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### MISSION:

To Enhance the Quality of Life in Mequon and Thiensville

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## MTCF Partners with Thiensville Village Park Reimagined for Community Pickleball Courts and Splash Pad

Thiensville Village Park lies in the heart of Mequon and Thiensville along a beautiful stretch of the Milwaukee River and sees over 100,000 visitors a year. In addition to the many ball fields, play grounds, walking trails and covered pavilion, this 16.3 acre park also plays host to a variety of wonderful events, including Fun Before the Fourth, the Best Dam Blues Festival, and the local Farmer's Market.

In 2017, the Thiensville Village Board approved a capital project called "Village Park Reimagined" with a bold and exciting vision to elevate the park to new heights. With this, a new committee was formed to help oversee the fundraising for the park's improvements. This new Thiensville Village Park Reimagined Committee (VPRI) has already realized significant improvements, including the installation of a new entryway arch, upgraded restrooms, new playground equipment, and the addition of the Port Washington State Bank (PWSB) River Stage. Now, the Committee has their sights set on realizing the next phase: the addition of a splash pad and four new pickleball courts!

With monies received from a Land Water Conservation Fund grant and those committed by the Village of Thiensville, the pickleball court project needs just \$83,000 to close the gap. Similarly, VPRI has already raised an impressive \$225,000 to date towards the splash pad (including a \$10,000 grant awarded from MTCF), resulting in a need for \$125,000 to begin construction.

The Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation is excited to partner with the Village of Thiensville and VPRI to help close the gap and bring these additions to fruition! With your help, these projects can commence this year! Make your donations to MTCF and specify splash pad, Pickleball or VPRI (donation will be used wherever most needed for the park).

Please see the back page of this newsletter for donation options. Together, we can make this happen!



The splash pad will be built immediately adjacent to the playground on an existing greenspace, bringing safe water play for all to enjoy. The splash pad's design makes it fully accessible to one and all and extends water play earlier and later in the season than the community pool.

The two existing tennis courts at Village Park need resurfacing. As part of this work, the Village approved the creation of two dedicated pickleball courts from one of the tennis courts while adding pickleball court lines on the remaining tennis court, with two portable pickleball nets available. Ultimately, this will provide four pickleball courts at the park.



**LOOK INSIDE.**  
TO LEARN MORE ABOUT MTCF'S 2023 GRANTS AND FUTURE NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY!

# A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

# MTCF Grants \$82,100: 10.01.22 - 9.30.23

## My friends of Mequon and Thiensville,

I am honored to extend my warmest welcome to all of you as we embark on this continuing journey together to enhance the quality of life in Mequon and Thiensville. We strive to inspire charitable giving to invest in a brighter community. In this issue, you will learn about the impact of the Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation and how it puts your donations to great use, supporting the three pillars of our community: Parks & Recreation, Municipalities, and Historical. We are so grateful to everyone who helps transform our mission into reality! Please join me in honoring the donors, grantees, and volunteers by taking the time to read the details noted below.

Thank you to our DONORS: You have been so responsive and generous this year\*, donating \$301,000, an increase of 37% from the prior year. To the 250 donors, all I can say is WOW! And Thank You! Our board has been thrilled to pass these donations on to enhance the quality of life in Mequon and Thiensville. We couldn't do it without you! Become a part of this power! Information on how to donate is on the back page.

Thank you to our GRANTEES: Our community has wonderful nonprofit organizations and service providers who want to improve their offerings to the community. However, with limited financial resources, they are often constrained in realizing new projects or initiatives. By writing and completing grant applications to MTCF and others, these organizations strive to find the financial resources necessary to broaden their complement of offerings to the community. MTCF is proud to have granted \$82,100 this past year\* to aid ten different nonprofits/service providers in our community, thus helping these organizations enhance the quality of life for all residents and visitors. The remaining donations are being held in restricted funds for future use.

Thank you to our MTCF VOLUNTEERS: Our all-volunteer MTCF Board of Directors, committee members, Advisory Board, and Giving Advisory Team give countless hours of their time, energy, and resources to make your community a better place to work and live. Please reach out and thank them for what they do for your community!

