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Greater Lowell Community Foundation

2014 Annual Report

Remembering the Generosity of Stephen L. Gervais



Stephen L. Gervais embodied humility, generosity, and goodwill—qualities that shaped every aspect of his life. Steve was a successful businessman, dedicated family man, and cherished friend to many. His longtime support of the Greater Lowell Community Foundation has allowed us to meet our mission of improving the quality of life in the region.

Steve's charity and positive spirit enriched the communities of Lowell, where he was a native son, and Ayer, where he built his business. He was the president of Gervais Ford, the Nashoba Valley Chamber of Commerce, and the Ayer-Shirley-Harvard Rotary; board member of North Middlesex Savings Bank and President of the Association of the United States Army at Fort Devens.

Steve was a communicant of the Immaculate Conception Church in Lowell, as well as a graduate of the Church's grammar school. He was an active member of the parish, serving on its Finance Committee and as chairman of the Golf Tournament Committee, as well as promoting its fundraising efforts. Steve was the first recipient of the Immaculate Conception Distinguished Alumni Award.

Steve and his wife Maureen shared 48 happy years together. Steve's memory lives on through his three children, Stephen Jr., Michael, and John, his six grandchildren, and his two step-grandchildren.

The Greater Lowell Community Foundation is honored to pay tribute to the life of a kind and philanthropic man. His legacy of goodwill will endure in our community through the generosity he practiced in his life. We dedicate this 2014 Annual Report to Stephen L. Gervais.

We appreciatively acknowledge our founding individuals and foundations. Their forethought, inspiration, and support laid the groundwork for the growth of the Greater Lowell Community Foundation, enabling us to give back to our communities today—and for generations to come.

Individuals

Mary J. Bacigalupo
George L. Duncan
Nancy L. Donahue
Richard K. Donahue Sr.
Robert F. Hatem
Mary Jo Leahey
John E. Leggat
Arnold S. Lerner
John H. Pearson Jr.
Luis Pedroso
Catherine G. Quinn
Peter S. Stamas
Marie P. Sweeney

Founding Foundations

Theodore Edson Parker Foundation
Moses Greeley Parker Foundation
Mary Greeley Parker Morrison Foundation
Jessie B. Cox Charitable Trust Fund
Massachusetts Environment Trust

Welcome from the Executive Director



Dear Friends,

I am pleased to share the many ways in which the Greater Lowell Community Foundation fostered philanthropy, engaged the community and promoted collaboration in 2014. The examples detailed in this annual report demonstrate our success in strengthening the region through philanthropic stewardship.

In 2014, the Greater Lowell Community Foundation enjoyed significant success and growth marked by our efforts to be a catalyst for community partnerships and grow our philanthropic resources. Last year, through the foresight of our generous donors and the insight of our investment advisors, the Foundation distributed nearly \$1.1 million in grants and scholarships. As of December 31, 2014, our total assets have grown to nearly \$28 million.

The Foundation's efforts went beyond financial support which is underscored in part by our backing of the region's creative economy. The Foundation provided grants to organizations supporting the arts, as well as highlighted the achievements of the creative sector through our annual *Celebrate Giving* event.

Over the past year, the Foundation solidified its connections to our donors and nonprofit organizations. Our donors were active participants in discussions on family and corporate giving, allowing us to tailor philanthropic services to their unique needs. We now invite donors to accompany us on site visits to local nonprofit organizations as a way to further educate ourselves and our donors on community needs. We also launched the Westford Fund, which will benefit those in need in the Westford community by supporting nonprofit organizations addressing social, economic, and quality of life issues. These nonprofits will be selected by a committee of Westford philanthropists and business leaders who are initial donors to the town fund.

In 2014, our local nonprofits benefited from our consultation services and the 16 professional development seminars we offered for their leaders. We distributed \$835,000 in endowed funds, \$99,000 through our grant cycles, and \$209,000 in scholarships to students. Our annual River Ride Bike-a-Thon enabled nonprofits to engage their donors and assisted these organizations in raising \$45,000 for their individual causes.

