The Power of Endowment



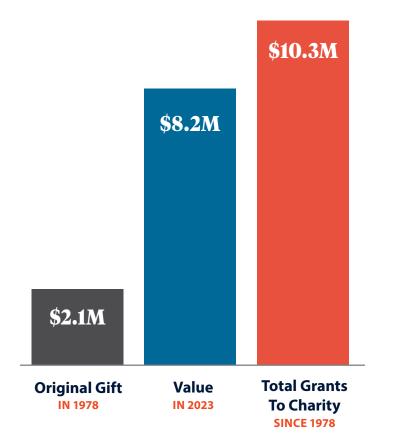
MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR GENEROSITY

Do you support certain organizations every year?

When you create an endowment fund through the Community Foundation for Greater Buffalo, you can support the organizations you love, in your name, forever.

Your legacy is ensured.

Clients who endow gifts can make a difference in their communities during their lifetimes and at the same time, establish legacies that last forever.



Have you ever considered ensuring that your charitable giving continues after your lifetime?

Earnings from your endowment fund are granted each year to support organizations and needs in the community, based on your direction.

We can help.

Please call Emily Wyckoff, Associate Vice President, Client Relations and Communications, at (716) 852-2857 ext. 217, to arrange a consultation.

How It Works

This endowment was established with \$2.1 million in 1978 through a legacy gift (bequest) to the Community Foundation from a parent in honor of his son, who died tragically as a young man. Today, decades after both father and son have passed on, the initial gift has more than tripled to \$8.2 million, all while giving \$10.3 million in grants to the organizations they cared about. Their fund will continue to honor this family's charitable giving legacy by making grants to their favorite organizations in their name, forever.