Please note we are offering a Donor Reception on November 16, 2023, where you can learn about current projects underway in our community and meet our volunteers. Attending this open house is a great way to learn how we work and connect needs and opportunities with resources. Feel free to drop by! See more information on the back page.

Warm regards,  
Lori Lorenz MTCF President

\* October 1, 2022 - September 30, 2023



## 2023 MTCF Board of Directors



2023 MTCF Board of Directors from left: Brian Ertmer, Jim Button, Carey Bongard, David Gaskin, Lynn Streeter, Dan Gannon, Lori Lorenz, Tim Vertz, Melissa Shneyder, Jim Ott Not pictured: Nadine Guirl

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MTCF is pleased to have the support and partnership of GAT network members who have the deep knowledge and valuable insights to advise donors of their best options of donating to MTCF. We call this network our Giving Advisory Team (GAT).

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## Meet our new board member: NADINE GUIRL

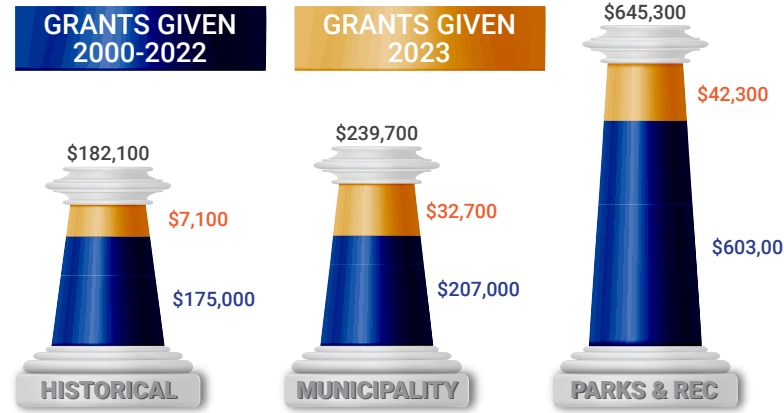


Nadine is a retired senior executive in Human Resources with over 40 years of experience in public and private manufacturing companies, professional services and a hospital/health care system. She led domestic and international HR teams in start-ups, turn-arounds, mergers, acquisitions, divestitures and rapid-growth situations to achieve organizational goals.

Nadine received a bachelor's degree with double majors in business and professional communications from Alverno College in Milwaukee.

She's a long-time volunteer and has held a Board position with Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Ozaukee and Board officer positions with Advocates of Ozaukee, Alverno College Alumnae Association, and the Haggerty Museum of Art.

A Wisconsin native who has lived in Mequon for a dozen years, Nadine relishes being outdoors, particularly on the golf course. She walks, bikes, and most recently is learning pickle ball. She also enjoys travel, reading, puttering in the garden, and socializing. She is a long-time avid Brewers fan dreaming of a World Series championship!



## HISTORICAL

Jonathan Clark House: Exterior Restoration Project \$7,100

## MUNICIPAL

City of Mequon: Transitional K9 \$19,300  
Dash mounted radar units, promotional items \$5,100  
Village of Thiensville: Two Ebikes \$8,300  
\$32,700

## PARKS & RECREATION

Mequon/Thiensville: Bike & Pedestrian Paths \$9,900  
Veterans Memorial \$5,100  
Thiensville: Village Park Splash Pad \$10,000  
Little League Fencing \$10,000  
Village Park Playground Fossil Dig \$1,000  
Mequon: Nature Preserve Signs \$3,400  
Graceful Wakes Foundation \$2,900  
\$42,300

Total Grants Given: \$82,100

## PARKS & REC WISH LIST NEEDS FOR 2024

### MEQUON PARKS

- River Barn Park** . . . . . \$10,000  
Replace Outdoor Drinking Fountain
- Mequon Community Park** . . . . . \$24,000  
Bleacher Replacements
- Rotary Park** . . . . . \$173,000  
WiFi & Wireless Entry for Pavilion - \$7,000  
Fencing for 3 Pickleball Courts - \$150,000  
Memory Garden - General Improvements - \$6,000  
Replace Outdoor Drinking Fountain - \$10,000
- River View Park** . . . . . \$105,000  
Replace Outdated Playground Equipment & Add Disc Golf
- Reuter Pavilion** . . . . . \$17,000  
WiFi & Wireless Entry - \$7,000  
Replace Outdoor Drinking Fountain - \$10,000
- Virmond Park (Ozaukee County Park)** . . . . . \$30,000  
Staircase to Lake

