



## 2006 ANNUAL REPORT



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Connecting People Who Care with Causes that Matter

## MISSION STATEMENT

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- Enrich the quality of life in Wamego and the surrounding region.
- Serve as a leader in the community to build awareness of community needs and opportunities.
- Provide a vehicle by which individuals, families, businesses, and organizations can financially support community needs.
- Solicit funds and educate potential donors about the advantages of giving for both the donor and the community.
- Insure professional management of perpetually endowed funds.

## 2006

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### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Susan Symons		

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Jaque Eichman	Pat Nelson	Mike Rice
Alberta Uhrlich	Bob Cole	Rosemary Crilly



## 2006 SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

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**JEFF BIRNEY (FOX) MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Brian Barngrover — \$250

**KEVIN DEKAT MEMORIAL JAZZ SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Amber Markey — \$250

**CARL RAY FULMER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Jared Brooks — \$500

**WAMEGO HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2005 SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Jessica Danler — \$100

**HELM SISTERS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Steven Breymer — \$500

**JOHN LAWLESS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Brian Barngrover — \$250

**REBECCA SESTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Anne Neilsen — \$250

**TERESA ANN SIEBERT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**  
Ashley Carpenter — \$300

**WAMEGO TELEPHONE CO., INC. FUND**  
Amanda Sixbury, Rock Creek High School — \$500  
Jose Antonio Armesto, St. Mary's Academy — \$500  
Brett Grauerholz, St. Marys High School — \$500  
James Vopata, Wabaunsee High School — \$500  
Anne Neilsen, Wamego High School — \$500

**PICKERING AWARD FUND**  
Jessica Danler - Valedictorian, Wamego High School — \$130  
Amber Markey - Salutatorian, Wamego High School — \$65

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## SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

### WAMEGO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND REQUIREMENTS:

Each Wamego Community Foundation scholarship fund has its own unique set of criteria. To determine if you may be eligible and how to apply visit the Foundation's web site at [www.thewcf.org](http://www.thewcf.org) or call 456-8444. You may also want to check with your high school counselor for more information on scholarship availability.

### CANDIDATES MUST:

1. Graduate with a minimum, unweighted 4.0-based GPA of 3.0. or meet the requirements of a scholarship fund.
2. Complete the ACT test with a score necessary to enter the college of choice or meet the requirements of a scholarship fund.
3. Be a current graduating senior at the high school specified by a particular scholarship fund.
4. Meet any other requirements as specified by a particular scholarship fund.

### APPLICATIONS:

Students are required to apply for scholarship funds. Students should contact their school counselor's office for details. Once the applications have been received by each school's scholarship application deadline, they are turned over to the WCF Scholarship Committee for final review and the determination of each scholarship winner. An annual Awards Luncheon is held to recognize each winner along with their parents.

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

As of December 31, 2006

Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents		230,014
Mutual funds		228,576
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<b><u>\$458,590</u></b>
Liabilities		<u>0</u>
Net Assets		
Unrestricted		110,888
Temporarily restricted		347,702
<b>TOTAL NET ASSETS</b>		<b><u>458,590</u></b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>		<b><u>\$458,590</u></b>

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS**

As of December 31, 2006

	<u>Unrestricted</u>	<u>Temporarily Restricted</u>	<u>2006 Total</u>
<b>REVENUES AND SUPPORT</b>			
Contributions - total amount raised	43,554	74,780	118,334
Contributions - in kind	22,800	-	22,800
Contributions - between funds (note 1)	1,000	3,300	4,300
Net contributions	<u>67,354</u>	<u>78,080</u>	<u>145,434</u>
Investment return (loss)	5,039	25,410	30,449
Net investment return (loss)	<u>5,039</u>	<u>25,410</u>	<u>30,449</u>
Administrative fees	2,807	-	2,807
Miscellaneous income	312	2,680	2,992
Net assets released from restrictions	18,764	(18,764)	-
<b>Total Revenues and Support</b>	<b><u>94,276</u></b>	<b><u>87,406</u></b>	<b><u>181,682</u></b>
<b>GRANTS AND EXPENSES</b>			
Program services:			
Grants	30,573		30,573
Grants - between funds (note 1)	4,300		4,300
Messiah performance	1,545		1,545
Supporting services:			
Administration	28,146		28,146
Development	5,366		5,366
<b>Total Grants and Expenses</b>	<b><u>69,930</u></b>	<b><u>-</u></b>	<b><u>69,930</u></b>
Change in net assets	24,346	87,406	111,752
Net assets, beginning of year	86,541	260,297	346,838
<b>NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR</b>	<b><u>\$110,887</u></b>	<b><u>\$347,703</u></b>	<b><u>\$458,590</u></b>

note 1 From time to time, Wamego Community Foundation funds make grants to other Wamego Community Foundation funds. Transfers such as these totaled \$4,300 during 2006.

