



FY2025 Rolling Grant Funds List as of 04/21/25
Application Period 02/15/25-05/31/25

Each fund listed below is designated for specific purposes with the amount available noted. Minimum grant size is \$500. **Grants must provide direct benefits to Frederick County, Maryland, residents unless otherwise noted.**

The Rolling Cycle supports two possible impacts:

P means that a fund is available to support projects.

IN means that a fund is available to support identified households or individuals.

The applicant organization must be:

An already existing nonprofit, 501c3 organization in good standing with the IRS,

An existing government/quasi-governmental entity applying for an extraordinary project that is not funded by tax revenue,

A faith-based organization requesting funding for non-sectarian activities, or

A civic group that is not a 501c3 organization requesting funding for a community cause.

To learn more and get assistance, visit FrederickCountyGives.org, call 301-695-7660 or email Community.Impact@FrederickCountyGives.org.

The list of available grants and their respective criteria are as follows:

Bear The Burden Fund:

\$9,097.44 (P)

Founded by the Bear the Burden Coalition, Inc. to support innovative economic development programs that contribute to the growth and sustainability of businesses and communities in Frederick County, with preference given to supporting small businesses and organizations providing apprenticeship programs.

Compofelice Family Fund for Building Trades:

\$8,318.78 (P, IN)

Founded by Susan C. Compofelice to help residents receive training for construction trades in Frederick County. Preference given to plumbing, carpentry, electrical services, masonry, and other skills associated with the building industry. Grants may pay for training, educational materials, certification fees, transportation costs, and eliminating any barrier that prevents students from completing their training program and establishing a career in the building trades.

Enhancing Agriculture Field of Interest Fund:

\$747.08 (P)

Founded by the Community Foundation to support agriculture education and the promotion of agriculture.



Erin Christine Moberly Memorial Fund: **\$2,102.07 (IN)**
Founded by Kevin and Nicolette Moberly for grants to support individuals with special needs in Frederick County. Preference will be given, but not limited, to providing adaptive equipment, adaptive transportation needs, adaptive communication devices, home adaptation to meet accessibility needs, and short-term caregiver respite (non-skilled, up to 3 days). Will not fund skilled nursing needs or ongoing caregiver expenses, medical or surgical needs, or travel to amusement parks or other entertainment venues.

Holly Hale Palmer Memorial Fund: **\$27,000.00 (P, IN)**
Founded by mother Elizabeth K. Hale to support behavioral health services for people with seizure or bipolar disorders, with special emphasis on acquiring, training, and caring for service dogs for persons with seizure or bipolar disorders.

John C. Summers Fund: **\$3,431.95 (P, IN)**
Founded through Mr. Summers' trust to support individuals residing in Myersville, Maryland, who are experiencing difficulty in paying their utility bills or their real property taxes.

Kevin R. and Sara J. Wade Special Needs Fund: **\$2,521.10 (P, IN)**
Founded by the Wades' estate to benefit families of children experiencing a catastrophic medical condition.

Mary Gregg Cornish Memorial Fund: **\$3,251.09 (P)**
Founded by husband Dr. Edwin R. Cornish, Jr. to support master gardener activities, gardening education, community gardens, beautification of public spaces, and library collections related to gardening. Educational activities can include, but are not limited, to promoting gardening and the nutritional value of using local produce or encouraging youth to become involved with gardening.

Parks Field of Interest Fund: **\$897.94 (P)**
Founded by the Community Foundation to support public park enhancements.

Recreation Field of Interest Fund: **\$646.28 (P)**
Founded by the Community Foundation to support play areas, sporting events, festivals, and teams/leagues.

Rhema H. Fogle Memorial Endowment Fund: **\$6,501.23 (P)**
Founded through Ms. Fogle's bequest to provide financial support for emergency assistance to people who have suffered from fires, floods and other like catastrophes.

Rick Topper Charitable Fund: **\$1,500.00 (P)**
Founded by family members to support organizations helping students attain a career in the construction trades.

Robert L. De Lauter Youth Mentoring Fund: **\$750.00 (P)**
Founded by Robert L. De Lauter to support youth mentoring programs. Preference given but not limited to the Frederick County Explorer Post 1218.



Robert Ryals Memorial Endowment Fund:

\$1,526.61 (P)

Founded by Gloria Jean Ryals to support research, treatment, and/or care impacting persons with severe mental illness. Preference given, but not limited, to programs addressing schizophrenia.

William and Hettie Ballweber Fund:

\$3,183.28 (P)

Founded by Hettie Ballweber to support canine advocacy, rescue, and proactive welfare initiatives. Not intended to support animal shelters or the care of animals within shelters.