### MEQUON NATURE PRESERVE

- Viewing Scopes for Platform** . . . . . \$10,000
- Projector for Auditorium** . . . . . \$8,000
- Equipment Trailer** . . . . . \$8,000
- All-Terrain Tracks for UTV** . . . . . \$7,000
- Trinocular Stereo Microscopes** . . . . . \$5,250
- Buckthorn Puller for Skid Loader** . . . . . \$5,000
- Gravel for Trails** . . . . . \$5,000
- Muck Boots, Ponchos, & Dip Nets for Field Trips** . . . . . \$947

### VILLAGE OF THIENSVILLE

- Splash Pad** . . . . . \$125,000
- Pickleball and Tennis Courts** . . . . . \$83,000

### OZAUKEE WASHINGTON LAND TRUST

- Donges Bay Gorge Nature Preserve Renovations** . . . . . \$90,000
- Spirit Lake Nature Preserve Welcome Area** . . . . . \$30,000

### MT TRAILS FOUNDATION

- Highland Road Bike/Pedestrian Path** . . . . . \$200,000

### MTLL and MEQUON HEAT

- Rotary Park** . . . . . \$44,000  
Batting Cage Updates - \$25,000  
Covered Dugout Completion - \$19,000
- Thiensville Village Park** . . . . . \$46,000  
Batting Cage Updates - \$27,000  
Covered Dugout Completion - \$19,000
- Renniecke Park** . . . . . \$350,000  
Major Ballfield Renovations
- Rotary Schmidt Park** . . . . . \$100,000  
Install Lighting

**TOTAL: \$1,476,197**

## MUNICIPALITIES WISH LIST NEEDS - 2024

- Mequon Police Dept.** . . . . . \$64,000  
Squad Mounted Radar Units - 9 @ \$3,500/ea  
Squad Mounted Deer/Safety Bars - 9 @ \$1,500/ea  
Bars on Squad Windows - 9 @ \$700/ea  
Binoculars in Squad Cars - 9 @ \$300/ea  
Squad Car Side Lights - 9 @ \$1,000  
Firearms Simulation Equipment - \$1,000
- Thiensville Police Dept.** . . . . . TO BE DETERMINED  
Narcotic Testing Cabinet  
eBikes Bike Racks
- MT Weyenberg Library** . . . . . \$3,000  
Children's Area Furniture
- City of Mequon** . . . . . \$8,000  
Solar Powered Speed Signs (2)

**TOTAL: \$75,000**

## HISTORICAL WISH LIST NEEDS - 2024

- Jonathan Clark House** . . . . . \$21,000  
Tree Removal - \$10,000  
Preservation Plan Foundation Work - \$8,000  
Educational Programming - \$3,000
- Mequon-Thiensville Historical Society** . . . . . \$2,050  
Archival Storage Supplies - \$800  
Website Upgrade and Social Media - \$1,250

**TOTAL: \$23,050**



## GRANT APPLICATIONS WELCOME!

Could you benefit from an MTCF grant? The Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation grant application deadlines are October 1 and April 1 each year. We encourage eligible organizations to submit an application before these deadlines.

Please consult our grant guidelines and access application forms at: [www.mtcfgives.org/grant-making](http://www.mtcfgives.org/grant-making)

Let our foundation help you achieve your goals and make this community a great place to live, work and play.

# LOOK HOW YOUR DONATIONS HAVE IMPACTED OUR COMMUNITY!

## MTCF Grants \$15K to Mequon Police Department for New K-9 Officer



Thanks to MTCF's \$15,000 grant this year, the Mequon Police Department will be bringing in a new K9 Officer this fall to replace K9 Officer Iron, who retired in March. The police department currently has K9 Officer Djuke, a male 4 ½ year old German Shepherd, who has been with the police department since fall of 2020. K9 Officer Djuke is trained and certified in tracking, narcotics detection, handler protection, apprehension, and building/area searches.

