

Women's Giving Circle of Harford County 2022 Grant Awards Total Awarded = \$54,460.50

Chesapeake Therapeutic Riding, Inc. - \$3,188

Funding to cover the cost for two onsite automated external defibrillators (AEDs) and one pediatric pack.

Ed Lally Foundation - \$2,000

Supports mental health & suicide prevention for 30 women. The funds will be used to support staff in the development and administration of the Inaugural Harford County Women's Mindfulness Retreat and day of event expenses - location, materials, and food. They will host a virtual monthly support group throughout the following year until the next retreat in 2023.

Edgewood Community Support Center (EPICENTER) - \$5,000

Support for the case manager's salary. The case manager connects individuals facing challenges due to financial, physical, and/or mental health issues with resources in the community at their new, second location, in Aberdeen.

Found In Faith Ministries - \$3,200

Found in Faith Ministries to increase funding available for their Transportation Scholarship applicants. This grant will serve approximately 24 more Harford County families, increasing their service provision by 10-15% with the support of the WGC.

Girls on the Run Central Maryland - \$3,000

An emotional support training program for girls ages 8-13. This grant will fund everything needed for one season for up to 15 girls.

Habitat for Humanity Susquehanna - \$5,000

Grant funds will be used towards construction costs for homes in Havre de Grace – the last duplex in the Revolution/Stokes community and a duplex on Erie Street.

Harford County Education Foundation (HCEF) - \$3,500

HCEF has partnered with Harford County Public Schools to form "Littles University." Harford County Public Schools (HCPS) will release a video reading of an age-appropriate book and parents and children tune-in to participate in the reading on a monthly basis. In addition, HCEF ships the featured book to 250 children (birth to 5 years) each month.

Harford Family House, Inc. - \$3,000

This funding will enable Harford Family House to provide direct financial assistance to families experiencing homelessness to address their childcare needs through a partnership with the Boys & Girls Clubs and local daycare providers. Services will be mostly in Aberdeen and along the Route 40 corridor.

Homecoming Project, Inc. - \$3,500

Funding to support the ongoing expense of shelter support, but specifically to cover the cost of 20 weeks of a life skills group.

Humanim, Inc. - \$5,000

Funding to assist with the purchase of therapy equipment and reinforcers. The therapy equipment/reinforcers they utilize to engage and educate children is at the crux of ABA therapy. Examples of equipment include puzzles, play kitchen equipment, and play tool benches.

LASOS, Inc. - \$5,000

LASOS, Inc. hosts an academic and youth development program designed for non-native English speaking students to come to the LASOS office or to meet at their home schools to receive homework support, mentoring, and increase technology skills.

Mason-Dixon Community Services, Inc. - \$3,072.50

The Senior Outreach Program will provide food services as a continuation of a program started during COVID-19. Food services will include an abundance of produce as well as dairy products and frozen meats to seniors throughout their service area on a quarterly basis.

Sleep In Heavenly Peace, Inc. - \$5,000

WGC support of \$5,000 will enable the MD-Harford Chapter to purchase necessary supplies and materials to provide 18 (of their one hundred bed goal in 2022) fully furnished twin beds for children without beds in Harford County.

TasteWise Kids - \$5,000

Grant funds will support all costs associated with providing the Days of Taste program at Havre de Grace Elementary School in the Spring of 2023. The program consists of three mornings spaced over 2-3 weeks.