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Chowan Community Funds Foundation awards more than \$17,000 in local grants

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The board of advisors of the Chowan Community Funds Foundation announces \$17,280 in local awards from its community grantmaking fund, according to Katharine Farless, board president.

This year the board will grant:

- \$2,000 to the Albemarle Commission Senior Nutrition Program for the Meals on Wheels program
- \$500 to Albemarle Hopeline for general operating support
- \$2,280 to the Boys & Girls Club of Edenton/Chowan County for junior staff
- \$2,000 to Caregiver's Day Out, Inc. for general operating support
- \$2,000 to the Chowan/Perquimans Smart Start Partnership for the Reach Out and Read program
- \$1,000 to the Dream Hunt & Fishing Program for general operating support
- \$1,000 to the Edenton Farmers Market for the Educational Path to Healthier Residents in Northeastern North Carolina program
- \$3,000 to the Edenton-Chowan Food Pantry for the Book Bag Buddies program
- \$1,500 to Kids First, Inc. for the Child Abuse Treatment project
- \$2,000 to Special Olympics North Carolina for Special Olympics North Carolina - Chowan County

Farless thanked the community for its support of the Chowan Community Funds Foundation. “We are proud to support these nonprofit programs that are so important to our community,” she said. “We are grateful to the many generous individuals and organizations that have supported the Chowan Community Funds Foundation and our work to inspire philanthropy across our community.”

For further information, contact NCCF Regional Director Natalie Peel at 252-562-9824 or npeel@nccommunityfoundation.org or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the Chowan Community Funds Foundation

The Chowan Community Funds Foundation is a growing family of philanthropic funds, resource for area nonprofits, source of grants for worthy local causes and partner for donors. CCFF is led by a local volunteer advisory board that helps build community assets through the creation of permanent endowments, makes grants and leverages leadership – all for the benefit of Chowan County. Whatever your means or charitable goals, the CCFF makes it easy to become a philanthropist. CCCF was founded in 2006 and is an affiliate foundation of the North Carolina Community Foundation. In addition to Farless, board members include: Lynne Layton (vice president), Robin Sams (secretary treasurer), John Bryant, Robert Ford, Cynthia Harding, Paul Hicks and Landon Mason.

Tax-deductible contributions, made payable to the Chowan Community Funds Foundation, can be mailed to the North Carolina Community Foundation, 3737 Glenwood Ave. Suite 460, Raleigh, NC 27612. Contributions can also be made online at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has administered more than \$130 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With nearly \$247 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with a network of affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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Chowan Community Funds Foundation board members pose for a photo with representatives of local nonprofit organizations following the 2018 grant awards ceremony where the board handed out \$17,000 in local grants.

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