

Wythe-Bland Community Foundation

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Improving life in Wythe & Bland Counties...



From the Executive Director:

On Oct. 10, I signed a check to pay the tuition at WCC for 87 high school graduates from Wythe and Bland Counties. This action will forever change our two counties, thanks to the forward vision of our WBCF Board members. What better way could there be to invest in the future of our young people and our area!

Gail

October 1st Grant Recipients

The Wythe-Bland Community Foundation is pleased to announce the awarding of its Fall 2007 grants for a total of \$1,309,066 to qualified 501 (c) (3) organizations (or governmental entities) serving Wythe County and Bland County Virginia, that support, promote and/or further the Foundation's mission. The funds are awarded to:

Bland Ministry Center & Dental Clinic, walk-in freezer/cooler for food pantry-\$32,370;

One-on-One Literacy, health literacy for functionally illiterate adults-\$9021;

Wytheville Community College, workshops on obesity, virtual "Stan" patient simulator, radiographic simulator, EMS simulation equipment, respiratory care software/simulation, dental hygiene software/simulation, simulation training, & planning for WBCF Walking & Bike Trail-\$1,039,080;

Brain Injury Services of SWVA, direct services for six clients-\$28,898;

HOPE Ministries, human services needs assessment & strategic planning-\$37,000;

Benevolent Medication Services, computer equipment-\$6100;

Mt. Rogers Health District, Mobile Medical Clinic to target industrial workforce-\$50,000;

Brock Hughes Free Clinic, enhance support services, develop sustainability plan-\$26,985;

Bland County Medical Center, X-ray equipment, computerized radiology and PACS system-\$77,212; and

Grant Application Deadline

The next grant application deadline for the Wythe-Bland Community Foundation will be February 1, 2008. Please review the **Grant Guidelines** at: www.wbcfoundation.org for the latest update to the guidelines. All 501-© (3) nonprofit organizations are invited to submit applications. Grants will be awarded April 1, 2008. Please contact Dr. Catron at 276-228-8001 to discuss ideas for possible grants.

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Enterprise Photo

WBCF scholarship recipients for Fall 2007 celebrate the free tuition and fees program at WCC for all qualified Wythe-Bland high school graduates. The program is only one of three free tuition programs in the country.