTMAS CONNECTION

(1994) The fund was established by the board of Christmas Connection in memory of this community volunteer and organization founder. The award is made annually by the Christmas Connection board to recognize another community volunteer who shows Fagin's same exceptional dedication and ability. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$28,080.06.

IRENE P. & SAMUEL F. FRIERSON EDUCATIONAL TRUST

(1997) The fund was established by the trustees of the Frierson Educational Trust which was created through the wills of the Friersons to provide scholarships for students to attend college in Oklahoma. Dr. Frierson was a native of Mississippi who practiced medicine in Oklahoma City and

died in 1961. Scholarships are awarded through the Community Foundation Scholars Program. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$1,261,633.49.

EMA GARCIA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(1994) This fund provides scholarships for dependents of employees of Zener Electronics and other area students. The scholarship was established by Fred Jones Industries as a memorial for a longtime employee at its Houston facility. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,462.86.

EDWARD KING GAYLORD

(1970) The fund was established by Mr. Gaylord before his death and was funded through a bequest in his estate. Mr. Gaylord was a native of Kansas and after graduating from Colorado College, he and two partners bought 45 percent interest in *The Daily Oklahoman* and formed the Oklahoma Publishing Company in 1903.



Scholarships from this fund are awarded through the Community Foundation Scholars and Oklahoma Youth with Promise award programs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$1,655,654.05.

ELSIE MAE "NAT" GLOSEMEYER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1998) The fund was established by the friends and family in memory of Nat Glosemeyer, a former nun who had a 45-year counseling career serving impoverished children. The scholarship will benefit a graduate of the Workforce Oklahoma Program of the Oklahoma Job Training Partnership Act. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$12,325.79.



Freda Poole Grayson, 2nd from right, with family members.

FREDA POOLE GRAYSON SCHOLARSHIPS

(1997) This fund was established by Mrs. Grayson's children and grandchildren to support a scholarship for a graduate of Midwest City High School. Freda Poole Grayson began teaching in Midwest City in 1953 at Epperly Heights Elementary and retired in 1982. Mrs. Grayson still resides in Midwest City. Family members who contribute to the scholarship fund include: Bob and Donna Densford, Bobby K. and M. Jane Grayson, Rocky and Martha Leavelle and Romar Consulting Associates. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$16,166.69.

GENEVA HOOD AWARD-CASADY SCHOOL

(2000) The fund was established by Mr. and Mrs. J. William Hood in memory of his mother, a longtime teacher in the Oklahoma City Public School system. It is awarded annually to a faculty member at Casady school, selected by his or her peers, who best exemplifies the commitment and enthusiasm necessary to be an outstanding teacher. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$10,851.13.

WILLIAM M. & JANET S. JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP

(1987) The fund was established through bequests from Mr. and Mrs. Johnson to provide opportunities for graduates of Minco High School who show promise of benefiting from higher education and for nursing students in Oklahoma. Mr. Johnson was a native of Minco who worked for Gulf Oil. Sixty-seven different students have received Johnson awards including 20 who were supported for four years of study. Grants have also been made to nursing programs in central Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$3,632,678.02.

FRIENDS OF KIM JONES-SHELTON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1999) The fund was established by friends and professional colleagues of Mrs. Jones-Shelton in memory of her service to the community and dedication to young people. She graduated from Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Ma. in 1977. She later moved to Oklahoma City and worked for the University of Central Oklahoma and with the Oklahoma Department of Human Services. From 1993 until her death in August 2000, she worked as a consultant conducting workshops and training sessions on various aspects of human resource management. The scholarship will be awarded in cooperation with the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority scholarship program. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$14,211.74.

JUNIOR LEAGUE-MARY BAKER RUMSEY VOLUNTEER AWARD

(1992) The fund supports an annual award to a Junior League sustaining member for lifetime service to the community. The award is named in honor of the Junior League's first president. Mrs. Rumsey had definite standards from which she never varied, yet is remembered for being more receptive to new ideas than many people much younger. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$66,792.15.

DOROTHY DETRICK KENDALL PIANO SCHOLARSHIP-UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA SCHOOL OF MUSIC

(1995) The fund was established by Mrs. Kendall's husband, Eugene, and her two children in memory of Dorothy, an Indiana native who was active in Norman music circles and taught piano there for more than 40 years. The award is made through the School of Music at the University of Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,325.26.



VALERIE KOELSCH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(1995) The fund was established by the Sheet Metal Workers International Association as a memorial for the daughter of a local union member. Koelsch, who worked for the Federal Employees Credit Union, was killed in the April 1995 bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City. The scholarship is awarded to a dependent of the local union based on a scholastic record and essay competition. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$55,991.37.



ALBERT & FREDA MAROTTEK SCHOLARSHIP

(1998) The fund was established by Mrs. Marottek in memory of her husband who worked at Tinker Air Force Base for 40 years. Both of the Marotteks volunteered at St. James Elementary School after their retirements, and the scholarship is awarded to families of children who attend St. James. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$10,004.97.

FRANK McPHERSON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLAR AWARD

(1998) This scholarship award was established by the trustees of the Community Foundation in appreciation of Frank McPherson's nine years of service when he retired from the board in June 1998. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,922.60.

MIDFIRST BANK

(1999) This Oklahoma City based financial institution was an original sponsor of the Community Foundation Scholars, as well as the Foundation of Promise Scholarship Program, which makes awards to students who are the first in their families to attend college. MidFirst's annual support is done in hopes of attracting other corporations and families to provide scholarships for students.

GARY D. MOORE, M.D., DANCE & ARTS MANAGEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

(1999) This fund was established by Dr. Moore for students at Oklahoma City University who are studying dance or arts management. Dr. Moore is an Oklahoma City psychiatrist and has served on the board of directors for many organizations, including the Civic Music Association; the Serenity Farm Treatment Center, where he served as board President; Unity Church; and Carpenter Square Theatre. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$11,210.66.

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY- AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

(2000) This fund provides financial assistance to students pursuing a degree in agricultural education. The aim was to recruit the top students and enable them to fulfill their goal of becoming agricultural education instructors. Since its creation, over \$432,000 has been awarded to students. Today, the trust program has grown to more than \$500,000 in 58 trusts that are community based or honor an organization or individual that has served agriculture in Oklahoma.

OKLAHOMA YOUTH WITH PROMISE SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1996) This fund provides scholarships to students who are or have been in foster homes or in out-of-home placement through a state licensed facility. The fund originated through funding from the Nichols Hills Plaza Scholarship Foundation and the Willie Elizabeth Shipley Trust. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$61,933.12.

DEBORAH R. & WAYNE A. PARKER SCHOLARSHIP

(1970) The fund was established by Mr. Parker in memory of his wife. He was a president of Oklahoma Gas & Electric Company who was appreciative of the opportunities a college education had provided for him. The awards are made through the Oklahoma Youth with Promise and Community Foundation Scholars programs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$185,432.04.

PI BETA PHI ALUMNI CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

(1990) The fund provides a scholarship for a sorority member at the University of Oklahoma or Oklahoma State University. The fund was established by the Oklahoma City area alumni club and is added to annually by its members. The Community Foundation assists the club with the scholarship selection process. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$101,307.03.

MARY & SPENCER SESSIONS TEACHING AWARD

(1989) The fund was established in memory of the Sessions by their sons to recognize an outstanding teacher in the Guthrie Public Schools. Spencer Sessions served on the Board of Education for 14 years and Mary Sessions taught in Guthrie schools for 18 years. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$30,534.78.

WILLIE ELIZABETH SHIPLEY

(1981) The fund was established by a bequest in Miss Shipley's will which provided for scholarships for students who resided in western Oklahoma and that the awards not be made strictly on academic achievement. Miss Shipley was a native of Mangum and spent 50 years on the staff of the state Senate. Awards from the fund are made through the Oklahoma Youth with Promise program. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$555,086.58.

**ROBERT V. SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

(2000) The fund was established by Mr. Smith's wife, Ruby, and son, Lenardo Smith, in memory of this longtime employee of the Veteran's Administration. The scholarship is awarded to a graduate of John Marshall High School who wants to attend college.

SOUTHWEST AMERICAN LIVESTOCK FOUNDATION

(1998) Provides scholarships for 4-H and Future Farmers of America students who receive Champion and Reserve Champion Awards at the annual Junior Livestock Show. Though it is a pass-through fund, the Community Foundation is significantly involved in administering the scholarship. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$13,416.57.

SURVIVORS' EDUCATION FUND

(1995) Established to assist with scholarships for higher education or vocational training for dependent children whose parents were killed or permanently disabled in the April 1995 bombing of the Murrah Federal Building and the six children in the federal building day care center who survived the blast. The Community Foundation coordinates scholarship

activities and supports other needs for these children and their families. This fund is part of the Oklahoma City Disaster Relief Affiliated Fund.

SURVIVORS' EDUCATION FUND- ANITA HILL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1999) This fund was established by Ms. Hill following the bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in 1995 to provide college assistance for those children who were in the Murrah Day Care Center and others who lost a parent in the tragedy. Ms. Hill was a law professor at the University of Oklahoma and now teaches at Brandeis University. The fund has benefited from her honorariums and speaking fees. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$45,180.60.

WESTERN OKLAHOMA BUILDING TRADES SCHOLARSHIP

(1997) Established by this local union to support scholarships to dependents of union members and others interested in the future of union activities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$17,669.22.

FLORENCE WILSON VOICE AWARDS

(1990) This fund was established by Mrs. Wilson to support awards to participants in a voice competition conducted by the Women's Committee of the Oklahoma Symphony, later the Oklahoma City Orchestra League. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$81,043.42.

TRACY WILSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1998) The fund was established by Ken and Thala Wilson in memory of their son, a college student who died from injuries in an automobile accident in 1997. Funds originally collected by the Knights of Columbus to assist with his care were added to the fund. Scholarships are awarded to students at St. James School where Tracy attended. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$13,410.65.

Designated Endowment Funds

The Community Foundation is Oklahoma City's specialized resource for endowment fund management. As of June 30, 2000, the Designated Endowment Fund program had grown in value to \$50 million, and distributions for the year exceed \$2.1 million to more than 230 non-profit agencies.

The Designated Endowment Fund program has provided non-profit organizations a way to build endowment funds for more than 25 years. A Designated Endowment Fund can be started by donors to benefit a non-profit organization, or by the organization itself, with an initial contribution of \$20,000.

Very simply, an endowment fund is a permanent fund that generates income for an organization or charitable purpose in the present and provides for its future needs as well.

Because of the support of many donors in the community, the leadership of John Kirkpatrick and the participation of so many organizations, this endowment program is the largest of any community foundation in the nation.

In fact, the Oklahoma City Community Foundation manages 26 percent of all agency endowment assets held by community foundations in the U.S., and 12.7 percent of the total number of funds in an endowment program of this kind. To help put this data in perspective — the state of Oklahoma represents only 1 percent of the United States population.

The Community Foundation has placed an emphasis on building the program, especially over the past five years, because we believe providing support to local non-profit organizations is the most basic way we can help strengthen the community.



The Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater Oklahoma City

45TH INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION—EDUCATIONAL FUND

(1984) Fund provides financial support for the 45th Infantry Division Museum, which enhances public knowledge of Oklahoma military history. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$152,071.71.

AID FOR INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT

(1981) Provides comprehensive residential services for adults with developmental disabilities, encouraging them to develop the skills necessary to live in the least restrictive environment. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$198,505.93.

AMBASSADORS' CONCERT CHOIR

(1990) Provides an opportunity for youth and adults to study and perform vocal music. Originally established at St. John Missionary Baptist Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$142,669.13.

AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

(1975) Raises funds for cancer research and provides education, research, advocacy and other services for cancer patients. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$191,591.75.

AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION

(1977) Promotes the prevention and the search for a cure for diabetes and seeks to improve the lives of all people affected by diabetes. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$57,429.99.



Arthritis Foundation Summer Camp

AMERICAN LUNG ASSOCIATION

(1994) A volunteer organization serving Oklahomans in the fight against asthma and other lung diseases through education, research and advocacy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$9,630.70.

AMERICAN RED CROSS—OKLAHOMA COUNTY CHAPTER

(1979) Coordinates local activities of the American Red Cross, which helps people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$220,997.41.



American Red Cross

ARCADIA HISTORICAL PRESERVATION SOCIETY

(1993) Promotes history and education of the Arcadia community, located along Route 66 in eastern Oklahoma County, through preservation of the Round Barn, which is a

uniquely constructed barn built in 1898, and other sites of historical significance. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$17,699.20.

AREAWIDE AGING AGENCY

(1992) Develops, coordinates and provides services that advance the dignity, independence and quality of life of senior adults in central Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$112,431.12.

ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION—OKLAHOMA CHAPTER

(1992) Supports research for a cure and prevention of arthritis, and supports programs to improve the quality of life for those affected by arthritis. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$114,599.25.

ARTS COUNCIL OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1977) Promotes the arts in the metropolitan area through educational activities, festivals and concerts that are accessible to all individuals. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$182,684.91.

B'NAI B'RITH/OKLAHOMA HILLEL FOUNDATION

(1981) Provides cultural, educational and social services to Jewish students, faculty and



Hillel students visit Israel

staff at the University of Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$168,148.24.

BALLET OKLAHOMA

(1975) A professional, resident ballet company that pursues and communicates excellence through dance and operates a ballet school to train young dancers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$225,031.52.

BAPTIST RETIREMENT CENTER

(1982) Provides quality housing and compassionate health care to senior adults in a Christian environment. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$179,208.17.

BELLE ISLE NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

(1992) Fund provides for the maintenance of the eastern boundary of the Belle Isle Neighborhood. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$93,813.28.

BIG BROTHERS/BIG SISTERS OF GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY

(1983) Assists children and youth in becoming responsible adults by providing a supportive, one-to-one relationship with an adult volunteer. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$186,007.75.



Boy Scouts of America

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA—LAST FRONTIER COUNCIL

(1972) Coordinates local activities of the Boy Scouts of America, whose mission is to help instill in youth the values of leadership, citizenship, character and personal fitness. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$521,540.42.

EUGENE S. BRIGGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

(1999) Provides scholarships for college through the Lions Clubs of Oklahoma. The fund is named for Dr. Briggs, president of Phillips University in Enid for 23 years and an active member of the Lions on the local, national and international level. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$75,534.36.

CAMP FIRE BOYS AND GIRLS—HEART OF OKLAHOMA COUNCIL

(1973) The local coordinating council for activities of the national Camp Fire organization, which provides programs for school-age children in hopes of developing tomorrow's leaders. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$298,071.06.



Canterbury Choral Society

CANTERBURY CHORAL SOCIETY

(1982) An adult choral group that performs classical choral works and fosters appreciation and preservation of choral music through an annual concert series and through vocal training for adults, high school students and children. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$208,687.06.

CASADY SCHOOL

(1977) An independent, co-educational Episcopal college preparatory school for students in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$238,129.88.

CASADY SCHOOL—CAROLYN YOUNG HODNETT SCHOLARSHIP

(1997) Carolyn Young Hodnett Scholarship supports the scholarship program of the school and is named in memory of a Casady graduate and was established by her parents, Ray and Verma Young. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$230,649.91.



Casady School

CASADY SCHOOL PRIMARY DIVISION

(1991) Jane B. McMillian Memorial supports the teachers in the primary division. Established in memory of a teacher in the primary division by her family and friends. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$54,434.01.

CASADY RECORDS FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP

(1999) Supports the scholarship program of the school. The fund was established by the family of George and Nancy Records, long-term patrons of the school and supporters of scholarships for young people for many years. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$532,836.81.

CASADY SCHOOL—SCHOLARSHIPS

(1991) Supports the scholarship program of the school. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$189,742.75.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF OKLAHOMA

(1988) Coordinates social service work in several institutions and programs, including a shelter for pregnant teens, housing for the elderly, counseling and immigration assistance; an agency of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$150,790.03.



CELEBRATIONS!

CELEBRATIONS! EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

(1977) A bilingual preschool serving children of the Hispanic community by teaching English and other developmental skills. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$144,552.84.

THE CENTER FOR NONPROFIT MANAGEMENT

(1993) A resource center for non-profit organizations that provides a variety of management resources and services to non-profits and government agencies seeking to build their capacity or meet the challenge of change. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$154,618.90.

CENTRAL OKLAHOMA ASSOCIATION FOR THE DEAF AND HEARING IMPAIRED

(1987) Provides information, support and advocacy for individuals and families experiencing the effects of hearing impairment and works to bridge the communications barrier between the hearing and non-hearing communities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$56,274.40.

CEREBRAL PALSY AND HANDICAPPED OF OKLAHOMA

(1979) Serves adults with developmental disabilities with residential facilities and a sheltered workshop to help them reach the highest degree of independence possible. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$50,620.88.

CHAMBER MUSIC IN OKLAHOMA

(1993) Provides an annual Chamber Music Series that brings internationally recognized chamber music ensembles to Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$163,911.52.

CHAMBER MUSIC IN OKLAHOMA—BERRIEN KINNARD UPSHAW FUND

(1974) Established by Dr. Mark Allen Everett in memory of his brother-in-law who was a Fulbright Scholar and an economist for both the Federal Trade Commission and the Federal Reserve Board. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$58,814.94.

A CHANCE TO CHANGE FOUNDATION

(1982) Works to reduce the prevalence and consequences of chemical dependency and other harmful, compulsive behaviors by promoting health, providing prevention education and quality care for families and individuals. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$146,946.97.

CHILD ABUSE RESPONSE AND EVALUATION CENTER (CARE)

(1995) Coordinates police, prosecutors, child protective workers and medical and mental health professionals as a team to protect and assist child abuse victims and their families. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$83,401.09.



Child Abuse Response and Evaluation Center



The Children's Center

THE CHILDREN'S CENTER

(1996) A convalescent center in Bethany, Okla., which provides 24-hour medical care, rehabilitation therapy and developmental education to medically fragile children with multiple disabilities; also serves as a training site for students in the medical fields. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$175,372.55.

CHILDREN'S MEDICAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE

(1985) Funds research grants and endowments at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center to enhance the quality of children's health. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$211,529.60.

CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL

(1999) Supports Christ the King School, an independent Catholic school which serves students in kindergarten through 8th grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$27,445.17.

CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL—JAMES AND VIRGINIA MEADE FUND

(1998) Started by Mr. and Mrs. Meade, the fund provides additional support for the school. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$30,251.12.

CIMARRON CIRCUIT OPERA COMPANY

(1983) Performs fully staged and costumed classical operas, as well as children's operas, American classics and recitals of vocal music, to provide Oklahoma's aspiring singers a forum and opportunities to gain stage experience. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$145,204.01.

