



THE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION FOR NORTHEAST FLORIDA

2022 Foundation - Directed Grants

The grants listed here were made in 2022 by The Community Foundation through our unrestricted, field of interest and Presidential grantmaking funds. These do not include grants made by our collective giving initiatives (Women's Giving Alliance, Beaches Community Fund, or LGBTQ Community Fund) or the grants made by donors through their advised funds. For more information, see www.jaxcf.org/receive.

Aging Adults		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Jacksonville Speech & Hearing Center	\$ 17,500	to fund the use of the Cognivue Thrive Test on 1000 seniors to gauge the connection between auditory issues and cognitive decline in seniors
Literacy Pros of Jacksonville	\$ 12,500	to support the Linking Literacy to Livelihood program for 40 seniors at the Johnson YMCA
NEFL Area Agency on Aging/ ElderSource	\$ 150,000	to provide financial assistance for seniors in Duval, Nassau, Baker, Clay and St. Johns Counties.
St. Johns County Council on Aging, Inc.	\$ 20,550	to fund the creation of a caregiver database to monitor and track Health and Quality of life indicators
Florida Training Solutions	\$ 10,000	to support the 2022 Senior Roundtable
Animal Welfare		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
First Coast No More Homeless Pets	\$ 25,000	To support charitable veterinary care for senior pet owners who can't afford to pay in Duval County through a partnership with Aging True

EPIC Outreach	\$ 5,000	to create a mural as part of a learning activity about compassion and animal care
The Arts		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Owens Jr., Ulysses	\$ 10,000	to award an unrestricted grant honoring the artist's distinguished contributions to the arts in Northeast Florida
Flagler College	\$ 2,500	To execute a mural program employing college interns and students at the St. Johns Youth Academy
Latin Community Services	\$ 2,500	to sponsor visual art activities at the 2023 Unidos en la Musica: A Latin American Festival
Lightner Museum	\$ 30,000	to support exhibitions and related educational events celebrating the 75th Anniversary of the Lightner Museum
St. Augustine Historical Society	\$ 2,500	to support a visual art exhibit of historical photos illuminating the history of Black St. Augustinians
St. John's County Cultural Council	\$ 750	To sponsor an artist talk by Lenny Foster during Black History Month
Barry, Patrick	\$ 3,500	to complete post-production on a Northeast Florida-based film project
Brooks, RaeJeana	\$ 3,500	finish the author's first full-length publication
Chase, Jennifer	\$ 3,500	to produce a multi-media performance event and accompanying memoir, "Dear Jacksonville"
Gaskin, Joseph	\$ 3,500	to support a series of books and accompanying music focused on helping young children explore the world around them and their emotions inside

Goloborotko, Sheila	\$ 3,500	to support the creation of a digital and printed catalog of the artist's recent solo exhibition, Many Small Gestures
Holechek, Christie	\$ 3,500	to produce a solo exhibition at FSCJ South Gallery, which will help the artist compete for two artist in residencies
Jackson, Malcolm	\$ 3,500	to purchase materials and cover production expenses for a photo project about African American Cowboys of Northeast Florida
Jackson, Paul	\$ 3,500	To produce a second live album and tour regionally
Kitchen, Tatiana	\$ 3,500	to support the artist's first solo exhibition
Krancer, Mark	\$ 3,500	to create an exhibition of architecturally significant landmarks in Jacksonville included in a book by historian Wayne Wood
McCain, Cheryl	\$ 3,500	to support the creation of a photo series of Jacksonville-based artists using vintage photography techniques including tintypes and glass plates
Reyes, Perla	\$ 3,500	to expand the series of the artist's character, Sitboy, into digital art and merchandise
Thorn	\$ 3,500	to initiate interpersonal conversations in public spaces and document them through a series of artworks and video called TalkTalkConvo
Wiest, Shameera	\$ 3,500	to fund digital documentation of the artist's use of discarded plastics into sculptural works of art which will be exhibited as an installation at a local gallery
Anniversary to Commemorate the Civil Rights Demonstrations (ACCORD), INC.	\$ 10,000	to fund a grantwriting strategy and training for the Board for implementation
Beaches Area Historical Society	\$ 5,000	to fund a strategic planning refresh to build the organization's capacity

