



Evergreen Statement for the Community Foundation of Lorain County:

The Community Foundation of Lorain County, established in 1980, serves as a dynamic foundation fueled by endowment funds contributed by individuals, families, businesses, and non-profit organizations. As an open and inclusive institution, our mission is to connect people who care with causes that matter. We adapt to the evolving needs of our community by providing grants to local non-profit organizations and offering scholarships to support the educational aspirations of local students.

In 2023, the Community Foundation of Lorain County experienced remarkable generosity, close to \$6M in gifts. Demonstrating our commitment to the community, we distributed over \$6.4M in grants and scholarships, contributing to the betterment of our community. As we concluded the year, our assets exceed \$150M. For more information about our impact, grants, scholarships, or updates about the Community Foundation, visit our website, peoplewhocare.org.

Mission Statement:

Connecting people who care with causes that matter.

Vision Statement:

Lorain County is a thriving and supportive community.

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging Statement:

We are committed to ensuring a vibrant, just and equitable Lorain County that supports everyone. We will harness the diversity of our resources and intentionally listen, learn and respond to the needs of the community to advance Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging in our organization and grant making.