*Connecting People Who Care with Causes that Matter*



Dear Wamego Community Foundation Friends and Patrons,

Life unfolds as we pursue our journey and our presence affects others' lives in ways that are often never known. Wamego Community Foundation continued to pursue opportunities in 2006 as we "connected people who care with causes that matter."

Thirteen scholarships were awarded to area high school seniors from eight scholarship funds and one donor-advised fund. The Sarah Katherine Watt Education Fund was created.

The Administrative Fund continues to be supported by generous business and individual donations. Working with the Kansas Rural Communities Foundation, and the Kansas Association of Community Foundations, we are building a stronger network of understanding on how citizens are able to keep Kansas wealth in Kansas and Wamego. We continue being frugal and good stewards of the funds that are contributed. Our website, <http://www.thewcf.org>, is regularly updated to include current funds and provide information on the initial steps of developing charitable donations.

The Greek philosopher Aristotle (384-322 BC) stated in his Metaphysics treatise, "the whole is more than the sum of its parts..." This is not just a catchy phrase for the mathematically challenged! We, the community at large, can affect more change and growth together than by acting as a Lone Ranger performing good deeds in isolated and often resource-limited endeavors.

On behalf of the Foundation's Board of Directors, thank you for your interest and commitment to "the whole" Wamego: people, programs and promise.  
Sincerely,

*Susan Symons*

Susan Symons  
Wamego Community Foundation  
2006 President





# WAMEGO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

Cash Contributions by Donor  
January through December 2006



Connecting People Who Care with Causes that Matter

Adams, Dennis  
 Alexander, Ron  
 Alfred J Eichman Trust  
 Allen, Mr. & Mrs. T. Kramer  
 Alpha Epsilon Delta - KSU  
 American Legion Post #172  
 Amy, Steven & Amy  
 Anderson, Beth  
 Anderson, Judy & Richard  
 Anderson, Mary Lou  
 Anderson, William & Susan  
 Anderson, Wilmetta  
 Apley, Kathryn  
 Arata, Joseph & Daralyn  
 Armstead, Janet C.  
 Ash Grove Charitable Foundation  
 Atkinson, Myrna  
 Auto Clinic  
 Bairow, Marvin & Mary  
 Bairow, Wayne & Margaret  
 Baker, Eleanor  
 Baker, Nancy  
 Balderson, S.Clark  
 Baldock & Turner LLP  
 Baldock, Bill & Ann  
 Barr, Sarah  
 Bartlett & West Engineers  
 Bartley, Mrs. Gary  
 Baxter, Bill  
 Bayer Construction Co., Inc.  
 Bearce, Rosalie  
 Bellinder, Margaret  
 Bennett, Mary  
 Bennington State Bank  
 Benson, Mrs. M.H.  
 Berck, Darla  
 Berggren, Wilma & Brooke  
 Berry, John & Charlotte  
 Bertels, Alan & Carolyn  
 Bettencourt and Warren, LLC  
 BHS Construction, Inc.  
 Bill Wright & Associates, Inc.  
 Bisnette, Tim & Cindy  
 Blair, Andrea  
 Blanka, Berenice  
 Blow, J.B. & L.K.  
 Blue Valley Tele-Communications, Inc.  
 Bluestem Electric Cooperative Inc.  
 Blume, Larry & Sharon  
 Body Works Massage Therapy  
 Boots, Mark & Cathy  
 Boots, Robert  
 Bosse, Lanny  
 Bowers, Jane Ann  
 Bradford, Barry J.  
 Brandon, Marla  
 Brent, Lanny & Mary  
 Brethour, William & Sylvia  
 Bretz, D.J. & Betty  
 Bronaugh, Joan  
 Bryson, Arlon & Carol  
 Burnham, Lester & Phyllis