Looking ahead to 2015, the Foundation will continue to respond to community needs through programs that channel community goodwill to nonprofit organizations and students. We will augment our grant-making cycle through our Center for Business Philanthropy by engaging local corporations to become grant makers. We will continue to expand our endowment by offering agency funds which provide a source of financial resources that support the long-term viability of our community's nonprofit organizations. We will continue to foster local philanthropy through donor advised funds, thus ensuring that our donor support remains in our community to improve the quality of life for local residents. We will increase our support to students, many of whom are the first in their families to attend college, by establishing new scholarship funds. With your help, be assured that good things will continue to happen; we will make new strides within the scope of the Foundation's philanthropic mission to provide effective stewardship of local charitable resources.

It is with sincere thanks that I invite you to join us as we build upon the progress of the past year. The Greater Lowell Community Foundation is steadfast in its mission to foster community growth through funding, leadership and collaboration, and to improving the quality of life in our region. Your support has made these initiatives possible, meaningful and successful.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Susan". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Susan Winship
Executive Director

About the Greater Lowell Community Foundation

Our History and Mission

Since its inception in 1997, the Greater Lowell Community Foundation has focused on improving the quality of life for the people in the communities we serve. Today, we are the leading philanthropic organization in the Greater Lowell/Merrimack Valley area, providing leadership, education, and financial support. Through our vast donor network, we address a wide range of regional needs for charities, community groups, and area students through academic scholarships and charitable funds. The Foundation takes its role as the voice of and champion for philanthropy very seriously, and endeavors to provide an effective and trusted channel for helping the community.

How We Achieve Our Mission

Because the Foundation works for the community, we know the nonprofit landscape, we understand the needs of the constituents we serve, and we address a wide variety of initiatives. These initiatives range from education, hunger, and the environment to youth and family services, homelessness, healthcare, and the arts and culture. By promoting awareness of community needs, programs, and resources, we're in the best position to partner with donors. We make philanthropic funds available, we assist charities in fulfilling their needs, and most importantly, we improve the quality of life in our community. Working together with community leaders and neighbors, we strengthen the capacity of our community for genuine and lasting change.

Services Provided Include:

Personal Philanthropic Services for Donors

- Endowment fund creation and growth
- A diverse range of professional consultation services
- Donor advised funds - supporting causes important to our donors

Partnerships with Area Nonprofit Organizations

- Connect donors to relevant nonprofit organizations
- Establish and grow endowments to support nonprofits in perpetuity
- Provide guidance to help nonprofits meet strategic goals and objectives

Grant Awards to Area Nonprofit Community Groups

- Focused on the Greater Lowell/Merrimack Valley region
- Grants awarded to nonprofits, coalitions, community and civic groups
- Multiple grant programs offered for applicants

Scholarships & Continuing Education Assistance for Area Students

- Lowell High School Scholarship Fund - 166 scholarship funds
- Greater Lowell Technical High School Scholastic Enhancement Fund
- Rebello Art Scholarship Fund for Chelmsford High seniors
- Chelmsford Business Association Scholarship Fund
- Kelly Brooks Memorial Scholarship Fund
- Robert C. "Doc" McAnespie Scholarship Fund
- Carrie B. Progen Scholarship Fund
- Donahue Family Scholarship Fund for Lowell Catholic High School



Highlights from a Year of Progress

2014 Key Accomplishments

Stewardship & Donor Services

- Grew our total assets to \$27,858,050 - an increase of \$643,022 since 2013
- Created 8 new endowment funds
- Hosted a Donor Advised Fund Appreciation Dinner to recognize and convene 30 donors with funds ranging from \$2,500 to \$50,000
- Launched the Westford Fund, our first town fund, which will strategically benefit those in need in the Westford community

Grant-Making & Nonprofit Support

- Distributed \$1.1 million in funds; \$835,000 in endowed funds, \$99,000 through our grant cycles, and \$209,000 in scholarships to students
- Hosted the 3rd Annual River Ride Bike-a-Thon a fundraising event that assisted participating nonprofits to raise \$45,000
- Through our Center for Nonprofit Excellence, offered consultation and professional development opportunities to nonprofits including 16 seminars for nonprofit leaders



2014 By The Numbers

Total Assets (as of 12/31/14)	\$27,858,050
Growth of assets over previous year	\$643,022
Total contributions from donors	\$1,435,374
Total Dollars Awarded	\$1,143,872
Number of endowed charitable funds added	8
Total endowed charitable funds	178
Number of volunteers	85

Grow With Us: Services for Donors

Donor Advised and Designated Funds

Donor advised funds allow donors to take an active role in philanthropy. The donor makes a donation or series of donations to the Foundation and establishes terms for how the funds will be distributed. The monies may be distributed to designated charities or at the donor's recommendation. Interest earned and investment gains increase the fund's charitable value. Funds are distributed upon ratification by the Foundation's board of directors.

