







2016-2017 annual report

CONNECTING PEOPLE WHO CARE WITH CAUSES THAT MATTER...FOREVER.













Mission Statement

The Williamsburg Community Foundation connects people who care with causes that matter in our community...forever.

We pursue this mission by:

- Building permanent, flexible endowment funds that respond to emerging and changing community needs;
- Providing effective stewardship of charitable funds;
- Advising donors with varied interests to help them achieve their philanthropic goals; and
- Serving as a resource, catalyst and coordinator for charitable activities.

Vision Statement

The Williamsburg Community Foundation's vision is to be a trusted philanthropic leader enhancing all aspects of life in the area through its unique grant and scholarship programs and its delivery of the highest quality donor services.

Values

Integrity and Stewardship Innovation and Flexibility Inclusiveness and Diversity Community Focus

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Above: 2016 Board of Trustees. Not pictured: Linda R. Caviness, Susanna B. Hickman, Sterling Nichols, Howard W. Smith Sr., Christine Williamson

a message from Paul W. Gerhardt CHAIR OF THE BOARD 2016-2017

This past year the Williamsburg Community Foundation challenged you to increase your financial support as an investment in future grants and scholarships. I am very pleased to report that you have helped the Foundation thrive during the 2016-17 fiscal year.

The Board set ambitious goals for VISION 2020, the Foundation's core initiative, and the first full year has exceeded expectations. Over \$1 million in contributions were made during the year.

The six area endowment funds, which are the cornerstones of the initiative, grew considerably, with the Health and Community Wellness Fund becoming the first to meet the \$20,000 matching challenge. WCF received gifts or pledges from donors establishing named funds in three of our six focus areas: Environment and Conservation, Senior Services, and Health and Community Wellness. (See chart below.) In addition to gifts received, the net investment return of 10.72% during the calendar year resulted in extraordinary growth for WCF endowment funds.

More of you than ever before donated to the Annual Fund. In addition, a number of individuals joined the Legacy Society by pledging gifts from their estate plans.

Because of your support for our work, WCF will invest more in our community next year and over the long term. You can read more concerning the accomplishments achieved this year and about a few of the people who enabled them throughout this annual report.

I would like to thank you, as well as our volunteer board and committee members, and staff for stepping up to the plate, joining VISION 2020, and helping WCF reach \$6.2 million in assets.

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Paul W. Gerhardt | Chair



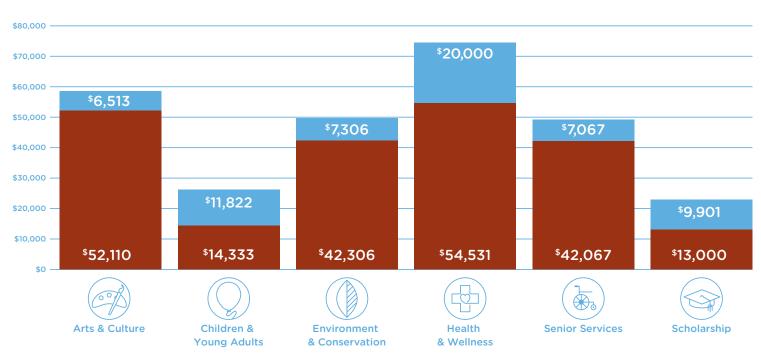
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Vision 2020 Field of Interest Endowment Funds



Each of these funds will award grants within that field of interest. Gifts and pledges as of 1/31/17:



community endowment funds

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types of funds

Community Endowment Funds

Unrestricted endowment gifts to the WCF are placed in the Community Endowment, which the Board of Trustees uses to address the changing needs of greater Williamsburg through a competitive process. Named funds within the Community Endowment may be established with a minimum gift of \$10,000.

Field-of-Interest Funds

A Field-of-Interest Fund allows a donor to select a particular area for grantmaking. Grant recipients will be selected through a competitive process. Named Funds may be established with a minimum gift of \$35,000.

Designated and Agency Endowment Funds

A Designated Fund allows the donor to select one or more specific charities to receive grants from the fund when the fund is established. Nonprofit organizations may establish an Agency Endowment Fund to support their work. Both of these funds may be established with a minimum gift of \$10,000.

