

Community Funding

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Community Organizations

<p>Boys and Girls Club The mission of the Boys & Girls Club of Cumberland County, Inc. is to inspire youth to become productive, responsible, and caring citizens. Our goal is to provide youth with the necessary skills in making informed decisions when they are faced with adversity. We offer programs in the areas of Education & Career Development, Character & Leadership Development, Arts, Health & Life skills, and Fitness & Recreation.</p>	\$ 10,000	\$ 17,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000
<p>Cape Fear Botanical Garden The mission of Cape Fear Botanical Garden is to transform people's relationship with plants and the natural world. By creating and sustaining a national caliber institution with gardens and programs of exceptional quality, the Garden is the premier destination in the region for people to connect with nature and to expand their horizons through educational and cultural programs.</p>	\$ 6,642	\$ 6,642	\$ 6,642	\$ 6,642
<p>Cape Fear Regional Bureau for Community Action The Cape Fear Regional Bureau For Community Action, Inc. is a community organization that assists the homeless, indigent, working class, disenfranchised, underserved and health uninsured citizens in Cumberland County through direct and indirect services, i.e., health screenings, housing, job placements, medicine and transportation to non-medical and medical facilities. Advocacy and community empowerment are a major mission for these targeted populations.</p>	\$ 12,150	\$ 12,150	\$ 12,150	\$ 12,150
<p>Child Advocacy Center The mission of the Child Advocacy Center is providing a safe and child friendly center that supports the prevention, investigation, and prosecution of child abuse. We are here to increase awareness of child abuse within our community through the provision of community education and awareness programs. One of our main goals is to increase the capacity of child abuse investigators and conduct joint interviews at the time a report of child abuse is received.</p>	\$ 39,768	\$ 39,768	\$ 39,768	\$ 39,768
<p>Contact The mission of CONTACT of Fayetteville is to provide a Christian-based organization through a telephone help center staffed by trained volunteers who respond to human needs 24 hours a day. We relate to callers nonjudgmentally with methods that promote self-esteem, coping skills, problem resolutions, honor to personhood, and human dignity.</p>	\$ 6,874	\$ 6,874	\$ 6,874	\$ 6,874
<p>CC Veterans Council The mission of the Cumberland County Veterans Council is to gather, consolidate, and promote the aims, interests and efforts of the military veterans of Cumberland County.</p>	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 7,000

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HIV Task Force The mission of the HIV Task Force is to function as a clearinghouse for information and education on HIV/AIDS to county residents. The HIV Task Force coordinates HIV referrals to support groups, health care providers, and case managers. We also provide a comprehensive approach to disseminating HIV/AIDS education to county residents.	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978
Salvation Army/Seasonal The mission of the Salvation Army is to serve the needs of homeless men, women, and families 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Counseling and outreach services are provided to those desiring that type of assistance. Additional support is available to assist clients who wish to transition to permanent independent housing with rent, utilities, deposits, and household items.	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000
Second Harvest Food Bank of Southeast NC The mission of Second Harvest Food Bank of Southeast NC is to feed the hungry by retrieving unmarketable, yet wholesome surplus food from major industries and to solicit public and private donations. We also try to eliminate food waste by acting as a clearinghouse for all foods received through Feeding America food industries and food drives. We judiciously distribute food and grocery products and service our network of member agencies to whom provides on-site emergency feeding to those in need.	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000
Teen Involvement Program The mission of Teen Involvement is to provide meaningful activities for our youth that will empower them to develop positive self-esteem, life coping and decision making skills, and to help prevent juvenile delinquency, substance abuse, teen pregnancy, academic failure, and gang violence. We provide motivation and mentoring to middle and senior high students to encourage our youth to stay in school, avoid failure, adolescent pregnancy, substance abuse, and negative peer pressure. We try to empower them with self esteem, positive attitudes, career goals, and control.	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978	\$ 5,978
United Way - 211 The mission of United Way-211 is to improve the quality of lives in Cumberland County by addressing critical human needs. 211 is an easy to remember phone number that connects individual with resources in their community. 211 is available 24/7 365 days a year and multi-lingual access. In 2015, United Way 211 touched over 3,000 individuals/families. Every hour of every day, someone in the military, or their families in the Fort Bragg area, needs essential services from finding substance abuse assistance to securing adequate care for a child or an aging parent.	\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500	\$ 5,500

