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Clay County Community Foundation awards \$1,950 in local grants

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The board of advisors of the Clay County Community Foundation recently announced \$1,950 in local grant awards from the community grantmaking fund, according to Bill Breedlove, board president.

This year the board granted:

- \$1,300 to the Brasstown Community Civic Center for the Community Education Center AKA Shoolhouse
- \$650 to the Hiwassee River Watershed Coalition for expanding the capacity for water quality monitoring in Clay County

Breedlove thanked the community for its support of the Clay County Community Foundation. “We are proud to support these nonprofit programs that are so vital to the community,” he said. “We are grateful to the many generous individuals and organizations that have supported our work to inspire philanthropy across our community.”

The Clay County Community Foundation is a growing family of philanthropic funds, source of grants for local causes and partner for donors. CCCF was founded in 1992 and 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 Clay County.

The CCCF board advises the Clay County Community Fund, the unrestricted community grantmaking fund, to support local needs. This competitive grants program is held annually. Because advisory board members live and work in Clay County, they can leverage resources to help meet local needs and access opportunities. In addition to Breedlove, board members include: Jodi Sullivan (secretary), Harry Baughn and Glenda Cheeks.

The CCCF, through the North Carolina Community Foundation, makes it easy to become a philanthropist, whatever your means or charitable goals. You can open an endowment for your favorite cause at any time – or contribute to an existing fund in any amount. Tax-deductible

contributions, made payable to the Clay County Community 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 \$145 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With more than \$270 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,300 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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