Scholarship Funds

Scholarship Funds may be established with a minimum initial gift of \$35,000. Gifts in any amount can be made to support scholarships through the Williamsburg-James City County Scholarship Fund.

Donor-Advised Funds

The Donor-Advised Fund is a highly flexible option for donors who wish to be actively involved in their choice of grant recipients. Through this type of fund, a donor may support charities in the greater Williamsburg area and beyond. It is an excellent alternative to a private foundation, with greater ease of establishment and superior tax benefits. A Donor-Advised Fund may be established with a minimum gift of \$10,000.

*New fund in 2016



join vision 2020: Together We Will Continue to Enrich Our Community

The Williamsburg Community Foundation has developed the VISION 2020 Initiative to:

- Increase the number of families supporting greater Williamsburg through the Foundation,
- Provide greater education about and connection to local nonprofits for our donors and members, and
- Increase the pool of philanthropic capital available to the community by encouraging legacy giving.

Gifts in any amount to one of the six areas will support our community forever.

Field-of-Interest Funds

An Occasion for the Arts Fund Arts & Culture Fund Children & Young Adults Fund Environment and Conservation Fund Health and Community Wellness Fund Genevieve McGiffert Memorial Fund for the Musical Performing Arts Senior Services Fund Williamsburg Fund for Women & Girls Williamsburg Landing Fund* Scholarship Funds are listed on pg. 12 *New Fund in 2016

Presenting Sponsor for VISION 2020



IMPORT AUTOMOTIVE SPECIALIST



celebrating a decade of the art of song THE GENEVIEVE MCGIFFERT FUND

Over the past ten years, the Genevieve McGiffert Fund for the Musical Performing Arts has supported a variety of performances that enrich our community. Founded by Genevieve's husband Michael McGiffert, and her longtime friend Linda Baker, the fund has provided \$11,400 in grants to organizations including the Williamsburg Music Club, Williamsburg Choral Guild, Williamsburg Symphony Orchestra, Opera in Williamsburg, and All Together, Inc.

The McGiffert Fund is an example of a **field-of-interest fund**, which allows the donor to select a particular area for grantmaking, such as the arts; the Foundation then makes grants within that field of interest through a competitive process. While serving as a Foundation trustee, Linda Baker often talked about the idea of setting up area funds so that donors could support those causes that meant the most to them. Thanks to the groundwork laid by Linda and others, the Foundation is now able to offer donors that option through our **VISION 2020** initiative.

"Music was the medium in which Genevieve White McGiffert moved, in her life's pursuit of numerous professional venues – performing, teaching, conducting and staging. As a teacher of song and singing, she taught the artwork of enhanced humanity. After her death in 2007, her late husband Michael McGiffert and I decided that establishing a fund in her name would ensure a perpetual resource to support musical performance in the Williamsburg community."

> Linda Baker Past WCF Trustee and co-founder of the McGiffert Fund









competitive grant recipients

COMMUNITY ENDOWMENT AND FIELD-OF-INTEREST FUNDS

Grant recipients below applied for a grant through the Foundation's competitive process. They received support from the Foundation's Community Endowment or Field-of-Interest Funds. Several of the Foundation's generous Donor-Advised Fund holders have also chosen to support WCF's competitive grant applicants as funding partners. Those grants are also included on this list.

All Together, Inc.

The Arc of Greater Williamsburg Auxiliary of Sentara Williamsburg Regional Medical Center Avalon: A Center for Women and Children Child Development Resources Colonial Behavioral Health Dream Catchers Therapeutic Riding Center FISH Gwendolyn's Wish Hospice House and Support Care of Williamsburg Housing Partnerships, Inc. James River Association Literacy for Life Olde Towne Medical & Dental Center Peninsula Agency on Aging Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center Virginia Living Museum Virginia Symphony Orchestra Williamsburg Area Faith in Action Williamsburg Area Meals on Wheels Williamsburg Choral Guild Williamsburg Music Club Young Audiences of Virginia, Inc.

Special Olympics of Virginia

DONOR-ADVISED AND DESIGNATED FUND GRANT RECIPIENTS

These organizations received one or more grants from the Donor-Advised and Designated Funds of the Foundation. These grants are made at the request of WCF donors.