CITIZENS CARING FOR CHILDREN

(1988) Offers services to motivate, guide and educate foster children in hopes of breaking the cycle of abuse and neglect by anticipating and meeting their physical, emotional and spiritual needs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$107,731.65.

CITIZENS CARING FOR CHILDREN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

(1991) Fund supports scholarships for foster children for post-secondary education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$138,208.37.

CITY ARTS CENTER

(1989) Provides interactive arts experiences through exhibitions of local and regional artists, classes, lectures, workshops and special events, located at the State Fairgrounds. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$1,635,343.44.

CIVIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION

(1989) Offers an educational series of performances by recognized and emerging artists and musical organizations. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$230,301.31.

COFFEE CREEK RIDING CENTER

(1994) Provides therapeutic horseback riding to children and adults with physical or developmental disabilities to maximize strength and coordination while imparting a sense of freedom. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$28,741.00.

COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER/MARY MAHONEY HEALTH CENTER

(2000) Provides primary healthcare, dental and social services to promote health,

prevent disease and treat illness at two sites in Oklahoma County. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$72,562.11.

CONSUMER CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICE OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

(1999) Committed to helping people help themselves become financially strong individuals and families through counseling, debt management and education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$25,948.64.



Consumer Credit Counseling

CONTACT CRISIS HELPLINE

(1986) Provides skilled and compassionate listening and crisis support to central Oklahomans through education, referral services and a confidential, 24-hour helpline. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$209,010.00.

CRIMESTOPPERS—FOUNDATION FOR IMPROVED POLICE PROTECTION

(1983) Provides reward support and other assistance to police in solving crimes in the Oklahoma City area. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$83,587.77.

CROWN HEIGHTS-EDGEMERE HEIGHTS HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION

(1994) Fund provides support for the maintenance and beautification of medians and common areas within this historic preservation neighborhood. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$92,648.35.



Daily Living Center

DAILY LIVING CENTERS

(1978) An adult day health program that provides therapeutic care for adults who have been impaired by strokes, arthritis, Alzheimer's disease and other conditions that require health monitoring. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$343,510.42.

DEACONESS HOME—PREGNANCY AND ADOPTION SERVICES

(1975) Serves birth parents, adoptive parents and adoptees with services from a Christian perspective. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$186,702.15.

DEACONESS HOSPITAL

(1975) A full-service hospital providing patient care in a Christian environment. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$289,224.80.

EDMOND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

(1999) Operates a museum of local history and collects, maintains and preserves exhibits, artifacts and printed materials which document the development of Edmond, Okla., and the surrounding areas. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$27,258.47.

EDMOND PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOUNDATION, INC.

(1989) Provides private funding for academic projects and teacher grants in the Edmond Public Schools. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$217,335.95.

THE EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT MINISTRY

(1994) Provides training and encouragement to unemployed and underemployed individuals. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$205,878.00.



Eldercare Access Center

ELDERCARE ACCESS CENTER

(1990) Coordinates mobile meal programs, information and referral services, coordination of care and volunteer assistance for the elderly to allow them to remain safe and independent in their homes. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$114,826.77.

ELDERCARE ACCESS CENTER—MOBILE MEALS

(1991) Supports the provision of meals to homebound elderly which helps them maintain their independence and quality of life. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$67,755.12.

EPILEPSY ASSOCIATION OF THE SOONER STATE

(1981) Works to improve the lives of Oklahomans with epilepsy and their families through counseling, referrals and information about the causes and treatment of epilepsy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$113,227.81.

EXCHANGE CLUB CENTER FOR THE PREVENTION OF CHILD ABUSE

(1993) Works to reduce the physical and emotional abuse of children by providing

emergency intervention, education, support and referral services to parents at risk of abusing their children. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$49,171.76.

EXECUTIVE WOMEN INTERNATIONAL

(1982) Fund supports scholarship assistance for young women recognized in EWI's Business Careers Development Program. EWI is a professional development organization for female executives from diverse businesses. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$155,577.42.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES

(1976) Provides non-denominational Christian programs for athletes and coaches at the high school and college level to encourage them to be positive role models. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$221,457.37.

FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN ATHLETES—STEPHEN B. PAYNE SCHOLARSHIP

(1976) Stephen B. Payne Scholarship provides scholarships for sending boys to FCA camp, established as a memorial to a long-time FCA supporter by his family and friends. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$144,975.29.

FINE ARTS INSTITUTE OF EDMOND

(1989) Offers educational and cultural enrichment for children and adults in the visual and performing arts by encouraging independent expression and hands-on experiences. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$113,820.41.

FIRSTSTEP—OKLAHOMA CITY METRO ALLIANCE FOR SAFER CITIES

(1992) Provides an opportunity for recovery from substance abuse for adults through FIRSTSTEP, a residential work-therapy program, and other programs leading to sobriety. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$408,687.80.

FOUNDATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

(1975) Operates Superbia Retirement Village, which is a residential facility for senior citizens. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$70,242.51.

FREE TO LIVE

(1992) Provides housing, food and medical services to homeless animals while they await adoption. Animals that are not adopted live out their lives at this animal sanctuary. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$289,375.00.

GENESIS PROJECT

(1983) Provides residential and foster care services to children who have been physically and sexually abused. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$103,350.28.

GIRL SCOUTS OF AMERICA—RED LANDS COUNCIL

(1978) Coordinates local activities of the Girl Scouts of America, which provides girls with flexible, diverse leadership as well as fun and challenging opportunities to inspire them to develop positive values and achieve their potential. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$174,550.76.



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WILLIAM FREMONT HARN GARDENS AND HOMESTEAD

(1987) A living history museum and exhibit of life during the Territorial Period (1889-1907) in Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$963,456.77.

WILLIAM FREMONT HARN GARDENS AND HOMESTEAD—1889ERS FUND

(1998) This fund was established through a bequest from the estate of Olive May Steward to support the volunteer efforts of the 1889ers at Harn Homestead and preserve the artifacts on loan from the 1889ers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$11,120.01.

GUY FRASER HARRISON ACADEMY FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

(1998) Named for a longtime director of the Oklahoma City Symphony Orchestra, the Academy provides

orchestral education and performance opportunities for middle school and high school musicians. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$68,292.25.



HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CAMPAIGN FOR OKLAHOMA KIDS

(1998) This fund supports programs to prevent child abuse, to benefit abused children and to raise awareness of child abuse. The campaign was started in 1998 by Mrs. Judy Benson and Rep. Mike Mass in the wake of several high-profile child abuse cases. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$100,991.52.

HUMANITIES IN OKLAHOMA

(1994) Fund supports the Oklahoma Humanities Council, Inc., which promotes the appreciation of the humanities by fostering communication between scholars, institutions and the public. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$179,151.38.

INDIVIDUAL ARTISTS OF OKLAHOMA—LINDA JAEGER MEMORIAL FUND

(1999) Sustains and encourages emerging and established artists in all media who are intellectually provocative or experimental in subject or technique. Fund was established in memory of a sculptor and painter whose work was exhibited by IAO and throughout the state. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$38,080.40.

INFANT CRISIS SERVICES

(1986) Provides basic necessities for babies and toddlers, birth through 48 months, and provides parent education, information and referrals to other helping agencies. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$164,176.98.

INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

(1987) Fosters international understanding and goodwill through education, professional and cultural exchanges and the development of associations among people of the Southern Region and the world. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$243,505.07.

INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION—COLIN AND BROOKE LEE FUND

(1991) The board of the Institute for International Education established this fund in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Lee after their death in a plane crash. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$98,222.40.

INSTITUTE FOR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION—ALICE R. PRATT INTERNSHIP

(1987) Exposes American students to international service through concentrated work in the Institute for International Education's International Visitor Program. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$179,700.92.

INTEGRIS BAPTIST MEDICAL CENTER OF OKLAHOMA

(1973) Supports the foundation of this comprehensive medical center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$808,369.07.

INTEGRIS BAPTIST BURN CENTER

(1979) A comprehensive treatment facility for patients with burn injuries located at Integris Baptist Medical Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$500,393.16.

INTEGRIS—JAMES L. HALL CENTER FOR THE MIND, BODY AND SPIRIT

(1999) Intended to improve the health of the people and the community. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$45,345.51.

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James L. Hall

INTEGRIS SOUTHWEST MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION

(1977) Supports the foundation of this general and acute care hospital. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$55,353.35.

INTERNATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHY HALL OF FAME

(1982) Displays the works of professional photographers and promotes the past and future of photography by honoring the pioneers and innovators of photography. Located in the Kirkpatrick Science and Air Space Museum at the Omniplex. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$373,374.29.

JACOBSON FOUNDATION

(1994) Provides educational exhibitions, programs, events and fellowships celebrating Native American culture. Located in Norman, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$74,246.41.

JESUS HOUSE

(1991) An inner-city ministry providing shelter, food, clothing and other necessities to the poor and homeless. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$150,736.66.

JEWISH FEDERATION OF GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY

(1978) Provides support for Jewish social services both locally and throughout the world. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$270,634.00.

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT OF GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY

(1977) Works to educate and inspire young people to value free enterprise and understand business and economics through programs and curriculum in public and private schools. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$154,267.23.

JUNIOR HOSPITALITY CLUB

(1980) Promotes fund raising and volunteer activities among young women in the Oklahoma City area. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$204,440.22.

JUNIOR LEAGUE OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1977) Dedicated to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women and to improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$272,943.76.

KERR-McGEE SWIM CLUB

(1988) A year-round aquatic swim program for youth pursuing competitive swimming and a high level of fitness. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$91,750.28.

KIWANIS CLUB OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(2000) Devoted to the principle of service; to the advancement of individual, community and to the strengthening of goodwill. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$70,000.00.

ERNA KROUCH PRESCHOOL

(1979) An early childhood program located at Temple B'nai Israel. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$70,681.86.

LADIES MUSIC CLUB

(1997) Supports musical activities in the community and promotes knowledge and appreciation of music. The organization existed in Oklahoma City since before statehood and was instrumental in starting the first symphony. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$48,976.85.

LANGSTON UNIVERSITY

(1985) Fund provides support for Oklahoma's only historically black university, located in Langston, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$722,189.37.

LANGSTON UNIVERSITY—HELEN ALINE JOHNSON ENDOWMENT FUND

(1998) Named in honor of a longtime administrator, assistant to six presidents and university registrar. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$20,679.38.

LANGSTON UNIVERSITY—KIRKPATRICK SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

(1996) Supports scholarship awards in honor of John and Eleanor Kirkpatrick and established by Langston in appreciation of their support. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$45,400.85.

LANGSTON UNIVERSITY—ALBERT, SR. & AUDREY MONROE PREWITT ENDOWMENT FUND

(1998) Named in honor of the Prewitts' commitment to Langston University and its students. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$15,348.46.

LAWTON PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

(1994) A professional orchestra that provides orchestral music to southwest

Oklahoma through classical, pops and children's concerts. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$110,287.74.

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF OKLAHOMA

(1999) A non-partisan political organization which encourages the informed and active participation of citizens in government and influences public policy through education and advocacy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$43,560.02.

LEGAL AID OF WESTERN OKLAHOMA—JUDGE EUGENE H. MATHEWS FUND

(1998) Supports free legal services to low income and elderly Oklahomans. Fund was established in honor of an outstanding attorney and judge who inspired many with his commitment to civil rights and public service. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$28,946.31.

THE LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA SOCIETY, INC.

(1999) Seeks to cure leukemia and related cancers, lymphoma, multiple myeloma and Hodgkin's disease and to improve the quality of life for patients and their families. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,436.36.

LIBRARY ENDOWMENT TRUST

(1991) An endowment to generate support for long-term funding of the Metropolitan Library System in Oklahoma County. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$222,753.27.



Library Endowment Trust

LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICE OF KANSAS AND OKLAHOMA

(1987) Serves families and children with pregnancy and adoption counseling, special needs adoption, disaster counseling, emergency foster care and other social services. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$128,502.32.

LYRIC THEATRE OF OKLAHOMA

(1971) A professional music theatre organization that promotes collaboration among the arts and educates talented performers through a summer musical theatre series. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$414,110.88.

LYRIC THEATRE—CURT SCHWARTZ SCHOLARSHIP

(1986) Provides scholarships for apprentice talent appearing at Lyric. The fund was established by the Lyric Board in memory of this accomplished performer and longtime leader in the Oklahoma arts community. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$104,661.51.

MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION OF OKLAHOMA

(1998) Fulfills wishes of children between the ages of 2 ½ and 18 who have been



Make-A-Wish Foundation

diagnosed with terminal or life-threatening illnesses. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$89,381.80.

MAKE PROMISES HAPPEN

(1997) Provides recreational, educational and therapeutic experiences at a camping

facility near Guthrie, Okla., for medically at-risk or disabled persons, their families and caregivers. The fund is affiliated with Central Oklahoma Christian Camp. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$89,300.88.

FRIENDS OF MARTIN PARK

(1998) Provides support to Martin Park Nature Center, a 140-acre nature preserve, wildlife sanctuary and environmental education area that is owned and operated by the Oklahoma City Parks and Recreation Department. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$22,144.44.

MAYFAIR CENTER

(1992) A community center which supports senior citizens and senior-related non-profit groups, with a growing intergenerational effort. The center is located in the former Mayfair Elementary School. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$77,583.70.

MCCALL'S CHAPEL SCHOOL

(1999) Supports a residential facility for developmentally disabled individuals in Ada, Okla. The facility provides an environment to allow residents to develop to their maximum capacity physically, mentally and spiritually. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$69,680.28.

DEAN A. MCGEE EYE INSTITUTE

(1972) The center of vision research and treatment within the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, named for Dean McGee, an Oklahoma City civic leader who provided long-term support for the development of the Health Sciences Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$298,567.37.



*Dean A. McGee Eye
Institute*

BISHOP MCGUINNESS HIGH SCHOOL

(1985) A coeducational college preparatory institution of the Archdiocese of Oklahoma City for students in grades 9 through 12. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$201,733.71.



Meadows Center

MEADOWS CENTER FOR OPPORTUNITY

(1987) A sheltered workshop providing employment for the developmentally disabled; located in Edmond, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$176,370.91.

MELTON ART REFERENCE LIBRARY

(1994) An educational resource library and publisher of books on individual artists and the art world in general. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$47,415.88.

MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION IN OKLAHOMA COUNTY

(1984) Works to promote the mental health of all Oklahoma County residents, increase public acceptance of persons with mental illnesses and foster appropriate mental health services. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$110,551.86.

MERCY HEALTH CENTER

(1971) A comprehensive medical center in northwest Oklahoma City operated by the Sisters of Mercy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$259,192.07.

FRIENDS OF THE METROPOLITAN LIBRARY SYSTEM

(1983) Provides promotional, fund raising and volunteer support for the public library. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$157,799.39.

JASMINE MORAN CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

(1993) Teaches children ages 3-12 about everyday life through a variety of hands-on exhibits promoting career awareness; located in Seminole, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$105,362.30.

MORRIS ANIMAL FOUNDATION

(1996) Funds research and education concerning the health and well-being of companion animals and wildlife; based in Denver, but research and education efforts extend into Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$57,979.40.

MOUNT SAINT MARY HIGH SCHOOL

(1983) A Catholic secondary school operated by the Sisters of Mercy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$171,742.61.

MOUNT SAINT MARY HIGH SCHOOL—TOM SWYDEN FOUNDATION FUND

(1994) Supports the library of the school and was established by the founder of Swyden Construction and longtime supporter of Mount Saint Mary. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$18,241.64.

MYRIAD GARDENS FOUNDATION

(1987) Provides private funding, promotional support and volunteer involvement for the Myriad Gardens botanical and horticultural center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$134,972.76.

The Myriad Gardens and Cressal Bridge.



Multiple Sclerosis Walk

NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY, OKLAHOMA CHAPTER

(2000) Provides services for Oklahomans with multiple sclerosis and their families and educates the general public about the disease and the needs of the people with multiple sclerosis.

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF COLONIAL DAMES OF AMERICA IN OKLAHOMA

(1979) Collects and preserves relics, traditions and buildings of historical interest to create an interest in colonial history and to promote patriotism. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$227,477.47.

THE NATURE CONSERVANCY—OKLAHOMA CHAPTER

(1993) A conservation organization dedicated to preserving the natural diversity of the earth by protecting the land and water its plants and animals need to survive. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$267,042.77.

**NAVAL RESERVE ASSOCIATION—KIMBERLY KAY CLARK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

(1995) Supports an award which recognizes U.S. Naval Reserve members whose military service embodies the ideals of duty, honor to country and professional excellence; established in memory of an officer who was killed in the bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in 1995. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$13,297.45.

NEIGHBOR FOR NEIGHBOR OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1973) Provides emergency assistance with food, rent, utilities, medical needs and transportation for families in crisis. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$393,030.77.

NEIGHBORHOOD ALLIANCE OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1986) Encourages and coordinates the development of neighborhood associations through training, networking, organizational support and informational services to help residents create safe and attractive neighborhoods throughout central Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$112,503.44.

NEIGHBORHOOD SERVICES ORGANIZATION

(1982) Advocates for the low income and homeless population of Oklahoma City by providing services such as transitional housing, nutritional assistance and educational opportunities for women, infants and youth. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$229,295.19.

THE NINETY-NINES

(1990) An international organization of female pilots that provides networking and scholarship opportunities for women and preserves the unique history of aviation; maintains its international headquarters in Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$93,808.39.

**O.A.I.A INSURANCE FOUNDATION—
MARIE WELCH SCHOLARSHIP**

(1992) Provides scholarship assistance for college students who have chosen insurance as their major field. The fund was established by the professional insurance agents of Oklahoma in honor of the first female president of the American Association of Managing General Agents. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$84,264.31.

**OKLAHAVEN CHILDREN'S
CHIROPRACTIC CENTER**

(1999) Promotes wellness of children, especially the sick and damaged; and educates families on the body's recuperative power and a natural drug-free way of life. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$31,131.64.

**OKLAHOMA ARCHEOLOGICAL
SURVEY**

(1995) A state agency housed at the University of Oklahoma which seeks to preserve Oklahoma's prehistoric and early historic cultural heritage through research and education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,098.83.

OKLAHOMA ARTS INSTITUTE

(1978) Provides educational workshops and residential arts institutes for youth and adults of Oklahoma and the region; summer programs are conducted at Quartz Mountain in Lone Wolf, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$258,724.17.

OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY

(1974) A four-year, liberal arts and sciences university located in Shawnee, Okla.; affiliated with the Oklahoma Baptist General Convention. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$176,652.14.

**OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY—
BUSINESS PROGRAM**

(1980) Fund provides support for a mentor program, professorship and lectureship in the School of Business at OBU. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$149,002.14.

**OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY—
HOBBS LECTURESHIP**

(1979) Provides support for lecturers of the Baptist faith to come to the OBU campus. The fund was established by Dr. and Mrs. Herschel Hobbs, a minister of the First Baptist Church in Oklahoma City and four-term president of the Baptist General Convention. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$247,426.32.

**OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY—
JAMES HURLEY SCHOLARSHIP**

This fund supports the pre-med program at OBU and was started by a number of alumni in honor of James Hurley, a longtime biology professor and pre-med advisor. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$42,538.88.

**OKLAHOMA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY—
SCHOLARSHIPS**

(1982) Fund provides financial aid for students in the college of arts and sciences at OBU. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$99,495.87.

OKLAHOMA CHILDREN'S THEATRE

(1978) Provides theatrical productions targeted to children's audiences, as well as productions staged by children, and other interactive educational experiences that help children develop their creative potential; located at City Arts Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$77,233.06.

OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

(1971) A four-year university affiliated with the Church of Christ. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$867,507.37.

**OKLAHOMA CITY ALL SPORTS
SCHOLARSHIP RELIEF FUND**

(1995) Established by the All Sports Association to endow a scholarship in memory of the victims of the Murrah Building tragedy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$54,540.48.

**OKLAHOMA CITY ART MUSEUM—
ACQUISITIONS FUND**

(1993) Used to purchase works of art which meet aesthetic, educational and exhibition requirements; the museum provides opportunities for people of all backgrounds to explore the artistic values and traditions of the world's cultures. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$28,227.87.

**OKLAHOMA CITY ART MUSEUM—
ACQUISITIONS FUND**

(1999) Started by James and Virginia Meade, the fund provides additional support for the museum. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$38,920.79.

OKLAHOMA CITY BEAUTIFUL

(1971) Dedicated to improving the image of Oklahoma City through advocacy and education about community appearance, beautification and cleanup programs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$174,048.34.

**OKLAHOMA CITY BEAUTIFUL—
MORRISON TUCKER AWARD**

(1996) Fund supports an annual award honoring outstanding volunteer service. The fund was established in memory of Morrison Tucker after his death in 1994. Mr. Tucker was a past president of Oklahoma City Beautiful and advised and supported the organization for over 20 years. He had a sincere interest in planting trees and in beautification in general. He once commissioned the writing and printing of a booklet on the trees best suited for planting in central Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$49,729.08.



Morrison Tucker

**OKLAHOMA CITY BEAUTIFUL—
WILDFLOWER FUND**

(1993) Supports the wildflower planting program of Oklahoma City Beautiful. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$49,887.04.

**OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY
COLLEGE**

(1983) A two-year higher education institution started by the citizens of the south Oklahoma City community. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$217,667.73.



Oklahoma City Community College

**OKLAHOMA CITY/COUNTY
HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

(1979) Collects, preserves and exhibits the history of Oklahoma City and County, its people, events and rich heritage from 1889 to present. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$152,376.35.

OKLAHOMA CITY LITERACY COUNCIL

(1989) Promotes adult literacy by training volunteer teachers to provide reading instruction to low-level adult readers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,599.29.

**OKLAHOMA CITY NAVY LEAGUE —
USS OKLAHOMA CITY**

(1984) Provides emergency funds for use by the commanding officer of the U.S. Navy nuclear submarine; administered through the Oklahoma City Navy League. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$108,193.95.

**OKLAHOMA CITY NAVY LEAGUE—
E6-A SQUADRON, TINKER AFB**

(1992) Fund provides support to Navy families stationed with the Strategic Communications Wing One at Tinker Air Force Base; administered through the Oklahoma City Navy League. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$65,260.45.

**OKLAHOMA CITY ORCHESTRA
LEAGUE**

(1994) Promotes community interest in the performance of orchestral music through educational activities and financial support. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$109,197.24.

**OKLAHOMA CITY POLICE
ATHLETIC LEAGUE**

(1994) Provides a juvenile crime prevention program through recreation-oriented and educational activities sponsored and led by Oklahoma City police officers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$54,803.58.

**OKLAHOMA CITY PUBLIC
SCHOOL FOUNDATION**

(1977) Seeks to build partnerships with the community to improve the quality of education in the Oklahoma City Public Schools. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$215,181.99.

OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY

(1971) A regional liberal arts university affiliated with the United Methodist Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$2,576,743.75.



Oklahoma City University

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY—
BENHAM PROFESSORSHIP**

(1974) Supports a professorship named for an engineering teacher at OCU and founder of the Benham Group. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$187,558.59.

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY—
FILM INSTITUTE**

(1998) Offers the university and the greater Oklahoma City community the opportunity to view classic and contemporary international films. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$27,628.05.

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY—
FINE ARTS DEPARTMENT**

(1978) Supports the Fine Arts Department at OCU. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$112,814.94.

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY—
LAW SCHOOL DEAN'S FUND**

(1976) Supports special projects chosen by the Dean of the OCU School of Law. In 1992, the assets of the OCU Law Foundation were contributed to this fund. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$220,476.71.

**OKLAHOMA CITY UNIVERSITY—
SOCIETIES FUND SCHOLARSHIP**

(1991) Supports the Opera, Gallery and Library Societies at OCU. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$97,852.91.

**OKLAHOMA COMMUNITY THEATRE
ASSOCIATION**

(1986) Promotes excellence in community theatre by fostering communication, dissemination of ideas and support for community theatres. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$38,719.59.

**OKLAHOMA COUNTY BAR
FOUNDATION**

(1996) Fund established by the board of the Oklahoma County Bar Foundation to provide a permanent source of support for its charitable activities. June 30, 1998 fund value was \$116,359.28.

OKLAHOMA COUNTY SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAM

(1992) Provides supplemental financial support for sites that host federally-funded congregate meal programs, which promote social interaction and proper nutrition for senior citizens. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$40,437.44.

OKLAHOMA ENGINEERING FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(2000) Supports the scholarships awarded by the OEE. Other educational activities include MATHCOUNTS and the statewide Engineering Fair. The organization is supported by members of the Oklahoma Society of Professional Engineers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$24,646.97.



Oklahoma Engineering Foundation

OKLAHOMA FOUNDATION FOR THE DISABLED

(1973) Provides recreational and socialization activities to adults and children with physical and/or mental disabilities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$107,885.11.

OKLAHOMA FOUNDATION FOR EXCELLENCE

(1988) Recognizes and encourages excellence in public education in Oklahoma with awards to students, educators and educational programs, as well as financial support to education foundations. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$179,855.83.

OKLAHOMA FOUNDATION FOR THE EDUCATION OF BLIND CHILDREN AND YOUTH

(1998) Improves the quality of education for Oklahoma's blind children and youth

and supports activities at the Oklahoma School for the Blind in Muskogee, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$37,008.16.

OKLAHOMA FFA FOUNDATION

(2000) Supports the work in Oklahoma of FFA, a national organization of junior high and high school students preparing for careers in agriculture production, processing, supply and service, horticulture, forestry and natural resources. More than 350 schools and 22,000 students participate statewide. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$122,701.11.

OKLAHOMA GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

(1979) Provides job training and placement services for the vocationally disadvantaged. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$365,209.71.

OKLAHOMA HALFWAY HOUSE

(1971) Assists ex-offenders with their reintegration into the community from incarceration. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$144,927.08.

OKLAHOMA HERITAGE ASSOCIATION

(1978) Preserves Oklahoma's heritage through educational activities, book publications and maintenance of the Hefner Museum and library in order to promote enhanced pride in our state. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$188,243.54.

OKLAHOMA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

(1974) A state agency dedicated to the preservation and interpretation of Oklahoma history; operates museums and historical sites and maintains archives for public use. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$484,206.31.

FRIENDS OF THE OKLAHOMA HISTORICAL SOCIETY ARCHIVES

(1998) Supports the historical archives division of the Oklahoma Historical Society. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$37,663.91.

OKLAHOMA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

(1989) Fund provides scholarship funds for this professional organization of horticulturists, whose mission is to stimulate interest in horticulture through education and promotion of gardening. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$84,989.87.

OKLAHOMA LEAGUE FOR THE BLIND

(1999) Facilitates economic independence and improves the quality of life of blind and visually impaired Oklahomans through employment opportunities. The jobs provided by the league give employees the dignity of earning a living and contributing to society. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$54,012.25.

OKLAHOMA LIONS SERVICE FOUNDATION

(1992) Provides financial support to the Oklahoma Lions Eye Bank, the Oklahoma Lions Boys Ranch and other Lions Club service projects. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$169,403.96.



Oklahoma Historical Society



*Oklahoma Lupus
Association*

OKLAHOMA LUPUS ASSOCIATION

(1995) Provides education and support to lupus patients and their families and promotes research toward finding the cause of and a cure for lupus. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$33,021.28.

OKLAHOMA MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION

(1985) The states' largest independent research facility, which conducts basic and applied biomedical research to promote the improvement of human health and well-being; located at the Oklahoma Health Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$365,516.69.

OKLAHOMA MEDICAL RESEARCH FOUNDATION—FLEMING SCHOLARSHIP

(1987) Fund supports a summer internship program for promising high school science students interested in research. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$570,942.96.

OKLAHOMA MUSEUMS ASSOCIATION

(1994) Provides professional training and information to museums, historical societies and related institutions statewide, and works to increase public awareness of museums as resources for the community. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$51,503.13.

OKLAHOMA PILOTS ASSOCIATION—VIC JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP

(1998) Supports a scholarship awarded annually to a pilot training for a career in aviation, aviation education or airport management. OPA established the fund in memory of a pilot and friend of the organization. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,852.97.

OKLAHOMA SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS

(1990) A state-funded, two-year residential high school for Oklahoma students who excel in science and mathematics; located at the Oklahoma Health Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$322,513.80.

OKLAHOMA SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK

(1989) Promotes the performance of Shakespearean works during a summer theater series at Hafer Park in Edmond, Okla., and by touring and teaching residencies in schools and communities throughout the state. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$74,737.84.



*Oklahoma Shakespeare
in the Park*

OKLAHOMA SOCIETY FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN/EASTER SEALS OF OKLAHOMA

(1988) Provides screening and therapeutic services and other assistance to children of

low-income families for medical needs including exams, surgeries and assistive equipment; local affiliate of the Easter Seal Society. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$144,315.41.

OKLAHOMA STATE FIREFIGHTERS MUSEUM-OSFA FUND

(1999) An educational, historic collection of antique fire apparatus, tools and machinery. The museum and memorial will honor all Oklahoma rescue workers and firefighters who made the supreme sacrifice. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$58,885.91.

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY/SCHOOL OF CIVIL & ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1998) Fund supports scholarship programs in the school of Civil and Environmental Engineering at Oklahoma State University. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$38,171.35.

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY/OKLAHOMA CITY

(1989) A two-year academic, career and technical training program at a branch campus in Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$107,162.70.

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY/OKLAHOMA CITY—HORTICULTURE CENTER

(1983) Fund supports the horticultural programs at OSU/OKC; named for John E. Kirkpatrick, a local philanthropist who has provided significant support to the horticulture center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$233,222.60.

OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY/OKLAHOMA CITY—RUMSEY GARDEN

(1988) Fund supports a garden at the Horticulture Center in memory of Joseph Rumsey, IV. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$88,595.16.

OKLAHOMA VISUAL ARTS COALITION

(1996) Provides technical and financial assistance to visual artists in Oklahoma and hosts an annual exhibition that awards excellence in the visual arts. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$38,714.41.

OKLAHOMA YOUTH SYMPHONY

(1997) Provides talented middle and high school musicians of Oklahoma the opportunity to learn and study great works of music through participation in a full orchestral experience. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$31,124.99.

OKLAHOMA ZOOLOGICAL SOCIETY

(1971) Provides support for the Oklahoma City Zoological Park and assists in conservation, education, recreation and zoological research. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$424,493.65.

OKLAHOMANS FOR SPECIAL LIBRARY SERVICES

(1998) Fund supports the Oklahoma Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, which provides free services to Oklahomans who are visually impaired, learning disabled or have a physical limitation that makes it difficult to use regular-print books. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$159,891.98.

OPPORTUNITIES INDUSTRIALIZATION CENTER

(1979) Provides the displaced and undertrained worker with skills training, adult basic education, GED preparation and computer training. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$291,786.66.

OVERHOLSER MANSION

(1978) Fund aids in preserving this territorial-era mansion located in Heritage Hills and built by early-day Oklahoma City businessman, Henry Overholser. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$141,928.13.

OVERHOLSER MANSION—DIANNE GUMERSON MEMORIAL

(1996) Supports general improvements to the house in memory of a dedicated volunteer and supporter of the Overholser Mansion. The fund was established by her family and friends. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$6,229.05.

PASEO ARTISTS ASSOCIATION

(1992) Fosters an environment for artistic growth in the community and cultural exchange between artists and the public. The Paseo is a historic street lined with artists' studios and galleries, shops and restaurants. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$73,677.32.



Paseo Arts Festival

PAYNE EDUCATION CENTER

(1987) Trains teachers and others in a multisensory curriculum designed to meet the special learning needs of students with dyslexia. The center is named in honor of Katherine B. Payne, whose initial support helped found the organization. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$159,292.09.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

(1982) Provides low-cost and confidential family planning and health care services to women and men, with an emphasis on prevention and education. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$249,654.83.



Positive Tomorrow

POSITIVE TOMORROWS

(1997) Provides education and social services to children of homeless families or families in residential crisis. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$86,449.13.

PRAIRIE DANCE THEATRE

(1979) A professional contemporary dance company that creates and presents dance originating from the Southwestern heritage. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$118,493.97.

PRESBYTERIAN URBAN MISSION

(1978) Provides educational and emergency social resources for families in need, especially high-risk children, in central Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$180,018.24.

PUTNAM CITY SCHOOLS FOUNDATION

(1992) Provides grants to teachers, scholarships for continuing education and assistance for special projects in the Putnam City School District. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$525,435.76.

RAINBOW FLEET

(1979) A child care resource and referral organization that helps families find child care and provides training and resources for teachers and day-care providers. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$142,422.75.

RED EARTH

(1983) Promotes and preserves the rich traditions of American Indian history and culture through a permanent collection of exhibits and educational and cultural programs, including an annual festival; located at the Kirkpatrick Science and Air Space Museum at the Omniplex. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$210,543.02.

RED EARTH—KATHLEEN EVERETT UPSHAW MEMORIAL

(1994) Supports award programs of Red Earth. The fund was established by Mark Allen Everett in memory of his sister who was a Fulbright Scholar and an intelligence officer with the C.I.A. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$19,533.74.

REDBUD FOUNDATION

(2000) Provides the Oklahoma City community an opportunity to become involved through fitness, fun and philanthropy. Sponsors an annual 10K run through northwest Oklahoma City.

REDLANDS COMMUNITY COLLEGE

(2000) Supports a public two-year higher education institution in El Reno, Okla. Initiated by Jack and JoAnn Gedosh of Fort Smith, Ark., in memory of JoAnn's parents, Tommy and Marguerite Pinkston and brothers, Bill and Mike. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$50,760.62.



Mr. and Mrs. Pinkston

REFERRAL CENTER FOR ALCOHOL AND DRUG SERVICES OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA

(1992) Provides assessment, inpatient treatment, outpatient counseling and community education programs for those affected by the abuse of alcohol or other drugs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$101,054.55.

REGIONAL FOOD BANK OF OKLAHOMA

(1985) Operates as a central clearinghouse through which the food industry and community may donate surplus food and other goods, which are then distributed to more than 400 charitable feeding programs in central and western Oklahoma counties. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$202,080.52.



Retired & Senior Volunteer Program

RETIRED & SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM OF OKLAHOMA COUNTY

(1985) Links senior volunteers and consultants with community volunteer needs. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$85,031.97.



Dale Rogers Training Center

DALE ROGERS TRAINING CENTER

(1978) Trains and employs adults and children with developmental disabilities in sheltered workshops and other work sites. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$338,657.54.

WILL ROGERS AIR NATIONAL GUARD SCHOLARSHIP FUND

(1998) Fund supports an annual scholarship awarded by this National Guard retirees' association, also called the "Gray Eagles." June 30, 2000 fund value was \$39,541.01.

ROSARY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

(1996) A school serving students in preschool through eighth grade; affiliated with St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$108,491.54.

ROTARY FOUNDATION OF OKLAHOMA CITY

(1993) Provides support for the activities of the Rotary Club #29 that are consistent with its commitment of service to Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$254,840.91.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL—EL RENO

(2000) Supports this Catholic elementary school located in El Reno, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$20,561.83.

**SALES & MARKETING EXECUTIVES—
RALPH CLINTON SCHOLARSHIP**

(1985) Supports an annual scholarship for students pursuing a business or marketing degree. The fund was established in honor of a former president of Scrivner who was active in the organization. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$53,472.30.

THE SALVATION ARMY

(1971) Fund provides support for the Oklahoma City operations of this worldwide religious and social service organization. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$348,014.61.



The Salvation Army

**THE SALVATION ARMY—
BOYS & GIRLS CLUB**

(1991) Promotes leadership, character and teamwork while providing a safe haven for at-risk children. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$149,251.73.

SCOPE MINISTRIES INTERNATIONAL

(1982) A ministry of Biblical counseling and community service, including training programs for individuals and churches. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$131,247.94.

SKYLINE URBAN MINISTRY

(1992) Provides emergency assistance and educational outreach to children and adults in the Oklahoma City urban area. It is affiliated with the United Methodist Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$259,889.24.



Special Care

SOUTHEAST AREA HEALTH CENTER

(1985) Provides health care and dental services to medically under-served residents. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$72,074.23.

SPECIAL CARE

(1986) Provides educational and therapeutic care for handicapped children in a daycare setting and supportive services to their families. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$67,374.78.

SPECK HOMES

(1974) Provides group home services for delinquent or neglected adolescent males. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$762,280.16.

**ST. ANTHONY HOSPITAL
FOUNDATION**

(1973) Provides support to this comprehensive medical center operated by the Sisters of St. Francis. June 30, 1998 fund value was \$385,660.90.

**ST. ANTHONY—DR. E.E.
KIRKPATRICK DENTAL CLINIC**

(1989) Provides dental care for needy patients and trains dentists-in-residence. The fund was established by John E.