New Funding Requests

Vision Resource Center The Vision Resource Center (VRC) enhances the lives of adults and children with visual impairments (VI) by advocating for their needs, skill development, wellness education and socialization opportunities. VRC's goal is to ensure that wellness is a positive approach to living for people with vision loss. VRC has two programs: Healthy Living & Wellness for Adults and Healthy Living & Wellness for Youth (ages 6-19). VRC is the only program of its kind in Cumberland and surrounding counties.	\$ -	\$ 8,000	\$ -	\$ 7,000
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Cumberland County Chapter 46 - Disabled American Veterans (DAV) The mission of Chapter 46 is to help veterans and their families get all of the benefits they have earned. There is never a charge for services and the office is open Monday through Friday. Chapter 46 also provides transportation for veterans from Fayetteville VAMC to Durham VAMC and utility assistance is provided for veterans. Chapter 46 provides bingo to our state and local VA nursing homes. Their goal is to assist and help veterans receive their benefits.	\$ -	\$ 3,000	\$ -	
Fayetteville Urban Ministry, Inc. Since 1974 Fayetteville Urban Ministry (FUM) has carried out its mission of showing God's compassion to our neighbors in need and thus building our community together through dynamic impactful programs. Programing highlights include: Find-A-Friend which works with over 150 at-risk youth each year; an Adult Literacy Program that tutors 218 adults in various subjects; the Emergency Assistance Program that meets basic needs such as food, clothing and utilities for over 5,000 households; and the Nehemiah Project which provides free home repairs to low income residents.	\$ -	\$ 48,000	\$ -	
UX Cowork UX Cowork's mission is to provide a green workspace where members make a life that impacts the local economy through teamwork, community collaborations and sustainable solutions. UX Cowork's goal is to develop an environment that fosters entrepreneurship; promote green business practices; inspire, empower, educate and motivate co-working members; and support entrepreneurship and organizational growth.	\$ -	\$ 30,000	\$ -	

Quasigovernmental Organizations

Arts Council The mission of the Arts Council is to provide operating & project support for local agencies. The Council will also provide grants to Cumberland County public and private schools and grants to regional artists. New for 2016-2017, we will implement the Municipal Arts Allocation program. We provide community arts programs and services to include the following: exhibits, Fourth Fridays, International Folk Festival, A Dickens Holiday, and other events.	\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000	\$ 80,000
Airborne & Special Operations Museum Foundation The mission of the Airborne and Special Operations Museum Foundation is to provide a unique educational experience on United State history and basic core values through preservation, interpretation and recognition of both the U.S. Airborne and Special Operations history, equipment, technology, legend, art, and weaponry.	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000