3E Restoration Inc. American Red Cross--Colonial Virginia Chapter Angels of Mercy Inc. Medical Clinic* Avalon: A Center for Women and Children Bacon Street Youth and Family Services Boy Scouts of America Colonial Virginia Council Chamber Music Society of Williamsburg Chesapeake Bay Foundation Child Development Resources City of Hampton* City of Newport News* Clark University CNU Foundation³ College of William & Mary Foundation Colonial Behavioral Health Colonial Capital of Williamsburg Kiwanis Foundation Colonial CASA* Colonial Williamsburg Foundation* Covenant Christian School Doctors Without Borders Dream Catchers Therapeutic Riding Center Duke University Environmental Defense Fund First Night of Williamsburg, Inc. FISH Foodbank of Virginia Peninsula, Inc. Grove Christian Outreach Center

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*Indicates organization received a Designated Fund grant

grantee profile HOUSING PARTNERSHIPS

Mobility – the freedom to come and go as we please – is something many of us take for granted. It's hard to imagine being trapped in your own home, but that was the case for one Williamsburg man. A double-amputee, this man lived in a home without a ramp, and was unable to afford to install one. Thanks to a grant from the Williamsburg Community Foundation, Housing Partnerships installed a temporary aluminum ramp at the client's home. He can now safely get to his doctor's appointments and participate in the life of the community. Moreover, he can age in place with dignity.

The beauty of these temporary ramps is that they can be installed quickly and at a lower cost than permanent ramps – and they can be re-used again and again. "Ramps are one of the most expensive and labor-intensive projects we do, and we currently have about 12 homes on a waiting list for permanent ramps," said Abbitt Woodall, Director of Housing Partnerships. When funds become available to install the permanent ramps, the temporary ramps can be removed and reused at another client's home.

Housing Partnerships uses volunteer labor and local contributions to make emergency home repairs for low-income, sick or disabled homeowners in James City County, City of Williamsburg and York County. They are always in need of volunteers, and were so thankful to have members of the New Zion Baptist Church Men's Ministry and the Buffalo Boyz Motorcycle Club to install the aluminum ramp funded by WCF's grant. They had such a good experience volunteering, they are already asking to come back and do it again.

The Housing Partnership ramp is just one example of the many projects supported by the Foundation's Community Endowment Grants. WCF awards these grants twice a year through a competitive process to local organizations making an impact in five priority areas: children and youth, arts and culture, environment and conservation, senior services, and health and community wellness. Community Endowment Grants are funded by the Foundation's Community Endowment Fund, and 88 named community endowment funds made possible by generous local individuals and families.

Previous Page: CDR's Infant & Parent Program received a grant for new assessment tools and specialized therapy equipment to use with infants and toddlers with disabilities or developmental delays and their families. Colonial Behavioral Health received an Altshuler Transportation grant to purchase a vehicle for their PACT team, which works with individuals with serious mental illness to facilitate recovery and prevent recurring hospitalizations or incarcerations. Peninsula Agency on Aging's Faith in Action helps seniors like Guo-Quo when her son can't be there to assist with her caregiving. Memory Café allows those with memory loss and their caregivers to come together for conversation and support on a monthly basis.



Above: Volunteers from New Zion Baptist Church men's ministry and the Buffalo Boyz of Williamsburg helped construct the new aluminum ramp.



Above: Harry and Judy Wason.

donor profile WASON FUND FOR PUBLIC SAFETY

Harry and Judy Wason have been involved in our community for many years. From the Virginia Living Museum, to the Jamestown Yorktown Foundation, Christopher Newport University, and MCV Massey Cancer Center at VCU, the Wasons have enthusiastically supported a wide variety of causes.

In the summer of 2016, the Wasons had a conversation with a longtime friend that led them to consider making an investment in a completely new area – public safety.

When the Wasons visited Palm Beach County, Florida, and learned about ConnectProtect, a new app the Sheriff's office is using to communicate with the public, they decided to help bring the app to the Peninsula. ConnectProtect allows the public to report suspicious activity to law enforcement through their smartphones; similarly, law enforcement can send notifications to the public about potential safety threats in their area, based on the person's geolocation or neighborhood. ConnectProtect technology makes it much easier for citizens to "see something, say something." The app maker, Shield Group Technologies, has also developed other apps to facilitate information sharing between age<u>nts in the field</u>.