The new K9, once trained, will become K9 Officer Djuke's new partner. According to Police Chief Patrick Pryor, having an experienced K-9 on the road while training a new K9 allows for the transfer of knowledge and skills and ensures the continued success of the program. Moreover, having a second K9 enhances the safety and security to the community, particularly during the busy 4 p.m. - midnight shift.

Current K9 - Djuke



Retired K9 - Iron

"Our mission is to enhance the quality of life in Mequon and Thiensville and this is just one of many ways that we do that," said MTCF Director and Past President Jim Button, "We know the value a K9 brings to the community, including diffusing a situation that might otherwise turn bad, suspect apprehension, drug interdiction, finding a missing person, and more. It's an extremely important program within our community and we're proud to be a part of it."

MTCF was instrumental in raising funds for K9 Officer Djuke in 2019 and the extra funds from that effort were held in MTCF's restricted funds for the K9 program. This allowed MTCF to make this grant to cover costs for the purchase of the new dog, the training, and its handler's equipment and services.

## \$10,000 Grant to MTLT for Fencing at Village Park field in Thiensville



MTLL Player: Elijah Palay

The Mequon-Thiensville Little League (MTLL) held its annual "Swing for the Fences" fundraiser at Fox Town Annex on April 22, 2023. MTCF was there to proudly announce its \$10,000 grant to fully fund one of the two temporary fences needed at the Thiensville Village Park.

MTLL uses two of the three fields at the park for their games and tournaments. These fields have seasonal fencing that needs to be replaced every few years, and the organization has been looking to raise funds for something more permanent. "We are so appreciative of the \$10,000 grant from the Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation," says Jennifer Wirth, MTLL President, "as this will fully fund one of the two new outfield fences." During the event, Lori Lorenz, MTCF President, stated, "Youth baseball and softball are an integral part of recreation in our community, and adding this fencing will benefit this experience for our youth, families, and fans. It fits perfectly within our mission of enhancing the quality of life in Mequon and Thiensville."

A portion of the additional funds raised at the event will help support the second fence initiative, and project-based donations like this are always welcome to close the gap.

## MTCF Pleased to be a \$10,000 Title Sponsor for Village Park Reimagined Gala to Benefit the Splash Pad

Indian inspired food and dance entertainment highlighted this year's Gala in the Park on Saturday, June 3, presented by Thiensville Village Park Reimagined and sponsored by MTCF to raise funds for a splash pad.

VPRI, which is devoted to improving the quality of the park, was thrilled to receive MTCF's \$10,000 grant in March 2023 to help get them closer to construction.

\$125,000 is still needed to complete the project.

The Village Park is already a great destination for kids and adults, but the splash pad will provide added enjoyment. Kids of all ages and abilities will enjoy the mood from the colorful lighting during their walks year-round and playing in the water in the summer.

- Lori Lorenz, MTCF President

To help bring the splash pad to fruition, please donate to MTCF and note "splash pad" in the memo.



## MTCF Brings Smiles to Kids at Village Park by Granting \$1,000 for Fossil Dig



MTCF granted \$1,000 to the Village of Thiensville to bring prehistoric fun to the children's playground. Get ready for a dino-mite adventure as a fossil dig has been installed for your pleasure in the sandbox play area!

Grab your shovel and a bucket, because these fossil digs offer a thrilling and sensory-packed experience to the little explorers in your life, ages 2 and up! They'll unearth buried treasures, learn about discovery, and dig up some fun while making memories!



## MTCF Grants \$8,340 for Two New eBikes for Village of Thiensville

MTCF granted \$8,340 for the purchase of two ebikes to enhance the police department's bike patrol capabilities. Police Chief Curt Kleppin noted that they will foster officer-citizen communication, making interactions more accessible and community-oriented.

The ebikes will facilitate longer patrol durations, enable officers to navigate through crowds and reach places inaccessible to vehicles, expanding their patrol range. Additionally, the bikes will improve response times during special events, providing efficient service to the community.

