



# Unrestricted Funds

Since our founding in 1948, visionary donors have been making gifts and creating funds to address the community's most pressing needs. By establishing unrestricted funds, the Springfield Foundation can address a wide range of ever-changing community issues.



**Springfield Foundation**

**For good. For ever. For all.®**

Unrestricted Funds provide the broadest giving option. This type of fund give the Foundation's Board the ability to respond to the needs of the community as they change over time.

## Getting Started is Easy

An unrestricted fund is a personalized fund you create to impact our community for generations to come. A minimum of \$10,000 is needed to create your unrestricted fund. You can use cash, stock, or other assets gifted during your lifetime or at death to establish a named fund, qualify for an immediate income or estate tax deduction, and the Foundation will distribute grants that address our community's most pressing needs.

## It's Community-Oriented

You want to help this community and its residents thrive. Our staff dedicates thousands of hours every year to reviewing and evaluating local nonprofits and to identifying and addressing Clark County needs. All of this information guides the distribution of your funds.

## Consider a Donor Advised Fund if You:

- Seek to support the changing needs in the community or your broad area of interest over time.
- Believe in the Springfield Foundation's ability to determine needs and effectiveness of nonprofit programs now and in the future.
- Seek to make the greatest impact possible with your charitable dollars.

The Springfield Foundation is a trusted philanthropic partner to individuals, families, and businesses, who have created charitable funds and planned gifts. These funds and gifts make a difference in the lives of others through the most effective philanthropy possible. Serving the Clark County for more than 75 years, the Springfield Foundation is the 15th largest community foundation in Ohio.

## We're Here to Help!

Learn more about the Springfield Foundation and Agency Endowment Funds by visiting our website at [www.springfieldfoundation.org](http://www.springfieldfoundation.org). To set up a fund or for more information, contact our Director of Development at 937-324-8773 or [sarah@springfieldfoundation.org](mailto:sarah@springfieldfoundation.org).