Field of Interest Funds

Similar to a donor advised fund, this type of fund matches the donor's personal philanthropic goals to one or more particular areas of community need. For example, funds can benefit the arts, economic development, youth services, or any other field of interest.

Town Funds

Town funds strategically impact the communities where its donors live and work. As with other endowment funds at the Foundation, our team of professional investment advisors grow the fund's assets and a percentage of the returns are distributed annually. The advisory committee for the town fund recommends the local nonprofit organizations that will receive distributions from the fund.

Center for Business Philanthropy: Corporate Giving

Through the Center for Business Philanthropy corporations partner with the Foundation to establish charitable giving in the workplace. Services include consultation on grant-making and the creation of endowed funds.

Scholarship Funds

The Foundation can assist families, businesses, and individuals to design a scholarship that is meaningful to them. For example, a donor can offer a scholarship at their alma mater, a scholarship for a particular field of study, or a scholarship in memory of a loved one.

Highlighting Town Funds: The Westford Fund

Established by philanthropist Patti Mason, the Westford Fund is dedicated to the long-term sustainable support of Westford by providing an ongoing revenue stream. The Westford Fund is advised by concerned community members who generate awareness, raise funds, and recommend nonprofit recipients for funding.

The professional investment team at the Greater Lowell Community Foundation administers the Westford Fund.

The Westford Fund is supported by contributions from residents, businesses, and those who care about Westford. For more information, call 978-970-1600.



For more information on these services visit us at www.glcfoundation.org



Grow With Us: Services for Donors

How Do I Create a Fund?

Creating an endowment – a gift that will exist forever - seems daunting, but we make it easy.

Here is a checklist of items to consider:

1. Decide When to Give

You can create your fund now, establish it in your will, or create it through a trust arrangement. You may give to celebrate a special person, an occasion, or a cause. Tax deductions are earned at the time of your gift, while grants awarded from your fund will continue into the future.

2. Decide What To Give

Almost any kind of asset can be used to start your fund: cash, publicly traded securities, closely held stock, real estate, life insurance, and other assets. Other options include bequests, charitable remainder unitrusts, charitable remainder annuity trusts, charitable lead trusts, and charitable gift annuities.

3. Choose a Name for Your Fund

Most of our funds are named for the donor or the donor's family or as a memorial or tribute to someone special. You may choose any name that is meaningful to you.

4. Choose a Type of Fund

We offer a variety of funds to meet our donors' different charitable interests. All funds can be established at the \$5,000 level and above, with the exception of a Nonprofit Agency Endowment Fund; these are created at the \$10,000 level.

- Donor Advised Funds
- Scholarship Funds
- Nonprofit Agency Endowment Funds
- Discretionary Funds
- Field of Interest Funds
- Designated Funds
- Town Funds

We welcome the opportunity to work with you to start a fund. Please call us at 978-970-1600 for more information or visit our website at www.glcfoundation.org.



Donor Spotlight: Top of the Hill Fund

In establishing the Top of the Hill Fund, Alex Chanler and his wife Carole aim to support programs that inspire a collective response to community need. The Chanlers have an affinity for nonprofit organizations that promote conservation and environmental protection. At the same time, these programs educate the community, mentor young people, and inspire adolescents to be active members in community-building efforts (and potentially become future philanthropists).

The nonprofits supported by the Top of the Hill Fund are redeveloping neighborhoods, creating green spaces in areas of urban blight, and empowering residents to make small but lasting changes to the quality of life in their city.

Grow With Us: Supporting Nonprofits

Agency Endowment Funds

The Foundation offers several endowment-building solutions for nonprofits already serving our area. We are committed to helping local nonprofit organizations build their endowments so that quality programs and services can continue into the future. The Greater Lowell Community Foundation understands that nonprofit organizations require stable, predictable sources of income. An agency endowment at the Foundation can help nonprofits turn large gifts from donors into a sustainable source of income.