Butler Plumbing & Htg, Inc.  
 Butler, E. Jean  
 Butler, Sandy  
 Butler, Winfried & Mary Ann  
 Callahan, Harold  
 Cameron, Vickie  
 Campbell, Daryl & Jean  
 Capitol Federal Foundation  
 Carlson, Nolan & Lorena  
 Carnahan, David  
 Carter, Kenneth & Mary  
 Carver, Melvina  
 Caterpillar Work Tools  
 Cazier, James  
 Cazier, Joyce  
 Central Association of Advisors  
 Charlson & Wilson Bonded  
 Abstracters  
 Church, Lee Roy & Nancy  
 Clark, Jay and Kim  
 Clark, Junior & Kathleen  
 Class of 1970  
 Cole, Patricia  
 Cole, Robert & Janice  
 Collins, Ronald & Eunice  
 Commerce Bank of Manhattan  
 Conklin, Gary or Marjorie  
 Conrad, Larry & Wanda  
 Copeland Insurance Agency, Inc.  
 Cottle, Georgia Ellen  
 CR's Tire & Muffler  
 Cranfill, J.C.  
 Crilly, Gordon & Rosemary  
 Culbertson, Chris & Anne  
 Curtis, Dixie  
 Curtis, Donis  
 Danner, Amy  
 Daylor, Louise  
 Daylor, Michael  
 Daylor, Patrick  
 DeDonder, Cathy & Betsy  
 Dekat's Auto & Hardware  
 Dekat, Mike & Janice  
 DeLacey's Lane  
 Deweese, Denny  
 Dewit, Elise  
 Dickason, Helen  
 Diederich, Brenda  
 Diederich, Lisa  
 Dillingham, Eldon  
 Ditto Ridge Farm  
 Ditto, Bill and Rose  
 Doll, Richard & Gayle  
 Donnelly, Pat & Debbie  
 Donnert, H.Daniel & Denise  
 Doperalski, M.  
 Dr. Gail McPeak, Optometrist  
 Dragsdorf, Mr. & Mrs. R.D.  
 Dummermuth, John  
 Dyer's Shurfine  
 Ebert Construction Co., Inc.  
 Ebert, James

Eckart, Barbara  
 Eckart, Patsy  
 Eddy, William Jr & Virginia  
 Edna M. Peddicord Trust  
 Edwards, Douglas & Beth  
 Edwards, Gail  
 Edwards, Robert & Bonnie  
 Eicheim, Ben & Dalene  
 Eichman, John & Janice  
 Eichman, Melissa  
 Eichman, Rob & Jan  
 Elder, Jeff & Erika  
 Elder, Jim & Julie  
 Elder, Peggy  
 Ellis, Paula  
 Elmore, Ronnie & Carol  
 Emerald City Market  
 Erdwien, Neil & Tiffany  
 Erickson, Dr. Howard & Ann  
 Ethington, Ruth  
 Eulajeon Heikes Rev Trust  
 Evans, Dorothy  
 Fahrenheit, Larry & Georgia  
 Farmers State Bank  
 Fechter, Larry & Kay  
 FHLBank Topeka  
 Fincham, M.J.  
 Fink, Carol  
 Finley, Dorothy  
 First National Bank  
 Flattery, Chris & Vicki  
 Flint Hills Messiah Chorus  
 Foltz, Dwayne & Barb  
 Forse, Wanda  
 Fraker, Dan & Lynn  
 Fraker, R.G.  
 Francis, Devin & Deb  
 Freidline, Erin  
 Frey, Michael & Donice  
 Friendship House  
 Fulmer, Robert & Rosemary  
 Fulmer, Todd & Pam  
 Fund, Mary  
 Funkhouser, Casey & Catherine  
 Gallagher, Paul  
 Galligan, Beth  
 Gilbert, John & Mary  
 Gladys V. Chrest Trust  
 Goeckler, Don and Jane  
 Gonzales, Augustine & Kara  
 Goodheart, Gary & Marilyn  
 Gormely, Patrick & Susan  
 Graham, Carol  
 Grannell, Kathy  
 Green, Leslie  
 Growing Concerns, Inc.  
 Haas, James & Susan  
 Habluetzel, Nancy  
 Hafenstein, Russel & Tamara  
 Haines, Robert & Lynne  
 Hamilton, Barry  
 Hamilton, Connie

