



Women WHO CARE Branch COUNTY

Our Beginning:

Founded in 2014

Leadership:

Erica Pelfrey: Grapevine and correspondence.

Shana Grife: Meeting Host.

Courtney Dirschell: Marketing and website.

Diana Butler: Organizer and Newsletter.

Marie Wilber and Rita Klavinski: Donation collection, historical records, and other.

Kristen Niedzwiecki: Photographer

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Women Who Care of Branch County, MI

Mini Grant Fund

Women Who Care of Branch County voted to give funds from their August meeting to the mini grant fund at the Branch County Community Foundation.

The mini grant fund allows the group to provide funding for up to \$2,000 for community organizations.

The amount donated at the one-hour meeting was \$10,100 putting the group at a total donation to the community of over \$364,000 since its inception in 2014.

Women Who Care of Branch County is an alliance of women who streamline fundraising for local 501(c)3 charities and organizations. Meetings occur once per quarter at ProMedica Coldwater Conference Room.

For more information, go to the Women Who Care website at www.WomenWhoCareBranchCounty.com or on the Facebook page at www.Facebook.com/WomenWhoCareBC.

QUARTERLY Meeting Recipients:

Feb	2014	BCCADV Bridges out of Poverty	4600
May	2014	BCCADV Back Pack Buddies	5800
Aug	2014	BCCADV Girls Club	6400
Nov	2014	Family Promise	7100
Feb	2015	BARC - Branch CTY Resc Coalition	7000
May	2015	Altrusa Girls on the Run	8400
Aug	2015	Altrusa Happy Feet	8400
Nov	2015	Coach Eby Youth and Family Center	9400
Feb	2016	Altrusa Teen Share	9200
May	2016	Tommy's House	9900
Aug	2016	BCCF Interact	11000
Nov	2016	BCCF Foster Children	9600
Feb	2017	BCCADV Swing for the Fence	9000
May	2017	Coldwater Band Boosters	9900
Aug	2017	CHC Foundation Telehealth	10300
Nov	2017	CHC Foundation SANE	9900
Feb	2018	Bronson Girl's Softball	10400
May	2018	Branch County Sheriff Rescue	10100
Aug	2018	Branch County Food Pantry	10500
Nov	2018	Altrusa Happy Feet	10700
Feb	2019	Quincy School Robotics	10900
May	2019	Hidden Ponds Horse Rescue	11000
Aug	2019	BCCADV Teen Share	11300
Nov	2019	UMC Mary and Martha Diner	11200
Feb	2020	Royal Family Kids Camp	12000
May	2020	BCCF WWC Mini Grant Fund	6600
Aug	2020	BCCF WWC Mini Grant Fund	4900
Nov	2020	BCCF WWC Mini Grant Fund	5500
Feb	2021	BCCF WWC Mini Grant Fund	7400
May	2021	Eby Youth Center	8400
Aug	2021	Children's Museum	8500
Nov	2021	Branch Area Food Pantry	8500
Feb	2022	BCCADV	10300
May	2022	Tibbits Cultivating Community	10000
Aug	2022	Altrusa Girls on the Run	9800
Nov	2022	Altrusa Happy Feet	10400
Feb	2023	The Coldwater Community Center	9650
May	2023	CWHousing Matters/Family Promise	10000
Aug	2023	BCCF WWC Mini Grant Fund	10100
Nov	2023	First Presbyterian Diaper Fund	10000

BCCF WWC Mini Grants awarded:

Dec 2020	Children's Museum/Exhibits	2000
Mar 2021	Lakeland Elem/Library Books	2000
Mar 2021	Lakeland Readers are Leaders	2000
Mar 2021	BISD/CORE Playground Edition	2000
Dec 2021	Promedica/Because you matter	700
Dec 2021	JA/Fin Literacy Workplace Ready	2000
Dec 2021	CCS Expand Social/Emotional Curr	2000
Mar 2022	Coach Eby/FNA Monthly prog	2000
Sep 2022	Tommy's House Family Fall Fest	2000
Sep 2022	Tibbits/Dressing Room Remodel	2000
Sep 2022	BCCADSV/Girls on the Run	2000
Mar 2023	Coldwater Housing Matters/FP	1398
Mar 2023	CCS/Sensory Wall Decals	1398
Mar 2023	Branch Cnty Lit Coun/Reading Car	1398
Mar 2023	BCCADSV Shelterhouse Sewer	1398
Mar 2023	Beginnings Care for Life/earn learn	1398
Mar 2023	Branch Pride/Family Fun Night	1000
Mar 2023	JA/Fin Lit and Workplace Readiness	1398
Mar 2023	H & C Burnside/meet and greet	1398
Dec 2023	Coldwater Comm Schools	600
Dec 2023	Coldwater Comm Center	2000
Dec 2023	Coach Eby Youth & Family Center	2000

\$ 364,050 total

of that, \$36,000 went to Mini Grants and another \$5000 anonymous donation went toward mini grants.

Available Mini Grant balance: \$5760