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# Press Release

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**FROM:** Maria Sych, Marketing & Administrative Associate  
**SUBJECT:** Fall 2022 Grant Awards

Mackinac Island Community Foundation trustees and staff are pleased to announce their Fall 2022 grant decisions totaling **\$145,444.86** supporting projects and programs on Mackinac Island.

"This fall grant cycle distributed money to the areas of arts and culture, healthcare, preservation and conservation, and youth programming, which are all vital to community enrichment. It's through these grants that we enrich our community partners, who in turn enrich the lives of those who live and work here," says Executive Director, Stephanie McGreevy, "We are so thankful for those that give to our community."

Below is a brief summary of each award.

**Cheboygan Life Support/Mackinac EMS | \$18,003.18**  
Support to purchase a new Stryker Lucas 3 CPR Machine.

**Cheboygan Life Support/Mackinac EMS | \$39,417.27**  
Support to purchase a 12-Lead Monitor Defibrillator Replacement.

**City of Mackinac Island | \$7,200**  
Support to purchase and install a War of 1812 Memorial.

**City of Mackinac Island Recreation Department | \$458.91**  
Support to purchase new Disc Golf Tee Boxes for Great Turtle Park.

**City of Mackinac Island Recreation Department | \$2,333.50**  
Support to hold Winter Programming, including a cooking class, snowmobile repair class, knitting class, and a ski clinic.

**Little Stone Church | \$12,972**  
Support for a Parsonage Preservation project.

**Mackinac Arts Council | \$25,000**  
Support for Mackinac Arts Council Employee Concerts, to provide four free employee concerts focusing upon Jamaican, Latino and Eastern European cultures, featuring a country-of-origin performance and a culture specific meal.

**Mackinac Connect | \$1,500**  
Support for weekly Employee Game Night with food and prizes and supplies for ESL classes for the 2023 season.

**Mackinac Island Medical Center | \$10,000**

Support to purchase a new Cardiac Monitor for the Mackinac Island Medical Center.

**Mackinac Island Public School | \$2,000**

Support for the MIPS to continue a Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports Committee, recognizing and acknowledging students in tangible ways for their positive behavior.

**Mackinac Straits Raptor Watch | \$12,260**

Support for the Mackinac Island Hawk Count, which will count the number of birds of prey on the Island and compile information to educate and inform the scientific community as well as land and business owners in the region.

**Starling Shakespeare Company | \$10,800**

Support for the 2023 Mackinac Island Shakespeare Festival.

**Ste. Anne's Catholic Church | \$3,500**

Support for the Meals on Snowmobiles program, which allows the church to provide two healthy meals to homebound residents twice a week and social interaction in the winter months.

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*Mackinac Island Community Foundation, based on Mackinac Island, is committed to making a difference in the lives of individuals, families and organizations on Mackinac Island. Grants are provided to non-profit organizations primarily on Mackinac Island for projects to enhance child development, protect natural resources, promote the arts, and build community on Mackinac Island. We invite you to learn more about the Foundation and its history by visiting our website [www.micf.org](http://www.micf.org).*