

Topeka is a great place to live, work and give. We are pleased to play a role in the growing momentum of our community and want to share with you the following Foundation highlights from 2019:

- **Financial Strength:** With contributions totaling \$9.3 million and an investment return of more than 19%, the Foundation currently has more than \$84 million under management.
- **Community Impact:** Through our Impact Topeka initiative, we invested in four programs we believe will lead to long-term, systemic change in our community as it relates to the social determinants of health. We are convinced, more than ever, that community development is economic development.
- **Donor Services:** More than 20 new funds were established, each with its own charitable purpose. It's a privilege to work with donors to ensure stewardship over these funds.

We are excited about continuing our important work in 2020. You'll be hearing reports during the year about making progress on the following:

- **Technology Advances:** Implementing new ways to provide the best service possible to Foundation donors.
- **Investing Wisely:** Studying opportunities in our community as we work to ensure holistic economic development for all.
- **Leveraging Leadership:** Working with others to ensure Topeka continues to be a great place to live, work and give!

More information about each of the Foundation's 2019 achievements can be found on our website. We encourage you to visit our site, where you'll find charts, videos, information about our volunteer and staff leadership and more.

We wish you a happy and charitable 2020.



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