Grant-Making

The Foundation supports nonprofit organizations through several annual competitive grant opportunities. Currently, grant programs include Discretionary Grants, Nashoba Valley Health Care Grants, and the recently introduced Center for Business Philanthropy. Discretionary Grants are awarded through an open competitive process and are reviewed and selected by a distribution committee. The Foundation partners with the Community Foundation of North Central Massachusetts to offer the Nashoba Valley Health Care Grants. In 2014, 32 nonprofit organizations were awarded grants through the Discretionary and Nashoba Valley Health Care grant cycles.



Annual River Ride Bike-a-Thon


Each fall, the Foundation hosts a 15-mile bike-a-thon along the scenic Merrimack River in Lowell and Tyngsborough. This fundraising event allows local nonprofits to raise funds to support their individual causes. The Foundation provides a platform for teams to promote their organizations, engage donors, and inspire their employees in a fun and motivational way. In 2014, participants raised \$45,000.

Scholarship Funds

Thousands of local students have received financial support to pursue higher education through the Foundation's scholarship programs. The Foundation offers scholarships to area students through the Lowell High School Scholarship Fund, the Greater Lowell Technical High School Scholastic Enhancement Fund, the Rebello Art Scholarship Fund for Chelmsford High seniors, the Chelmsford Business Association Scholarship Fund, the Kelly Brooks Memorial Scholarship Fund, the Robert C. "Doc" McAnespie Scholarship Fund, the Carrie B. Progen Scholarship Fund, and the Donahue Family Scholarship Fund for Lowell Catholic High School.

Center for Nonprofit Excellence

The Foundation's Center for Nonprofit Excellence supports nonprofit organizations through professional development and capacity building seminars, networking opportunities, and consultation services. Last year, the Foundation hosted monthly seminars on topics including strategic planning, board governance, and fundraising. The Center for Nonprofit Excellence partners with nonprofit board members and management staff to promote leadership and provide relevant training and consultation opportunities.



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these services visit us at
www.glcfoundation.org

Nonprofit Capacity-Building Grants

2014 COMPETITIVE GRANTS

The Foundation awards discretionary grants through an open, competitive process. In 2014, \$99,000 in grants was awarded from the Foundation's discretionary funds and from the Moses Greeley Parker and Mary Greeley Parker Morrison Fund created by the Theodore Edson Parker Foundation.

Arts, Culture, and Humanities: \$15,000

Angkor Dance Troupe Inc.
for Experience Angkor Community Tour

Roudenbush Community Center Inc.
for First Weekend on the Common and Beyond

Economic and Community Development: \$14,500

Juvenile Court Restorative Justice Diversion
for diverting cases through employment and training

The Lowell Plan Inc.
for Public Matters

Mill City Grows
for Mill City Grows Mobile Market

Community Teamwork
for community development tax credits

Coalition for a Better Acre Inc.
for community development tax credits

Education: \$10,000

Coalition for a Better Acre Inc.
for Resident Leadership Training Program

Boys & Girls Club of Greater Lowell Inc.
for Keystone Club

Jericho Road Project Inc.
for Board Diversity Initiative

Environment: \$15,000

Nashua River Watershed Association
for Science-Based River Stewardship & Management

Clean River Project
for Lower Falls Clean Up

Lowell Parks & Conservation Trust
for Lowell River Stewards

Health: \$37,500

Strongwater Farm Therapeutic Equestrian Center
for Change of Lead Program

Gaining Ground
for Fresh Organic Produce for Local Hunger Relief

Esperanza Academy
for Health and Wellness Program

Youth Services: \$7,000

Family Services of the Merrimack Valley
for Court Appointed Special Advocate Program

Girls Incorporated of Greater Lowell
for LitSmarts 2014-2015

Total Competitive Grants: \$99,000

2014 ENDOWMENT GRANTS

\$1,143,872 was awarded through endowed funds to nonprofit organizations in the following categories.