Kirkpatrick in memory of his father, a pioneer dentist who moved to Oklahoma City in 1893. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$150,833.95.

**ST. CHARLES BORROMEIO CATHOLIC
SCHOOL**

(1998) A school serving students in preschool through 8th grade; affiliated with St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$47,533.88.

**ST. ELIZABETH ANN SETON
CATHOLIC SCHOOL**

(1998) Fund benefits this Edmond, Okla., Catholic school, which was established in 1990 and serves students in kindergarten through eighth grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$64,702.95.

**ST. GREGORY'S UNIVERSITY—
SCHOLARSHIP FOR WOMEN**

(1979) Fund supports scholarships for female students at this liberal arts university located in Shawnee, Okla., and affiliated with the Catholic Church, Benedictine Order. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$155,336.73.

**ST. GREGORY'S UNIVERSITY—
VOGT FUND**

(1997) Fund supports scholarships for students at St. Gregory's; established by Justin E. and Marguerite E. Vogt. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,585.13.



*St. Anthony Kirkpatrick Dental
Clinic*

ST. JAMES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

(1991) A school serving students in preschool through eighth grade; affiliated with St. James Catholic Church. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$258,839.89.

ST. JOHN CHRISTIAN HERITAGE ACADEMY—WALTINE LYNETTE JACKSON FUND

(1996) An elementary school for students in pre-kindergarten through sixth grade; affiliated with St. John Missionary Baptist Church. The fund is named for the daughter of the church's senior pastor who was active in numerous church activities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$108,237.62.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

(1983) An independent Episcopal elementary school for pre-kindergarten through eighth grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$161,147.22.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL—CALVIN & PEOLA BATTLE SCHOLARSHIP

(1998) Calvin and Peola Battle Scholarship supports scholarships for children with a family crisis. It was established in memory of two St. John's grandparents who were killed in the bombing of the Murrah Federal Building in April 1995. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$10,885.07.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL—SHERRY ROWAN FUND

(1999) Established by the school in honor of its head mistress for seven years. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$6,919.82.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL—EDWARD WADE-DALTON MEMORIAL

(1997) Established by Mr. Wade-Dalton's wife in memory of his loyal service as a deacon and supporter of the school. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$14,529.69.

ST. MARY'S EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

(1994) An elementary school for students ages three to 11; affiliated with St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Edmond, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$65,896.14.

SUGAR CREEK CAMP

(1987) Provides educational and recreational enrichment for disadvantaged children at summer residential and day camps. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$107,572.03.



Sunbeam Family Services

SUNBEAM FAMILY SERVICES

(1971) Provides affordable counseling and social services for individuals, children and families in order to improve individual and family functioning. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$274,380.46.

TRAVELERS' AID SOCIETY

(1983) Provides counseling and emergency assistance for stranded travelers, those in transitional housing and the homeless. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$87,471.94.

THE TREE BANK

(1990) Distributes trees to public lands and non-profit agency property and educates residents about tree planting and maintenance in order to create more beautiful and healthier communities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$115,140.54.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL SCHOOL

(1989) An independent Episcopal, co-educational school for students in preschool through eighth grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$108,890.44.

FRANCIS TUTTLE VO-TECH FOUNDATION

(1993) Fund provides scholarships and emergency loans for economically disadvantaged adult students and supports the educational aims of Francis Tuttle Vo-Tech Center. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$191,225.60.

UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY

(1988) Provides services, training and advocacy to advance the independence and productivity of Oklahomans with cerebral palsy and other severe disabilities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$74,332.88.

UNITED METHODIST BOYS RANCH

(1996) A residential facility for boys operated by the Oklahoma Conference of the United Methodist Church; located in Gore, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$48,563.96.

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY—JOHN E. KIRKPATRICK FUND

(1978) Supports the needs of students at this institution, one of five national service academies training future officers for the Armed Forces. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$413,342.63.

UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY—JOHN E. KIRKPATRICK FUND

(1979) Supports the needs of students at this institution, one of five national service academies training future officers for the Armed Forces. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$413,519.13.

**UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY—
JOHN E. KIRKPATRICK FUND**

(1978) Supports the needs of students at this institution, one of five national service academies training future officers for the Armed Forces. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$413,349.97.

**UNITED WAY OF METROPOLITAN
OKLAHOMA CITY**

(1979) Supports more than 40 social service programs through a community wide fund raising campaign. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$238,036.23.

**UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL
OKLAHOMA—FINE ARTS FUND**

(1992) Provides support for visual and performing art activities at UCO, a four-year state university located in Edmond, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$104,336.89.

**UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL
OKLAHOMA—KIRKPATRICK
SERVICE AWARDS**

(1996) Established with gifts from the Kirkpatrick family and matched by other donors, this fund supports awards presented each year to outstanding UCO students who participate in community or university service. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$431,355.07.

**UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL
OKLAHOMA—NURSING
SCHOLARSHIP**

(1996) Fund provides endowment support for the Nursing Program at UCO. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$31,081.46.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA—
BIZZELL MEMORIAL LIBRARY**

(1979) Fund supports the purchase of materials at the main library on OU's Norman campus. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$184,333.35.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA BIZ-
ZELL MEMORIAL LIBRARY—MARK
R. EVERETT FUND**

(1983) Fund was established by Dr. Mark R. Everett's son, Dr. Mark Allen Everett, in memory of the physician and former dean of the OU College of Medicine. The fund supports the main library on OU's Norman campus. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,605.43.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA—
FRED JONES, JR., MUSEUM OF ART**

(1993) Fund supports the primary visual arts exhibition facility at OU, which provides object-based learning experiences for the public, university and scholarly communities through the collection, preservation and exhibition of works of art. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$224,975.50.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA—JERRY
COOPER MARCHING BAND**

(1991) Supports scholarships to students in the university band program. The fund was established in memory of a former baritone player who became a senior editor with Interior Design magazine. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$56,192.65.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA—
NAVAL ROTC**

(1988) Fund supports activities of the Naval officer training program at OU. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$112,606.11.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION ROBERT M. BIRD
SOCIETY**

(1988) Fund supports the library at the OU Health Sciences Center campus. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$138,335.31.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA COL-
LEGE OF MEDICINE ALUMNI
ASSOCIATION—RESEARCH FUND**

(1988) Supports the research grant program of the University of Oklahoma

College of Medicine Alumni Association. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,069.07.

**UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA
COLLEGE OF MEDICINE—
WATSON SCHOLARSHIP**

(1979) Fund supports scholarships for medical students at the OU College of



O. Alton Watson

Medicine; named for O. Alton Watson, a former department chair at the College of Medicine. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$25,607.08.

**URBAN LEAGUE
OF GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY**

(1988) Provides educational, economic development, employment and community service programs to secure equal opportunities for African-Americans and other minorities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$62,852.87.

VARIETY HEALTH CENTER

(1989) Provides free or low-cost maternal and pediatric medical care to indigent families in Oklahoma County. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$226,221.23.

VILLA TERESA SCHOOL

(1987) An independent school and day-care program serving infants and children through third grade; operated by the Carmelite Sisters of St. Therese. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$119,361.83.

VISITING NURSES ASSOCIATION

(1979) Provides skilled nursing, therapy and home health assistance to encourage independence and improve the health status of individuals or ease the transition from life to death. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$174,732.79.

WESTERNERS INTERNATIONAL

(1988) Supports study and appreciation of the heritage and culture of the American West. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$105,414.65.



Westminster School

WESTMINSTER SCHOOL

(1975) An independent school serving students in preschool through eighth grade. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$447,724.11.

WILLOW SPRINGS BOYS RANCH

(1999) Supports a loving, structured family environment for troubled and at-risk boys at a ranch near Chandler, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$28,567.49.

WORK ACTIVITY CENTER

(1982) Provides skills training and employment opportunities for developmentally disabled adults at a sheltered workshop; located in Moore, Okla. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$569,917.25.

**WORK ACTIVITY CENTER—
FACILITIES FUND**

(1993) Established to hold title to the property and facilities in which the Work Activity Center is located. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$157,500.00.

WORLD NEIGHBORS

(1971) An international development organization that works to eliminate hunger, disease and poverty in Africa, Asia and Latin America through economic and community development efforts; headquarters are located in Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$821,403.04.

YMCA OF GREATER OKLAHOMA CITY

(1971) The central administrative and coordinating office of the branch YMCAs in Oklahoma County, whose aim is to help people build strong spirits, minds and bodies through programs such as child care, fitness activities, camping and other programs for youth and adults. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$469,973.18.

YMCA—CAMP CLASSEN

(1983) Provides a summer camp for youth, outdoor experiences for schools and conference camping for groups; operated by the YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$458,444.30.

YMCA—DOWNTOWN

(1987) Provides recreational and health services through a branch YMCA in downtown Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$112,274.25.

YMCA—EASTSIDE

(1985) Provides recreational and educational services through a branch YMCA in northeast Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$98,305.04.

YMCA—EBERLY SCHOLARSHIP

(2000) Supports scholarships for young people to attend Camp Classen in the summer. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$119,774.26.

YMCA—NORTHSIDE

(1999) Provides recreational and educational services in northeast Oklahoma City. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$11,215.00.



Youth Leadership Exchange

YOUTH LEADERSHIP EXCHANGE

(2000) Supports the youth leadership training program of Leadership Oklahoma City. The mission of Youth Leadership Exchange is the empowerment of central Oklahoma youth to become leaders who have a positive influence on their communities. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$51,132.42.

YOUTH SERVICES FOR OKLAHOMA COUNTY

(1980) Provides prevention, diversion and educational services, including crisis counseling and emergency shelters for troubled youth in order to enhance the potential for young people to lead successful and productive lives. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$185,508.02.

YWCA

(1971) Works to address the needs of women and children and to eliminate racism and sexism through advocacy, health care, child care, recreational and other social services, including crisis services for battered women and victims of sexual assault. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$137,138.17.

Lawton Community Funds

The Lawton Community Foundation has been established to support the charitable interests and concerns of the people of the Lawton community and surrounding areas. The LCF was founded through initial funding from the community-owned Lawton Retail Merchants' Association. It is affiliated with the Oklahoma City Community Foundation, which has been serving central Oklahoma for 30 years.

The LCF's unique endowment structure ensures that Lawton's cultural, artistic, educational and charitable work will have a strong and lasting source of funding from which future generations will benefit.

ARTS FOR ALL

(2000) Provides a comprehensive united arts funding program which strengthens and



Arts for All Fest

stabilizes the arts organizations in the Lawton community. Arts for All funds both visual and performance arts groups. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,037.71.

FORT SILL ARMED SERVICES YMCA

(2000) A non-federally funded human service agency devoted wholly in mission and focus to serving the needs of military families in the Lawton area. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,979.79.

GIDDY UP N GO

(2000) Offers equestrian experiences in a safe environment for children and adults who are referred by their physicians for adjunct physical, occupational and speech therapy. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,037.71.

HACKBERRY FLAT

(2000) A 7,120 acre nationally recognized wetlands preserve in the Lawton area. The area is used for environmental education, as a preserve for more than 120 species of birds and an outdoor enjoyment for all. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$20,664.63.

LAWTON COMMUNITY THEATRE

(2000) Since 1952 has provided theatrical productions to the people of the Lawton area in the John Denny Playhouse. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,037.71.

LAWTON PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

(2000) A professional orchestra that provides orchestral music to southwest Oklahoma through classical, pops and childrens concerts. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$20,920.22.

LAWTON PUBLIC SCHOOL FOUNDATION

(2000) Seeks to build a partnership with the Lawton community to improve the quality of education in the Lawton area schools.

MUSEUM OF THE GREAT PLAINS

(1999) Exhibits, conserves, studies and educates about the Great Plains Region with emphasis on southwestern Oklahoma and north Texas through programs and other educational services. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,888.35.

OKLAHOMA ARTS INSTITUTE SCHOLARSHIP

(1999) Provides scholarships for residents from the Lawton area to attend the Oklahoma Summer Arts Institute at Quartz Mountain State Park in southwestern Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$29,557.32.

PERCUSSIVE ARTS SOCIETY, INC.

(1999) Education and promotion of drums and percussion through a museum illustrating music history, innovation and culture. Provides percussive concert series for southwestern Oklahoma. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,374.86.

SOUTHWEST OKLAHOMA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

(1999) Provides assistance with the collection, preservation and dissemination of genealogical knowledge and related historical and biographical information. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$21,693.51.



The United Way Day of Caring

UNITED WAY OF LAWTON/FT. SILL

(2000) Supports more than 140 programs in 21 different nonprofit organizations in the Lawton area through a community wide fund-raising campaign. June 30, 2000 fund value was \$23,442.08.

Agency Affiliated Funds

The Community Foundation manages 10 large endowment funds, called Agency Affiliated Funds, which are organized as subsidiary organizations.

The Agency Affiliated Fund is best suited for a larger endowment fund, especially one that expects to grow, and for organizations with boards of directors who are actively involved in endowment development and financial reporting.

The Internal Revenue Code, through Section 509(a)(3), provides a means through which organizations similar in function and structure to private foundations and charitable trusts may attain public charity status by becoming affiliated with a community foundation.

The Community Foundation provides continuous oversight that ensures the endowment is managed consistently and that donors' intentions are carried out now and in the future.

In addition, each Agency Affiliated Fund has its own board of trustees, with the majority appointed by the Community Foundation and the balance appointed by the donor organization. Community Foundation staff makes regular financial reports to the trustees and provides investment and administrative support for the fund.

ALLIED ARTS FOUNDATION AFFILIATED FUND

(1995) Since 1971, the Allied Arts Foundation has publicly championed the quality and diversity of the arts, culture and related



services in Oklahoma City. Through an annual fund drive, Allied Arts raises sustaining dollars for its seventeen member agencies: Ambassadors' Concert Choir, The Arts Council of Oklahoma City, Ballet Oklahoma, Canterbury Choral Society, Cimarron Circuit Opera Company, City Arts Center, Individual Artists of Oklahoma, Inner City Dance Institute, Lyric Theatre, Oklahoma City Chorus of Sweet Adelines, Oklahoma Children's Theatre, Oklahoma City Art Museum, the Oklahoma City Philharmonic Orchestra, Shakespeare in the Park, Omniplex and Prairie Dance Theatre. The fund began as a Designated Fund and was converted to an affiliated fund in 1995. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$1,109,660.

COWBOY HALL OF FAME AFFILIATED FUND

(1991) Founded in 1965, the National Cowboy Hall of Fame and Western Heritage Center was originally conceived as a tribute to the men and women who helped establish the West as an integral part of America's cultural heritage. Since 1994, the



*Year of the Cowboy
Festival*

museum has experienced its own westward expansion, tripling in size to 200,000 square feet. The museum is home to a

nationally recognized collection of Western art, Prosperity Junction, a turn-of-the-century western town, and three major exhibition galleries, the American Cowboy Gallery, the American Rodeo Gallery and the Western Entertainment Gallery. The fund began as a designated fund and was converted to an affiliated fund in 1991. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$982,127.

DEER CREEK AFFILIATED FUND

(1995) This fund is among the largest public school endowment funds in Oklahoma. Its mission is to provide academic enrichment and stimulation for all students and patrons of the Deer Creek schools. The assets of the Deer Creek Community Enrichment Foundation's Designated Endowment Fund were converted into an affiliated fund benefitting the Deer Creek Public Schools in 1995. June 30, 2000 fund total assets were \$1,373,963.

HERITAGE HALL AFFILIATED FUND

(1996) Founded in 1969, Heritage Hall School provides a college preparatory curriculum in the context of a life preparatory school. It is a co-ed, pre-K through 12th grade school open to qualified students of all races, creeds, national and



ethnic origins. The fund began as a designated fund and converted into an affiliated fund in 1996. A sub fund, the Heritage Hall Teachers' Endowment Fund, was generated when the patrons of the school successfully matched a \$250,000 challenge grant from the Kirkpatrick Family. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$1,865,315.

KIRKPATRICK CENTER AFFILIATED FUND

(1989) The Kirkpatrick Center is a 300,000 square foot complex that houses six museums and galleries, gardens and a planetarium. The Center was built by John and Eleanor Kirkpatrick, who also provided a significant portion of the endowment. In 1992, the Kirkpatrick Center transferred all of its remaining endowment assets to the Affiliated Fund. In 1996, the Kirkpatrick Center, the Omniplex and the Oklahoma Air Space Museum at the Omniplex merged into a single organization, now called the Kirkpatrick Science and Air Space Museum at the Omniplex. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$44,487,007.

LEADERSHIP OKLAHOMA CITY AFFILIATED FUND

(1994) Established in 1981, Leadership Oklahoma City was designed to create a network of leaders with a broad understanding of the community and a commitment to service. It provides an intensive one-year training program to acquaint community volunteers with all phases of life in Oklahoma City. In 1996, a youth leadership component was added to the program. The Leadership Oklahoma City endowment assets were combined with an existing designated fund to start the affiliated fund in 1994. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$1,086,710.

OKLAHOMA AIR SPACE MUSEUM AFFILIATED FUND

(1991) The Oklahoma Air Space Museum was founded by Mr. Clarence E. Page, an early aviator who personally collected many of the items in its exhibits. Mr. Page served as president and curator of the museum until his retirement in 1988. Located at the Kirkpatrick Center, the museum's exhibits range from aviation pioneers Wiley Post and Amelia Earhart to highlights of the NASA program. In 1996, the museum was merged with the Kirkpatrick Center and Omniplex. The affiliated fund was started with major gifts from the Clarence E. Page Foundation and John and Eleanor Kirkpatrick. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$5,403,431.



A photo of the new Oklahoma City Art Museum, currently under construction.

OKLAHOMA CITY ART MUSEUM AFFILIATED FUND

(1992) Founded through a merger of the Oklahoma Art Center and the Oklahoma Museum of Art, the Oklahoma City Art Museum educates about art by providing abundant opportunities for people of all backgrounds to explore the artist values and traditions of the world's culture. The museum is currently located at the State Fairgrounds. The museum will move downtown to its newly renovated space near the Civic Center. The fund began as a designated fund and was converted to an affiliated fund in 1991. The fund includes the Fee-Milligan Endowment created when the museum sold the Buttram mansion, the former home of the Oklahoma Museum of Art. Mr. and

Mrs. S.T. Fee and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Milligan had donated the building to the art museum for a permanent home. The fund also includes the Robert and Harriet Orbach endowment as part of the museum's fund. The Orbachs are featured in the Donor Profile section. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$6,254,365.

