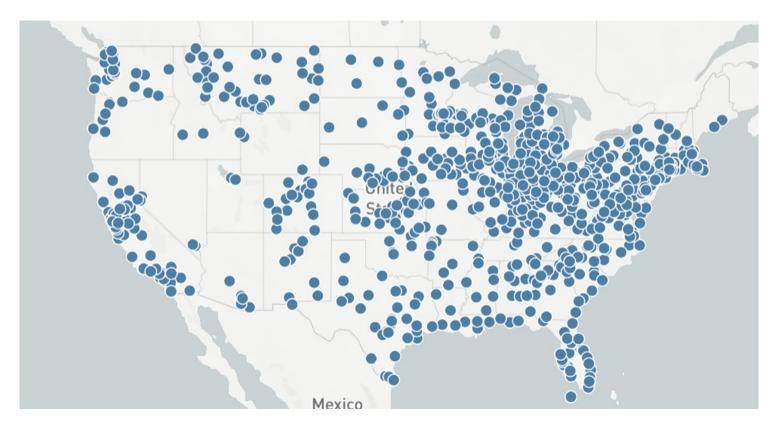


Building Endowment to Help Fund Your Band

What's a Community Foundation?

Place-based nonprofit



What's a Community Foundation?

- Place-based nonprofit
- Community partner
- Permanent resources



Give Grow Grant



Why build endowment?

Sends a signal of sustainability
Sets you up to receive estate gifts
Increases gifting options (probably)
Time is your fundraiser!

A Tale of Two Funds

<u>Group A's Fund – 9/9/1998</u>

- 38 gifts in \$15,957
- 6 grants out \$8,407
- Investment growth \$15,319
- Today's balance \$22,869
- Annual spendable \$734

<u>Group B's Fund – 10/10/1997</u>

- 1,412 gifts in \$540,361
- 90 grants out \$237,663
- Investment growth \$348,692
- Today's balance \$651,390
- Annual spendable \$18,822



West Michigan Concert Winds Fund

Started January 29, 2006

- 315 gifts in \$63,893
- 9 grants out \$16,810
- Investment growth \$60,430
- Today's balance \$107,513
- Annual spendable \$3,305

\$10...\$500...\$2500





Resources

- Fund building info / messaging samples
 https://muskegonfoundation.org/resources/for-nonprofit-fundholders/
- Gifting options
 https://muskegonfoundation.org/give/what-to-give/
- Wish Lists

https://muskegonfoundation.org/community-wish-lists/

We are a partner



Questions?