Arts, Culture, and Humanities: \$116,957

Economic and Community Development: \$71,480

Education: \$373,297

Environment: \$10,117

Health: \$90,374

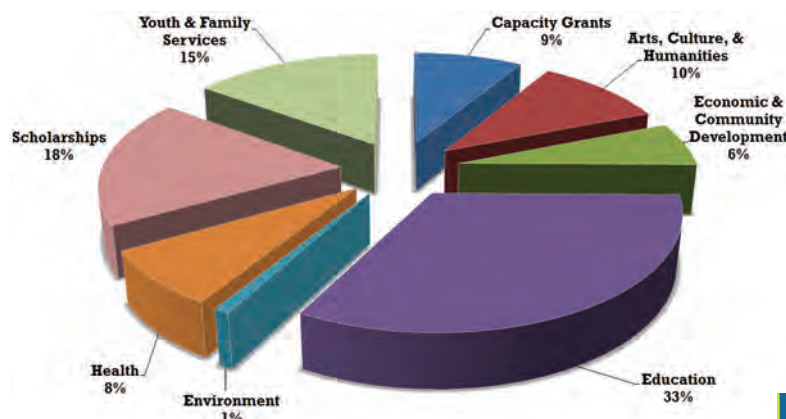
Religion: \$3,000

Scholarships: \$209,215

Youth & Family Services \$170,431

Total Endowment Grants: \$1,143,872

GRANT DISTRIBUTIONS PERCENTAGE OF DOLLARS GRANTED



Financial Profile

As of December 31, 2014

Condensed Financial Statement

Assets

Cash and investments	27,610,847
Unconditional promises to give - net	208,880
Property, equipment - net	16,149
Other assets - net	22,174
Total assets	\$27,858,050

Liabilities

Accounts payable / accrued expenses	44,644
Grants payable	854
Charitable gift annuities	1,450
Fiscal agent and agency endowment funds	3,268,912
Total liabilities	\$3,315,860

Net Assets

Total net assets	\$24,542,190
Total liabilities and net assets	\$27,858,050

Support and Revenue

Contributions, grants and gifts	1,404,154
Investment income	1,162,563
Donated goods and services	1,963
Total support and revenue	\$2,568,680

Expenses

Program services	1,705,098
Fundraising	57,615
General and administrative	272,296
Total expenses	\$2,035,009

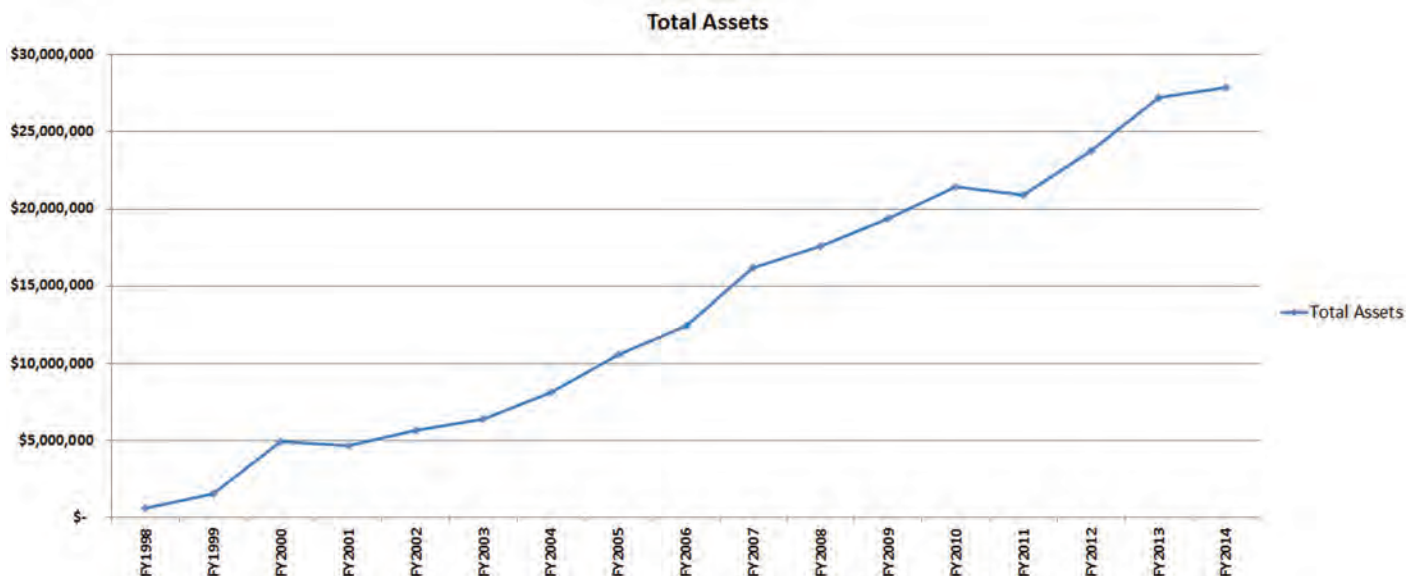
Change in Net Assets **\$533,671**

Net Assets at Beginning of Year **\$24,008,519**

Net Assets at End of Year **\$24,542,190**



Growth in Assets



New Funds in 2014

Anna and Gino Biagini Fund

The purpose of this field of interest fund is to provide financial support to charitable organizations that serve seniors. Individuals who are 70 and older, who are experiencing loneliness and find themselves without family and community support, are eligible for this program. These programs must service seniors who live in the communities of Stoneham and surrounding towns.