OKLAHOMA PHILHARMONIC AFFILIATED FUND

(1995) Founded in 1989, the Oklahoma City Philharmonic Orchestra continues a more than 70-year tradition of professional symphonic music in Oklahoma City. The Philharmonic offers a variety of services to central Oklahoma including classical, pop and family oriented concerts, musical education assistance and musical accompaniment for Ballet Oklahoma and Canterbury Choral Society. The affiliated fund combines the assets of the old Oklahoma Symphony Orchestra Fund as well as endowment contributions of the new orchestra. The Fund includes the J. Landis Fleming Fund. Mr. Fleming is featured in the Donor Profile section. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$1,837,176.

OMNIPLEX AFFILIATED FUND

(1988) The Omniplex Science Museum is the premier interactive science center in Oklahoma. With more than 350 hands-on exhibits and an array of educational programs, the Omniplex is designed to enlighten, entertain and educate the whole family. In 1996, the Omniplex was merged with the Kirkpatrick Center and the Oklahoma Air Space Museum. In 1988, the endowment assets of the Omniplex were combined with an existing designated fund at the Community Foundation to start this affiliated fund. June 30, 2000 total assets were \$5,707,081.



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COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

Meeting Changing Needs

Community Programs encompass all the leadership, collaboration, training and grant support activities that the Community Foundation utilizes to directly impact individual needs in central Oklahoma. In fiscal year 2000, the Community Foundation built upon a long-range strategy first adopted by the trustees in 1997. The strategy centers on identifying and focusing on specific areas where the Community Foundation could develop comprehensive programs that go far beyond grant-making. These programs are funded by the permanent endowment support provided by donors, are based upon the needs of the community and represent a realistic opportunity for the Community Foundation to make tangible improvements.



Boy Scouts of America received an After School Options grant to help city kids go to camp.

The Fund for Oklahoma City, which holds the unrestricted contributions of thousands of donors during the past 31 years, is the primary source of support for Community Programs. The fund supports the activities and grants for three of the four initiatives: After School Options, Agency Capacity Building and Parks and Public Spaces. The fourth initiative, the New Opportunities Scholarship Program, is funded through endowment funds intended for that purpose.

A separate endowment, the Margaret Annis Boys Trust, funds beautification projects on public land and operates under the general umbrella of the Parks and Public Spaces Initiative. In addition to the initiatives, the Fund for Oklahoma City supports direct grants for building overall com-



A grant to the Arts Council provides an Arts Coordinator for After School Arts programs.

munity capacity through collaborations, system improvements and strategic initiatives. The program has the residual effect of promoting a sharing of resources and knowledge and minimizing duplication of effort among agencies.

A key to the success for each initiative and program is the trustee and staff support provided by the Community Foundation and the community advisory committees that oversee each initiative. By involving knowledgeable community volunteers in each initiative, the trustees of the Community Foundation have multiplied the effectiveness of the program and extended the opportunity for public participation in activities.

New Opportunities Scholarship Program

The *New Opportunities Scholarship Program* has been the fastest growing initiative at the Community Foundation. At fiscal year end, there were 34 separate scholarship funds. Awards from these funds represent the largest independent scholarship program in Oklahoma.

The scholarship initiative adopted by the trustees in 1997 has a very simple goal: encourage more students in Oklahoma County to attend college and training after high school. The scholarship initiative is a five-year, \$1 million commitment to a number of activities, including direct scholarship support. An important element in the program is that scholarships are only one component of

several needed to ensure that students are able to attend college. The Community Foundation has tried to address access to information, appropriate guidance and a simple but powerful tool: encouragement.

Guided by an active advisory committee and staffed by Anna-Faye Rose, who is assisted by Mary Reneau, the *Scholarship Initiative* has attracted great interest from donors, educators, students and their families. Community Foundation scholarship programs assist students from all parts of the Oklahoma City area. These students attend a wide range of colleges and vocational training in several states.

Support for scholarship activities has come from the Scholarship Endowment, unrestricted scholarship

funds provided through the estates of two generous donors, Edward K. Gaylord and Willie Elizabeth Shipley, as well as contributions from other donors through the years. Other funds that have underwritten targeted scholarship programs are the

Starting in 1998, each high school in Oklahoma County had an opportunity to participate in the Community Foundation Scholars Program. At each participating school, at least one graduating senior would receive a grant of \$1,000 to attend a college

of his or her choice. Larger schools are allocated additional awards. Ninety-nine awards were made in 2000. In the past three years, 265 students have received awards under the program. Community Foundation Scholars are selected by a committee formed at each school. Students are chosen on the general criteria of "good students and good citizens."

A separate fund, the Frierson Trust, enables Community Foundation Scholars to receive continuing support

beyond their freshman year. In 2000, 20 Community Foundation Scholars were able to receive scholarships for additional years of college, up from nine scholarships the previous year.

Oklahoma Youth With Promise

For more than a decade, the Community Foundation has worked with the Department of Human Services and Citizens Caring for Children to help children who have been in foster care receive scholarships to attend college. Frequently, these students have limited family support and need not only financial assistance, but also encouragement from patient adults interested in the student's success. The Oklahoma Youth With Promise Advisory Committee offers emotional support and



Pictured above is a group of the many Oklahoma City Community Foundation 2000 scholars.

Deborah Parker Fund and the William and Janet Johnson Scholarship Fund.

During the past year, additional contributions from Midfirst Bank were added to scholarships and six new scholarship funds have been initiated at the Community Foundation. The scholarship and development staff works with donors and sponsoring groups to encourage more funds as well as to direct the funds to areas of greatest impact.

Community Foundation Scholars

College counselors at high schools encouraged the Community Foundation to develop a scholarship program that would reward good students who might not otherwise qualify for awards that are based on the highest academic standards.

help for these students by listening and providing guidance when needed. In 2000, there were 24 students assisted through Oklahoma Youth With Promise. An endowment fund has been established for the program, and the Community Foundation helps coordinate financial assistance for the students.

Non-Traditional Student Scholarships

Helping students re-enter the educational system is the goal of the Non-Traditional Student Program. Working with six agencies — Oklahoma Goodwill Industries, The Education and Employment Ministry, Opportunities Industrialization Center, FIRSTSTEP, Metro-Tech and Francis Tuttle-Vocational Technical Centers — the Community Foundation seeks to identify students who have successfully completed one educational program and have both the desire and ability to move on to another program. The sponsoring agency identifies the students and agrees to provide mentoring for them as they enroll in a new program. Eleven students in 2000 utilized this opportunity to pursue education in areas ranging from computer maintenance to health care.

Foundation of Promise Scholarships

New Opportunities has expanded to include a scholarship program for first generation college students. High school juniors apply to participate in a program of specific guidance activities that will prepare and guide them to college admission. Fifty-three students in 18 high schools were offered the opportunity to participate. Upon successful completion of the guidance activities, the student will receive a \$1,000 scholarship that can be used

at any Oklahoma post-secondary educational institution.

Guidance Counselor Network

High school guidance counselors are extremely important participants in the process of deciding about college and learning about applications and financial assistance. The



Counselors attend a training program for the Oklahoma County Guidance Network.

Community Foundation's scholarship initiative identified the high school counselor role as one that could be strengthened as part of the effort to encourage more students to attend college.

The Oklahoma County Guidance Network is the centerpiece of the scholarship support effort and provides the Community Foundation with a way to identify potential scholarship recipients as well as to assist scholarship fund donors with securing applications for their programs. All public and private high schools in Oklahoma County are invited to participate. Participation means attending two days of in-service training — one in the fall and one in the spring — related to college counseling. A steering committee of counselors designs the training program, which brings in speakers on topics such as minority recruitment, preparation for college testing, writing recommendations and application essays, financial aid

packages, working with first generation college students and National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) regulations.

Counselors who participate in the Guidance Network are also eligible to apply for resource grants to help with programs that will encourage more students to consider college.

This small grant program may be used to purchase resource material or for expenses associated with activities that educate students about opportunities in higher education. During fiscal year 2000, grants were awarded to Choctaw High School, Mount Saint Mary, Christian Heritage Academy, Oklahoma Christian Academy, Oklahoma Christian Schools, and four Oklahoma City Public School System high schools,

Classen School of Advanced Studies, John Marshall, Star Spencer and Northeast Academy of Health Sciences and Engineering.



College counseling resources are made more accessible under the New Opportunities Program.

Visit our web site www.occf.org for a directory of scholarship opportunities.

After School Options

After School Options was the Community Foundation's first effort at extending its impact beyond simple grants and into program development. Started in 1994, the initiative has the goal of providing positive activities for children ages 6 through 13 in summer and non-school hours. For the past 6 years, the After School Options Advisory Committee and Sam Bowman, program director, have helped develop programs from small church after-school care to large summer parks activities. Some have been funded with Community Foundation grants, others have been initiated by groups that were convinced to cooperate and combine separate resources and energy. Both the Kirkpatrick Foundation and the Kirkpatrick Family Fund have been important partners in program development funding.

After School Options includes art programs, academic tutoring and enhancement, athletic teams, choirs, educational activities at museums and libraries, visits to the zoo and even sailing on Lake Hefner in Oklahoma City. Almost all programs involve significant volunteer support



YMCA Sailing at Lake Hefner

and interaction between children and adults. By funding programs, providing advice and support for groups interested in starting other activities and promoting collaboration between schools and community resources, the Community Foundation has focused local attention on the importance of a range of positive opportunities and activities for children that help prevent future problems.

The focus for *After School Options* for the past year has been developing sustainable programs that will continue after the Community Foundation's support has concluded. Working with organizations such as the Oklahoma County Metropolitan Library System, the YMCA and the Oklahoma City Parks and Recreation Department, the Community Foundation has convinced groups with resources to direct them toward the types of programs that are effective in meeting the needs of children.

New Program Opportunities Developed

By forging new partnerships with the Arts Council of Oklahoma City and the library system, the Community Foundation has opened up a range of enrichment education experiences for children across the metropolitan area. These partnerships followed a planning process that identified after school arts as a programming objective. With the Arts Council providing artists' fees and housing the administrative function, the Community Foundation and Oklahoma City Public Schools provide



Skyline Urban Ministry choir

primary support for the cost of an administrative position.

During the summer, *After School Options* secured 20 school sites where artists would work with children. An average of 30 children participated at each of the sites. This fall, the Arts Council will place artists at 14 after school locations. Oklahoma City, Mid-Del, Putnam City and Crooked Oak school districts are all partners in this arts after school initiative.

Two summers ago, the Community Foundation urged the Metropolitan Library System to partner with the Play in the Park program by offering a Reading is Fun learning component at six school sites. The program is designed to improve reading skills, generate excitement about reading and allow fun in the process. The program was recently expanded to 10 sites. The program reviews were so favorable that not only will Reading is Fun be expanded to more sites next summer, but also the library system embarked on a new after-school Come Read with Me program that began last school year. The Community Foundation's encouragement and support were important factors in the program expansion.

After school locations were open in six different school districts, two recreation centers and two churches.

Although the Arts Council and Library System have not had a history of reaching out to young people via school locations, recent experiences with the Community Foundation have reinforced their commitment to expanding and improving outreach activities.

Play in the Park

For the past five years, *After School Options* has cooperated with the Oklahoma City Parks and Recreation Department to enhance the summer parks program. By moving the staff for these programs from isolated park locations to elementary schools at 18 sites, the attendance at the programs has skyrocketed. School sites frequently offer summer meal programs and have air-conditioned cafeterias and facilities that attract children.

With the addition of park staff at these locations, the park programs attracted larger numbers of elementary school children. *After School Options* then looked for community resources to improve the programs at these school park sites. The Arts



Reading is Fun program

Council of Oklahoma City, with Community Foundation support, provided artist-in-residence programs at each site at least once a week. The Metropolitan Library System has developed summer reading programs at some sites and looks to expand the activity to even more locations in the future. The Oklahoma City Zoo and American Red Cross also provided programs. This summer, nine Play in the Park sites were beneficiaries of Oklahoma State University's Oklahoma City campus opening its instructional golf holes for weekly golf camps.

After School Option Grants approved during fiscal 2000

Christ the King School, \$1,500

To assist with a one day a week after school program which will integrate dance, music and theater through classes conducted by a member of Ballet Oklahoma and two members of the Lucky Penny Players.

Kids Creation at Village United Methodist Church, \$3,000

To assist for a second year a program for children from Western Village, West Nichols Hills, Andrew Johnson and Ridgeview Elementary Schools.

First Christian Church, \$6,000

To assist with Club Chill, a five day a week after school program for children ages 8-15 living in or near Harding Middle School area.

City Arts Center, \$3,000

For a third year of assistance with an arts after school program which is expanding from assisting four schools to six schools.

Metropolitan Library System, \$8,500

To assist with "Reading is Fun" and "Come Read with Me." This program is an after school reading program which will serve twelve sites (six schools, three non-school latchkey programs and three community center sites).

Lambuth United Methodist Church, \$2,500

To assist for a second year with a five day a week after school program for elementary school aged children.

Skyline Urban Ministry, \$3,600

For assistance with personnel costs to provide a children's performing choir for grades 1-8. The choir will be recruited from six different areas of Oklahoma City.

Redland's Community College, \$2,500

To assist with curriculum and supplies for the Voyager Pre Med program which will be a part of the Kids College Program, a summer educational program for 3rd - 6th grades. The Voyager program enables students to participate in a modern emergency room.

Arts Council of Oklahoma City, \$7,500

To assist with personnel and program materials for three new sites of the Play in the Park program.

Metropolitan Library System, \$13,225

For assistance with personnel and program materials for the Reading is Fun Summer Program at 4 new sites and the Come Read with Me after school program at 4 new sites.

Boy Scouts of America, Last Frontier Council, \$3,900

For assistance to send inner city children to Camp Kickapoo so they can interact with other youth throughout the state.

Agency Capacity Building

Agency Capacity Building was started to address the needs of organizations with designated endowment funds at the Community Foundation. This initiative helps provide critical support for administrative, communications and planning needs. Started as a grants program, the initiative has expanded over the past two years to include facilitating long-range planning, communications training and technology assessments and improvements. An advisory committee assists in program guidance. Susan Elkins, an experienced grants administrator, provides management expertise and administration services to this far-reaching initiative.

Endowment Building

Through the support of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund, the Community Foundation is able to assist agencies in building endowment funds. Matching grants from the Kirkpatrick Family Fund and from John E. Kirkpatrick added a total of more than \$2 million to 143 organizational endowments in 2000. More than 900 donors responded to the Kirkpatrick Challenge and donated nearly \$900,000. This challenge is the sixth in the last eight years offered by Mr. Kirkpatrick and his family. The total raised during these challenge years was \$9,653,681, including \$4.1 million from Mr. Kirkpatrick. The Community Foundation staff works with donors and financial advisors to help organizations build endowments through both current fund raising and planned giving.

Long-Range Planning Seminar

Long-range planning can help agencies more accurately identify resources and opportunities and to set priorities. Having a long-range plan is an important starting point for organizations that want to improve their programs and operations. In addition to direct grants for planning services, the Community Foundation sponsored a half-day seminar that taught agencies how to conduct their own long-range planning exercise. The seminar utilized a nationally known consultant on strategic planning and the Community Foundation provided a workbook specifically to guide non-profit organizations through the process.

Technology Assessment

The Community Foundation recognized a common need for many small non-profits to develop a technology plan to complement both program and administrative needs. The Community Foundation made professional computer consultants available to review technology needs and provide each of the organizations with a plan. The end product provides the agency with an independent, expert analysis of hardware, software and training needs. More than 50 agencies have utilized this service since its implementation two years ago.

The Community Foundation also continued to provide a comprehensive listing of central Oklahoma charities on its web site to help promote general awareness of the organizations in the community and how to contact them.



Penny Yuss, Director of Donor Services, speaks at a networking luncheon.

Networking Luncheons

The Community Foundation continued its series of networking luncheons for agencies with endowment funds. The purpose of the luncheons is to encourage greater cooperation and collaboration among organizations by sharing information and resources. Each lunch has a discussion topic facilitated by experts. Topics for the year included planned giving, fund-raising events and strategic planning.

Access to Fund-Raising Expertise

For the first time, the Community Foundation and the National Society of Fund Raising Executives (NSFRE) offered a special introductory membership to smaller non-profit organizations that have not participated in

NSFRE in the past. The Community Foundation paid one half of the cost of a year's NSFRE membership for one staff person. The offer attracted 29 new members who could access NSFRE's resources to improve fund-raising capacity.

Agency Capacity Building Grants approved during fiscal 2000

Allied Arts, \$4,750

To assist with consultant fees to conduct a development audit to enable Allied Arts Board of Directors to plan new fund raising programs, expand existing programs and evaluate staffing needs.

Oklahoma Shakespeare in the Park, \$5,000

For consultant fees to develop a strategic plan.

Salvation Army Senior Services, \$3,600

To assist with consultant fees and materials to provide an assessment of their seniors transportation services as well as a fund raising plan in order to purchase and replace vehicles.

Oklahoma Zoological Society, \$5,000

To assist in the purchase of the VISTA Reservation and Resource Scheduling Software System.

Fine Arts Institute of Edmond, \$760

To purchase a TV/VCR and camcorder to expand their educational program.

Contact Crisis Hotline, \$4,675

To assist with purchasing a new fund raising/income software package.

St. Mary's Episcopal School, \$5,000

For consultant fees to conduct a feasibility study for middle school expansion.

Oklahoma City Art Museum, \$4,610

To assist with upgrading five computer stations and purchasing one laser printer.

Child Abuse Response and Evaluation Center, \$4,838

To assist in the purchasing of a fully equipped computer, software, laser printer, networking requirements and increase the capacity of two existing systems.

Retired Senior Volunteer Program, \$1,860

For consultant fees to create a strategic plan for the agency.

Canterbury Choral Society, \$3,586

To assist with purchasing one fully equipped computer, scanner, laser printer and networking of computers.

Make Promises Happen, \$1,900

To purchase one fully equipped computer and one scanner.

Guy Fraser Harrison Academy, \$2,400

To assist with consultant fees to develop a long-range plan.

League of Women Voters, \$3,300

To assist with consultant fees to develop a long-range plan.

Heart of Oklahoma Council of Camp Fire, \$3,185

To assist with consultant fees to develop a long-range plan for Camp Cimarron, the council's resident camp.

Oklahoma Lupus Association, \$2,600

To purchase one fully equipped computer, switchbox hardware, software and a laser printer.

Melton Art Reference Library, \$3,000

For one fully equipped computer, software, printer and training.

Oklahoma Visual Arts Coalition, \$3,753

To assist with purchasing one fully equipped computer, software for photo editing, slide scanner, laser printer, networking of computers and tape backup.