Hansen, Bernard & Donelyn  
 Hargadine, Delores  
 Hartwich, David & Susan  
 Harvey Chrest Construction  
 Harvey, William & Mary  
 Hawes, J.R. & P.J.  
 Heartland Physical Therapy &  
 Rehab  
 Heath, Patricia  
 Hedke, Michael  
 Heller, Larry & Lacinda  
 Helus, Ron & Sherry  
 Helvey, Bill & Helen  
 Herman, Gary & Carol  
 Herman, Ladonna  
 Hildreth, J. Warren Jr., DDS & Judy  
 Hintz, Thomas & Vera  
 Hittle Landscape Architects  
 Hoffman Pharmacy  
 Holle, Chuck & Kay  
 Horner, Patricia  
 Howe Landscape, Inc.  
 Howell Lumber  
 Hower, Max & Helen  
 Hughes, Billie & Sharon  
 Hulett, Irma  
 Hulett, John & Penny  
 Hummels, Katherine  
 Hupe, Norman & Jeanette  
 Huser Law Offices, PA  
 Hydeman, David & Carol  
 I O O F No.80  
 J & B Mac Enterprises, Inc.  
 Jackson, T. Hanley  
 Jacobs, Michele  
 Jacobson, Byron  
 Jensen, Trevor  
 Jeschke, Erin  
 John D. McQuillen, D.D.S., P.A.  
 John Lang, atty  
 Johnson, Don & Donna  
 Johnson, Robert & Donna  
 KanEquip  
 Kansas Gas Service  
 Karnowski, David  
 Kaw Valley Equipment, Inc.  
 Kaw Valley Investors  
 - Super 8 Motel  
 Kaw Valley State Bank  
 Kern, Bill & Liz  
 Kimball, Steven & Christy  
 King, Bob & Gail  
 Knaackendoffel, Mark & E. Ann  
 Kream Kup Drive-In Restaurant  
 Kreller, David & Rosanne  
 Lakin Construction  
 Landmark National Bank  
 Lang, John & Jolcen  
 Langston, Bob & Pat  
 Latas, Nancy  
 Laurantell H. Stewart Trust  
 Lawless, Elizabeth

## WHAT ASSETS CAN BE CONTRIBUTED TO A FUND?

- *Outright gifts of cash, publicly traded or closely held stock, real estate, insurance, or other assets.*
- *Bequests by will of cash or property.*
- *Memorial tributes in honor of a friend or loved one, or contributions in honor of anniversaries, birthdays, etc.*
- *Life insurance naming the Foundation as beneficiary and owner.*
- *Private foundation transfers in which your family foundation, private foundation, trust, or civic endowment transfers its assets to WCF, while your fund retains its name and purpose. In some cases the private foundation may choose to become a Supporting Organization to WCF, thus achieving public foundation status. This approach saves management costs, excise taxes, and administrative burdens.*
- *There is no minimum for a contribution to an existing fund.*

## HOW LONG DOES IT TAKE TO ESTABLISH A FUND?

A fund can be established quickly. You may choose any name you wish for the fund you establish. Funds may be increased at any time by additional gifts. Grants from the fund you established will always be recorded in the name of the fund, a lasting symbol of your caring. The length of time depends on the complexity of your wishes, but generally, a fund can be established in a matter of days or weeks.

## IS THERE A FEE TO ESTABLISH A FUND?

WCF charges a \$100 setup fee to establish a fund. In addition, there is an annual administrative fee which is never more than one percent of the fund's average monthly market value. WCF currently does not charge fees for any scholarship funds.

## HOW DO I CREATE A FUND?

Most funds can be established in one brief meeting, and can be funded with cash, securities, real estate, publicly traded or closely held stock, insurance, or other assets. Or you may wish to create a fund in your will or through special charitable trust arrangements that benefit you and your family by providing them with life income while carrying out your charitable intent. All options provide you with maximum tax advantages while helping you invest in the growth of the community.

## HOW DO I KNOW I CAN TRUST WCF TO TAKE CARE OF MY FUND OVER TIME?

The primary purpose of a community foundation is to preserve and protect its donors' investments and charitable intentions, while still providing as high a return on investment as possible. WCF is organized to provide permanent investment and grant making protection for each donor's fund.



