The mission of the Freeport Community Foundation is to help provide for the well-being of the citizens of northwest Illinois by accumulating assets in the form of permanent funds and prudently using income from those funds to charitable organizations.

How have we made an impact?

$67,676.34 AWARDED IN GRANTS IN 2015

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The Freeport Community Foundation’s financials are audited by Benning Group, LLC. 2014 audited year-end balance: $4,093,854.00. Full audited statements and IRS Form 990 are available upon request. The Freeport Community Foundation’s Finance Committee meets quarterly and is responsible for overseeing the investments of the Foundation’s assets. The names of the investment managers and fees charged are available upon request from our office.

A message from the President...

The Freeport Community Foundation was founded in 1975 to create a lasting legacy of funds for charitable organizations serving the people of Northwest Illinois. For 40 years FCF has provided a constant source of grant funding to local non-profit charitable organizations. We are proud to say that FCF has granted awards in excess of two million dollars! In 2016, we will work towards raising awareness of FCF. Your gifts fund our endowment process enabling us to give back to our communities. Please join us on the journey of making a philanthropic impact in our communities both in the immediate future and for the long term.

We welcome your questions and urge you to learn more about your FCF of NWIL by visiting us at www.freeportcommunityfoundation.org or by phone 815-801-3055.

Bob Nickels, Board President

The Foundation recognizes with sincere appreciation the following memorial gifts:

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___ Youth Advisory Council (YAC) Fund
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