

South Central Iowa Community Foundation Community Connection

Our mission is to contribute to a better life for people of South Central Iowa by helping donors to carry out their charitable intent and by providing responsible stewardship of gifts for community purposes.

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Welcome Stacy



Stacy Stephens

Stacy Stephens is the Program & Administrative Assistant for SCICF. She lives in Chariton with her husband, Rob, of 17 years, sons Alec & Tanner, and a dog named Blizzy. Alec is a junior in high school and Tanner is a freshman.

Stacy was born in Corydon and grew up in Humeston. Her family moved to Chariton where she later graduated from high school. She attended Indian Hills Community College and majored in Accounting.

Stacy enjoys golfing, camping, exercising, watching her boys play sports, and spending time with friends and family.

Stacy is excited to join SCICF!

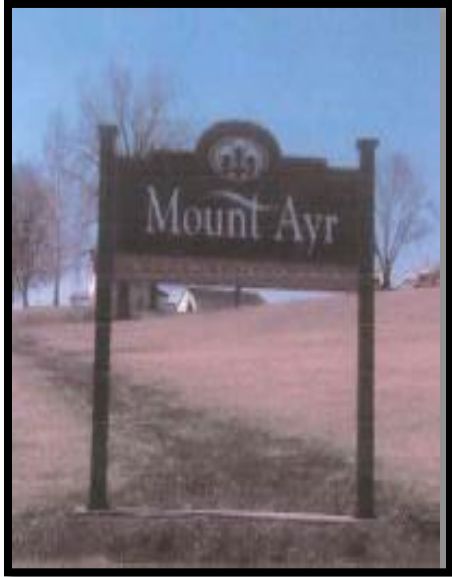
Clarke County Animal Shelter Endowment

The Clarke County Animal Shelter Endowment was established in 2013. The endowment will assist the shelter in helping homeless animals that are in need. The fund currently has a market value of over \$22,000.

Contact our office for more information or to learn how you can contribute to this fund.



Ringgold SCICF Awards \$3,100 Grant



Ringgold County SCICF awarded \$3,100 to the Mount Ayr Entrance Sign Committee for the entrance sign project.

The entrance sign project placed permanent signs that are designed to encourage economic growth and development for the Mount Ayr community. The first sign greets motorists as they enter town on highway 169. The second sign invites travelers along highway 2 to explore Mount Ayr's historic town square.

SCICF is proud to support this great project.

Decatur County Hospital Auxiliary Endowment



Front Row: Sharon South, Pat Klinker, Stacy Stephens, Diane Bear, Sue Kelly, and Jane Fleming
Back Row: Janet Richman, Sandy Walker, Tammy Heintz, Rachel Duncan, Linda Chastain, and Jeanne Vogel

The Decatur County Hospital Auxiliary Endowment was established in 2011 to support the programs and activities of the Decatur County Hospital Auxiliary. To date the endowment has received 26 gifts totaling over \$41,000. The market value of the endowment is over \$48,000. Decatur County SCICF is pleased to award a \$5,000 matching grant to assist with the growth of the endowment fund.

Union County Historical Society Receives Grant



The Union County Historical Society received a \$4,500 grant to replace shingles on the Edaburn House. The Union County Historical Society was founded in 1966 by a group of people interested in preserving history. There are now 18 buildings on the Union County Historical Society site, with 6 of them being original. The Edaburn House is an original home located on site. The house was moved to its present location in the 1980s.

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Lucas County Poverty Endowment

The Lucas County Poverty Endowment Fund was established by anonymous donors in 2007. The primary purpose of the fund is to reduce poverty in Lucas County.

The fund has received 40 gifts totaling over \$40,000 and has awarded 4 grants totaling \$2,050. The market value of the endowment is over \$50,000.



**The Lamoni Freedom Fund
grant deadline is October 1st**

visit www.scicf.org under the Decatur tab to
get an application form

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