



Union Pacific Awards Over \$5.2 Million to 487 Local Nonprofit Organizations Across the Railroad's 23-State Network

The Community Ties Giving Program grants underscore Union Pacific's steadfast commitment to communities

OMAHA, **Neb.**, **Sept 17**, **2024** – Union Pacific Railroad's Community Ties Giving Program awarded over \$5.2 million in local grants to 487 nonprofit organizations located in villages, towns, cities and counties across the 23-state network in which the railroad operates and its employees live and work.

Millions of people will benefit from these awards given to organizations and projects aligned with the railroad's giving priorities: safety, workforce development, community vitality and environmental sustainability. The grants, which range between \$5,000 to \$30,000, will pave the way for safer neighborhoods, expose students to future careers, revitalize parks and ignite new environmental initiatives.

"Union Pacific believes in the power of local, grassroots organizations to create positive and meaningful change in communities," said Union Pacific President Beth Whited. "We are proud to support these nonprofits, which share our commitment to building safe and vibrant communities for today's residents and for the generations to come."

The application process to apply for a Community Ties Giving Grant opens annually in April. It is a competitive process, ensuring a fair opportunity for all eligible entities. More details about the program and how to apply for a grant can be found at <u>up.com/communityties</u>.

ABOUT UNION PACIFIC

Union Pacific (NYSE: UNP) delivers the goods families and businesses use every day with safe, reliable and efficient service. Operating in 23 western states, the company connects its customers and communities to the global economy. Trains are the most environmentally responsible way to move freight, helping Union Pacific protect future generations. More information about Union Pacific is available at <u>www.up.com</u>.

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2024 Grants

Kansas: \$192,000

Wichita	African Americans Renewing Interest in Spirituals Ensemble, Inc.
Lawrence	Boys & Girls Club of Lawrence
Wichita	Boys & Girls Club of South Central Kansas
Parsons	Care Cupboard Hygiene Pantry
Coffeyville	Coffeyville Regional Medical Center Foundation
Wichita	Create Campaign, Inc.
Wichita	Destination Innovation, Inc.
Abilene	Eisenhower Foundation
Kansas City	El Centro, Inc.
Hays	First Call for Help of Ellis County, Inc.
Hays	Greater Salina Community Foundation
Kansas City	Habitat for Humanity of Kansas City
Wichita	Mulberry Arts, Inc.
Wichita	Power Community Development Corporation
Wichita	Real Men Real Heroes, Inc.
Wichita	Rise Up for Youth
Hays	Stem Harvest, Inc.
Wichita	Urban League of Kansas
Wichita	Wichita Habitat for Humanity
Herington	Youth Core Ministries, Inc.

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