



Inverness Elementary Library, Accelerated Reading Program

Over \$1 Million Returned To Our Communities

Since 1998, our members have donated over \$1 million to the PIE&G Communities First Fund. One hundred percent of your contributions are awarded to community organizations and individuals for various projects and scholarships. Visit pieg.com for grant guidelines, restrictions and applications.

**2009 PIE&G
Communities First Fund Awards:
\$61,327**

Sampling of 2009 recipients...

APPLICANT, PURPOSE	AMOUNT GRANTED
Posen Consolidated Schools, Climbing wall	\$1,000
Forest-Waverly Fire Assoc., Playground equipment	\$1,000
Stepping Stones Garden Club, Phase II of irrigation system	\$1,000
Alpena County Plaza Pool, Ready, Set, Swim! program	\$2,000
Hillman VFW Post #2356, Purchase pinewood derby track	\$500
G.E.A.R., Materials to construct disc golf course	\$500
Thunder Bay VFW Post #9489, Host holiday party for children	\$800
Rogers City Elementary School, 5th Grade camp expenses	\$1,000
Child & Family Services, Computer for childcare program	\$500
Johannesburg-Lewiston Schools, Robotics team	\$2,900
Wolverine Community Schools, Climbing wall	\$1,000
Maple Ridge Township Vol. Fire Dept., Computer equipment	\$780
Inverness Elem. Library, Materials for accelerated reading program	\$1,250
AHS - KAPUT, Alcohol and drug-free activities for students	\$1,200
VFW Post #3623, Honor guard jackets	\$1,800
AuSable Valley Nor-easte'r Assn., Music and art festival	\$875
Cheboygan Area Schools-Girls' Soccer Team, Warm-up suits	\$1,550
Alcona Chapter FFA, Biodiesel production equipment	\$1,775
Presque Isle Panthers, Equipment and fees for girls' softball team	\$2,694
Montmorency County Project Connect, Perishable food items	\$1,000
Atlanta Community Schools PTSO, Camp Daggett expenses	\$2,500
Cheboygan PRIDE, Safe Prom campaign	\$3,200

Bruniquel, Megan, 2009 scholarship recipient	\$2,400
O'Meara, Hayley, 2009 scholarship recipient	\$2,400
Sumerix, Clorissa, 2009 scholarship recipient	\$2,400
Barnby, Jacob, Sound of America Honor Band	\$500
The Caring Place, Food supplies	\$1,500
Posen First Responders, Purchase AED	\$1,759
Village of Millersburg, Summer Youth Recreation Program	\$1,400
Schlak, Renee, Key Club International registration fee	\$200
Hunt, Sara, Student to Student Ambassador Program	\$500
Kiwanis Club of Alpena, Playground equipment	\$525
Presque Isle County Fair, Purchase tables	\$1,200
Helcher, Drew, YMCS Band Camp	\$419
Greenwood Township, Parks & Rec trail project	\$2,000
Marlatt, Brett/Atlanta Chamber, Elk display project	\$1,500
Northern Care Center, Health care services for uninsured	\$1,950
Posen Consolidated Schools, Fitness equipment	\$500
Long Lake Improvement Association, Walleye stocking project	\$1,000
Hubbard Lake Lions, Playground project	\$2,000
Hillman Community Schools, Computer for library	\$1,062
Cheboygan Area Schools, Class trip to Lansing	\$1,288
Alcona Community Schools, Woodworking equipment	\$2,000
St. Thomas Food Panty, Purchase delivery truck	\$2,000

**Presque Isle Electric & Gas Communities First Fund
Statement of Financial Position
Dec. 31, 2009 and 2008**

Assets	2009	2008
Current assets:		
Cash	\$ 49,604	\$ 46,185
Cash – restricted	3,000	3,000
Account receivable	10,278	5,186
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 62,882	\$ 54,371
Net Assets		
Current liabilities:		
Due to Co-op	\$	\$ 1,800
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,800
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	36,132	31,586
Unrestricted, designated	23,750	17,985
Permanently restricted	3,000	3,000
TOTAL NET ASSETS	62,882	52,571
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 62,882	\$ 54,371
Activities and Change in Net Assets		
REVENUE:		
Contributions – members	\$ 63,522	\$ 66,034
Contributions – PIE&G	9,059	5,969
Contributions – other	5,227	223
Interest	218	770
TOTAL REVENUE	78,026	72,996
EXPENSES:		
Grants	50,807	59,954
Scholarships	7,800	4,800
Professional fees		1,800
Program expense	9,108	5,969
Director's expense		1,129
TOTAL EXPENSE	67,715	73,652
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	10,311	(656)
NET ASSETS, beginning of year	52,571	53,227
NET ASSETS, end of year	\$ 62,882	\$ 52,571

Audit completed by Harris Group, Traverse City. Complete audit report available upon request.



New percussion, Rogers City High School band



White Pine Trail & Park, Greenwood Township



Climbing wall, Posen Consolidated Schools



Food for Project Connect, Montmorency County

How Can I Help My Community?

The PIE&G Communities First Fund was created in 1998. The funds for this program are generated when PIE&G members volunteer to "round up" their utility bills to the next dollar. The average cost is 50 cents per month, or \$6 per year. All contributions are tax deductible.

You can participate by calling our Member Services Department at 1-800-423-6634, by mailing the coupon at right with your next payment, or enrolling online at pieg.com, click on "Contact Us."



I want to participate in the COMMUNITIES FIRST FUND. Please "round-up" my bill to the next highest dollar each month.

Name (please print) _____

Phone Number _____

Mailing Address _____

Signature _____

Include this coupon in your next bill payment, or mail to:
PIE&G COMMUNITIES FIRST FUND, P.O. Box 308, Onaway, MI 49765