Last fall, Harry and Judy established the Wason Fund for Public Safety at the Williamsburg Community Foundation. They worked with director Nancy Sullivan to craft an agreement for a designated fund that not only provided tax advantages but also directed the funds to the organizations that could best implement the program – local police departments.

"We are really excited to work with the Foundation on this," said Judy. "I think it will have a great impact throughout the Peninsula, in a way that the Foundation has never had before."

The Wason Fund enables law enforcement and campus police on the Peninsula to use ConnectProtect to keep residents safe; this includes the Newport News Sheriff's Office, York County Sheriff's Office, the City of Hampton Police Department, Hampton University Campus Police and Christopher Newport University Campus Police.

"The Wason Fund for Public Safety is a perfect example of WCF's mission: connecting people who care with causes that matter" noted Paul Gerhardt, chairman of the Foundation's Board of Trustees. "We are so glad the Wasons came to us with this idea. Because of their generosity, individuals and families throughout the peninsula – and those who protect them – have access to efficient technology to make our communities safer."

chairman's circle 2016-2017

The Chairman's Circle honors individuals and businesses that have made contributions totaling \$1,000 or more to the Foundation's three priority areas, which include Endowment, Annual Fund, and Scholarship Funds. For more information on how you can participate in the Chairman's Circle, call 757-259-1660 or email NCSullivan@WilliamsburgCommunityFoundation.org.

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Many other gifts were contributed to the Foundation's Donor-Advised Funds and other funds that are passed through the Foundation to deserving recipients. Those gifts are not listed in the annual report. Gifts on this list were made between 2/1/16 to 1/31/17.

donors 2016-2017

Donors below have also contributed to the Foundation's priority areas which include Endowment, Annual Fund, and Scholarship Funds.

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Above: Members of the O'Hare family at the 2015 8k race.

donor profile THE KARENE O'HARE OVARIAN CANCER MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT FUND

When Karene O'Hare lost her life to ovarian cancer in 2008, her family came together and decided to put together a run/walk to honor her memory and passion for helping others.

Since 2009, the annual Hare and Tortoise 8K has raised \$135,000 to support ovarian cancer screening and treatment for low-income women through Lackey Free Clinic and Olde Towne Medical and Dental Center. Then John O'Hare and his family brought together friends from near and far in support of the race, many of whom have done so in honor of a loved one affected by ovarian cancer.

"Unlike some other cancers, it seems that not many people know as much about ovarian cancer," John said. "Many times, people don't get diagnosed until later stages, when it may be too late. So with the run, we wanted to help educate people about the symptoms and get more local women screened."

After putting together a race for eight years, the O'Hare family began to think about the future.

"We know we may not be able to put on the race forever, and we ultimately wanted to do something that would have a more longterm impact. So we decided to set up the Karene O'Hare Ovarian Cancer Memorial Endowment with the Community Foundation," John said. "The advantage of working with the Williamsburg Community Foundation is that it's an organization that I know will be there for the long-term, and will help me get to my objective in a much easier way."

Funds from the race will go toward the endowment, which will continue to support ovarian cancer screening and education for local women. This means a lot for women like the 22-year-old patient at Olde Towne whose mother had both ovarian and breast cancer. She received genetic testing (normally a very expensive process), thanks to the O'Hare Fund. Similarly, physicians at Lackey Clinic have already been able to catch the cancer early in a few of their patients.

"We had a woman this past fall who had survived ovarian cancer but presented with symptoms again when she came to us, and we were able to get her a CT scan in less than two weeks," said Carol Sale, director of Lackey Clinic. "In her case, thankfully it was not cancer again – but I'm so glad we were able to give her that peace of mind so quickly."



legacy society

Members of the Legacy Society (pictured above), have committed to supporting the Foundation through their estate plan, retirement account or life insurance policy. An estate gift may be used to establish a named fund or be added to any fund at the Foundation. These future gifts will play a critical role in further strengthening this community for generations to come.

