



OPPORTUNITIES  
*Every day!*



OPENING MORE DOORS OF  
POSSIBILITIES  
TO MORE PEOPLE IN NEED.



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THE  
ENDOWMENT FUND

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## THE ENDOWMENT FUND

### THE NEED

Our community's future prosperity and quality of life begins with the well-being of our children and youth. The **Council on Rural Services** supports the belief that the possibility of life success is significantly enhanced through creative, high-quality learning environments.

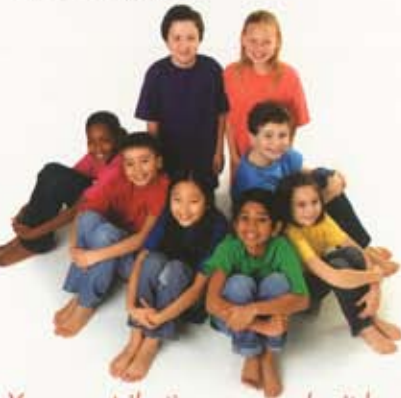
Statistically, over 23% of our children and youth will potentially remain in poverty if they do not complete high school. And without an early education, the likelihood of completing high school is effected even more. As a result, the loss of talent and economic burden to our communities is greatly increased.

Your generosity will be used to open more possibilities for our children and youth by creating:

- Quality early learning environments designed for infants, toddlers and preschoolers
- Resources for teachers to obtain appropriate credentials
- Technology and learning labs
- Facilities equipped for high level learning experiences
- Work experiences for youth that include life and employability skills
- Programs that involve the parents in the learning experiences

*"We all have the capacity to do great things."*

*Former President Bill Clinton*



*Your contribution can make it happen for more people...for a long time.*

*Opening the most possibilities...every day!*

### OUR MISSION

We provide comprehensive education and support services to individuals and families. Our dedicated and knowledgeable staff builds partnerships with people of all ages and inspires them to seek new opportunities which increases their potential for growth.

### THE ENDOWMENT FUND

Each community is unique in their needs and aspirations for a future for its citizens. Gifts made to the **Council on Rural Services Endowment Fund** will expand the potential for locally designed programs to improve the possibilities for those whose lives are not all they can be.

This endowment fund is the foundation on which future programs will be built. The funds will be invested for the future with money earned from interest and dividends being used for organizational and growth purposes.

Gifts are tax-deductible.



### HOW TO EXTEND YOUR GENEROSITY

The Board of Trustees for the **Council on Rural Services**, a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit, has developed a depository relationship with the Troy Foundation. If you would like to contribute to the Endowment Fund, you may contact The Troy Foundation or send your donation directly to the Council on Rural Services.



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I would like to make a donation to the Council on Rural Services Endowment Fund. I understand the money donated will be invested and used for program development of this not-for-profit agency. The Endowment Fund is administered by The Troy Foundation.

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\$25 \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 \_\_\_\_\_ \$100 \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Check enclosed (payable to The Troy Foundation) \_\_\_\_\_ Employee COGS payroll deduction \_\_\_\_\_

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