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2022 ANNUAL REPORT

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ENHANCE QUALITY OF LIFE

Support

YOUR COMMUNITY



The Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation is celebrating its 32nd year as a certified 501(c)3 non-profit organization improving the quality of life of Sterling Heights area residents through cultural, educational and recreational opportunities.

The Foundation offers you the opportunity to support your community and enhance the quality of life for area residents in many ways. You may make a financial contribution to any of the 33 endowment funds the Foundation manages, create a new endowment fund that supports a special interest or honors a person important to you, include the Foundation in your will or trust, make a gift of real estate, donate a major gift through a bequest, or a charitable remainder distribution from an I.R.A., make a life insurance contribution or a charitable gift annuity. You may donate personal property, make a gift of appreciated stock, donate remaining retirement plan assets, make a gift of an interest in a closely held or family business or transfer an interest in a family limited partnership limited liability company.

The Foundation continually strives to partner with area businesses and residents to support programs that strengthen the City's wide range of cultural, educational and recreational opportunities.

Through your donation to the Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation, you can assist local area students with college scholarships, provide evenings of supervised fun for area teenagers, be a part of Sterlingfest, Memorial Day and Veterans Day celebrations, and support your local parks, nature center, library, area seniors, youth programs and more. You can leave a legacy for generations to come in perpetuity.

Your Foundation is an approved 501(c)(3) non-profit charitable organization, which offers potential tax benefits for you. Tax law changes make it important for you to contact your financial advisor to ensure your donation is credited properly.

Your gift to the Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation helps ensure that you, your family, neighbors and generations to come will continue to enjoy the finest cultural, educational and recreational opportunities that make Sterling Heights a great place to live, work, raise a family, and conduct business.

Please make a financial investment in your community so that we may grow our ability to provide ever increasing quality initiatives and programs that enhance the life of all Sterling Heights area residents. You may obtain a donation form and any additional information you may need from the City Community Relations Department by calling 586-446-2470. You may also discuss your giving ideas with your lawyer to ensure the latest tax advantages. You may also contact me at oskoian@sbcglobal.net.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

Karl G. Oskoian

Executive Director, President Emeritus, Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation

Community

10th Annual “Puttin’ on the Ritz” Gala
 Recognized Ron and Mary Lamparter, founders of the Defense Corridor Center for Collaboration and Synergy (DC3S).

With the eighth annual Richard J. Notte Civic Service Leadership Award.

The Foundation thanks its Ritz Gala sponsors:

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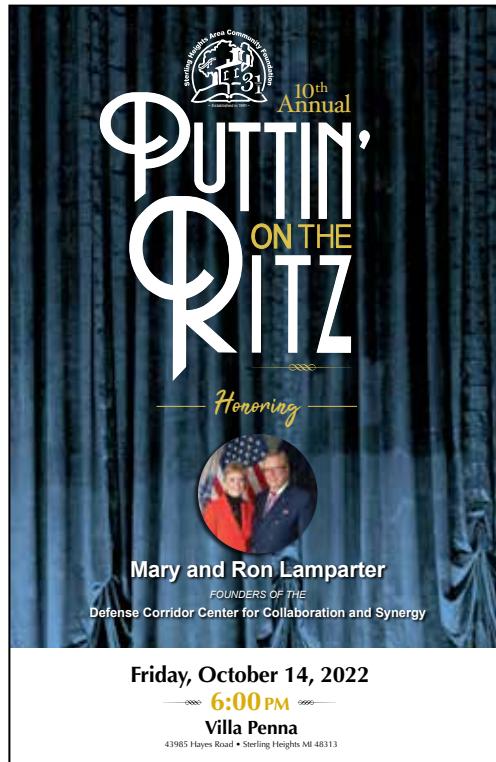
Roger and Vicky Burrows



IN-KIND SPONSORS



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IN 2022
 Community invests

\$195,255 INTO FOUNDATION

The Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation thanks the following residents, businesses and community leaders for their 2022 support and financial contributions:

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Community

"The Sterling Heights Area Community Foundation experienced another successful year in 2022, fulfilling its mission to enhance the quality of life of Sterling Heights area residents through providing increased cultural, educational and recreational activities for Sterling Heights area residents with strong contributions to the Community, while building and strengthening its brand throughout the City and Macomb County," said Karl G. Oskoian, the Foundation's Executive Director and President Emeritus. "We have grown the Foundation consistently since its inception in 1991 and significantly accelerated our growth passing significant financial milestones and strategic goals. We are excited and proud of our progress and remain focused on continued growth and increasing service to the community in our 32nd year and in perpetuity, through an ever increasing asset base."

