



The Foundation Board

The Foundation Board is comprised of individuals from five areas of expertise:

- A member of a financial institution
- A member of a social service agency
- A member of an educational institution
- A member of the Consolidated Electric board
- A member of Delaware or Morrow Chamber of Commerce

Together, these board members review applications quarterly, sharing their knowledge and expertise in making important decisions on the wise use of funds. They donate their time because they realize the value that the Foundation offers our community. We are thankful for the generosity and their involvement.



Larry Roof
Director



Cathy Francis
Chairman



Lisa Stumpf
Secretary/Treasurer



Michael Ziegelhofer
Director



Provided funds for replacement camp items for Flying Horse Farms



Provided funds for local food pantrys



In Memoriam

We would like to celebrate the life of past director Larry Cline and honor him in recognition of his service to the community and his hard work and dedication to The People Fund.



THE PEOPLE FUND



2015 ANNUAL REPORT

Executive Report

People Helping People

Your cooperative is dedicated to helping the people in our service area, not just by keeping the lights on, but by making a positive impact on the quality of life. The People Fund is proud of the positive impact it has had in increasing security, safety and health-awareness within communities. The organization has also helped to prepare and educate our community's growing children by funding several local educational programs for students from elementary to college.



AED unit for the New Life Community Church



Provided funds for an ATV for the Morrow County Sherriff's department

The People Fund, funded through its members, by Operation RoundUp®, has proven to be a successful program providing financial assistance to non-profit agencies and community activities in our area.

If you participate, your monthly Consolidated Electric bill is automatically "rounded up" to the nearest dollar. For example, if your bill is \$62.71, you'll pay \$63.00, with 29 cents going directly into a special fund administered by the Consolidated Electric Foundation's Board of Trustees. Members who participate will contribute about \$6 each year—a small amount to help worthy causes in our community. The program gives members a simple way to contribute to charitable purposes. Consolidated Electric, as a corporation, may also contribute funds to worthy causes. Operation RoundUp® is a way for members and Consolidated Electric to combine their efforts to do even more for our communities.

The People Fund has awarded more than \$1,039,044 to neighbors, agencies and groups in need since it was established in 2002. Because of the generous support from members of Consolidated Electric, Consolidated Gas and Bright Energy more than \$80,786 was awarded to recipients in 2015. Many of the recipients were awarded through our program because alternate funding was simply not available.



Phil Caskey
President

Appreciation is extended to participating members and the Consolidated Electric Foundation's Board of Directors for helping us support our members and community through the People Fund.

Your pennies are making a difference!

The purpose of The People Fund is to help individuals, businesses and organizations in need. For example, the Board has approved grants for individuals suffering from various illnesses, families devastated by natural disaster and organizations such as local fire departments, schools and community outreach programs.

Below you will find a complete list of funds awarded in 2015. The People Fund and your pennies are truly making a difference in our community. More than \$80,786 was granted last year!

First Quarter

- AED Unit for New Life Community Church \$1,000
- Donation for Buckeye Valley East Food Pantry \$1,000
- Donation to the Andrews House "STEP" program \$1,000
- Donation to the Big Walnut Friends Who Share Food Pantry \$1,000
- Donation to the Fresh Faith Community Church Food Pantry \$1,000
- Camp replacement items and camp sponsorship for Flying Horse Farms \$10,000
- Security System for the Delaware County Cultural Arts Center \$1,030

Second Quarter

- AED Unit for the Alum Creek Friends Church \$1,000
- Rear conversion mobility unit for an individual's van \$10,000
- Cooling system for the Ohio Bird Sanctuary \$3,000
- ATV for the Morrow County Sherriff's Office \$5,100

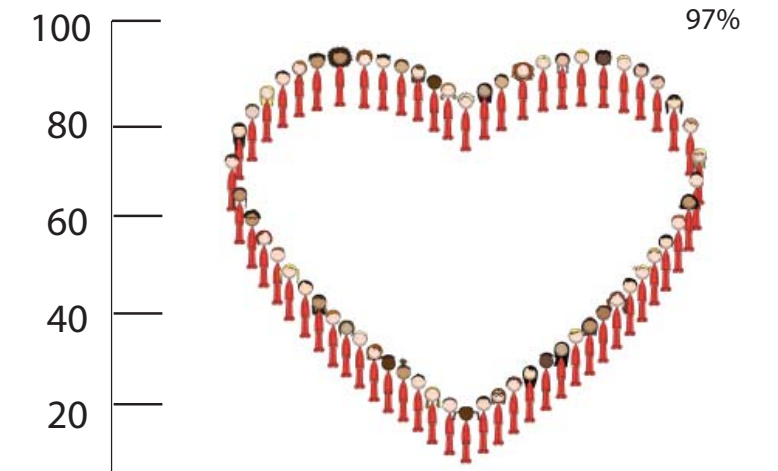
Third Quarter

- Refrigerator for an individual \$500
- Roof for a member \$15,390
- Water line trenching tap fee for a member \$8,021
- Roof for a member \$6,030
- Smoke detectors for the American Red Cross \$2,500
- Commercial refrigerator for the Safe Harbor Peer Support Food Pantry \$2,000

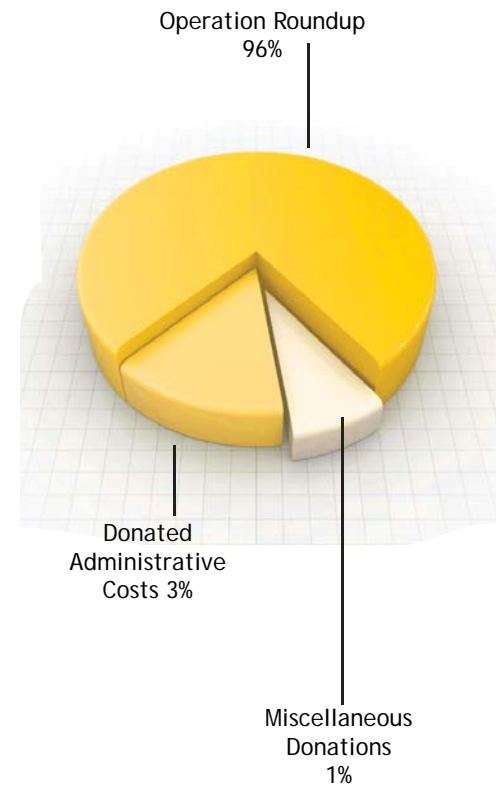
Fourth Quarter

- Water heater for an individual \$759
- Home repairs due to water damage for a member \$6,926
- Freezers and shelving for the Fredericktown United Methodist Church "Peace Meals" program \$2,030
- Material for raised gardens at the Liberty Community Center \$500

Percentage of Members participating in Operation Round Up



Total Donations



2015 People Fund Donations & Awards

