

# Bright Ideas Community Enrichment Fund

## Winter 2013 Grant Recipients

### **AHEAD, Inc. - \$15,000**

*Grant used to provide local match to leverage SHTF dollars. Housing programs include owner-occupied housing rehab, rental rehab, tenant based rent / utility assistance and special project funds.*

### **American Home Finding - \$21,000**

*Support of the Day Care Center at the Ottumwa High School.*

### **American Red Cross - \$10,000**

*Purchase and installation of dual sensor fire detectors with 10 year lithium batteries within City of Ottumwa by trained Ottumwa Fire Department personnel.*

### **Best Buddies International - \$5,000**

*Support of programmatic expenses for Best buddies program at Ottumwa High School.*

### **Children and Families of Iowa - \$30,000**

*Grant to support various programs of the Wapello County Community Partnership for Protecting Children.*

### **First Resources Corp. - \$30,000**

*Support of Hope House – a residential substance abuse treatment center providing treatment services to women and their children.*

### **Friends of Iowa CASA and ICFCRB - \$10,000**

*Funding to support volunteer recruitment efforts of the CASA and FCRB programs.*

### **Friends of Lake Wapello State Park - \$6,000**

*Purchase of dump truck and gravel to enable park beautification.*

### **GOVAP - \$3,000**

*Funding for the Summer 2013 production of Peter Pan.*

### **Iowa Special Olympics - \$3,600**

*Support of the Ottumwa Bulldogs Special Olympics Team.*

### **Ottumwa Athletic Club - \$7,500**

*Funding for new video scoreboard installation at The Beach Ottumwa.*

### **Ottumwa Progress Inc. - \$30,000**

*Green space development located next to Market on Main including outdoor café, herb planters, patio area and water feature.*

### **Seton Catholic Schools - \$20,000**

*Support of educational opportunities for preschool and elementary children through after-school program.*

### **Victory Ranch - \$10,290**

*Program funding for 2013 summer day camps for children and youth dealing with grief issues through equestrian therapy.*

### **YMCA - \$5,500**

*Support of Growing Community Connections project through funding of computer upgrade.*