Wamego City Park



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## INVESTING IN THE WAMEGO COMMUNITY THROUGH WCF

### WHY GIVE THROUGH WAMEGO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION?

Donors receive a number of benefits and incentives for charitable giving. Anyone, regardless of wealth or position, can create a charitable gift fund at WCF. Donors can establish their own named fund for as little as \$5,000 and can take up to 5 years to fulfill their initial contribution. Contributions can be made to existing funds at any time for any amount.

- Donors know that their charitable wishes will be carried out in both present and future generations. Donors are assured that their gifts will be held in perpetuity and administered in accordance with their wishes. Unless donors choose to be anonymous, their names will be honored in perpetuity.
- Donors can pool gifts with others' contributions to increase charitable impact, provide a better investment return, and offer efficient financial management. Funds are categorized as either short-term or long-term and the investments of each may be different.
- Donors receive WCF's annual report, their annual fund statement, and information on other grant making opportunities as desired.
- Donors appreciate the ease of making a gift. After establishing a fund, there is no separate tax return to file. All grant paperwork and government reporting is handled by WCF.
- Donors and contributors can contribute gifts at any time and to any specific charitable cause. Those who set up a specific fund are called donors. Contributors are those who give to existing funds.
- Donors and contributors receive the maximum tax benefit from a gift. Contributions made to WCF qualify as a maximum deduction for income, gift, and estate tax purposes.

### WHO OVERSEES THE INVESTMENT OF THE FUNDS?

Through careful guidance by WCF's Investment and Finance Committee, investment decisions are made to achieve the highest return with the lowest risk. Any funds invested in stocks and bonds are professionally managed by the Trust Company of Manhattan.



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Lazy J. Farms  
Leeds, Arnold & Claudia  
Leonard III, E.J. & L.A.  
Leonard, Edward  
Lewis, William & Kay  
Linnemann, Rick & Janell  
Linton, Mr. & Mrs. Robert  
Machin, Marjorie  
MacKenzie, J. Robert  
Maggio, Joseph & Annette  
Maginley, Ken & Pat  
Manhattan Trenching, Inc.  
Mann, Sera  
Maravin, Yuri  
Marceron, Julia D.  
Marjorie Schowengerdt Rev Trust  
Markey Perma Glaze  
Marney, Gary & Leslie  
Marney, Larry & Aurel  
Marten, Gloria  
Martin, Dean & Dolores  
Martin, Edwin & Brenda  
Martini, Steve & Lori  
Masoner, Charles & Linda  
McCool, Tim & Jean  
McCurdy, Sandra  
McDonald, Mrs. Billy  
McKinnon, Laurie & Lange, Ben  
McKinsey, Alan & Janet  
McNall, Bruce & Julie  
McPeak, Gail & Kathleen  
Meek, Karen  
Meinholdt, Mr & Mrs F.D.  
Melvina Carver Foundation  
Menhusen, Albert & Constance  
Mense, Michael & Cynthia  
Metcalf, Andrea  
Midwest Concrete Materials  
Miller, Lenard & Charlene  
Miller, Leroy & Roberta  
Miller, Marilyn  
Mize, David & Janette  
Mize, Mrs. Theo F.  
MOMS Club of Wamego  
Morris, Dora  
Morrison Frost Olsen & Irvine, LLP  
Morrison, James & Lois  
Morton, Melvin & Lynne  
Muckenthaler, Marvin & Rita  
Naab, Wilma  
Neel, James  
Nehring, Ron & Kelly  
Nelson, David  
Nelson, Mark & Pat  
New Dymax Inc.  
Newell, Kathleen  
Newman's Grocery  
Noble, Larry  
Northside Animal Hospital, P.A.  
Novak, Dennis & Diane  
O'Shea, Kellie  
Ochs, Alice

