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WHAT'S HAPPENING NEXT

Community Impact News

At the recommendation of the Community Impact Committee, the foundation shifted spring and fall grant cycles to provide flexible operating support in 2021. This resulted in \$723,718 of support from Resilient Communities Grant Cycles **providing flexible funding** to nearly 100 local organizations. In 2021, 687 grants total \$2.8 million, as investments in our communities. This past fall, Community Foundation celebrated granting **\$20 million** since our inception in 2000.

Thank you donors, fund advisors and local funders!

Details and grants listing: www.cftompkins.org



2021 Resilient Communities Grantee: Child Development Council





Let's Talk: Local Food System with Katie Hallas February 8



2022 Library Grant Cycle, Application Deadline February 23



Let's Talk: Mental Health with Frank Kruppa March 8



2022 Spring Grant Cycle, Application Deadline
April 6

As our community grapples with important issues, join us each month, hear from local leaders, learn alongside others. Details: news & events www.cftompkins.org

Online Resources Available

Advancing Racial Justice: Philanthropic Resources and Responses

Share your thoughts with us.

"...think about what your time, talent, treasure, testimony and ties can contribute to advancing what our communities need to seek equity and racial justice, to restructure our relationships and our institutions and to share power." George Ferrari, CEO, Community Foundation



Reginald White (pictured above), Senior Director, Human Resouces for the Research Division at Cornell University and Community Foundation board member has created an environment of learning and service through coaching/consulting and work as an employee-elected member on the Cornell University Board of Trustees.

Reginald shared, "Thinking of yourself as a philanthropist.. as someone who gives and changing how you see yourself is a path to human connection." This statement informs why he joined the Community Foundation Board of Directors. Inspired by the organization's commitment to re-assess and re-examine what could be — he hopes to inform the conversation. "... if we can mix curiosity and knowledge with courage and generosity; we can make a significant difference in our

Inspiring and supporting enduring philanthropy

Perspectives and thoughts shared from our community

Ann Mathews' legacy continues with a bequest from her estate to Community Foundation's Women's Fund.



Ann's community development legacy includes her work with collaborators in the formative years of the Child Development Council of Central NY, the Women's Opportunity Center, and building the Women's Fund. Ann volunteered at the SPCA of Tompkins County, Family Reading Partnership, and English as a Second Language program. Ann was an inspiration and a mentor. She was famous for her power naps, great sense of humor and never-ending optimism, fueled by chocolate. By her example, Ann taught us how to be change agents in the circles we inhabit.

Community Foundation in coordination with other local funders including United Way of Tompkins County, Legacy Foundation, Health Foundation for Western & Central New York, Park Foundation, Tompkins Financial Advisors, Human Services Coalition, City Federation of Women's Organizations, Ithaca Urban Renewal Agency, Triad, Vision Federal Credit Union and others, supports essential nonprofit services.



One example: the Summer Youth Employment Program was restored to previous funding levels through collaboration of three local funders. "...we know that responsibility and independence is good for LET'S TALK

MENTAL HEALTH

MARCH 8, 2022



Frank Kruppa
Tompkins County
Public Health Director

Details www.cftompkins.org

Christa Nunez, founder of The Learning Farm and Khuba International received 2nd year collaborative funding. Quarter Acre for the People connects systemically urbanized communities with land governance and food production.



Christa is known as a farmer, educator and activist.

"...a beloved soul sister, a creative powerhouse and a beacon of light."

2021 SUMMARY

998 gifts total \$3.7 million, fuel grants, deepen community connections and grow resources.
687 grants total \$2.8 million, make community investments impacting lives in Tompkins County and beyond.
148 funds hold \$27.8 million, with investment performance of 10.68% General Portfolio and 12.1% ESG Portfolio.