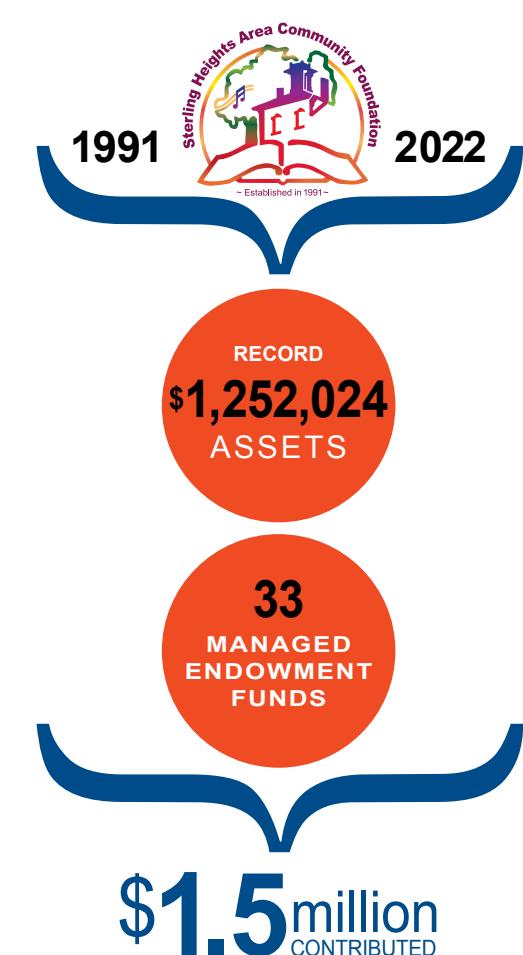
33 Managed Endowment Funds



BAE Systems STEM Scholarship Endowment
Clinton River Trail System Endowment
Community Arts Endowment
Community Foundation General Endowment
Doebler Family Library Children's Endowment
Doebler Family Foundation Endowment
Doebler Family Rotary Park Endowment

Dr. Martin Brown Endowment for Children with Special Needs
Donna Bozymowski Endowment for Children with Autism & Special Needs
Ford Motor Company Veterans Day Endowment
Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #118 Imus Park Endowment
Friends of the Sterling Heights Public Library Fund Endowment
General Dynamics Land Systems Engineering Scholarship Endowment
Ann Marie Givens International Language Endowment
Ronald Himmeler Science Scholarship Endowment
Karl G. Oskoian Endowment for the Arts & Culture
Lil Adams Memorial Endowment to Benefit Turning Point
Macomb County Chiropractic Association Endowment for Children with Autism
Mark A. Hackel Junior Leadership Macomb Endowment
Mayor Richard J. Notte Public Service Scholarship Endowment
Martin Luther King Scholarship Endowment
Michael S. Lazzara Endowment for Sterling Heights Youth Football
Marling Beautification Endowment
Oracle Endowment for the Arts
Professional Public Management Education Endowment
Quality of Life Endowment
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Stellantis Education Endowment
Sterling Heights Rotary Club Park Endowment
Tobacco Quality of Life Endowment
Tom Kroll Scholarship Endowment
Wujek Calcaterra and Sons Endowment

In 2022, the Foundation supported many community efforts with \$60,000 in financial grants and conducted a variety of activities to generate funds for investment and growth for ongoing disbursements in perpetuity to improve the quality of life of area residents through cultural, educational and recreational enhancements.



Cultural Educational Recreational
Fulfillment



A YEAR IN REVIEW Fulfilling STERLING OPPORTUNITIES

"Since its inception in 1991, the foundation has contributed more than \$1.5 million to organizations and activities that support our mission to improve the quality of life of Sterling Heights Area residents through cultural, educational and recreational enhancements."

Dear Community Residents,

We are proud to celebrate our 32nd year of helping improve the quality of life of Sterling Heights area residents by providing cultural, educational and recreational opportunities in the community.

Year end assets totaled \$1,252,024, after 2022 grant disbursements totaling \$60,000 for a variety of activities supporting the Foundation's mission. Managed endowment funds grew to 33. Since its inception in 1991, the Foundation has contributed more than \$1.5 million to organizations and activities that support its mission.

In 2022, the Foundation supported many community efforts with financial grants and conducted a variety of activities to generate funds for future use in improving the quality of life of area residents.

Some key 2022 initiatives included:

Grants

- 23 scholarships totaling \$26,000 were awarded to area high school seniors for their pursuit of a college degree or vocational training
- Secured \$32,000 for the 2023 Scholarship Program
- Macomb Science Olympiad
- Dodge Park 5K Run
- Music in the Park
- Battle of the Bands
- Dodge Park Farmers Market
- Library Summer Reading Program
- Play Place for Autistic Children
- City skate park
- City dog park
- City youth baseball and softball
- City Police Department Drug Free Coalition Program
- Parks and Recreation utility vehicle

Events

- Held the tenth annual "Puttin on the Ritz" community Gala recognizing Ron and Mary Lamparter, founders of the Defense Corridor Center for Collaboration and Synergy with the eighth annual Richard J. Notte Civic Service Leadership Award for their efforts in helping build and strengthen Sterling Heights, Macomb County and its defense industry and in recognizing veterans.

Sponsorships

- City Sterlingfest
- Utica Community Schools Career Focus Luncheon

A diverse and talented board of volunteer directors, support staff and professional in-kind advisors has chartered and implemented an aggressive 2022-2024 Strategic Plan and a challenging 2023 Operating Plan to assist the Foundation's continued growth and ability to fulfill its community mission. City leadership is a valued and critical partner as we strive to improve the quality of life for all Sterling Heights area residents.

It is our privilege to act as stewards of the non-profit assets entrusted to us to ensure their continued growth and income availability, in perpetuity, for future generations to fulfill the Foundation's mission.

Community-wide support continues to grow and will accelerate attainment of our long-range objectives and ever increasing annual support of the Foundation's mission areas to improve the quality of life of Sterling Heights area residents through cultural, educational and recreational enhancements.

To those of you who have supported the Foundation, thank you. To those of you who are considering support through a financial, in-kind, or volunteer contribution, we encourage your participation.

Together, we will continue to help strengthen and advance Sterling Heights as a model city to be emulated nationwide; as a great place to live, work, raise a family, and conduct business.

Sincerely,

Karl G. Oskoian, Executive Director, President Emeritus
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Mission