Neighborhood Service Organization, \$2,220

To assist with consultant fees for a long-range plan.

Epilepsy Association of the Sooner State, \$2,400

To assist with the purchasing of two fully equipped computers and local area networking.

Planned Parenthood, \$4,077

To upgrade file server and one computer and purchase software.

St. Charles Borromeo School, \$2,100

For consultant fees to assist with a long-range plan.

YWCA, \$5,000

To assist with the purchasing of five new workstations, port switches, cabling and NT licenses in order to maintain a master database networked between three buildings.

International Photography Hall of Fame, \$4,740

To assist with the costs of a workshop for the curator and workshop materials to initiate workshops in OKC on the daguerreotype photographic process.



Red Lands Council of Girl Scouts is an agency that has benefited from an agency capacity building grant.

Parks and Public Spaces/Boys Trust

As a leader in beautification initiatives, the Community Foundation stepped up its commitment to major projects during fiscal 2000. The impetus for this initiative is a remarkable story that illustrates the power of a single dream. In 1991, Miss Margaret Annis Boys left her estate to the Community Foundation with simple instructions: that the gift be used to beautify parks and public lands in Oklahoma City. As trustee, the Community Foundation ensures her wishes are carried out. More than 70 projects in virtually every corner of the county have been funded through the Margaret Annis Boys Trust.

In 1997, the trustees decided to build upon the Community Foundation's experience in beautification with the *Parks and Public Spaces Initiative*. The goals of the initiative include increasing the public responsibility for the care and appearance of public land, improving the utilization of parks for community strengthening and programming and developing greater cooperation between public and private sectors in the care and support of public lands.

At the end of the fiscal year, the Community Foundation was deep into two new programs, Clean and Beautiful Schools and VIEW-Scape.

Clean and Beautiful Schools

During fiscal 2000, the Community Foundation began searching for a program with widespread beautification impacts. The result was a ground breaking effort known as Clean and Beautiful Schools. The initiative focuses on the 160-plus

elementary schools in Oklahoma County. Every elementary school, public or private, is eligible.

The goal of the program is to raise awareness of beautification community wide. By improving school campuses, entire neighborhoods are encouraged to improve their appearance.

Schools may participate after agreeing to name a beautification committee with representatives of administration, teachers, parents and grounds maintenance. School personnel must also agree to attend free workshops to discuss beautification and landscape maintenance issues.

The Community Foundation agrees to meet with the committee to identify and document opportunities to beautify and provide cleaner grounds, as well as to consider improvements to the function of a campus. At foundation expense, a plan for campus improvements is developed by landscape designers under the supervision of a landscape architect. The Community Foundation and corporate partners fund initial plan implementation.

A pilot program has shown very positive support from the community. The process of developing a plan to address long-term beautification opportunities has created a great deal of enthusiasm and creative spirit at the pilot schools. The basic concept of the program, improving neighborhoods by first improving schools and teaching community pride to the child, has been verified. In most cases, corporate partners, neighborhood associations, parents, maintenance personnel and students have joined in the

common goal of a cleaner, more beautiful school. Support and cooperation from the horticulture industry have been outstanding. Every school presents a different challenge. Some schools may benefit from an outdoor classroom, others may envision a shaded reading circle, butterfly garden or walking paths. Simple solutions, such as adding a concrete pad underneath a bicycle rack, may improve cleanliness and reduce maintenance. Appropriate tree plantings can also reduce utility bills and maintenance costs.

Full program implementation has begun on this multi-year initiative.

VIEW-Scape

VIEW (Visual Interstate Enhancement Work) -Scape, a multi-partner collaboration, will develop standards for the improvement of views along Interstate highways that cut through the heart of Oklahoma City. More than 120 miles of Interstate frontage runs through the Oklahoma City area. Interstate frontage has been identi-



Mayfield Jr. High, Potnam City, Tree Farm and Butterfly Garden.



Tree planting at North Highlands Elementary in Oklahoma City.

fied as a large amount of private and public land that could be significantly improved. Such improvements have been shown to help economic development and improve perceptions of a region's quality of life.

The VIEW-Scape Master Plan will be a useful planning and implementation tool to the seven partner cities, Oklahoma County, the Oklahoma Department of Transportation, and Oklahoma City Beautiful to work toward consistent, yet regionally distinct, view improvements. A preliminary report has identified themes for gateways into the greater Oklahoma City area as well as high visibility Interstate junctions. Appropriate plant materials as well as other viable beautification options are being identified and documented in the final VIEW-Scape report.

At fiscal year end, the Community Foundation was assessing its role in the implementation of the VIEW-Scape Master Plan when it is completed by a team led by nationally known landscape architecture and planning consultant EDSA of Ft. Lauderdale, FL.

Margaret Annis Boys Trust

The Margaret Annis Boys Trust continued its community leadership in public lands beautification. The 14 grants approved in fiscal 2000 brings the total Boys Trust grants to more than 70 since it began funding projects in 1992.

Both the Boys Trust and the entire *Parks and Public Spaces Initiative* benefit from the program management of Brian Dougherty, an in-house landscape architect that brings a great deal of enthusiasm, creativity and professionalism to beautification projects.

Margaret Annis Boys Trust Grants Approved during Fiscal 2000

Capital View Neighborhood Association, \$4,550

To assist with beautification enhancements to McNabb Park, located at NE 33rd Street between Kelly and Laird Avenues.

Classen Beautiful, \$8,161

To assist in beautifying the Flag Plaza at 50th and N. Classen, the triangle of land just west of the Flag Plaza and the planter bed at Reno and Classen Blvd.

Oklahoma City Beautiful, \$3,031

To assist with enhancements to the children's playground on the east side of Lake Hefner at Lighthouse Point. The playground was constructed in honor of

the children who died in the Murrah Building bombing.

Pennville Neighborhood Association, \$4,050

To assist with beautification of the median at NW 17th and Youngs Boulevard.

Miller Neighborhood Association, \$5,000

To assist with plant materials and one line tap, meter backflow preventer and valve on west bed to provide water for the four medians at the intersection of NW 12th Street and Miller.

Nichols Hills Elementary School, \$1,500

To assist with plant materials for an outdoor classroom.

The Children's Center, \$8,200

To purchase 82 trees to be planted around the perimeter of the property south of the hospital.

Bishop McGuinness High School, \$7,000

To assist with purchasing trees along side NW 50th and Western easements.

Moore Public School Foundation, \$7,500

To assist with purchasing trees for the campus which was severely damaged in a May 1999 tornado.

N.E. 23rd Street Beautification Project, \$3,575

To assist with an additional seven beds on the south side of N.E. 23rd, west of existing landscape project in Choctaw.

Crown Heights-Edgemere Heights Neighborhoods, \$7,500

To level and renovate planting beds on Shartel medians between N.W. 36th and N.W. 42nd Streets

N.W. Baptist Church, \$3,100

To assist with two planting beds adjacent to N.W. 23rd. The plantings will help provide a landscaping link for the N.W. 23rd corridor between Villa and I-44.

Taft Middle School, \$5,775

To assist with the pruning and removal of dead and diseased trees on the campus and to plant eighteen new trees on the campus.

John Marshall High School, \$3,757

To assist with the purchase of trees and mulch for phase two of a three phase landscape improvement project to the school.

Fund For Oklahoma City

The Fund for Oklahoma City, the unrestricted contributions of thousands of donors over the past 31 years, is the primary source of support for the Community Program efforts. The Fund for Oklahoma City supports the activities and grants for three program initiatives: After School Options, Agency Capacity Building, and the Parks and Public Spaces.

In addition to the initiatives, the Fund for Oklahoma City also supports direct grants for building community capacity program support which has the residual effect of collaboration, strategic improvement or impact on a number of agencies working on similar issues.

Fund for Oklahoma City Grants Approved during Fiscal 2000

Arts Council of Oklahoma City, \$16,320
To assist in funding a new position, Community Arts Coordinator. The coordinator will develop and implement an artist recruitment and training program for arts after school programs; work with service providers to identify needs and develop training programs, develop network and information resources essential to after school art programs; and look at the issue of developing standards of evaluation for after school arts programs.

YMCA of Greater OKC, \$35,000
This amount is for three years to assist with start up funds for Community Oklahoma on the Water YMCA Sailing at Lake Hefner. The program is designed to provide sailing instruction to youth,

adults and families. The sailing program will operate a school year program and a summer program. This program creates a merger between two agencies: YMCA and Community Oklahoma on the Water.

Areawide Aging Agency, \$7,500
For Senior Health on the Go which is a collaborative project designed to encourage better access to health services and resources by seniors. Activities include coordinating health service resources available at congregate meal sites.

Oklahoma City Food Bank, \$35,000
For a period over three years to pay the salary of a community gardening coordinator. This is a position which is moving from Areawide Aging Agency and will continue and enhance the current efforts in developing community gardens.

Omniplex, \$25,000
To assist with the costs of bringing in an exhibit called "Daniel's Story," an exhibition that chronicles the life-changing events of one Jewish child and his family in Nazi Germany. The exhibit is part of the National Holocaust Museum.

Capitol Hill Main Street Program, \$8,300
To assist with costs of a local designer to take basic concepts from an August 1999 Streetscape Workshop and refine them into a complete Streetscape plan that would be implemented.

Traveler's Aid, \$15,000
To provide matching funds for one year for a federal grant for case managers to work with homeless families.

Oklahoma Children's Theatre, \$5,000
To expand the school touring program to eight additional schools reaching more than 5,000 students.

Arts Council of Oklahoma City, \$25,000
To fund the third year of Stage Center Presents, a cooperative theatre program featuring four local theatre groups.

Legal Aid of Western Oklahoma, \$10,000
To provide the agency's portion of the cost of a comprehensive legal services plan for Oklahoma which is required to receive funding from the Legal Services Corporation.

Agency Capacity Building, \$10,000
To subsidize dues to NSFRE for Designated Fund Agencies which are not members. Subsidy would be up to \$100 for one year of participation for one person at each agency. This is a one year program.

Community Foundation Scholars Program, \$30,000
To expand the Community Foundation Scholars to five additional high schools for the last two years of the current program. Funding after that time will be developed from within the scholarship endowment.



Stage Center Presents was supported by a grant to help fund its third year. This production is *The Importance of Being Earnest*.

Kirkpatrick Family Fund

Established in 1989 by John and Eleanor Kirkpatrick and later supported by gifts from Chris Keesee, Joan Kirkpatrick and the Kirkpatrick Foundation, the Kirkpatrick Family Fund continues a very generous and unique philanthropic legacy in the Oklahoma City area.

John Kirkpatrick has an interesting philosophy about charitable giving, "Money is like fertilizer: too much in one area begins to smell; if you spread it around wisely, you can really do some good." "Spreading it around wisely" is an apt summary for the approach of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund's trustees and the fund is one of Oklahoma City's greatest resources for charitable support.

Organized as an affiliated fund of the Community Foundation, the Kirkpatrick Family Fund is governed by a board of trustees appointed by the Community Foundation and members of the Kirkpatrick family. Led by its current president Chris Keesee, the fund utilizes all of the administrative and investment services of the Community Foundation and coordinates its grants program with other Community Foundation grant activities.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2000, the fund made 240 grants of more than \$2.6 million. More than 90 percent of the recipient organizations were in Oklahoma

County. Marilyn B. Myers, executive director of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund, describes the fund as "very focused on the needs and opportunities in Oklahoma City in a variety of areas of interest to the family members." While many large foundations make significant capital gifts, the Kirkpatrick Family Fund is also very supportive of program operations and endowment development.

Important grants made during the fiscal year 2000 included support for City Arts Center, an interactive program of arts activities for both adults and children; Senior Health on the Go, a new program to bring information about health issues to senior citizens at congregate meal sites and other gathering places; several landscaping and beautification projects, including replacing trees at West Moore High School and along Classen Boulevard; and operating support for Coffee Creek Riding Center, a therapeutic riding program for children and adults with developmental disabilities.

During the past four years, the Kirkpatrick Family Fund has supported grants to 73 agency



Coffee Creek Riding Center has benefited from a Kirkpatrick Family grant.



City Arts Center, a grant recipient, presents its children's art camp. Photo Credit: Kenneth Owenby

endowment funds at the Community Foundation. These grants are almost always done as a challenge to the organizations to match the grant and to stimulate further support from other donors to the funds. During fiscal year 2000, the fund helped 12 new organizations start endowment funds at the Community Foundation with matching grants.

Guidelines for grants from the Kirkpatrick Family Fund are available from the Community Foundation office or at the web site, www.occf.org. Requests for designated fund matching grants should be submitted through the grants process also. All grant requests are reviewed by the Trustees with support from the program staff at the Community Foundation.

Donor-Advised Grants

Donor-advised giving at the Community Foundation is one of the most flexible tools available for charitable giving. Donor-advised fund options are fully described on pages 6-7 and on the Community Foundation's Web site, www.occf.org.

During the year ending June 30, 2000, more than 100 donor-advised and distribution committee affiliated funds distributed \$2.2 million in grants to charitable organizations. This is one of the fastest growing areas of the Community Foundation with grants increasing by 330 percent over the last four years.

Listed below are more than 200 Oklahoma charities which received donor-advised or affiliated fund grants, the total amount received and the number of grants which were made.

Name of Agency	Total Amount	# of Grants	Name of Agency	Total Amount	# of Grants
5207 Western Foundation	\$3,334	3	B. C. Clark Memorial United Methodist Church	\$2,000	
A Chance to Change	\$400		Mary Lee Clark United Methodist Indian Church	\$1,000	
Aging Services of Cleveland County	\$1,000		Cleveland Elementary School	\$50	
All Souls Episcopal Church	\$53,000	4	Coal County Library	\$300	
Allied Arts Foundation	\$4,460	9	Coal County Sheriff's Department	\$2,500	
American Citizenship Center	\$250		Coalgate Schools	\$3,958	
American Civil Liberties Union	\$5,000		Coffee Creek Riding Center	\$7,700	4
American Heart Association/Oklahoma County	\$1,550	2	Community Council of Central Oklahoma	\$12,500	
American Red Cross of Central Oklahoma	\$3,570	6	Community Literacy Centers	\$100	
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	\$500		Community Oklahoma on the Water	\$500	
Archdiocese of Oklahoma City	\$1,000		Contact Telephone Helpline	\$454	
Arts Council of Oklahoma City	\$200	2	Cornerstone Assistance Network	\$250	
Associated Catholic Charities	\$5,750	2	Corpus Christi Catholic Church	\$1,000	
Ballet Oklahoma	\$600	2	Cottonwood School	\$2,461	
Belle Isle Lions Club	\$2,000		Council for Developmental Disabilities	\$800	2
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater OKC	\$300		Crescent Public Schools Foundation	\$500	
Birth Choice of Oklahoma	\$500		Crimestoppers	\$100	
Blackwell Public School Foundation	\$100		Crown Heights United Methodist Church	\$1,000	
Boy Scouts of America - Last Frontier Council	\$6,500	2	Crown Heights Christian Church	\$3,800	
Caddo Educational Foundation	\$6,248	2	Daily Living Centers	\$5,600	2
Calm Waters	\$5,100	2	Eagle Ridge Institute	\$10,000	
Calvary Baptist Church	\$9,010		East Central State College Foundation	\$8,642	2
Camp Fire Boys & Girls	\$13,500	2	Edmond Public Schools	\$1,948	
Camp Joy Bible Conference Association	\$3,000		Edmond Women's Club	\$500	
Caney Schools	\$2,155		Education & Employment Ministry (TEEM)	\$101,450	3
Canterbury Choral Society	\$409		Eldercare Access Center - Mobile Meals	\$1,100	2
Bishop John Carroll School	\$88		Epworth Villa	\$4,000	2
Casady School	\$115,500	8	Executive Service Corps of Central Oklahoma	\$200	2
Catholic Church of St. Eugene	\$500		Fellowship of Christian Athletes	\$500	
CELEBRATIONS! Educational Services	\$750	2	Fine Arts Institute of Edmond	\$500	
Center for Alcohol and Drug Services	\$100		First Southern Baptist Church	\$1,000	
Center for Nonprofit Management	\$67,634	5	Free to Live	\$900	3
Center of Family Love	\$2,000		Friends of the Mansion	\$1,000	
Central Oklahoma Habitat for Humanity	\$4,370	5	Genesis Project	\$2,000	
Central Seventh-Day Adventist Church	\$5,200	2	Girl Scouts of Red Lands Council	\$10,000	
Chances for Children	\$6,000	2	Great Plains American Business Club Charity	\$5,000	
Cherokee National Historical Society	\$476		Harmony Community Church	\$55,000	4
Child Abuse Response & Evaluation (CARE) Center	\$550		Harmony Public School District	\$965	
Children's Center	\$200	2	Guy Fraser Harrison Academy for the Performing Arts	\$750	2
Children's Medical Research Institute	\$7,550	5	Health for Friends	\$5,000	
Christ Center	\$1,000		Heritage Hall School	\$1,350	3
Christ the King Catholic Church	\$105,300	3	Hospice of Oklahoma County	\$2,300	4
Christmas Connection	\$500		Hough Ear Institute	\$450	2
Church of God of Guthrie	\$2,000		Immanuel Lutheran Church	\$3,200	
Citizens Caring for Children	\$10,300	4	In His Name Ministries	\$1,000	
City Arts Center	\$29,546	5	Infant Crisis Services	\$11,821	5
City Care	\$1,500		Insight Ministries	\$200	
City Rescur Mission	\$22,720	5	Institute for Breast Health	\$350	
			Institute in Basic Life Principles	\$750	

