



Where gifts today build better tomorrows

# Acorn Funds

An Acorn Fund offers individuals or organizations a simple and flexible way to build an endowment fund. An Acorn Fund can be opened with \$1,500 and the fund's founders have up to five years to make periodic contributions to meet the required \$15,000 threshold to turn it into a mature endowed fund. After the threshold is reached, the fundholder may select a fund type based on their philanthropic interests.



***Mighty oaks from little acorns grow.***

## Benefits of an Acorn Fund

- Acorn funds are ideal vehicles for family philanthropy or for a group of friends or neighbors to support charitable causes that are important to them.
- You can encourage family and friends to give to your Acorn Fund in lieu of traditional gifts on the occasion of a holiday or birthday.
- While your Acorn Fund is growing, no fees will be charged for administrative services and all income from investment is added to your fund to facilitate its growth.

To learn more about Acorn Funds, contact Sue Hartwick, the foundation's program administrator, at (920) 563-3210.



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