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The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation works with a variety of individuals, families, businesses, and non-profit organizations. Our donors are students, retirees, business owners, teachers, attorneys, and more. We work with donors who live in West Virginia and donors who live in different states.

Gifts to The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation can be used to support any nonprofit public charity in the United States.

If you set up a fund at The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation, you are able to make a grant to any nonprofit 501©(3) United States public charity. Many of our Donor Advised Funds support nonprofits in different states, including where the donors grew up or where they retired. Our scholarships are found across the United States. You choose where and when you wish your grants to be paid.

You can support the charities you care about by working with The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation.

A Donor Advised Fund can make grants at any time to any 501©(3) charitable organization anywhere in the country. If your interest is local organizations, or giving back to the community where you grew up, you decide who will receive your charitable dollars. A Donor Designated Fund will allow you to name the charity or charities that will receive distributions for years to come. A Field of Interest Fund will give you the opportunity to choose the field of interest that you would like to support in perpetuity.

Scholarship Funds are easy to create through The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation.

We have over 100 scholarship funds that grant more than 350 scholarship funds annually to students from all over West Virginia.

You can establish a named charitable fund beginning with $10,000.

With $10,000 you can set up a named fund and with $20,000 you can create a scholarship fund at the Foundation. You can begin granting out immediately if you wish or wait until a later date. Anyone can add any amount to your fund at any time, there are no further minimums required.

The Foundation makes it easy to involve your family in charitable giving.

The Greater Kanawha Valley Foundation works with many different families, each with their own charitable philosophy and goals. We can design a fund that meets you and your families’ charitable needs. For Donor Advised Funds, successor advisors can be named for the fund.