



2024 Just Because Grantees

A total of 80 Just Because grants were awarded in 2024, honoring the Foundation's 80+ years of service to the Spartanburg Community. These grants, ranging from \$250 to \$2,500 provided unrestricted support for the recipient organizations. Many community members participated in the selection of the grantees, some choosing to pool their Just Because award resources with others, resulting in a few organizations receiving more than one Just Because grant. Where available, links are provided to learn more about the organization/community initiative listed below. Those with * can also be found within the Foundation's Fund Catalog.

- A Light Unto My Path
- Access Health
- Audrey V. Hailstock COMEFORTH Zone Fund*
- Beauty Marks for Girls*
- Believers' Fellowship Assembly Food Pantry
- Benjamin E Mays Family Resource Center*
- Big Brother's Big Sisters-Upstate
- BirthMatters*
- Bloom Upstate
- Brown Girls Read
- Carolina Miracle League, Inc.
- Children's Advocacy Center
- <u>Citizen Scholars Institute</u>*
- <u>Cleveland Opportunity Foundation</u>
- Climb Fund
- <u>Converse University Valkyrie Supply Program</u>
- E.P. Todd School Andy Hansana Civic Club
- Emerge Family Therapy Center & Teaching Clinic
- Girls on the Run Upstate SC
- GoForth Recovery
- Greer Relief
- Healthy Smiles of Spartanburg
- Help for Our Elderly, Inc
- Helping Hands of Woodruff
- Hope Center for Children
- Hope Remains Ranch
- Housing 360 Determined Minds Afterschool Program
- Hub City Animal Project*
- Hub City Writer's Project*
- Kay Killlingsworth Parris Scholarship Fund*
- Landon M Cohen Community Health & Wellness Fund

- <u>Lee Orr Aviation Scholarship</u> Fund*
- Legacy of Love Outreach
- LifeWorks SC
- <u>Local Initiative Support Corporation</u>
- NAMI Spartanburg
- Northside Development Group*
- Omegas of Spartanburg Uplift Center Fund*
- Project R.E.S.T.*
- Rebuilding Together Spartanburg
- Ruth's Gleanings
- SC School for the Deaf and the Blind Foundation
- Spartanburg Area Conservancy*
- Greater Spartanburg Divine 9*
- Spartanburg Humane Society
- Spartanburg Methodist College
- Spartanburg Philharmonic*
- Spartanburg Science Center
- Speaking Down Barriers
- St. Luke's Free Medical Clinic*
- Stone Soup Storytelling Institute
- Temple Education Ministries
- The Bridge at Green Street
- The Butterfly Foundation
- TOTAL Ministries*
- United Way of the Piedmont
- Upstate Family Resource Center*
- Upstate Warrior Solution
- USC Upstate Foundation
- Walnut Grove Plantation Fund*