Name of Agency	Total Amount	# of Grants	Name of Agency	Total Amount	# of Grants
Integrus Baptist Medical Center of Oklahoma	\$2,400	5	Oklahoma Reading Association	\$1,500	
International Photography Hall of Fame & Museum	\$100		Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics	\$7,450	6
Jesus House	\$4,220	4	Oklahoma Society for Crippled Children	\$50	
Jewish Federation of Greater Oklahoma City	\$18,353	3	Oklahoma Special Olympics	\$1,550	2
Kids We Care	\$2,000		Oklahoma Sports Museum	\$1,000	
Kirkpatrick Center	\$161		Oklahoma State Firefighter's Museum	\$160	
Leadership Oklahoma City	\$100		Oklahoma State University Foundation	\$38,350	11
Logan County Historical Society	\$1,000		Oklahoma Youth Symphony	\$300	
Luther Public Schools	\$5,000		Oklahoma Zoological Society	\$18,011	6
Lyric Theatre of Oklahoma	\$1,950	3	Oklahomans for Children and Families	\$250	
Mary Mahoney Memorial Health Center	\$500		Olney High School	\$1,400	
Dean A. McGee Eye Institute	\$16,000	2	Omniplex Science Museum	\$1,100	3
Bishop McGuinness High School	\$488	2	Parents Assistance Center	\$500	
Meadows Center for Opportunity	\$200		Payne Education Center	\$30,250	3
Mental Health Association in Oklahoma County	\$200		Pets and People Humane Society	\$6,500	3
Mercy Health Center	\$7,200	3	Planned Parenthood of Central Oklahoma	\$3,100	3
Mesta Park Neighborhood Association	\$15,000		Positive Tomorrows	\$8,500	5
Metropolitan Library System Endowment Trust	\$450	3	Prairie Dance Theatre	\$4,000	2
Morris Animal Foundation	\$100	1	Putnam Heights Historical Preservation Association	\$1,250	2
Mount Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church	\$1,500		Quail Community Foundation	\$1,000	2
Mount Saint Mary High School	\$500		Rainbow Fleet	\$10,250	2
Mountain View High School	\$1,805		Red Earth Indian Center	\$500	
Mustang Valley PTA	\$88		Regional Aids Interfaith Network - Oklahoma	\$700	
Myriad Gardens Foundation	\$100		Retired & Senior Volunteer Program of Oklahoma County	\$150	
National Cowboy Hall of Fame	\$1,100	2	Roff Public School District	\$1,763	
National Multiple Sclerosis Society of Oklahoma	\$200		Saint Anthony Hospital Foundation	\$128,000	7
Neighbor for Neighbor of Oklahoma City	\$7,400	4	Salvation Army	\$13,362	10
Neighborhood Alliance	\$1,000		Scope Ministries	\$700	
New Leaf	\$200		Skyline Urban Ministry	\$4,800	2
Nichols Hills Park Association	\$2,150	3	Southern Nazarene University	\$700	
OK Elite Soccer Club	\$10,000		Southminster Presbyterian Church		
Oklahoma Air and Space Museum	\$160		SPARK Program	\$500	
Oklahoma Art Education Association	\$1,000		Special Care	\$5,000	
Oklahoma Arts Institute	\$1,600	3	St. Gregory's University	\$23,000	2
Oklahoma Association for Healthcare Ethics	\$10,000		St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church	\$8,800	3
Oklahoma Baptist Homes for Children	\$4,200	2	Sugar Creek Camp	\$6,090	4
Oklahoma Bar Foundation	\$100		Temple B'nai Israel	\$2,768	
Oklahoma Benedictine Institute	\$475		The Tree Bank	\$500	
Oklahoma Children's Theatre	\$3,950	3	Trinity Episcopal School	\$5,000	
Oklahoma Christian Schools	\$3,500		Tupelo Schools	\$5,443	
Oklahoma Christian University	\$2,000		United Fund of Woodward	\$300	
Oklahoma City Art Museum	\$41,800	9	United Way of Metro Oklahoma City	\$21,795	9
Oklahoma City Beautiful	\$1,100	4	University of Oklahoma - College of Medicine	\$16,051	
Oklahoma City Community Foundation Agency			University of Oklahoma Foundation	\$26,000	8
Endowment Funds	\$169,435	129	University of Oklahoma/Health Science Center	\$50,000	
Oklahoma City Food Bank	\$102,475	6	Variety Health Center	\$1,650	3
Oklahoma City Memorial Foundation	\$25,000		Vien Giac Buddhist Temple	\$1,000	
Oklahoma City Metro Ministries	\$250		Visiting Nurses Association	\$1,000	
Oklahoma City Orchestra League	\$350	2	Westminster Prebyterian Church Foundation	\$7,741	4
Oklahoma City Police Athletic League	\$1,000		Westminster School	\$23,000	3
Oklahoma City Public Schools Foundation	\$9,000	2	Wildcare Foundation	\$275	
Oklahoma City University	\$22,000	4	William Fremont Harn Gardens and Homestead	\$16,000	2
Oklahoma City University Law School	\$1,000		Willow Springs Boys Ranch	\$20,000	
Oklahoma City/County Historical Society	\$2,000		Women Care Ministries	\$2,500	2
Oklahoma Council of Public Affairs	\$1,000		World Neighbors	\$2,700	3
Oklahoma County Medical Society	\$15,500	3	Wynnewood Foundation of Academic Excellence	\$2,500	
Oklahoma Family Policy Council (RIO)	\$5,350	2	YMCA - North Side Branch	\$1,500	
Oklahoma Foundation for Excellence	\$4,000	2	YMCA Camp Classes	\$5,000	
Oklahoma Goodwill Industries	\$2,285		YMCA of Greater Oklahoma City	\$1,200	
Oklahoma Health Sciences Foundation	\$150		Young Life of Edmond	\$500	
Oklahoma Heritage Association	\$5,000		Young Life of Greater Oklahoma City	\$600	2
Oklahoma League for the Blind	\$2,127		YWCA of Oklahoma City	\$500	2
Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation	\$10,211	5	Grants to organizations outside of Oklahoma	\$277,155	49
Oklahoma Philharmonic Society	\$17,407	10			
			Grand Totals	\$2,480,348	694

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation

Governance and Administration

The Community Foundation receives guidance, advice and professional expertise from a number of sources.

A full-time staff oversees day-to-day operations and administrative details. Staff members have professional experience in the areas of administration, fund management and accounting, development, community programs and communications. Executive Director Nancy Anthony and Director of Administration Carla Pickrell each

have been with the Community Foundation for more than a decade.

A 12-member board of trustees makes policy decisions and grant approvals and ensures donors' wishes are carried out with effective use of the endowment funds. This board has representation from both community organizations and the large group of donors who participate in the Community Foundation activities.

In addition, the Community Foundation enjoys the advice and guidance of several advisory committees. Investment practices and performance are overseen by an investment committee made up of local experts in this field, and outside

counsel is provided by James K. Hotchkiss, a well-respected investment manager and consultant.

The six community programs of the Community Foundation benefit from several volunteer advisory committees, which are comprised of community leaders and representatives from each of the program areas.

The Community Foundation truly belongs to those it serves. By seeking the guidance and leadership of such a diverse range of advisers, the Community Foundation is able to reflect the interests and ideas of the greater Oklahoma City area.



After a career at the Oklahoma Art Center and later as an executive director of the Arts Council of Oklahoma City, Marilyn B. Myers became affiliated with the Kirkpatrick Oil Company in 1983, assistant secretary of the Community Foundation in 1984 and director of the Kirkpatrick Family Fund from its inception in 1989. She has been a counselor to many non-profit boards and a mentor to many agency and program directors. We were pleased to honor her outstanding service at the annual Founders Dinner in February.

From left to right: John E. Kirkpatrick, Anne Hodges Morgan and Marilyn B. Meyers.

Investment Policies & Practices

The Community Foundation manages the community's endowment with attention to both the security and performance of its investments. Providing good investment performance is one of the ways the Community Foundation adds value to a donor's contribution and helps non-profits manage endowment assets. The investment policy of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation calls for a portfolio of stocks and bonds that is highly diversified. Capital preservation and protection against inflation through long term growth are the fundamental objectives of the Community Foundation's investment strategy.

Responsibility for investment policy and manager selection rests with a seven member investment committee composed of four trustees or former trustees and three non-trustee Oklahoma City investment professionals. The investment committee for Fiscal Year 2000 was chaired by James H. Holloman, Jr. and included J. Edward Barth, Robert Butkin, and George Records. Community representatives were Jenee' Naifeh Lister,

Patrick Ryan, and G. Rainey Williams, Jr. President Bill Johnstone and Treasurer Raymond Hefner served as ex-officio members.

This committee, along with investment counsel, James Hotchkiss and Associates, determines asset allocation between equities and fixed income. As of June 30, 2000, the percentage of the general pool invested in equities was 65 percent, with the balance in fixed income investments. To provide diversity in the equity portfolio, the committee addresses allocation as to different styles of equity management and chooses style specific professional investment managers. Equity managers were BankOne-core style with both value and growth equities, Bank of Oklahoma-large cap growth equities and Kalmar Investments-small cap growth equities. Fixed Income managers were BankOne and Bank of America. Investment portfolios and performance are reviewed quarterly by the investment committee, with the managers being judged on a time horizon of three to five years.

Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc. • Investment Performance • Pooled Investments

	Percentage Returns		
	Year Ended June 30, 2000	Three Years Ended June 30, 2000	Five Years Ended June 30, 2000
EQUITIES:			
Community Foundation	13.38%	19.74%	23.19%
S&P 500	7.26%	19.68%	23.83%
FIXED INCOME:			
Community Foundation	4.42%	5.79%	5.83%
Lehman G/C Int	4.20%	5.64%	5.84%
TOTAL RETURN:			
Community Foundation	10.30%	14.29%	15.78%
65% S&P 500/35% Lehman G/C Int	6.19%	14.82%	—
60% S&P 500/40% Lehman G/C Int	—	14.04%	16.56%
50% S&P 500/50% Lehman G/C Int	—	—	14.76%

Equity performance is compared to the Standard and Poor's 500 and Russell 2000 Stock Indices; fixed income performance is compared to the Lehman Intermediate Government Corporate Index; total return is compared to a composite of these three indices, with weighting based upon applicable asset allocation instructions given to money managers.

Independent Auditors' Report

The Board of Trustees

Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

We have audited the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position of Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc. and its affiliated organizations (the "Foundation") as of June 30, 2000 and 1999, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc. and its affiliated organizations as of June 30, 2000 and 1999, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the years then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

As described in Note I to the financial statements, effective July 1, 1999, the Foundation changed its method of accounting for assets contributed by a not-for-profit organization for the benefit of that not-for-profit organization to conform with the provisions of Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 136.

Our audits were made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole. The Oklahoma City Community Foundation and Affiliated Organizations—Schedule of Assets is presented for purposes of additional analysis of the consolidated financial statements and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the consolidated financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole.

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
August 16, 2000

Cole & Reed P.C.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION
OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

	June 30	
	2000	1999
ASSETS		
Cash	\$ 95,632	\$ 63,499
Accrued income	1,485,919	1,265,179
Investments:		
Cash equivalent funds and securities	375,304,750	351,650,717
Real estate	3,025,767	1,412,415
Oil and gas properties	207,580	219,563
Contributions receivable	1,480,592	2,661,177
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	383,097	428,286
Collections	-	-
Other assets	2,410,708	1,408,756
	<u>\$ 384,394,045</u>	<u>\$ 359,109,592</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and other liabilities	\$ 142,142	\$ 125,502
Grants and program services payable	2,638,136	2,176,499
Annuity contract payable	142,015	44,999
Assets held for others	1,111,457	584,712
Agency transfers subject to SFAS 136	64,104,130	61,784,585
	<u>68,137,880</u>	<u>64,716,297</u>
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted	315,487,567	293,676,428
Temporarily restricted	768,598	716,867
	<u>316,256,165</u>	<u>294,393,295</u>
	<u>\$ 384,394,045</u>	<u>\$ 359,109,592</u>

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES
OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

	Year Ended June 30, 2000			Year Ended June 30, 1999		
	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total	Unrestricted	Temporarily Restricted	Total
REVENUES AND SUPPORT						
Total Contributions	\$ 10,154,205	\$ 24,950	\$10,179,155	\$ 11,711,373	\$ -	\$ 11,711,373
Less: Agency transfers received	1,070,125	-	1,070,125	1,211,996	-	1,211,996
Contributions	<u>9,084,080</u>	<u>24,950</u>	<u>9,109,030</u>	<u>10,499,377</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,499,377</u>
Total Investment Income	10,516,602	-	10,516,602	9,733,597	-	9,733,597
Less: Income on agency transfers	1,704,974	-	1,704,974	1,606,050	-	1,606,050
Investment Income	<u>8,811,628</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,811,628</u>	<u>8,127,547</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,127,547</u>
Total net investment gains	15,357,639	-	15,357,639	32,284,400	-	32,284,400
Less: Investment gains on agency transfers	1,758,463	-	1,758,463	6,196,929	-	6,196,929
Net investment gains	<u>13,599,176</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,599,176</u>	<u>26,087,471</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>26,087,471</u>
Change in value of split-interest agreements	(5,702)	109,209	103,507	(9,552)	146,597	137,045
Other income	54,051	-	54,051	19,808	-	19,808
Net assets released from restrictions	82,428	(82,428)	-	85,345	(85,345)	-
TOTAL REVENUES AND SUPPORT	<u>31,625,661</u>	<u>51,731</u>	<u>31,677,392</u>	<u>44,809,996</u>	<u>61,252</u>	<u>44,871,248</u>
EXPENSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS						
Total grants and program services	9,709,236	-	9,709,236	7,572,097	-	7,572,097
Less: Grants on agency transfers	2,155,953	-	2,155,953	1,889,239	-	1,889,239
Grants and program services	<u>7,553,283</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,553,283</u>	<u>5,682,858</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,682,858</u>
Total investment management fees	962,538	-	962,538	899,774	-	899,774
Less: Fees on agency transfers	58,064	-	58,064	52,908	-	52,908
Investment management fees	<u>904,274</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>904,274</u>	<u>846,866</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>846,866</u>
General and administrative	990,863	-	990,863	993,794	-	993,794
Development	566,102	-	566,102	319,877	-	319,877
TOTAL EXPENSES AND DISTRIBUTIONS	<u>9,814,522</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,814,522</u>	<u>7,843,395</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>7,843,395</u>
INCREASE IN NET ASSETS	<u>21,811,139</u>	<u>51,731</u>	<u>21,862,870</u>	<u>36,966,601</u>	<u>61,252</u>	<u>37,027,853</u>
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>293,676,428</u>	<u>716,867</u>	<u>294,393,295</u>	<u>256,709,827</u>	<u>655,615</u>	<u>257,365,442</u>
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 315,487,567</u>	<u>\$ 768,598</u>	<u>\$ 316,256,165</u>	<u>\$ 293,676,428</u>	<u>\$ 716,867</u>	<u>\$ 294,393,295</u>

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

	Year Ended June 30	
	2000	1999
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Increase in net assets	\$ 21,862,870	\$ 37,027,853
Adjustments to reconcile to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation and depletion	79,735	88,134
Noncash contributions	(4,031,135)	(3,608,287)
Net noncash receipts	(407,245)	(72,128)
Net investment gains	(15,357,639)	(32,284,400)
Accretion of discount	(300,709)	(323,775)
Increase in assets held for others	526,745	121,277
(Increase) decrease in accrued income	(220,740)	3,274
(Increase) decrease in contributions receivable	1,180,585	(588,183)
Increase in agency transfers subject to SFAS 136	2,319,545	7,072,829
Increase in grants and program services payable	461,637	225,342
Increase in annuity contract payable	97,016	44,999
Increase in accounts payable and other liabilities	16,640	8,764
NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	6,227,305	7,715,699
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchases of investments	(270,625,555)	(260,968,669)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	264,334,423	253,076,438
Proceeds from sale of real estate	68,229	33,282
Purchases of property and equipment	(22,569)	(53,953)
Proceeds from other assets	50,300	147,538
NET CASH USED IN INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(6,195,172)	(7,765,364)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	32,133	(49,665)
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	63,499	113,164
CASH AT END OF YEAR	\$ 95,632	\$ 63,499

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. • JUNE 30, 2000

NOTE A—ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc. (the "Foundation") was incorporated December 30, 1968, under the laws of the State of Oklahoma, as a not-for-profit organization without capital stock to serve the charitable needs of the Oklahoma City area through the development and administration of endowment funds with the goal of preserving capital and enhancing its value for the benefit of the Oklahoma City area.

Rules of Accounting: The consolidated financial statements of the Foundation have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting and, accordingly, reflect all significant receivables, payables, and other liabilities.

Reporting Entity: The consolidated financial statements include the assets, liabilities, net assets, changes in net assets, and cash flows of the Foundation and its revenue-generating affiliated organizations.

Affiliated Organizations	Formed During Year Ended June 30	Affiliated Organizations	Formed During Year Ended June 30
The William E. and Margaret H. Davis Family Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1987	Oklahoma Philharmonic Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1991
The Chrysler Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1988	Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation, Inc.	1991
The Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1989	Oklahoma City Disaster Relief Fund, Inc.	1991
The Kirkpatrick Family Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1989	Heritage Hall Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1996
Cowboy Hall of Fame Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1991	John and Canada Holloman Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1997
Oklahoma Air Space Museum Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1991	Raymond H. and Bonnie Helmer Family Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1998
Oklahoma City Art Museum Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1992	Hospice Foundation of Oklahoma Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1998
Melahn Family Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1992	Laurens Community Foundation, Inc.	1999
Leadership Oklahoma City Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1994	Oklahoma City Retailers Foundation Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1999
Deer Creek Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1995	Bob & Nancy Anthony Family Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	2000
Allied Arts Foundation Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	1995	Love Family Affiliated Fund of The Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	2000

The affiliated organizations are included with the Foundation in the accompanying consolidated financial statements because the Foundation has an economic interest in the organizations and effectively controls the affiliated organizations' boards of trustees. Further, distributions made by the affiliated organizations exclusively benefit the charitable and educational purposes of the Foundation. All nonreal-estate organization transactions have been eliminated.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS— CONTINUED
OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. • JUNE 30, 2000

NOTE A—ORGANIZATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES—Continued
Basic of Presentation: Financial statement presentation follows the recommendations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board in its Statements of Financial Accounting Standards (SFAS) No. 116, *Accounting for Contributions Received and Contributions Made*, No. 117, *Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Organizations* and No. 136, *Transfer of Assets to a Not-for-Profit Organization or Charitable Trust That Retain or Hold Contributions for Others*.

Under SFAS 116 and 117, the Foundation is required to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets. Contributions received are reported as unrestricted, temporarily restricted, or permanently restricted support, depending on the existence or nature of any donor restrictions. The standards also provide that if the governing body of an organization has the right to remove a donor restriction, the contributions should be classified as unrestricted net assets. The Foundation receives contributions from donors with advice regarding distribution of the assets and the earnings therefrom. The Foundation attempts to meet the desires expressed by the donors at the time of the contribution; however, the Foundation reserves the right to modify any restrictions or conditions on the distribution of funds for any specified charitable purpose or to specified organizations if, in the sole judgment of the Foundation's board of trustees, such restrictions or conditions become unnecessary, incapable of fulfillment or inconsistent with the charitable needs of the community. Accordingly, the consolidated financial statements classify all net assets as unrestricted, with the exception of assets related to charitable lead and remainder trusts, which are classified as temporarily restricted net assets due to the time restrictions of the assets.