The grant from MTCF and \$1,000 from the MT Optimist Club covered the bikes, helmets and training for at least four officers.



Pictured are the two e-bikes and, from left, Mequon-Thiensville Optimist Club Treasurer Tom Frank, Thiensville Village Administrator Colleen Landisch-Hansen, Thiensville Police Chief Curt Kleppin, Police Lt. Glenn Janzer, MTCF Grants Chairman and Village liaison Ron Gibb, MTCF President Lori Lorenz and Thiensville Village President Van Mobley.

# MTCF GENEROUS DONORS

## Summer Evening Chef's Table & Taste of Mequon Yields \$165k for MT Trails Foundation

ONLY \$200,000 NEEDED TO FUND THE \$1.5 MILLION TRAIL!

The Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation partnered with the MT-Trails Foundation to host its inaugural Summer Evening Chef's Table fundraiser at the Gathering on the Green grounds under the tents at Rotary Park on July 13. In total, this event alone raised \$163,000 towards funding their first project, a bike/pedestrian paved off-road path connecting Highland Road to the Ozaukee Interurban Trail.

Featuring 10 elite chefs from a variety of top-notch restaurants and local venues, attendees savored exquisite five-course meals with unique beverage pairings in a picturesque outdoor setting. Contributing to the festive atmosphere, the local band "Pretty When She's Angry" provided lively entertainment.

On September 9, MTCF sponsored a tent for the MT Trails Foundation at the City of Mequon's Taste of Mequon. There was much excitement about this project, with \$1,500 raised to support the MT Trails Foundation during the event.

As of September 2023, MTCF has helped raise \$1,300,000 towards the Highland Road Bike/Pedestrian Path, leaving just \$200,000 to fund this \$1.5 million project.

"We would like to thank all sponsors, live auction participants, volunteers, and chefs for making this evening a resounding success, bringing together the community in support of the MT Trails Foundation."

-Dee Girard  
MTCF Events Committee Chair



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Summer Evening Chef's Table. Photos courtesy of Tropilo Photography



Taste of Mequon Tent

## MTCF's Annual Pillars of the Community Event Raises \$66,000!



Andrew Petzold and his family celebrate after the luncheon.



Petzold family waterskiing with Graceful Wakes Adaptive Water Ski



New parking lot at Villa Grove



Embankment improvements at Villa Grove

Thanks to all 230 guests who joined us June 6th, 2023, at the MTCF Pillars of the Community luncheon to honor Andrew Petzold, President and CEO of Concord Development Company. As an entrepreneur, real-estate developer, visionary, and community advocate, Andrew has certainly made his mark throughout Mequon and Thiensville.

Overall, the event raised \$66,000 for our community, including \$29,000 through a paddle raise to benefit Villa Grove Park in Mequon. Andrew identified the need for a second boat launch at Villa Grove Park as a top interest. His family often used the Villa Grove boat launch while his children were growing up and they knew firsthand the congestion and backups resulting from having a single boat launch and pier to the Milwaukee River. Andrew would love to see more people benefit from greater access to the water and experience the joy the river can provide.

While working with the city of Mequon, it was discovered that improvements to Villa Grove

Park of \$30,000 were necessary before work on the second launch could begin. These improvements included expanding the parking lot to allow more cars with trailers, fortifying the embankment to sustain weight load and prevent erosion, and installing three tall solar lights for enhanced safety.

Impressively, the guests at the event came through and raised \$29,000! As a surprise to Andrew, 10% of the proceeds were granted to his daughter's nonprofit, Graceful Wakes, which she started in Mequon at the age of 16 to provide adaptive water skiing opportunities to persons with disabilities. MTCF is honored to be a part of both worthwhile projects to enhance the quality of life in Mequon and Thiensville.

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in memory of Marla Lichtenberg  
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Ann and Joe Wenzler

The Mequon-Thiensville Community Foundation is so grateful for the donations received from generous members of our community. The names listed below made a tax-deductible contribution to the Foundation between October 1, 2022 – Sep 30, 2023.

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