

## ENDOWMENT AND FIELD OF INTEREST FUNDS

**The Community Endowment Fund** is a permanent charitable resource that provides much-needed funding to critical and effective programs in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties. By giving to the endowment, you can help meet the needs of our community today and for years to come. You can give a gift of any size directly to the Community Endowment Fund, or any of the following funds.

### Grantmaking Strategy Funds

**Safety Net:** Supports direct safety-net services, such as food and shelter.

**Economic Security:** Increases the availability of financial education and asset-building programs, provides support for foreclosure prevention counseling and legal services to homeowners and renters, and supports efforts to curb predatory lending practices through public education and policy advocacy.

**Regional Planning:** Supports land use and transportation plans that influence the creation of vibrant and sustainable communities throughout San Mateo and Santa Clara counties.

**Education:** Focuses on closing the middle school achievement gap in mathematics by improving the effectiveness of math instruction during school and increasing extended learning opportunities after school and during the summer.

**Immigrant Integration:** Expands legal services for immigrants and refugees, supports programs that teach adult English language and vocational English skills, and supports art and communication programs that promote understanding of immigrant communities in order to deepen participation in civic life.

### Field of Interest Funds

**Bright Futures Scholarship Fund:** Provides scholarships to students in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties pursuing higher education.

**Community Endowment for the Arts:** Supports a broad spectrum of programs and organizations that strengthen and advance the arts in our region.

**Emerging Arts Endowment Fund:** Supports small and emerging arts groups and artists, with an emphasis on under-represented arts organizations.

**Community Endowment Fund for Seniors:** Supports critical services for low-income seniors.

**Field of Interest Fund for Health:** Supports important health services to those in need.

**Youth of Tomorrow Fund:** Supports programs making a positive difference in the lives of at-risk children and youth.

If you would like to make a gift to any of these funds, please contact us at 650.450.5444 or email us at [donate@siliconvalleycf.org](mailto:donate@siliconvalleycf.org). To learn more about our grantmaking strategies, please visit us at [www.siliconvalleycf.org](http://www.siliconvalleycf.org).