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In 2022 over 600 individuals, organizations, and businesses supported the Owatonna Foundation. The continued generosity of our community makes the projects listed below possible. Thank you for your support!

2022 Projects:

Owatonna American Legion:

The Committee approved funds for installation of a handicap lift to provide access to their lower-level meeting room for elderly and disabled veterans. Also, for the installation of new windows on the south side of their building.



ISD 761: Over a three-year period, funds have been allocated towards a Community Room in the new High School. This project is in partnership with the ISD 761 Foundation.



Moonlighters Exchange Club:

Funds were awarded to establish a Veteran's Memorial in Owatonna. The Foundation approved funding needed to purchase the granite for this project.



Steele County Historical Society (SCHS): Funds were approved for moveable walls for the Exhibition Hall. The walls will help SCHS arrange new exhibits in their 3,600 sq ft space that normally houses 1-2 exhibits a year.



Let's Smile, Inc: The full Board of Trustees granted funds for a handheld X Ray Machine with intra-oral camera and for a Cavitron Ultrasonic scaler system as part of their permanent dental equipment in their Community Pathways location.



Riverland Community College-

Owatonna Campus: Funds were awarded to turn a nursing classroom into a classroom for automated robotic and manufacturing equipment and training. This grant will help renovate this room to fit large automatic training equipment.



Community Pathways of Steele County, Inc.:

Funds were allocated to the expansion of their current facility, expanding Unique Finds, and providing space for Let's Smile, Inc. and Transitional Housing. Additional funds were awarded in 2022 for a pallet lift for efficiency and safety for staff and volunteers.



Steele County Free Fair (SCFF)

Great Outdoors Center: The former Game and Fish building on the Steele County Fairgrounds has been renamed the "Great Outdoors Center" as a part of the building's total renovation. As part of this renovation to this important landmark, additional funds were awarded in 2022 to add upper remote windows for better air circulation and cooling and additional siding for upper half of building.



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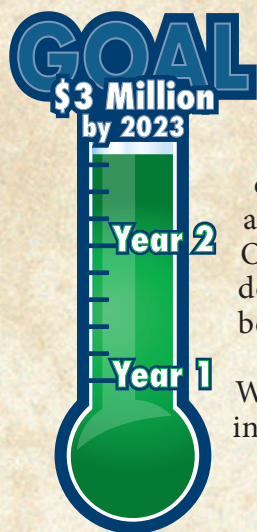
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3 in 3 by 2023: Since 1958 the Owatonna Foundation has helped to make community dreams come true by investing over 13 million dollars into Owatonna. Our community has grown into the vibrant place it is because of the enthusiasm, hard work, and support of many. Yet, there are more projects that still need funding. It is our vision to make more of Owatonna's dreams come true. How many projects have been imagined but never realized in Owatonna? The Owatonna Foundation with the 3 in 3 by 2023 initiative wants to make more of those dreams a reality. The Owatonna Foundation is in the final year of the 3 in 3 by 2023 campaign. Please help us finish this campaign strong by helping us reach our goal of \$1 million dollars in donations in 2023.



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We are asking that the community of Owatonna join in the excitement and help us meet this incredible milestone. The impact on our community will be substantial and long standing.

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