

## Union Pacific Awards \$5.9 Million to Build Safe, Vibrant and Prosperous Communities

**OMAHA**, **Neb.**, **Sept. 12**, **2018** – Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program awarded nearly \$5.9 million in 2018 local grants to roughly 600 nonprofit organizations throughout its 23-state system. Local grants provide small and medium-sized grants within the railroad's priority cause areas: Safety, Workforce Development and Community Spaces. A small portion of funding is allocated to other local community needs.

"Union Pacific's success is linked to communities where we operate, and we proudly support organizations that improve the quality of life where our employees live and work," said Scott Moore, senior vice president and chief administrative officer, and Union Pacific Foundation President. "Investing in high-quality nonprofits and programs helps achieve our mission of building safe, prosperous and vibrant communities."

As North America's premier railroad franchise, Union Pacific has been building America for more than150 years. The lives of people throughout its footprint are intertwined with the railroad, which strengthens its communities. The next local grant application period will run April through May 2019. To learn more about Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program or apply for local grants, visit <u>www.up.com/foundation</u>.

## Missouri: \$150,000

De Soto	The Elevated Studio Inc
Festus	Disability Resource Association Inc
Hillsboro	Jefferson College Foundation Incorporated
Jefferson City	Missouri Chamber Foundation
Kansas City	American Royal
Kansas City	Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Kansas City
Kansas City	Children's Center for The Visually Impaired
Kansas City	Jackson County CASA
Kansas City	Kansas City Symphony
Kansas City	Metropolitan Organization to Counter Sexual Assault
Kansas City	Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Heartland Chapter
Liberty	Happybottoms
Liberty	Rebuilding Together Clay County Inc
St. Louis	Curators of the University Of Missouri
St. Louis	Healing Action Network Inc
St. Louis	Epworth Children & Family Services Inc
St. Louis	St. Francis Community Services
St. Louis	The Magic House

St. Louis Women's Foundation of Greater Saint Louis

Trenton Green Hills Women's Shelter

## **About Union Pacific**

Union Pacific Railroad is the principal operating company of Union Pacific Corporation (NYSE: UNP). One of America's most recognized companies, Union Pacific Railroad connects 23 states in the western two-thirds of the country by rail, providing a critical link in the global supply chain. In the last 10 years, 2008-2017, Union Pacific invested approximately \$34 billion in its network and operations to support America's transportation infrastructure. The railroad's diversified business mix is classified into its Agricultural Products, Energy, and Industrial and Premium business groups. Union Pacific serves many of the fastest-growing U.S. population centers, operates from all major West Coast and Gulf Coast ports to eastern gateways, connects with Canada's rail systems and is the only railroad serving all six major Mexico gateways. Union Pacific provides value to its roughly 10,000 customers by delivering products in a safe, reliable, fuel-efficient and environmentally responsible manner.

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