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Grants Address Barberton’s Most Pressing Needs

Barberton, OH (November 20, 2017) – Barberton Community Foundation (BCF), an organization that has been committed to improving the quality of life for Barberton residents, announces its fourth quarter grants. BCF awarded \$55,393 to four organizations upon its board of directors’ approval at the November 16, 2017 meeting.

Organization Name	Focus Area	Program Title	Strategy Area	Amount Received
Barberton City School District	Educational Excellence	Virtual Reality: Seeing Education Differently	Responsive	\$5,000
Magical Theatre Company	Educational Excellence	P.A.C.T. Barberton	Responsive	\$7,500
Embracing Futures	Social Services	Orthodontic Care Program	Responsive	\$5,393
City of Barberton	Social Services	Barberton Forward: Neighborhoods First, Making a Difference	Responsive	\$5,000
City of Barberton	Economic Development	Project Impact	Foundation Facilitated	\$32,500

Applications for the next quarterly grant cycle are due by January 2, 2018. Additionally, the Foundation's Small Grant Program accepts applications monthly for grants up to \$1,000, due the Last Friday of every month. More information is available at www.barbertoncf.org.

About the Barberton Community Foundation:

The Barberton Community Foundation (BCF) has been committed to improving the quality of life for Barberton residents since 1996, through the continual giving power of the original endowment and through funds established by donors with their hearts focused on Barberton.

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