COMMUNITY FUND



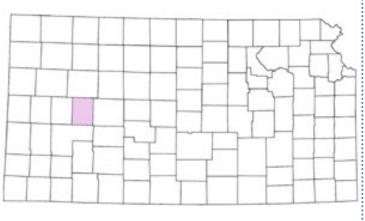
GROWING the Community

ONE INVESTMENT at

A TIME

LANE COUNTY KANSAS

Lane County was organized on June 3, 1886, by Richard Deighton; Thomas Hahn; Joshua Wheatcroft; John Schiereck; and William Walker. The county was named for James H. Lane and contains the town of Dighton. The town of Dighton was named for Richard Deighton, the surveyor who came in 1878 with four homesteaders claiming the four quarters that constituted Dighton.



The dust storms of the 1930s resulted in the area's early development of irrigation. The discovery of oil in the 1950s and the continuing development of the oil industry is a primary economic factor in the county.

Three churches were founded in the county in the same year: Dighton Methodist Church, April 15, 1886; Dighton Christian Church, May 26, 1886; and Shields Methodist Church, May 1886. The first county fair was held in Dighton, October 1-2, 1886. It continues. The first school was held in Dighton in 1879. In 1885 the county was divided into five school districts.



WHAT YOUR DONATION WILL DO

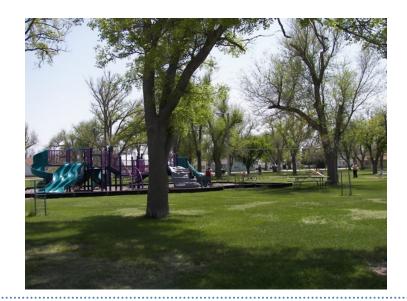
An Advisory Committee comprised of Lane County residents will be in charge of the growth and expenditures of the funds. The members of this committee have Lane County's best interest at heart. They have one goal and that is to **grow** the community.

The Mission of the Lane County Community Fund is to:
Improve the quality of community life in Lane County
and attract and retain young professionals; build
philanthropic resources and relationships; and
inspire charitable giving and grow endowments to
fund community needs and opportunities.



YOU LIKE TO MAKE ADIFFERENCE?

- Your tax deductible donation ensures that the Lane County Community will continue to thrive in the years to come.
- There are several ways you can make a difference:
 - Your gift can be made with cash, securities, stocks, real estate or land, commodities, life insurance, retirement accounts or other appreciated assets
 - Make a one time donation
 - Make a quarterly or semi-annual gift pledge over the next 2-5 years
 - Pledge an annual gift amount over the next 2-5 years
 - Leave the Lane County Community in your estate plan



THE SCOTT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

The Scott Community Foundation's goal is to **WORK IN PARTNERSHIP** with the Lane County Community Fund to help build a thriving community.



How We Started

The Scott Community Foundation began in 1987 with a group of local leaders starting the Scott County Health Care Foundation. Over the next 13 years the foundation raised over \$400,000 through bake sales, auctions, dances. Currently, the Scott Community Foundation have just under \$7 million in assets.

Our Mission

The Scott Community Foundation is a nonprofit organization dedicated to preserving local wealth so the communities in and around Scott County will forever remain attractive places to live, work, and raise a family.

OUR PROMISE TO YOU

- At the discretion of the Advisory Committee the dollars entrusted to the Lane County Community Fund will be used to their fullest extent.
- Work with you to realize your philanthropic goals.
- Create opportunities so that everyone can participate in the growth of the community.
- Attract, build and manage permanent endowment funds in a prudent and principled manner.





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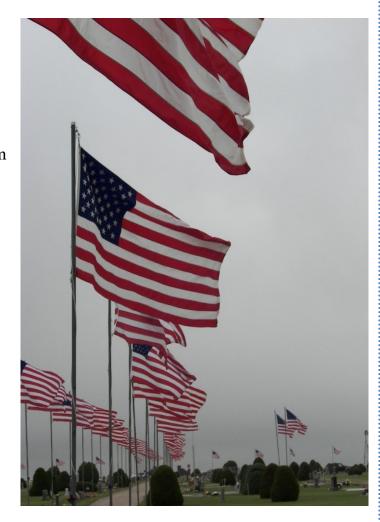
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