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## DOUGLAS COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES BACK-TO-SCHOOL MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM WITH AMAZON

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[Douglas County, Colorado, August 22, 2022]. Amazon has selected Douglas County Community Foundation (DCCF) to receive matching contributions as a part of a back-to-school matching grant program. Now through the end of August, Amazon will match dollar to dollar up to \$10,000 for DCCF's Community Emergency Relief Fund.

"We are honored and grateful Amazon has chosen to collaborate with us in this capacity," said DCCF Executive Director Mike Waid. "This is a creative and meaningful way for DCCF and Amazon to team up and impact the Douglas County community."

Funds raised in the back-to-school matching grant program will allow DCCF to increase its granting opportunities, while at the same time growing the Community Emergency Relief Fund, thereby securing financial support and operational assistance to aid local organizations and those impacted by community emergencies.



"The back-to-school matching grant program with DCCF builds on Amazon's continuing commitment to directly impact the communities where our employees and customers live and work," said Brittany Morris Saunders, Amazon's head of community affairs in Denver. "We applaud DCCF for their leadership in preparing the Douglas County community to respond to any emergency it may face."

DCCF maintains strong corporate relationships, simplifying, maximizing and recognizing company stewardship such as Amazon's. As a force multiplier for philanthropic endeavors, DCCF helps businesses build a socially-responsible plan to give back to the community, allowing much needed funds to have the greatest impact on the Douglas County community.

Donations to DCCF can be made at <u>dccf.org</u>.

## **About Douglas County Community Foundation**

The Douglas County Community Foundation (DCCF) is committed to responsibly managing philanthropic contributions, maintaining agile funds for emergencies, inspiring generosity, and providing support to local nonprofit organizations serving the needs within our community.

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