

Union Pacific Lives Out Mission of Service with \$5.3 Million in Local Community Grants

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OMAHA, **Neb.**, **Monday**, **Oct. 21**, **2019** – Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program awarded over \$5.3 million in local grants to roughly 600 nonprofit organizations across the railroad's 23-state system. These grants primarily provide funding in Union Pacific's priority cause areas: safety, workforce development and community spaces, while a smaller portion is allocated to assist communities with local needs.

"We believe having a safe place to live, a family-supporting career and access to vibrant spaces are critical for communities to thrive," said Scott Moore, Union Pacific Foundation president. "By investing in high-quality nonprofits and programs in these cause areas, where our employees live and work, we achieve a step toward our mission of service while helping communities grow and prosper."

Local grants provide funding ranging from \$2,500 to \$25,000 to local organizations across Union Pacific's system. Recipients are selected through an open, competitive application process. The next local grant application period will run April through May 2020. To learn more about Union Pacific's Community Ties Giving Program or apply for local grants, visit www.up.com/communityties.

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. The railroad's diversified business mix is classified into its Agricultural Products, Energy, 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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2019 Grants

Arkansas: \$150,000

Conway Boys and Girls Club of Faulkner County Arkansas Inc

Jonesboro United Way of Northeast Arkansas

Little Rock American Heart Association Inc

Little Rock Arkansas Arts Center Foundation

Little Rock Arkansas Food Bank

Little Rock Arkansas STEM Coalition

Little Rock Bill, Hillary and Chelsea Clinton Foundation

Little Rock Centers for Youth and Families

Little Rock Museum of Discovery

Little Rock National Audubon Society

Little Rock Philander Smith College

Little Rock Southside Main Street Project Inc

McGehee Women's Service League of McGehee

North Little Rock Arkansas Regional Innovation Hub Inc.

North Little Rock University of Arkansas Foundation Inc

Ozark River Valley Adult Learning Alliance

Pine Bluff Full Circle 360

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Russellville Arkansas River Valley Arts Center

Russellville Main Street Russellville

Searcy United Way of White County