

TEN YEARS OF VISION

The Foundation was created in 2008 with a \$50 million bequest from Felix E. Martin Jr. to support the "civic, cultural and educational needs of the citizens of Muhlenberg County."

From its earliest days, the Foundation has worked towards making a lasting difference in Muhlenberg County, focusing philanthropic efforts on projects which create transformational change rather than temporary solutions. To do this, the Foundation partners with the community to advance projects and ideas which support the vision of a Muhlenberg County which is ideal for families, industry and innovation.

Since 2008, the Foundation has both initiated new programs and provided support for existing programs which serve Muhlenberg County. We have focused on developing programs which support long-term economic and community development as well education and youth services.

In this Report, we have tried to give an overview of some of the most recognizable and impactful of the programs supported during the last 10 years. We are proud of the work that has been done in partnership with the organizations we mention, and will continue developing new partnerships as we work toward building a community that holds a bright future for all of its residents.

Ten Years of Giving

PROJECTS INCLUDE:

YOUTH EDUCATION

- SOAR Early Childhood Programs
- Dolly Parton's Imagination Library
- K-12 Reading Programs
- Work Ready Youth Programs
- Muhlenberg Achieves Program



ADULT & WORKFORCE EDUCATION

- Martin Scholars
- GED Learn & Earn Program
- Work Ready Community Programs
- Advanced Manufacturing Program



HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

- Champions for a Drug Free Muhlenberg
- Family Resource Center Support
- Health Education Programs
- Hospital and EMS Equipment & Support



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- Muhlenberg County Parks
- Lu-Ray Park
- Felix Martin Performing Arts Hall
- Muhlenberg Arts Council & MCTI
- Muhlenberg 20/20 Vision
- Lake Malone State Park docks
- Downtown Revitalization projects



ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

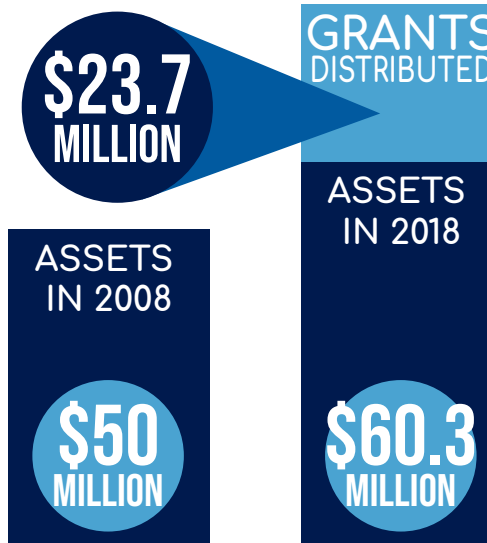
- Muhlenberg Alliance for Progress
- Paradise Business Park Expansion
- Wireless Broadband Network
- Entrepreneur Training Programs
- Ride-to-Work Program



TEN YEARS OF INVESTING

With an initial endowment of \$50 million from Mr. Martin, the Foundation was created with a mission to serve Muhlenberg County both now, and for generations to come.

In order to meet that goal, the endowment is carefully managed to distribute significant funding to the community while protecting and growing the endowment for the future.



As of December 2018, the Foundation has distributed \$23.7 million in grant and program funding in Muhlenberg County. At the same time, strong investment strategy has allowed the endowment to grow to \$60.3 million.

In just 10 years, Mr. Martin's initial gift of \$50 million has turned into an **\$84 MILLION** gift to Muhlenberg County.