Cameroonians of Lowell (CAMOLA) Scholarship Fund

This scholarship fund was created to support youth of Cameroonian or Central African descent. It is awarded to Lowell High School seniors with outstanding academic performance who demonstrate involvement in community service through their participation in extra-curricular activities, community or church service, and work experience. The applicant must also demonstrate financial need.

Michael A. DeVincenzi Memorial Scholarship Fund

Created to honor the life and work of teacher Michael A. DeVincenzi, this scholarship is awarded to a Lowell High School senior with demonstrated financial need who has taken psychology and/or other elective social science courses and who shows interest in continuing the study of social sciences. The ideal candidate demonstrates compassion and kindness through volunteer or extracurricular activities, including coaching or mentoring others, preferably in the sports of tennis or weight-lifting. The applicant must be an active member of Model UN Club.

Tom Leggat Opportunities Fellowship Award

The Trustees of the Theodore Edson Parker Foundation have established a fellowship award at the Greater Lowell Community Foundation in honor of a former trustee, Tom Leggat. Recognizing Tom Leggat's interest in the advancement of youth and his dedication to the betterment of Lowell, this fund allows the Greater Lowell Community Foundation to grant one fellowship award annually to a Lowell resident age 17-21. The award will allow the recipient to partake in a transformative opportunity and encouraging them to make positive life-altering choices.

Mason Family Fund

The Mason Family Fund was established to support Westford nonprofit organizations and students. Each year two Westford Academy seniors, one active in the outdoors

club and one who has overcome adversity, will receive an award upon graduation. Westford organizations and community events will also benefit from the generosity of the fund, including the Westford Family Fun Fest, the Roudenbush Community Center, the Westford Historical Society, Westford Against Substance Abuse, and Habitat for Humanity of Greater Lowell.



People's Club of Lowell Scholarship Fund

The People's Club, a society that was organized around literature, lecturers, and learning for the working class, has origins that date back to the late 1870s. A deposit sat forgotten in a bank vault until it was discovered by community leaders, who resurrected the Club in the form of a scholarship. Today, the People's Club of Lowell Scholarship Fund benefits Lowell High School students who have demonstrated continued academic improvement, work experience, community involvement, and who can best answer the question, "How has living in Lowell broadened your formal education and influenced what you intend to do in the future?"

Charles and Mary Sampas, Marina and Peter Schell Scholarship Fund

This four-year scholarship is awarded to a senior who demonstrates financial need and plans to attend the University of Massachusetts at Lowell or at Amherst. The awardee must maintain high academic grades while studying at the University of Massachusetts.

The Westford Fund

The Westford Fund is directed at providing long-term sustainable support of Westford nonprofits. Advised by concerned community members who generate awareness, raise funds, and recommend nonprofit recipients for funding, the Westford Fund was the first town fund established at the Foundation.

For a complete list of funds visit us at www.glcfoundation.org

Partners in Philanthropy: Donors

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\$5,000+

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Theodore Edson Parker Foundation
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Contributions to Permanent Funds

Mary J. Bacigalupo

Community Fund

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Mr. Arthur Barlas
Mr. James S. Wolfson

Walter A. Bacigalupo Memorial Scholarship Fund

Mr. Walter A. Bacigalupo
Mr. Arthur Barlas

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Yee

Anna and Gino Biagini Fund

Anna Biagini 2010 Trust

Kelly Brooks Memorial Scholarship Fund

City of Lowell Women's Golf
Tournament Inc.

Bush Family Fund

Ms. Lorraine O. Primeau and
Ms. Maryellen R. Leriche, in
Memory of Mr. John J. Bush Jr.

Banker's Volunteer Award

Enterprise Bank

Cameroonians of Lowell (CAMOLA) Scholarship Fund

Cameroonians of Lowell
Association Inc. (CAMOLA)

Carney Medal Fund

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen L. Gervais

Chelmsford Business Association Scholarship Fund

Chelmsford Business Association
Inc.