Olker, Walter & Janice  
Olson, Willard & Shirley  
Orban, Russell & Joyce  
Page, Merl & Brenda  
Partridge, Charles & Susan  
Pathfinder  
Patricia Deweese Trust  
Peddicord, Judith  
Peddicord, Steve & Diane  
Perry, Michael & Angelia  
Peters, L.L. & B.J.  
Peterson, David & Mary Jean  
Peterson, Dean & Alexandria  
Pettay, Robert & Theresa  
Philbrook, Richard  
Pikul Engineering  
Pikul, Richard and Diane  
Pitney, Carol  
Platt, Laura Ann  
Portell, Mark  
Poston, Leigh & Connie  
Pott County Econ. Dev. Corp.  
Pottawatomie County Abstract Co.  
Pottawatomie County Bar Association  
Powers, John & Martha  
Price, William & Linda  
Prinz, William & Roberta  
Pugh, Ed & Cheri  
Quigley, Sherry & Geo  
R.M. Baril General Contractor, Inc.  
Rauhut, Doris  
Rauzon, George & Betty  
REED Company, LLC  
Reese & Novelty, P.A.  
Reese, John & Mary  
Reisinger, Daniel & Michele  
Rex's Electric, Inc.  
Rezac, Lynn  
Riat, James & Arvella  
Riat, Robert  
Rice, Gerald  
Rice, Mike & Deb  
Rickstrew, Raymond & Shelley  
Riley, Bill & Erma  
Roach, Faith  
Roberts, Calvin & Norma  
Roberts, Michael  
Roberts, T-Shane  
Robinson, Janet  
Robinson, Mike & Sharon  
Robson, W.P. & Sue  
Rogers, Dave  
Rosell, Jeff & Beverly  
Rumford, Michael & Richelle  
Ryan, Bette & Marvin  
Ryan, John & Jenney  
Ryan, Tim & Karen  
Sanborn, Steven & Victoria  
Sandell, Marie  
Sapp, Kelsey  
Scherer, Gene  
Schierkolk, Wayne & Patti

Schmidt, David & Linda  
Schneider, Shannon  
Schneider, Tyler  
Schultz Construction, Inc.  
Schumacher, Patricia  
Schumacher, Steve & Carmen  
Schurr, Dale  
Scratchfield, Joyce  
Seigel, Evelyn  
Seiwald, Ruth  
Siebert, Mary Kaye  
Siebert, Walt & Ruth  
Smith-Guth Ins  
Smith, Harry & Debra  
Snapp, Kenneth & Rita  
Snead, Bruce & Leslie  
Solt, Elden & Karen  
Solt, Helen  
Springer, Doug & Jenny  
Staats, Kevin & Anitta  
Stallard, Cheryl  
Steerman, David & Diane  
Stewart Funeral Home  
Stewart, Betty Jean  
Stewart, Wanda  
Stockebrand, Arlo & Lisa  
Stoncipher, Sharon  
Stratton, Owen & Reva  
Stroh, Charles  
Surs, Woodward & Alana  
Suther, Steve & Anne  
Sweeney, Douglas & Patricia  
Sylvester, Leon & Janet  
Symons, Stan & Susan  
Tackett, Robert & Rebecca  
Tatarko, John & Elizabeth  
The Trust Company of  
Manhattan  
Tim Engle Agency, Inc.  
Topeka Civic Nucomers Club  
Torrey, Barbara  
Trudo, Chris & Diana  
Tucker, CL & JD  
Tucker, Mary Beth  
Turner, Thomas & Judee  
Twiss, Page & Nancy  
United Methodist Women

USD #320  
Valley Vista Good Samaritan  
Center  
Van Petten, Edwin & Cathy  
Vanderbilt's  
Vanderbilt, David & Jan  
Victory Inn  
Vision Source  
Wahl, Delverna  
Walmart  
Wamego Area Chamber of  
Commerce  
Wamego Country Club Ladies  
Wamego Dental Center  
Wamego Drug Store  
Wamego Hospital Association  
Wamego Self-Storage  
Wamego Telecommunications  
Co., Inc.  
Wamego Telephone Co.  
Wamego Times, The  
Ward, Mark & LuAnn  
Watt, Estella  
Welter, L.C. & Viola  
Westar Enegy  
Westmoreland, City of  
Wheatley, Alison  
White, Charles & Jan  
Whiteside, Phyllis  
WHS Class of 2005  
Wilburn, Edward & Julie  
Wilcox, Walter & Lillian  
Wilkerson, Barry  
William G & Ellen L  
Trimnell Trust  
Williams, David & Jane  
Williams, Larry & Ruth  
Wilson, Donald & Sue  
Witt, Mr. & Mrs. Norman  
Worthing Oil Inc.  
Worthing, C.R.  
Wulf-Tays, Kathy  
Zabel, Stephen and Joy  
Zahn, Martin & Sandra  
Zoeller, Donald & Evelyn  
Zschoche, Sue