Organizations and Programs Supported 2008 - 2018

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REPORT

TO THE

Community

2018



ACE2 Adult Education Center
ACT Christian Academy
American Cancer Society
American Red Cross Mid-West KY Chapter
Baptist Healthcare Madisonville
Beechmont Volunteer Fire Department
Big Brothers Big Sisters
Bremen Elementary Family Resource Center
Bremen Elementary School
Bremen Elementary School Daycare
Center for Nonprofit Excellence
Central City Convention Center
Central City Elementary Family Resource Center
Central City Elementary School
Central City Elementary School Daycare
Central City Fire Department
Central City Police Department
Children's Hospital Foundation for Kosair
Children's Hospital
Church of Jesus Christ
City of Bremen
City of Central City
City of Drakesboro
City of Greenville
City of Powderly
City of South Carrollton
Cleaton Missionary Baptist Church
Community Foundation of Louisville
Community Health Centers of Western Kentucky
Community Ventures Corp
Dolly Parton's Imagination Library
Drakesboro Volunteer Fire Department
Duncan Center Museum & Art Gallery
Ebenezer Missionary Baptist Church
Faith Partners
Family Advocacy Center
Felix E. Martin Jr. Hall
First Baptist Church of Central City
Flying Mules
GED Learn & Earn Program
Governor's Scholars Program Foundation
Graham Volunteer Fire Department
Greater Muhlenberg Parks & Recreation System
Greenville Elementary Family Resource Center
Greenville Elementary School
Greenville Lions Club
Greenville Little League
Greenville Police Department
Greenville United Methodist Church
Greenville Fire Department
Habitat for Humanity of Muhlenberg County
Happy Feet - Learning Feet
Hoofbeats, Heartstrings & Hopes, Inc.
Hope2All
Humane Society of Muhlenberg County
Junior Achievement of Western Kentucky
Kentucky Science Center
Kentucky Shakespeare
Kentucky State Parks Foundation, Inc.
Learning Center of Madisonville
Longest Elementary Family Resource Center
Longest Elementary School
Madisonville College Foundation
Madisonville Community College
Madisonville Community College, ACE2 Center
Martin Scholars Program
McCallie School
Muhlenberg County 4-H Council
Muhlenberg County 911
Muhlenberg 20/20 Vision
Muhlenberg Achieves Program

Muhlenberg Alliance for Progress
Muhlenberg Arts Council
Muhlenberg Community Hospital
Muhlenberg Community Hospital EMS
Muhlenberg Community Theatre, Inc.
Muhlenberg County Athletic Hall of Fame
Muhlenberg County Board of Education
Muhlenberg Co. Chamber Jr. League Leadership
Muhlenberg County Conservation District
Muhlenberg Co. Coop Extension Family & Consumer Science Program
Muhlenberg County Fiscal Court
Muhlenberg County Gifted & Talented Program
Muhlenberg County Head Start
Muhlenberg County Health Connections Council
Muhlenberg County Health Department
Muhlenberg County High School
Muhlenberg County High School Archery Team
Muhlenberg County High School Band
Muhlenberg County High School Beta Team
Muhlenberg County High School Culinary Program
Muhlenberg County High School DECA Team
Muhlenberg County High School East Family Resource Center
Muhlenberg County High School Future Problem Solvers
Muhlenberg County High School West Family Resource Center
Muhlenberg County Humane Society
Muhlenberg County Jr. Pro Football
Muhlenberg County Literacy Council, Inc.
Muhlenberg County Opportunity Center
Muhlenberg County Preschool
Muhlenberg County Public Libraries
Muhlenberg County Rotary Club
Muhlenberg County Special Olympics
Muhlenberg County Tourism Commission
Muhlenberg County Work Ready Committee
Muhlenberg Green Recycling Team
Muhlenberg Mentors
Muhlenberg North Middle Family Resource Center
Muhlenberg North Middle School
Muhlenberg North Middle Beta Club
Muhlenberg South Elementary Archery Team
Muhlenberg South Elementary School
Muhlenberg South Elementary Family Resource Center
Muhlenberg South Middle Archery Team
Muhlenberg South Middle Family Resource Center
Muhlenberg South Middle
National Thumbpickers Hall of Fame
Owensboro Health Muhlenberg Community Hospital EMS
Owensboro Health Muhlenberg Community Hospital
Paradise Park Commission
Pathway of Hope
Pennyrile Allied Community Services - Senior Citizens Center
Pennyrile Allied Community Services - Retired & Senior Volunteer Program
Pennyrile Allied Community Services Transportation
Pennyroyal Center
Richardson Chapel General Baptist Church
RiverPark Center
Sanctuary, Inc.
Second Baptist Church
SOAR Early Childhood Education Program
South Central Aquatics Riptide
South Central Kentucky Kids on the Block
Speed Art Museum
STAND - Students Against Negative Decisions
Sunrise Children's Services
The Learning Center of Madisonville
University of Kentucky Center for Rural Health
University of Kentucky

