

Inspired by the legacy of Mr. Hansen himself, the Dane G. Hansen Foundation is offering up to ten \$2,000 grants for qualifying new funds established with the Osborne County Community Foundation (OCCF) in 2025.

#### **HOW IT WORKS**

#### Start a New Fund

- If you start a new permanent fund (such as one supporting a specific cause or organization), your donation will be matched up to \$2,000.
- To qualify, you need to commit to growing the fund to at least \$10,000 within three years.

### **Important Details**

- Scholarship funds and certain donor-advised funds do not qualify for this program.
- Each fund can only receive a match once during the three-year program period.

This is an important opportunity to make a bigger impact with your gift and help build lasting resources for the communities of Osborne County. If you're interested in starting a new fund, contact OCCF at 785-345-5130 or director@osborneccf.org to learn more.

The Osborne County Community Foundation (OCCF) is an affiliate of the Greater Northwest Kansas Community Foundation, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Contributions are tax-deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law. OCCF is dedicated to improving the quality of life in Osborne County by connecting donors to meaningful charitable causes.



# **ELIGIBLE FUND TYPES**

- Designated fund

  Benefits a specific cause or organization.
- Field of interest fund
  Produces grants for a targeted area of need.
- Organizational fund
  Creates a stream of income for an organization.
- Donor-advised fund
  A charitable fund that allows the donor to help determine how grants are awarded.

## **ENDOWED FUNDS EXPLAINED**

An endowed fund is a permanent fund where the principal is invested, and only the earnings are used to support charitable causes, ensuring a lasting impact over time. Endowed funds are ideal for donors seeking to create a legacy of perpetual giving.

OCCF funds become endowed once they reach \$10,000. This means also means that the funds have the potential to benefit Osborne County programs and organizations for perputuity, creating a sustainable foundation for future growth and development.