Joe and Dorothy Chaves Family Fund

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Portuguese Speakers

Marguerite H. Colgate Memorial Library Fund - Laura Lee School

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Massachusetts Alliance of
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Enterprise Bank

Erna Fayat Fund

Mr. and Mrs. Michael G. Flaherty

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Mr. Michael W. Alexis
Ms. Diana I. Bryant-Friedman, in Honor of Mrs. Clementine Alexis
Ms. Margaritta I. Jost, in Honor of Mrs. Clementine Alexis
Mr. and Mrs. George J. Kyranos, in Honor of Mrs. Clementine Alexis
Ms. Marika Kyranos, in Honor of Mrs. Clementine Alexis

Merrimack Valley Food Bank for the Guy Francesshelli Scholarship Fund

Merrimack Valley Food Bank

Global Goals Fund

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen A. Briggs

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard K. Donahue Sr.

Greater Merrimack Valley Arts Fund

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Andrew Curry Green Memorial Fund

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Hildreth Family Cemetery Preservation Fund

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Meadowlarks Bookkeeping Inc.
Mr. and Mrs. W. McIlwaine Thompson Jr.

Jack Kerouac Scholarship Fund

Jack Kerouac 5K Road Race
Wachusett Brewing Co. Inc.
Yankee Timing & Event Management

Lowell Afterschool STEM Program

Eastern Bank Charitable Foundation

Lowell Canalways and River Walkways Maintenance Fund

Lowell Heritage Partnership Inc.

Ruth C. & John E. Leggat Fund

Dr. John E. Leggat Jr., in Memory of John, Ruth, & Bruce Leggat

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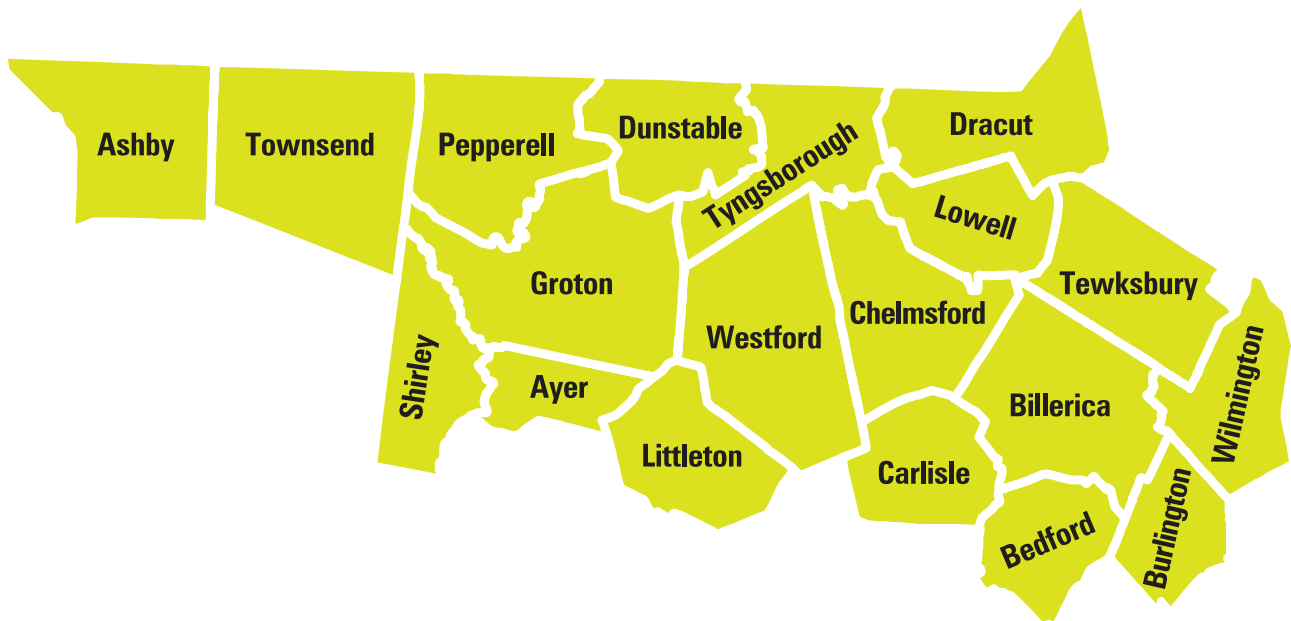


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