The 5 & Dime, Inc.	\$ 5,000	to launch an educational program for adults and teens
Women Writing for a Change, Jacksonville	\$ 5,000	to fund Conscious Feminine Leadership training to build a strong core of women leaders, thereby increasing program participation and quality.
Beaches Fine Arts Series	\$ 5,000	to sponsor the Soweto Gospel Choir concert in the BFAS 50th Anniversary season. This grant is being made in memory of Eleanor Ashby
Southern Documentary Fund	\$ 2,500	to support the Road Scholars Documentary
Children & Youth		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Center for Children's Rights	\$ 10,000	to engage consultants for board development and fundraising development to help build organizational capacity and sustainable funding
City of Jacksonville - Fourth Judicial Circuit Court	\$ 105,000	to support supplemental services for Duval County Teen Court youth and their families
City of Jacksonville - Fourth Judicial Circuit Court	\$ 7,000	to support costs associated with online classes for youth in diversion programs of Teen Court
Fostering Connections	\$ 3,750	to support the development of a new 3-year strategic plan for the organization
Giving Closet Project	\$ 24,000	to support the expansion of the organization's giving closet model to area schools
MaliVai Washington Youth Foundation	\$ 7,000	to support Strategic Planning
Hope Haven	\$ 25,000	to fund rapid turnaround autism screenings and interventions for preschool age children
Lift Jax	\$ 9,815	to provide 12 tablets and protective equipment to John Love Early Learning Center to support their STEM coding curriculum for Pre-K students

Blue Star Families	\$ 2,000	to support the Rosie Riveters Spring 2023 Stem Camp for girls
Fitness and Character Education, Inc.	\$ 2,000	to support the in school program for 3rd - 5th grade students at John E. Ford and Ruth N. Upson Elementary Schools
Heart for Children	\$ 5,000	to support the "On The Go" Program providing school supplies, food and personal hygiene items in the Eastside neighborhood
KNOTS4KIDS, INC.	\$ 2,000	to support creation of a virtual curriculum of the K4k Mentoring program supporting young black men in Jacksonville
Mad Dads Jacksonville Florida Chapter	\$ 2,000	to support the SONAKFA Livings Skills University Program
Minds of the Future Foundation	\$ 2,000	to support STEAM Mentor and Tutoring Program between Andrew Jackson High and Minds of the Future Academy Elementary students
Royal Court Mentoring	\$ 2,000	to support the 2023 leadership and mentoring classes for middle and high school students
Shawn D Delifus Foundation	\$ 2,000	to support Bi – Monthly Nutrition and Wellness Education classes
My Foundation of My Success	\$ 2,000	to support a Back-to-school drive in New Town area to be held at the Mitchell Community Center serving 175 students
North Florida School of Special Education	\$ 3,000	to support the Berry Good Farms Weekend Festival on April 9th and 10th.
Education		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
PossAbilities Plus	\$ 2,000	to expand the music and art program for differently abled adults
City Year	\$ 10,000	For City Year Jacksonville to provide student academic supports using a new approach using City Year staff to augment services provided by City Year recruits