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Benjamin R. Altshuler David Dawson John C. Jamison Ingrid Jones

cumulative giving

The Foundation would like to recognize those individuals and organizations that have given consistently to and through the Foundation through our history. Donors are listed below based on their total gifts to the Foundation over its 17-year history, from 1999 through January 31, 2017.

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David Dawson

I first met David Dawson in 2006. Dave was a soft-spoken gentleman whose quiet façade almost, but not quite, hid his compassion and zeal for championing those without a voice. He did not want to be recognized or to serve on the board of the organizations that he supported. Rather he would spend hours consulting with staff using his financial and fundraising expertise where he felt he could make the most impact, as a mentor and friend.

I eventually persuaded Dave to serve on the Foundation's Finance and Investment Committee where WCF benefited from his solid counsel for several years. However, where Dave (always with Marian, his wife and partner by his side) has made a significant impact is through his Donor-Advised Fund at WCF. When we share information about grant applicants with our donor-advisors. Dave and Marian have always been first in line to see which applications would suit their interests. When a new program excited Dave, he would enthusiastically take it on as a project to make sure it got off to a good start. The Arc was his special focus. He invested in the organization to sustain its work with special needs adults in Williamsburg.

Dave and Marian became members of WCF's Legacy Society so that the organizations they have supported during their lifetime will continue to receive support in the future through a fund at the Foundation. Many of us who work in the social sector in greater Williamsburg miss Dave's kindness, wisdom and always-cheerful presence.

~ Nancy C. Sullivan











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The WJCC Scholarship Fund is a community-wide effort to provide scholarships for students graduating from Jamestown, Lafayette, and Warhill High Schools. Established in 1974 as the Lafayette Education Fund, the WJCC Scholarship Fund awarded 46 scholarships valued at \$55,925 in 2016. Funds raised to support scholarship come from individuals, families, high school parent-teacher associations, civic groups and local businesses.

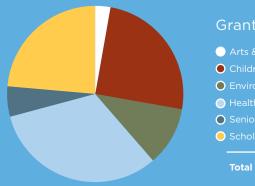
To view the complete list of scholarships, please visit WilliamsburgCommunityFoundation.org.

From Top: Pam Rambo and Colonial Capital Kiwanis scholarship recipient Ayouob Baaddi. Jim Joseph with his daughter Lynn Joseph. WCF trustees Ron Ludzieski and Linda Caviness. Bernie Ngo and Michele Orabona with recipients of the Monarch Bank scholarships, Jake Clark and Tim Felbinger. WCF past trustee Mark Monroe and his wife Maura.

condensed financial information FOR THE YEAR ENDED JANUARY 31, 2017

Beginning Net Assets	\$5,541,947
Contributed Support	1,003,620
Investment Income	643,445
Total Income	1,647,065
Program Expenses (includes Grants & Scholarships)	(684,414)
Other Expenses	(278,200)
Total Expenses	(962,614)
Change in Net Assets	684,451
Ending Net Assets	\$6,226,398

Audited financial statements are prepared annually by Dixon Hughes Goodman, LLP and are available by request at the WCF office. The WCF fiscal year runs from February 1 to January 31.



Grants by Type of Fund

Total	\$675.655
Scholarship	\$157,925
Senior Services	\$37,274
Health & Community Wellness	\$\$219,335
Environment & Conservation	\$73,229
Children & Young Adults	\$168,246
Arts & Culture	\$19,647



WCF Assets Since Inception (in Millions)

From Top: Literacy for Life received a grant to train tutors in the Barton Reading and Spelling System specially designed to help those with dyslexia learn to read. Officers of the Arc's Aktion Club, which partners with the local Kiwanis to work on charitable community projects. Steve Munday of Creative Cuisines with WCF Vice Chair Kendall Kerby. Mary Turnbull with Auto\Haus's Jack Anderson.









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From top: Peninsula Catholic High School Wrestling Team – The Benjamin Altshuler Fund for Amateur Sports helped PCS purchase a new mat for their wrestling team. Volunteers from Hospice House received training to provide 24/7 vigil to those nearing life's end. WCF funding will support this pilot program at an 18-bed medical oncology unit at Sentara Williamsburg Regional Medical Center. The visiting canines program at Faith in Action was supported by a donor-advised grant at the Foundation.

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