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<p>Cape Fear River Assembly (previously funded by Mid Carolina) The mission of the Cape Fear River Assembly is to provide the highest quality of life possible for the residents of the Cape Fear River Basin through the proper management of the Cape Fear River, its tributaries, and adjacent land uses. This mission will be accomplished through our cooperative efforts to investigate, educate, and effectuate. Scientific study coupled with economic analysis will provide the information needed to make the best possible decisions regarding this river system and its uses. Education will provide for a better informed public and thereby improved stewardship of the river system as a resource. Then finally, development of policy will bring into effect the benefits of the information and education.</p>	\$ 11,674	\$ 11,674	\$ 11,674	\$ 11,674
<p>CommuniCare The mission of CommuniCare is to provide family focused, quality driven delinquency, mental health, substance abuse prevention and outpatient treatment services for at-risk and court involved youth, adults and their families in Cumberland County. CommuniCare is heavily dependent upon by the juvenile and District court system.</p>	\$ 40,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 40,000	\$ 40,000
<p>CC Coordinating Council on Older Adults/RSVP The mission of Cumberland County Council on Older Adults is to promote independent living for older adults living in Cumberland County. We provide home and community-based supportive services intended to help the older adult "age in place" with dignity.</p>	\$ 100,215	\$ 100,215	\$ 100,215	\$ 100,215
<p>Mid Carolina Council of Governments The mission of Mid Carolina Council of Governments is to promote independence of older adults, provide advocacy for issues and concerns of the older adult population, plan for services for the older adult, provide public awareness of aging issues and concerns, support Senior Tar Heel legislature activities.</p>	\$ 222,078	\$ 222,078	\$ 222,078	\$ 222,078
<p>N.C. Division of Vocational Rehabilitation The mission of the North Carolina Division of Vocational Rehabilitation is to promote employment and independence for individuals with disabilities through customer partnerships and community leadership. Some of the services include: counseling and guidance, job development and placement, rehab technology, physical and mental restoration, training, on the job training, internships, work adjustment and supported employment, and various support services of transportation work clothes and tools</p>	\$ 65,764	\$ 64,626	\$ 64,626	\$ 64,626
<p>N.C. Forest Service The mission of the North Carolina Forest Service under the Department of Agriculture is to assist the landowners of Cumberland County with the current and future forest development and growth, protect from wildfire, and to educate children within the school system on fire safety. We are in daily contact with the public and emphasis the importance of tree planting, forest maintenance & stability, along with fire safety.</p>	\$ 140,522	\$ 142,939	\$ 142,939	\$ 142,939

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SE NC Radio Reading The mission of Southeastern North Carolina Radio Reading Service is to improve the quality of life for the blind, visually impaired, or those who have a physical or learning disability. We furnish twenty-four hour/seven days a week audio information service to listeners of the Sandhills/Cape Fear region who live within a sixty mile radius of our broadcast station. We supply a link for our listeners to news and information to their community. We are the ONLY service in the area that reads the news stories in their entirety. We read books, magazines, and provide a morning exercise program. We broadcast from a sub-frequency of WFSS 91.9 FM located on the campus of Fayetteville State University.	\$ 7,500	\$ 9,500	\$ 7,500	\$ 7,500

Economic Development

Fayetteville Cumberland County Economic Development Corporation (FCEDC) <i>Previously named The Alliance for Economic Development</i> The Fayetteville Cumberland County Economic Development Corporation is a public-private partnership designed to enhance job growth and prosperity in the region by attracting new industry and growing and retaining existing industry. The FCEDC works daily to help strengthen our economy and diversify our community tax base.	\$ 205,000	\$ 410,000	\$ 395,000	\$ 384,000
Center for Economic Empowerment & Development The mission of the Center of Economic Empowerment and Development is to promote economic development of this region by training, mentorship, business plan assistance, lending counseling, and microloan services.	\$ 10,625	\$ 35,000	\$ 10,625	\$ 10,625
North Carolina's Southeast The mission of North Carolina's Southeast is to provide strong regional economic development leadership in southeastern North Carolina through innovative marketing and collaborative regional initiatives that will support the creation of new jobs, generate capital investment, and secure new-business.	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000
Southeastern Economic Development Commission (SEDC) Established in 1968 as an arm of the U.S. Economic Development Administration (EDA), SEDC strives to create jobs, and stimulate economic and industrial growth in southeastern North Carolina. By providing economic education and assistance, assembling EDA project applications, and assisting in overall district project work, SEDC continuously endeavors to enhance the quality of life for all residents of its member counties. The staff works with local economic development commissions and local government officials to apply for grants for infrastructure requirements for new and expanding industries leading to job creation and private investment. Grants are made under the U.S. Department of Commerce's public works program, administered through the EDA to provide water, sewer, rail spurs, treatment plants or infrastructure improvements that will allow the creation and/or retention of jobs at new or expanding facilities.	\$ 28,749	\$ 28,749	\$ 28,749	\$ 28,749
Total All Organizations	\$ 1,276,017	\$ 1,604,671	\$ 1,467,296	\$ 1,469,296