

LINCOLN COMMUNITY
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**LINCOLN COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AWARDS \$746,850
TO SUPPORT 16 AREA NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS**

The Lincoln Community Foundation recently made a \$500,000 leadership gift to support the new Educare Center that will be built next to Belmont Elementary School. Educare will provide high quality, research-based early childhood development and education for at-risk children. Other organizations that received funding include:

Asian Community & Cultural Center - \$10,000

Fusion Project which serves Sudanese refugees and their families.

Center for Legal Immigration Assistance - \$7,500

A study to explore the growing need for legal immigration services in the community.

Community Action Partnership - \$20,000

Support for people struggling in poverty to achieve self-reliance.

Community Development Resources - \$35,350

Administrative support of Alice's Integrity Loan Fund.*

Easter Seals Nebraska - \$10,000

Lincoln Seniors Transportation Program providing affordable transportation options.

Foundation for Lincoln City Libraries - \$20,000

Study to explore future community building and service needs of the City Libraries.

Interchurch Ministries of Nebraska - \$15,000

Establish an Association of Ministries to provide a central network of cooperation and coordination between all Lincoln faith communities.

Lincoln Housing Charities - \$9,000

Install security cameras and recording systems at two high-rise apartment buildings for the elderly.

Lincoln Medical Education Partnership - \$12,000

Young Families Program which provides pregnant and parenting women with support to form healthy lifestyles.

Lincoln Parks Foundation - \$40,000

Two for Trees utility billing donation program through the Lincoln Water System for the purpose of planting and maintenance of city trees.

Madonna Foundation - \$15,000

Support for renovation and relocation of the pediatric outpatient rehabilitation services.

Meadowlark Music Festival - \$5,000

To support the Meadowlark Music Festival 2012 season.

The Meeting Place - \$18,000

New roof for the building that provides meeting space for recovery support services.

Nebraska Association for the Education of Young Children, Inc. - \$10,000

To strengthen the quality of child care centers through the Accreditation Support Project.

Planned Parenthood of the Heartland - \$20,000

Furnishing and equipping the Sexual Assault Examination Suite.

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