BUILDING A LEGACY FOR PRESENT AND FUTURE GENERATIONS

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PLEASE NOTE OUR NEW OFFICE ADDRESS:

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Carbon County is a place unlike any I’ve ever encountered. It starts with the name; anthracite coal was discovered in Summit Hill in 1791, when our region was still a part of Northampton County. In the decades that followed, our humble, rural communities played a vital role in the Industrial Revolution as the home to rail and steel magnates, mines and smelters, and relatively isolated enclaves full of hardworking, proud people. Across that spectrum, these individuals shared a fierce devotion to their communities, instilling that same love of place in the generations that followed. Unlike other regions, where one community bleeds into the next, Carbon County locales are distinct. Our towns are defined by the mountainous terrain and strong fabric of natural resources that surround and unite us.

I’m not a native; I was born in the Lehigh Valley, which may as well be another country for all the differences we share. My husband is from Lehighton, however, and together we are raising our three children here. No matter where they may wander in this world, Carbon County will always be the place they call “home.”

But will they choose to live here? I am excited to grow this Foundation, so we can ensure that our community continues to be a great place to live. I want to help make sure it grows stronger and thrives. Our board of directors shares that vision and formally stated so at the end of 2017 in our first strategic plan when we drafted our vision statement—*We envision a vibrant and sustainable community empowered through charitable giving.*

That vision lies at the heart of what it means to grow from donor to a philanthropist. You don’t need to be a Rockefeller to make a difference in a community as small as ours. All it takes is a willingness to work with CCCF to build strategic funds—take care of retirement or estate planning concerns, minimize tax liability, honor the memory of a loved one or support the cause or organization that matters most to you—to create a legacy gift for our community.

If you share this vision and would like to help, to give back to our region today and in lasting ways that will help meet our community needs over time, please get in touch. Let’s start the conversation about your goals and what options for philanthropic giving might be the best fit for you.
2018 IMPACT STORIES

LEARN ABOUT THE STORIES OF THESE GRANT RECIPIENTS AND OTHERS AT: CCCFOUNDPA.ORG/CATEGORY/IMPACT-STORY/

PANTHER VALLEY PLAYGROUND
Because every child deserves a safe place to play

ST. LUKE’S REACH OUT AND READ
A program that prescribes reading to parents and pre-k children

KIDDER TOWNSHIP VIDEO
A project to recruit first responders / emergency service volunteers

MEALS ON WHEELS OF PALMERTON
A volunteer-driven efficient program that helps the elderly

a thank you from the people we deliver to.
2018 FEATURED FUNDS

GET THE LATEST ON THESE AND OTHER FUNDS AT: CCCFOUNDPA.ORG/EXISTING-FUNDS/

**DOWD-BERGER FAMILY FUND**
A Donor-Advised Fund established by John and Tina Dowd (Lehighton residents and CCCF Founders) to support their family’s charitable interests.

[Photo of John and Tina Dowd]

**NOTHSTEIN HOMETOWN PROUD SUPPORT FUND**
Formerly a private foundation, Richard and Darlene Nothstein (Palmerton residents and CCCF Founders) created this Donor-Advised Fund to support their charitable interests throughout the community.

[Photo of Richard and Darlene Nothstein]

**ANASTASIA SUSKO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**
Established by the family and friends of Ana Susko to award a $1500 scholarship annually to a graduating female senior from Jim Thorpe Area School District

[Photo of Ana Susko]

**CARBON COUNTY CREATIVE ARTS**
A field of interest fund started by Kathy Fallow to support the arts in our region

[Photo of people at an arts event]
2017-18 CCCF growth

**TOTAL_assets**

- 12/31/2017 = $368,683
- 12/31/2018 = $574,611

**Giving GRANTS BY IMPACT AREA**

- **Social Services**: 31.2%
- **Health & Wellness**: 25.3%
- **Neighborhoods & Community Dev.**: 26.8%
- **Education**: 9.2%
- **Youth Issues**: 7.5%