Wamego Recreation Complex





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## DESIGNATED FUNDS

These funds are ideal if you who want to support one or more specific organizations of your choice. Designated funds often are endowed in perpetuity with the income used to support the specified organizations on an on-going basis. Wamego Community Foundation ensures that disbursements are made to the appropriate charitable agencies as specified in the establishing fund document. If an agency stops functioning as an exempt charity or ceases to exist, the Foundation's Board may select an alternative charity as indicated in the fund document. Nonprofit groups can also establish this kind of fund, as part of their organization's own fundraising strategy.

## DONOR-ADVISED FUNDS

A donor-advised fund is a flexible tool for charitable giving. You can contribute to your fund when it is most convenient and then recommend gifts over time to nonprofit organizations of your choice. You select a fund name and then get to enjoy making grants to organizations committed to the causes you care about. You also can involve your children and grandchildren to share in a family tradition of giving.

- Wamego Telephone Company, Inc. Fund

## FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS

This type of fund allows you to support an area of charitable interest, defined broadly (such education) or narrowly (such as math tutoring). You also can select a defined geographic area or specific community to benefit from your named fund. In determining suitable grant recipients which meet the fund's criteria, you can stay involved, appoint an advisory committee, or leave the work to the Foundation's Public Awareness and Grants and Distributions Committee.

- Leadership Wamego — Leadership Fund
- Leadership Wamego — Children's Fund

## SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

The creation of a scholarship fund is attractive if you are interested in helping students obtain further education at any level. You may specify the criteria to be used in selecting recipients. For example, you may wish to support students who were involved in a certain high school activity; are studying a particular subject in college; or are attending a specific university or trade school. You may wish to name your scholarship fund in honor of a loved one.

- Jeff Birney (Fox) Memorial Scholarship Fund
- WHS Class of 2005 Scholarship Fund
- Community Scholarship Fund
- Kevin Dekat Memorial Jazz Scholarship Fund
- Crystal Derenne Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Carl Ray Fulmer Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Helm Sisters Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Hilliard Family Memorial Scholarship Fund
- John Lawless Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Pickering Award Fund
- Rebecca Sester Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Teresa Ann Siebert Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Sarah Katherine Watt Education Fund

## ORGANIZATIONAL ENDOWMENT FUNDS

These are endowment funds created by other nonprofit charitable organizations to which the Foundation provides financial, investment management and other services. The organization which creates the fund has its own Board of Directors which makes decisions as to disbursements from the fund.

- Family Life Education Endowment Fund
- Friends of the Park Endowment Fund
- Wamego Public Library Endowment Fund

## UNRESTRICTED FUNDS

These gifts are used for a broad array of charitable purposes. There are no restrictions placed on the gift by the donor party and thus can be used at the discretion of the Foundation. This fund category allows for maximum flexibility for the Foundation to support programs or needs which enhance the quality of life in the Wamego community.

- Wamego Community Endowment Fund

## SPECIAL PURPOSE FUNDS

Special purpose funds support a particular project or community initiative. This type of fund is shorter in duration than the other types of funds. The fund comes to an end once the special purpose is fulfilled. These are not endowment funds – all principal and earnings are distributed.

- Walter P. Chrysler House Project
- Fourth of July Fireworks Fund
- Friends of the Park Fund
- HTC Entrepreneurship Fund
- Library 2000 Building Fund
- Messiah Fund
- Old Military Road Recreational Trail Fund
- Postage Fund for the San Miguel De El Faique Library/School Project
- Pottawatomie Recycling Committee Fund
- Donna Swanson Memorial Baseball / Softball Complex Building Fund
- Wamego Recreation Complex Fund
- Wamego River Access Fund

## ADMINISTRATIVE FUND

As with any worthwhile organization, Wamego Community Foundation has operating costs associated with its day-to-day operations. To offset these costs, the Administrative Fund was established. Several local businesses and individuals have supported Wamego Community Foundation through contributions to the Administrative Fund. Continued support through this fund is needed and much appreciated.