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Midlands Community Foundation Awards Grants Totaling \$113,844

Papillion, Neb., April 1, 2011 – Midlands Community Foundation has awarded grants totaling \$113,844 to 15 non-profit organizations serving Sarpy and Cass counties including:

- Bellevue University – \$20,000
- Springfield Library Foundation – \$20,000
- Green Bellevue – \$10,000
- Louisville Ball Parents Association – \$10,000
- Youth Emergency Services – \$10,000
- Sarpy County Historical Society – \$5,654
- Alegent Health Midlands Hospital Health Fair – \$5,000
- Angels Among Us – \$5,000
- Camp Fire USA Midlands Council, Inc. – \$5,000
- Food Bank for the Heartland – \$5,000
- Heartland Walk for Warmth Campaign and Salvation Army – \$5,000
- Friends of the Plattsmouth Library Foundation – \$5,000
- Elmwood-Murdock Public Schools – \$4,190
- The Lofte Association, Inc. – \$2,500
- Arts for All, Inc. – \$1,500

This is the second of two grant distributions for Midlands Community Foundation’s fiscal year. The next grant distribution will be in Fall 2011.

Through its grants program, Midlands Community Foundation places an emphasis on prevention and education. The Foundation has a strong commitment toward programs benefiting health, art, culture, community, economic development, education, and human services. Since its inception, the Foundation has awarded gifts totaling millions of dollars.

“We are so pleased we are able to help enhance the quality of life in the Sarpy and Cass county communities by providing this much needed financial support for these worthwhile programs and projects,” said Tonee Gay, Executive Director.

The mission of the Midlands Community Foundation is to benefit the diverse needs of the Sarpy and Cass county communities by providing financial support, involvement and service.

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