**Total CCCF-Advised Grants**: $11,500
**Total Donor-Advised Grants**: $20,950

**Total Grants Since 2016**: $64,650

Grants awarded from all funds through 12/31/18

View full 2018 financial statement at:
IN GRATEFUL RECOGNITION OF OUR DONORS

20/20 CIRCLE

Barbara Franzosa
Brandy and Jason Frey
Elissa Garofalo
Cynthia Gasper
Danielle and Leon George (George’s Busing)
Yvette and Richard Getz (Forest Inn Masonry Supply)
Ami Gruber
Bob Jacobs and Dave Artman
Maya Kowalcyk (Purple Green Juice Bar)
Peter and Carol Kern
Colette and Steve Kresge
Dr. Michael and Melissa Martinez
Jaime and Sharon Mendes
Jean and Scott Papay (Mystic Cleaning Services)
Emily Phifer
Troy and Mary Ellen Phifer
Tony Rehrig
Pat and Pam Reilly
Cindy Reinhard
Kreg and Kim Rodrigues
Lisa Snell Kern and Carl Kern
Chip and Shari Solt (Joey B’s)
Dr. Louis Sportelli
Rebecca Steigerwalt
Mark Wagstaff and Robin Grohotolski

Carlene Andress (Andress Appraisals)
Michelle Behler
Ray and Ann Marie Bossard (Bossard’s Board Works)
Dave and Charmaine Bradley (Thermal Solutions, Inc.)
Amber Breiner and Josh Finsel (JFAB Photography)
Tiffani and Jim Christman (Jim Christman Real Estate)
Jay and Diana Cooperman
Dennis and Susan DeMara
Kathy and Charles Fallow
Bernie Fierro
Mark Fludgate (Elk Lighting)

ANASTASIA SUSKO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Bill and Penny Allison
Barbara Cerimele
Carbon Chamber & Economic Dev. Corp (WIB)
Elissa Garofalo
Erna Lake
Jerry McAward
Terry Opiela
David Stianche
and many others who supported related fundraising events
IN GRATEFUL RECOGNITION OF OUR DONORS

CARBON COUNTY CREATIVE ARTS FUND

Walt and Jennifer Bevilacqua (WB Electric)  Dr. James and Kay Kintzel
Blue Mountain Ski Resort  David Matsinko
Emily Bradbury  Carol O’Brien
Janine Carazo  Chris and Sue Olivia
Roy and Linda Christman  PBS39
Mary Cyr  Kada Rehrig
Kathy and Charles Fallow  Cheryl Rodger/Rhonda Roman (Inn at Birch Wilds)
Joe Hiatt & Bill Lance  Janet Salek
Kris and Marian Hoffner  Jeannie and Michael Samok
Bob Jacobs  Sherri Scott
Jim Thorpe Neighborhood Bank  Mary Anne Shafer
JCF Foundation  Times News
King Spry Herman Freund & Faul  Joan Turko

and many others who attended and contributed to related fundraising events including artists (Mary Coover, Jay Davenport, Doug Didyoung, Milan Melicharek, Edie Roeder, Randall Sellers, Lynn Shupp, Desha Utsick, Stephanie Verme), musicians (Brett Andrew, Vince DiGiosio, Christie McGorry, Kyle O’Brien, Skylar Stabin), auctioneer Chris Wolfe, and volunteers (Virginia Cassell, Emily Phifer, Kim Rabenold, Aki Susko)

THE FUND FOR CARBON COUNTY

*notes those who have made the Founders’ pledge

*Bill and Penny Allison
*Chris and Sheri Anthony
*Joe and DebraKay Bennett
*Michael and Marian Carty
*Jim and Tiffani Christman
Jay and Diana Cooperman
*John and Tina Dowd
*Dr. Michael Everett
*Mark and Pam Fludgate
*Colette and Steve Kresge
Thomas and Rebecca Klotz
*Richard and Darlene Nothstein
Comm. Wayne Nothstein
*RF Ohl
Dr. Louis Sportelli
*Marshall Walters

and many other individuals and organizations who have helped to make our work possible, including:

Appalachian Regional Commission
Carbon Chamber and Economic Development Corporation
Dekka Studios
PA Rep. Doyle Heffley
NEPA Alliance / NCAC
The Luzerne Foundation
Tweed Weber Danks
UGI
PA Sen. John Yudichak
Give today.
Build a legacy for tomorrow.

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