Jacksonville Public Education Fund	\$ 50,000	to support closing the opportunity gap for low-income and students of color through research, convening partners and leading strategic initiatives that advance school quality in Duval County.
Jacksonville Public Education Fund	\$ 5,000	to sponsor the Future of Education Forum on January 11, 2023
University of North Florida	\$ 10,000	to support Duval County School teachers obtaining the UNFiSTEMpro Graduate Certificate
Blessing others all the time	\$ 4,000	to expand the back-to-school backpack program to serve an additional 750 underserved students
Kid Literacy, Inc.	\$ 2,000	to fund 200 Student Activity Packs to coincide with Solve It for Kids Podcast and activities in title 1 schools
Know & Grow Learning Depot, Inc.	\$ 4,500	to support purchase of additional iPads for the early literacy recovery program
ACE Mentor Program of Northeast Florida	\$ 2,000	to support the expansion of the ACE mentoring program into Raines and Ribault Highschool
Environment		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
South Anastasia Communities Association	\$ 5,000	to support the Clam Restoration Project
St. Johns Riverkeeper	\$ 5,000	to support volunteer engagement in the Jacksonville Heat Mapping Project
Health		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Betty Griffin Center	\$ 30,800	to support a second therapist position for children who have experienced domestic or other forms of violence in St. Johns County
Center for Children's Rights	\$ 10,000	to support training for resilience navigators serving youth in justice system.

Gateway - Steps to Recovery d/b/a Gateway Community Services	\$ 25,000	to help integrate basic needs and transitional assistance into existing recovery program
Girl Scouts of Gateway Council	\$ 15,000	to continue a training program for parents and volunteers to address mental health needs and stigma reduction in girls
Girls of Virtue	\$ 1,200	to support two monthly group sessions for young women who have experienced trauma.
I.M. Sulzbacher	\$ 40,000	to continue to support a child psychiatrist position for one year while other funding is identified.
Jacksonville Arts and Music School	\$ 10,000	to support mental health services for students and their families in economically stressed neighborhoods.
Seamark Ranch	\$ 13,000	to continue support for counseling service hours, and train staff working with resident children.
Shades of Autism Parent Network	\$ 5,000	to support after-school programs serving children on the autism spectrum.
St. Augustine Youth Services	\$ 10,000	to support trauma therapy for young people exiting the foster care system.
Youth Crisis Center, Inc	\$ 30,000	to provide staff training and ongoing counseling support for LGBTQ youth at House of Hope.
JaxCareConnect	\$ 10,000	To support expanded marketing and technology to assist JaxCareConnect increasing the number of clients served.
NAMI Jacksonville	\$ 50,000	To fund the Family Navigator position who will coordinate peer counselors on the 988 helpline.
Homelessness		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Free Flow	\$ 25,000	to support the development of a mobile laundry and shower unit for the homeless in Duval County

Sulzbacher Center for the Homeless	\$ 25,000	to support the assistance of transitional living assistance for homeless moving into transitional housing
Changing Homelessness	\$ 10,000	to fund the launch of the "Yes In My Back Yard (YIMBY)" initiative intended to educate the public on the importance of affordable housing
Flagler Health Care Foundation	\$ 25,000	to support the implementation of a wholistic care model for a veterans housing program
Hunger		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Center for Sustainable Agricultural Excellence and Conservation	\$ 25,000	to continue the purchase of fresh food from minority farmers in Northeast Florida
Feed the Need of Putnam County	\$ 6,000	to help purchase a pallet jack for assistance in meal packaging
Jim Dotson Foundation	\$ 2,000	to support the rental of space, storage and a truck for the pick up and distribution of food
Mt Ararat Missionary Baptist Church Inc	\$ 15,000	to support the purchase of two commercial refrigerators and other supplies to expand the fresh food options for hungry residents seeking food
Quigley House, Inc.	\$ 25,000	To fund meals for residents in the shelter in Clay County.
Revitalize Arlington, Inc	\$ 25,000	To support the reopening and operation of the IMPACT Dream Center Community Pantry.
We Care Jacksonville, Inc.	\$ 25,000	To provide fresh produce, pantry items, medical supplies, and support to seventy-five patients in active cancer treatment in the WeCareJax Cancer Care Cohort

