Deeply rooted in the communities we serve, we are reimagining what's possible when it comes to building better lives for those throughout our region. From cultivating new and existing relationships to growing available resources, we look forward to working with like-minded organizations and individuals who—like us—want to see our people and communities thrive.

CORE VALUES

Strategic Collaboration

Integrity & Responsibility

Boldly Making a Difference
**OUR GOALS**

- Strengthen supports for children and families
- Grow capacity of quality child care
- Help rural communities reach their full economic potential, with efforts focused on housing
- Deploy lending and additional resources to help communities thrive
- Support and develop the region's entrepreneurs and small businesses
- Continue to build the resources for both the foundation and the region through donor-centered philanthropy and resource advancement
- Continue to create meaningful opportunities for donors—enabling them to make a purposeful impact
- Seek new funding sources to better meet the needs of our region

**OUR IMPACT**

**BY YEAR 2024**

- 1,000 new child care slots throughout our region
- 1,500 additional housing units throughout the region
- Community and component fund grants to exceed $7 Million
- Mentor and support three thriving communities
- Help strengthen and increase supports for children and families in three communities in our region

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