SFAS 136 requires the Foundation to account for assets that are contributed by a not-for-profit organization (NPO) for the benefit of that NPO or one of its affiliated organizations as a liability to the specified beneficiary organization with recognition of the assets received. All assets of this type and the activity associated with those assets are reported as agency transfers subject to SFAS 136 in the consolidated financial statements.

Contributions Received: Contributions received are recorded as unrestricted net assets as discussed above. It is the expressed intention of the Foundation to honor the designations of donors; however, the Foundation reserves the right to exercise final control over all funds.

Donated Assets: Donated marketable securities and other non-cash donations are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair values at the date of the donations.

Donated Services: No amounts have been reflected in the consolidated financial statements for donated services. The Foundation pays for most services requiring specific expense.

Promises to Give: Unconditional promises to give are recognized as revenues or gains in the period received and as assets, decreases of liabilities, or expenses, depending on the form of the benefits received. All unconditional promises to give are due in one year or less and are expected to be fully collectible. Conditional promises to give are recognized only when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met and the promises become unconditional. At June 30, 2000 and 1999, conditional promises to give total approximately \$1,047,000 and \$1,000,000, respectively.

Grants and Program Services: Grants and program services represent amounts awarded to various not-for-profit organizations to assist with funding of general operations or special programs. Grants and program services payable consist of unconditional amounts awarded, but not paid, to not-for-profit organizations. All amounts included in liabilities at June 30, 2000 are expected to be paid during the year ended June 30, 2001.

Investments: Securities and other investments are managed by various investment managers. Substantially all investments are held under a master custodial arrangement by a bank trust department.

Cash equivalent funds are composed of short-term, highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into known amounts of cash.

Cash equivalent funds, U.S. Government obligations, asset backed obligations, bonds, mutual funds, and common and preferred stocks are reported at fair value in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. Fair values are based on quoted market prices, if available, or the best estimate of fair value determined by the Foundation or the investment manager. All other investments are valued at the lower of cost or fair value. Realized gains and losses on sales of securities are computed on the average cost basis.

Oil and Gas Properties: Depletion of oil and gas properties is based on estimated reserves.

Property and Equipment: Property and equipment is carried at cost or, if donated, at the approximate fair value at the date of donation. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets. The estimated useful lives are three to five years for furniture, fixtures, and equipment, and twenty years for buildings.

Assets Held for Others: Assets held for others represents the portion of assets related to charitable lead and remainder trusts that are held for the donor or other designated beneficiary. This liability is equal to the present value of the expected future payments to be made to the donor or other designated beneficiary.

Collections: The Foundation does not include either the cost or the value of its collections in the consolidated statements of financial position, nor does it recognize gifts of collection items as revenues in the consolidated statements of activities.

Functional Allocation of Expenses: The costs of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the consolidated statements of activities. Costs are allocated between development, general and administrative, or grants and program services based on evaluations of the related activities. General and administrative expenses include those expenses that are not directly identifiable with any other specific function, but provide for the overall support and direction of the Foundation.

Income Tax Status: The Foundation and its affiliated organizations are exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(a) as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and have been determined not to be a private foundation under Section 509(a) of the Code. As a result, income taxes are not included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Concentration of Credit Risk: The Foundation maintains cash in bank deposit accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Foundation has not experienced any losses in such accounts. The Foundation believes that it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on cash or cash equivalents.

Substantially all contributions receivable reflected on the June 30, 2000 consolidated statement of financial position are due from two donors. The Foundation expects this amount to be fully collected within one year. Contributions receivable reflected on the June 30, 1999 consolidated statement of financial position were substantially collected during the year ended June 30, 2000.

Use of Estimates: The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosed contingencies assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Reclassifications: Certain reclassifications have been made in the 1999 consolidated financial statements to conform to the classifications used in the 2000 consolidated financial statements. The consolidated financial statements for the year ended June 30, 1999 have been restated to comply with the provisions of SFAS 136.

NOTE B—INVESTMENTS

Investments in cash equivalent funds and securities at fair value consist of the following:

	June 30	
	2000	1999
Cash equivalent funds	\$ 15,627,941	\$ 14,326,995
Securities:		
U.S. government obligations	74,940,020	61,682,547
Asset backed obligations	39,364,307	39,287,693
Bonds	1,372,918	1,205,237
Mutual funds	2,089,530	2,003,802
Common and preferred stocks	241,910,034	233,184,443
	399,678,809	337,933,722
	\$375,306,750	\$351,650,717

Producing oil and gas properties are net of accumulated depletion of approximately \$588,000 and \$576,000 at June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively. Depletion totaled approximately \$12,000 and \$25,000 in 2000 and 1999, respectively.

NOTE C—PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment is summarized as follows:

	June 30	
	2000	1999
Land	\$ 43,000	\$ 43,000
Building	332,783	531,716
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	339,307	328,152
	715,090	703,868
Less: accumulated depreciation	331,993	275,582
	\$ 383,097	\$ 428,286

Depreciation expense was approximately \$68,000 and \$63,000 in 2000 and 1999, respectively.

NOTE D—SPLIT-INTEREST AGREEMENTS

At June 30, 2000 and 1999, the Foundation has recorded approximately \$2,100,000 and \$1,388,000, respectively, in fair value of various split-interest agreements in an asset in its consolidated statements of financial position. Assets received under these agreements are recorded at fair value and in the appropriate net asset category based on donor stipulation. Related contributions per the agreements are recognized as contribution revenue and are equal to the present value of future benefits to be received by the Foundation over the term of the agreements. Contributions received under these agreements totaled approximately \$91,000 and \$18,000 in 2000 and 1999, respectively. Liabilities have been established for those split-interest agreements for which the Foundation is the trustee or for which the Foundation is obligated to an annuitant under a charitable gift annuity. These liabilities totaled approximately \$1,253,000 and \$630,000 at June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively. During the term of these agreements, changes in the value of the split-interest agreements are recognized in the consolidated statements of activities based on accretion of the discounted amount of the contribution, and recalculations of the expected future benefits (payments) to be received (paid) by the Foundation (beneficiaries), based on changes in life expectancy and other assumptions. Discount rates ranging from 7.0% to 8.0% were used in these calculations at the date of the contributions. Split-interest agreements for which the Foundation is the trustee and the charitable beneficiary is revocable are included in the assets and liabilities above. The liability for these revocable agreements is equal to the fair value of the assets.

NOTE E—GRANTS AND PROGRAM SERVICES PAYABLE

Grants and program services payable consist of unconditional amounts awarded, but not paid, to various not-for-profit groups. The Foundation's trustees have also approved conditional grants and program services totaling approximately \$274,000 and \$193,000 at June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively. No amounts have been recognized in the consolidated financial statements because the recipient agencies have not met certain conditions of the grant.

NOTE F—COLLECTIONS

The Foundation maintains various collections of works of art, historical treasures, and similar assets. These collections are maintained for public exhibition, education, and research in furtherance of public service rather than for financial gain. These assets are protected, kept unencumbered, cared for, and preserved by the Kirkpatrick Center Affiliated Fund. As a matter of policy, the proceeds of items in collections that are sold are used to acquire other items for collections.

The Foundation maintains nine separate collections, including the African Art Collection, Asian Art Collection, Boehm Collection, Baker Collection, Clock Collection, Payne Collection, Sutton Collection, Pre-Columbian Collection, and Victorian Doll House Collection. Each of these collections is subject to the policies referred to above.

NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS— CONTINUED
OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC. • JUNE 30, 2000

NOTE G—CONTRIBUTED SERVICES

Several of the Foundation's trustees who assist the Foundation with special projects provide contributed services. No amounts have been recognized in the consolidated statements of activities because the criteria for recognition have not been satisfied.

NOTE H—RETIREMENT PLAN AND OTHER BENEFITS

Substantially all employees of the Foundation participate in the Retirement Plan of Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc., commonly known as a Section 403(b) annuity plan. Under the plan, the Foundation contributes 10% of the respective employee's regular salary to provide retirement benefits. In addition, the employees may contribute a specified percentage of their regular salary to the plan. The total amount contributed by the Foundation and the employee cannot exceed 20% of the employee's regular salary. Contributions are subject to Internal Revenue Service limitations. Contributions made by the Foundation are 100% vested after seven years of service. Benefits paid under the plan are limited to the sum of the employee's and the Foundation's contributions and investment earnings on those contributions. The Foundation contributed approximately \$58,000 and \$49,000 to the plan during the years ended June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively.

The Foundation entered into severance benefit agreements with selected key executives. Split-dollar life insurance premiums of approximately \$65,000 and \$52,000 are included in other assets, and severance benefits payable of approximately \$137,000 and \$118,000 are included in accounts payable and other liabilities at June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively.

NOTE I—AGENCY TRANSFERS SUBJECT TO SFAS 136

Effective July 1, 1999, the Foundation adopted SFAS No. 136, *Transfer of Assets to a Not-for-Profit Organization or Charitable Trust That Raises or Holds Contributions for Others*. This statement establishes standards for transactions in which the Foundation accepts a contribution from a donor and agrees to transfer those assets, the returns on investment of those assets or both to another entity that is specified by the donor. SFAS 136 specifically requires that if a NPO establishes a fund as a community foundation with its own funds and specifies itself or one of its affiliated organizations as the beneficiary of that fund, the community foundation must account for the transfer of such assets and the activity associated with those assets as a liability.

The Foundation maintains variance power, as described in the governing documents of the Foundation, and legal ownership over these funds and as such continues to report the funds as assets of the Foundation. Variance power assures donors that if the charitable purpose of their contribution becomes impractical or impossible, the distributions will be directed to similar purposes in the community. A liability for agency transfers subject to SFAS 136 has been established for the fair value of the assets contributed by NPOs for their benefit and the activity associated with those assets in the amount of approximately \$64,104,000 and \$61,785,000 at June 30, 2000 and 1999, respectively. All financial activity for the years ended June 30, 2000 and 1999 related to these assets is segregated on the consolidated statements of activities and has been reclassified to the liability.

The Foundation elected to adopt SFAS 136 retroactively by restating opening balances as of July 1, 1998, and the consolidated financial statements for the year ended June 30, 1999. The following table provides a reconciliation of total net assets as previously reported as of July 1, 1998 to total net assets as restated:

Total net assets, as previously reported	\$312,077,198
Less: Fair value of agency transfers subject to SFAS 136 as of July 1, 1998	<u>54,711,756</u>
Total net assets, as restated	<u>\$257,365,442</u>

As a result of the adoption of SFAS 136, the increase in net assets reported in the consolidated statements of activities for the year ended June 30, 1999 is approximately \$7,075,000 less than the amount previously reported.

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AND AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS—SCHEDULE OF ASSETS

OKLAHOMA CITY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, INC.

	June 30	
	2000	1999
Oklahoma City Community Foundation, Inc.	\$ 137,560,162	\$ 122,616,496
William E. and Margaret H. Davis Family	1,673,374	1,612,837
Omniplex	5,707,081	5,645,528
Kirkpatrick Center	44,487,007	44,109,288
Kirkpatrick Family	149,503,491	144,334,477
Cowboy Hall of Fame	982,127	1,003,065
Oklahoma Air Space Museum	5,403,431	5,263,823
Oklahoma City Art Museum	6,254,365	6,015,873
Maltahn Family	1,755,974	1,212,381
Leadership Oklahoma City	1,086,710	1,023,977
Deer Creek	1,373,963	1,241,801
Allied Arts Foundation	1,109,660	1,053,967
Oklahoma Philharmonic	1,837,176	1,737,587
Rural Oklahoma Community Foundation, Inc.	1,508,338	1,413,689
Oklahoma City Disaster Relief Fund, Inc.	12,613,692	12,311,400
Heritage Hall	1,865,315	1,838,559
John and Claudia Holliman	1,719,701	1,583,496
Raymond H. and Bonnie Hefner Family	1,483,203	1,375,439
Hospice Foundation of Oklahoma	1,353,467	1,296,043
Lawton Community Foundation, Inc.	696,610	416,064
Oklahoma City Retailers Foundation	2,115,508	2,003,802
Bob and Nancy Anthony Family	572,145	-
Love Family	1,731,545	-
	<u>\$ 384,394,045</u>	<u>\$ 359,109,592</u>

Board of Trustees 1999-2000

The policies, administration, activities and grant decisions of the Oklahoma City Community Foundation are governed by a 12-member board of trustees.

Selected because of their integrity, community knowledge and ability to make fair judgments

on complex issues, each may serve up to three, three-year terms. This board ensures the endowment is managed efficiently, to guarantee distributions are made in accordance with donors' intentions and to guide the Community Foundation in

responding to the changing needs of the community. In keeping with the Community Foundation's tradition of independently appointed members, six trustees are appointed to the board by outside organizations and six are elected by the trustees committee.



*William O. Johnstone
President of the Board*



*Jeanette L. Gamba
President Elect*



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1989-91



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1989-99

Foundation Officers 1999-2000

In addition to the board of trustees, the Oklahoma City Community Foundation has four officers who manage and assist the Community Foundation in its overall goals and opportunities.



*John L. Belt
Secretary and
General Counsel*



*Marilyn B. Myers
Assistant Secretary*



*Nancy B. Anthony
Assistant Secretary
Executive Director*



*Carla S. Pickrell
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Director of Administration*

Community Foundation Committees

The Community Foundation is fortunate to have a number of interested and qualified community representatives participate in its committee structure. Broad-based community participation is an important element in the Community Foundation's efforts to serve as the "community's endowment." We appreciate the time and expertise of all of those who have served during the past year. Terms ended June 30, 2000.

BOARD COMMITTEES

AUDIT COMMITTEE

Dick Sias, chair; Rocky Duckworth; Kirk Hall; John Rex and Gene Torbett (Watson Moyers elected May 2000)

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Bill Johnstone, chair; Jeanette Gamba; Jim Holloman; Paul Odom and Dick Sias

INVESTMENT COMMITTEE

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ADVISORY COMMITTEES

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Affiliated Fund Trustees

Affiliated Funds at the Community Foundation are large endowments which are separately incorporated, 509(a)(3) organizations and have their own board of trustees who are actively involved in policy decision-making and the distribution of the earnings of the fund for charitable purposes. These trustees are appointed both by the Community Foundation and by the donor organization or family. The trustees listed below served during fiscal 2000, which ended June 30, 2000.

William E. and Margaret H. Davis Family Fund

Nancy Ellis, William E. Davis, Jim Holloman, Richard Davis
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what is a community foundation fund?

How a Fund is Started

A fund is a group of contributions which are earmarked for the same purpose. A fund can be started by an individual, a group of donors or even a non-profit organization.

An individual donor, a foundation or a corporation may contribute to a number of different funds.

The Community Foundation keeps the history of every donor's contribution in a donor profile. The donor profile section of this report describes the gifts of hundreds of individual donors. (see pages 8-48)

The Community Foundation has more than 800 funds serving a wide variety of purposes. These are described in the next column. A donor may make a contribution to any of these funds in any amount at any time. A donor may establish a new fund within any of these areas. Minimum amounts vary by fund type. (see page 7)

Fund agreements between the donor and the Community Foundation outline the purpose of the fund and how the Community Foundation will administer the assets.

Also donors can contribute to Community Foundation funds through a bequest in a will or trust, or through a variety of gift planning vehicles which allow the donor to maximize the tax advantages available as well as meet his or her charitable goals. A donor may wish to start a separate fund for a special charitable purpose, to serve as a memorial for a loved one or to support the donor's charitable goals through donor-advised giving.

Charitable remainder trusts, life insurance trusts and remainder interests in real estate often provide substantial lifetime advantages to the donors as well as creating a generous charitable bequest.

Memorial contributions can be made to any Community Foundation fund. The donor and the family of the person being remembered are both acknowledged.

The variance power, as described in the governing documents of the Community Foundation, assures donors that if the charitable purpose of their contribution becomes impractical or impossible, the distributions will be directed to similar purposes in the community.

How the Earnings are Used

At the time of each contribution, a donor can suggest how the earnings from that contribution should be used. Gifts can benefit any combination of the following types of funds:

Designated Endowment Funds

The gift can be designated to a specific non-profit organization's endowment fund. The Community Foundation has endowments for more than 200 non-profit organizations.

Field of Interest Funds

A gift may be intended to support a type of charity such as youth programs or medical research. The trustees administer each fund according to the donor's intentions providing support to a number of activities in that area.

Scholarship Funds

The Community Foundation administers scholarships that provide financial assistance for higher education, enrichment activities and vocational training. Donors can contribute to existing funds or establish a new scholarship fund.

Donor-Advised Giving

Each year the trustees ask the donor to suggest which organizations should receive earnings from these funds. This type of participation by a donor provides maximum flexibility in accommodating changing charitable interests and community needs.

Affiliated Funds and Family Funds

Affiliated funds are supporting organizations which are alternatives to private foundations, separate endowments or trusts. They work well for families wishing to establish charitable foundations.

Partner's Funds

This fund provides donors with an opportunity for a less-expensive and more efficient alternative to a commercial gift fund.

Fund for Oklahoma City

This fund provides grants to a wide range of community activities. Trustees and staff study community needs and work to ensure that funds are efficiently used.

How the Funds Can Grow

Additional Contribution

Contributions may be in the form of cash, marketable securities, real estate, oil and gas interests and royalties, life insurance policies and retirement plan assets. All gifts that are contributed to the Community Foundation are tax deductible. The Community Foundation is happy to work with donors to facilitate non-cash contributions. The Community Foundation is a public charity and is not bound by many of the restrictions placed upon private foundations.

Bequests Via Wills and Charitable Provisions in Personal Trusts

Bequests through wills and charitable provisions in personal trusts have been used by many donors to establish funds or add to their previous contributions. The Community Foundation works to ensure that a donor's intentions for their gifts are preserved and that the contributions are remembered by the community.

Investment Performance

Investment of most funds is through the pooled investments of the Community Foundation, which are overseen by its Investment Committee and Investment Counsel. The Community Foundation employs professional investment managers at favorably negotiated fees. Each fund receives a proportionate share of investment appreciation. Investment performance is reported to the funds annually. Competitive investment performance helps build the value of these funds and increases the annual earnings.

Gifts Continue Into the Future

The Community Foundation funds are vehicles through which donors can provide annual financial support to charitable organizations and areas of interest. Individual donors can see their gifts to the endowment continue to provide support for years to come. Even after donors are no longer able to contribute, earnings from their gifts will continue to provide support for the community in perpetuity.



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