

A legacy of women helping the women and girls of Isabella County now...and for generations to come.



**Making a charitable gift to the Women's Initiative Fund is a simple way to make a lasting gift that will benefit the women and girls of Isabella County forever.**

**How it works:**

- Join the Women's Initiative by making a gift or pledge to the Women's Initiative Fund, a permanently endowed fund of the Mt. Pleasant Area Community Foundation. You may give cash, appreciated stock, real estate, or other assets. You may pay tribute to a friend or loved one by giving in their honor or memory.
- Your charitable gift qualifies for the maximum tax advantage under federal law.
- Your gift is joined with others and is invested to grow over time. Earnings from the Women's Initiative Fund are used to award grants that address the needs of women and girls in Isabella County. Your gift remains a permanent source of community capital, helping to do good work forever.
- Since 2003, hundreds of women have made pledges to the Women's Initiative Fund, and hundreds of individual gifts have been made. The Fund has grown to nearly \$400,000 in assets, and more than 40 grants have been awarded to date. Learn more about the Women's Initiative and their annual events at: [mpacf.org/womens-initiative](http://mpacf.org/womens-initiative)

**Grants awarded in the past include:**

- Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Great Lakes Bay Region
- Christian Counseling of Mid Michigan
- Christmas Outreach
- Community Compassion Network
- Foster Closet of Michigan-Isabella County
- Girls on the Run of Central Michigan
- Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan
- Isabella County Child Advocacy Center
- Listening Ear Crisis Center
- Mid Michigan College STEM Program for 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Girls
- Mt. Pleasant Department of Public Safety
- Women's Aid Service



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**PLEDGE FORM**

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**Donor Name**

\_\_\_\_\_ I wish to remain anonymous.

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**Mailing Address**

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**City/State/Zip**

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**E-mail Address**

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**Phone Number**

A check made payable to MPACF for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

I pledge to contribute \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per year for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years for a total gift of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

**Please credit my gifts to the Women's Initiative Fund.**

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**Signature**

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**Date**

*Please make checks payable to: **Mt. Pleasant Area Community Foundation** or **MPACF**.*



**Excellence. Accountability. Impact.™**

*For tax purposes, a receipt will be sent to the name and address shown on your check.*

Please mail to:  
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*The Mt. Pleasant Area Community Foundation is a 501(c) 3 public charity under federal law. A donation made to MPACF may be deductible as a charitable gift for federal tax purposes.*

*The Mt. Pleasant Area Community Foundation has exclusive legal control over contributed assets. The Mt. Pleasant Area Community Foundation maintains explicit authority to redirect earnings of any fund if distributions of said fund become unnecessary, impossible to fulfill or inconsistent with the needs of the community.*