Women & Family Enrichment Services of Jacksonville, Inc.	\$ 5,000	To support the Feed Jax Scholars program at Carter G. Woodson and Normandy Village Elementary schools
Urban Geoponics	\$ 2,000	to support the development of the Windy Hill Elementary Herbal Oasis, a school-based urban agriculture program.
Catholic Charities St. Augustine	\$ 25,000	to support the storage and distribution of food in St Johns and Putnam Counties
Nonprofit Capacity Building		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
D'Alessandro Inc /High Impact Nonprofit Advisors	\$ 6,750	to support bootcamp webinar series on 4 principles of success for nonprofits.
Impact Clay	\$ 10,000	to support Impact Clay's work to incubate initiatives addressing county wide need
WeaveTales	\$ 25,000	to implement Diversity, Equity, Inclusion and Belonging workshops in the community to help create a more welcoming workforce environment for Refugees and Immigrants.
\$1000 Start Up	\$ 5,000	to support the Path to Sustainment Project and to recast the financial management curriculum to better serve Black entrepreneurs
Us and Our Children	\$ 5,000	to support the Lead High School trainer and a curriculum consultant to expand the Kash for Kids virtual reality program offerings in Northeast Florida
NEFL Sober Living Alliance	\$ 5,000	to fund the technical support needed to update the housing directory and to initiate a resident survey for Jump Start participants all alliance member sober living homes
Clay County Education Foundation	\$ 2,500	to build the fund-raising capacity of the President through development opportunities and fund-raising certifications

Nonprofit Center of Northeast Florida	\$ 10,000	to support a title sponsorship of the "Celebrate the Sector Project" in recognition of the Nonprofit Center's 20th anniversary
The Tributary	\$ 5,000	to expand capacity to provide investigative journalism in Northeast Florida
YMCA of Florida's First Coast	\$ 10,000	to help fund a community needs assessment to "Reimagine Johnson" YMCA
Nonprofit Center of Northeast Florida	\$ 20,000	To serve as lead sponsor for the 2022 Nonprofit Works Conference.
\$1000 Start Up	\$ 200	for general operating support
Center One Foundation	\$ 200	for general operating support
RESTORE	\$ 200	for general operating support
SHINE-SEEKING HARMONY IN NEIGHBORHOODS EVERYDAY CDC	\$ 200	for general operating support
Other		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Prisoners of Christ	\$ 10,000	to assist with ex-offender transitional needs and help complete the fundraising for the passenger van
Angelwood, Inc.	\$ 7,750	to pilot a community-based respite program to support families with special needs children/young adults in Northeast Florida
Pace Center for Girls	\$ 250	a small grant to acknowledge the gift of artwork from many women artist in Northeast Florida
Searching for Identity	\$ 3,000	to support the Grant Writer & Funding Research Assistant position.
Community Legal Services of Mid-Florida	\$ 5,000	to assist needy families in Putnam County with free legal services.

Philanthropy		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Courtenay Sands Wilson Women's Giving Alliance Endowment	\$ 5,000	to help establish a legacy endowment honoring Courtenay Wilson
Florida Philanthropic Network	\$ 2,500	to support the Transfer of Wealth Study
Philanthropy Southeast	\$ 5,000	for the 2022 Annual Meeting Sponsorship - Sustainer Level in support of the Jacksonville Children's Chorus performance at the annual conference Chairman's Dinner.
Poverty		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Jacksonville Area Legal Aid, Inc.	\$ 25,000	To support the Housing Conditions and Evictions Self Help Project focused on providing pro bono legal assistance to low-income tenants living in unsafe conditions and/or facing eviction.
Operation New Hope	\$ 25,000	to provide food, shelter and basic needs for clients completing the Ready4Work program in Northeast Florida
Palatka Christian Service Center dba Heart of Putnam	\$ 5,000	to support rent, utility assistance for low income residents of Putnam County
The Bail Project	\$ 100,000	to provide operating support for The Bail Project Jacksonville: Securing Freedom for Low-Wealth Duval County Residents
Pine Castle	\$ 25,000	To relaunch the Job Coaches program for 135 differently-abled clients through support of the job coaching program
The Arc Nassau	\$ 25,000	To increase number of clients served with the addition of a part-time direct services personnel.
Racial Equity		

Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
ACLU of Florida	\$ 8,000	to defend voting rights of minority and marginalized populations through community education and civic engagement in Duval County during the 2022 election by supporting a Justice Voter Fellowship position.
Florida State Parks Foundation	\$ 25,000	to support the efforts of Fort Mose Historical Society and the Florida State Parks Foundation in their pursuit of reconstructing Fort Mose in St Augustine.
Douglas Anderson Foundation	\$ 5,000	to support Douglas Anderson #107 Alumni Association's centennial celebration as a corporate sponsor
Nassau Coalition for Racial Equality	\$ 10,000	to provide inaugural support for the organization's mission to improve opportunities for racial minorities in Nassau County
United Way of Northeast Florida	\$ 10,000	to sponsor the Civic Rights Conference
Jewish Federation and Foundation of Northeast Florida	\$ 30,000	to support a Community Security Initiative
My Village Project Community Fund(IF)	\$ 10,000	to support Nonprofit Center for Northeast Florida memberships for My Village Black led non-profits.
Supporting Neighborhoods		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Empowered Kitchen	\$ 5,000	to expand the Launch Kits program for five women completing the Empowered Kitchen Program
Empowered Kitchen	\$ 500	to sponsor 10 entrepreneurs to participate in the Come Together Music and Food Festival on Saturday September 24
The Center Of Excellence For Community Development And Empowerment	\$ 5,000	to support community engagement work in the neighborhoods of West Jacksonville

BRIDGE BUILDERS UNITED, INC (BBU)	\$ 2,000	To support the Bridge Builders United Mentoring and Youth Retreat focused on serving young men ages 9 – 16 years old through leadership development programing.
The Jacksonville Gullah Geechee Nation Community Development	\$ 2,000	To fund outreach to and training for 7 -18 year old youth focused on issues facing the African American community.
Ability Housing, Inc.	\$ 25,000	To support the hire of a Program Manager to oversee the Building Resiliency, Income and Wealth Equity Program.
Better Living Community Association	\$ 2,000	to fund a property maintenance program focused on supporting neighborhood seniors
Fisher of Men A Generation Whos Seeking Inc	\$ 2,000	to fund the expansion of community engagement work focused in the Justina Rd area
Local Initiatives Support Corporation	\$ 5,000	to sponsor the JF Bryan Award which recognizes a Community Development Corporation, or non-profit 501c3 organization that has provided collaboration, leadership in bringing diverse voices to improve community through targeted programs, initiatives or physical development
Local Initiatives Support Corporation	\$ 50,000	to support the operations of LISC Jacksonville for years 2022-23 and 2023-24
Mission of the Dirt Road	\$ 25,000	To support community development efforts in the High Ridge Estates neighborhood of Keystone Heights via the High Ridge Initiative.
North Riverside Community Development Corporation	\$ 10,000	to support preserving and stabilizing homeownership in the North Riverside neighborhood through property tax relief
Northwest Jacksonville CDC	\$ 40,000	to support the expansion of the NJCDC's affordable housing development program including the hire of a new Housing Director
Project Restore Ministries Inc	\$ 2,000	to establish an asset-based community development program in the Brentwood neighborhood.
Veterans		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose

Putnam Habitat for Humanity, Inc.	\$ 25,000	to support the build of a 3rd house in the Vets Village and veteran home repairs
Women & Girls		
Organization	Original Amount of Grant	Purpose
Jacksonville Chamber Foundation, Inc	\$ 125,100	To support Elevate Women position and convening costs for year three of a three year initiative
Vessel Of Living Waters, Inc	\$ 2,000	to support creative writing workshop for at risk girls at the Calloway Cove Apartments
Women's Giving Alliance	\$ 5,000	to commission a written report with specific/actionable recommendations that will contribute to the growth, member satisfaction, and impact of the WGA over the next twenty years.
Women's Center of Jacksonville	\$ 1,000	to sponsor A Time to Rise. Thrive!
LEE CONLEE HOUSE, INC.	\$ 10,000	to support the replacement of existing roof structure on the women's shelter