

Report To The Community

2017



BETTENDORF



**SCOTT COUNTY
REGIONAL AUTHORITY**

SCRA

Scott County Regional Authority

Iowa law provides that only “non-profit” organizations can apply for a gambling license. In Scott County, two organizations were formed and hold the license for the casinos including the Scott County Regional Authority (SCRA). The mission of the SCRA is to serve the needs of the residents of Scott County, Iowa through the distribution of gaming funds received from the Isle of Capri Casino – Bettendorf.

The SCRA provides funding through a grant process. The funds are generated from gaming receipts received through the Isle of Capri Casino-Bettendorf. Funds are awarded twice per calendar year. Applications with guidelines and procedures are available online at www.ScottCountyRegionalAuthority.com. The current cycle grant applications are made available March 1 and September 1, being due April 1 and October 1, respectively. Grants are read by 3 panels; government, education and non-profit. Panel members read and score each grant which is then averaged with the scores from other panel members. The entire panel then meets to discuss, review and determine awards.

Welcome New Members

Kirk Anderson

Kirk Anderson recently returned to the Quad Cities to join his alma mater at Augustana College as the VP of Administration and CFO. Prior to working at Augustana, Kirk served in many financial roles including public accounting, internal audit, and corporate finance. In his most recent role, Kirk served at Kraft Foods for fifteen years which included the controller role at the Davenport Oscar Mayer plant from 2009 through 2011.

Kirk received his MBA in finance from DePaul University and is a CPA. With his recent relocation to the Quad Cities, Kirk is excited to serve on the SCRA Board, get involved with additional community events and spend his free time attending his daughter’s extracurricular activities.

Kirk lives in Bettendorf with his wife, Cathy and three daughters.



Jonna Schuler

Jonna Schuler grew up in Storm Lake, Iowa. She attended Iowa State University where she received her Bachelors of Science degree in the fall of 1987 moving to Bettendorf in 1988. She worked for two years as an Account Executive for Boyle Midway. Jonna currently works as a Senior Account Executive for iHeart Media in the Quad Cities. She has been in radio sales for over 28 years so I guess you could call her loyal. Over the years she has helped hundreds of advertisers achieve their goals increasing sales, improving brand identification and overall company profitability.

Jonna believes in giving her time back to the community. She served on the Bettendorf Rotary Board from 2012 to 2018 and is the Past-President. In 2013 Jonna was asked to serve on the board for the Handicapped Development Center. She has served as Treasurer and is the current Vice Chair.

Jonna also enjoys being active. She loves hot yoga, walking, swimming, traveling and wine. Jonna has two daughters that attend Iowa State University and lives in Bettendorf with her husband of almost 30 years, Shane.



Retiring Board Members



Heather Brummel

2011-2017 Board Member
2017 Board Secretary
2014-2015 Board President
2012-2013 Board Vice President
2010 Community Member



Sheri Curran

2012-2017 Board Member
2013-2017 Non-Profit Chair

Retiring Community Members

Carolyn Judge
2012-2017

Terri Ping
2013-2017



2017 SCRA Allocation Panel



Camp Hand In Hand participant enjoying horseback riding thanks to SCRA

EDUCATION PANEL

BOARD MEMBERS

- Shirleen Martin – Chair
- Sara Pearson – Vice Chair
- Heather Brummel
- Stan Kabat

COMMUNITY MEMBERS

- Mary Mahoney
- Holly Nikels
- Kathy Quinn
- Chris Thompson

- Barry Anderson – President
- John Nagle – Vice President
- Anne Kuehl – Treasurer
- Heather Brummel - Secretary
- Ann Kappeler
- Sheri Curran
- Stan Kabat
- Shirleen Martin
- Kevin O’Hara
- Sara Pearson
- Tim Perkins
- Scott VanDeWoestyne

Imagination Station was a community event FREE to the public thanks to generous donors like SCRA and other donors. This event would also not be possible without 200 volunteers who donated their time and talents.



GOVERNMENT PANEL

BOARD MEMBERS

- Kevin O’Hara – Chair
- Tim Perkins – Vice Chair
- Barry Anderson
- Scott VanDeWoestyne

COMMUNITY MEMBERS

- Craig Cooper
- Mary Cribbs-Teague
- Carolyn Judge
- Terri Ping

Midwest Writing Center
A group of students enjoying the Children’s Literature Festival.
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NON-PROFIT PANEL

BOARD MEMBERS

- Sheri Curran – Chair
- Ann Kappeler – Vice Chair
- Anne Kuehl
- John Nagle

COMMUNITY MEMBERS

- Ray Cassady
- Darrell Hess
- Mary Kellenberger
- Ryan Saddler

Bubbles photo from 2018 weekend Up With Families



Totals for 26 years (by city)

Grants for 2017 (by city)

Bettendorf.....	\$824,298
Blue Grass.....	\$13,782
Buffalo.....	\$25,000
Davenport.....	\$1,657,455
Durant.....	\$2,000
East Moline.....	\$13,698
Eldridge.....	\$114,216
LeClaire.....	\$70,000
Maysville.....	\$12,150
Moline.....	\$103,350
Princeton.....	\$115,000
Rock Island.....	\$173,391
Sherrard.....	\$20,000
Walcott.....	\$32,800
Total.....	\$3,177,140

Bennett.....	\$276,424
Bettendorf.....	\$21,432,736
Blue Grass.....	\$477,827
Buffalo.....	\$466,969
Coal Valley.....	\$288,111
Davenport.....	\$42,786,570
Dixon.....	\$1,074,399
Donahue.....	\$320,191
Durant.....	\$634,268
East Moline.....	\$191,537
Eldridge.....	\$3,924,686
LeClaire.....	\$906,306
Long Grove.....	\$367,690
Maysville.....	\$323,350
McCausland.....	\$333,798
Milan.....	\$2,500
Moline.....	\$2,924,297
New Liberty.....	\$377,068
Princeton.....	\$490,611
Riverdale.....	\$96,968
Rock Island.....	\$3,041,329
Sherrard.....	\$87,931
Stockton.....	\$5,615
Walcott.....	\$507,198
Walnut Grove.....	\$3,000

Total.....\$81,341,379

2017 Scott County Regional Authority Grants

American Red Cross of the Quad Cities Area.....	\$30,000
Assumption High School.....	\$19,716
Bethany for Children & Families.....	\$10,000
Bettendorf Community School District.....	\$60,087
Bettendorf Parks & Recreation.....	\$30,000
Bettendorf Public Library Foundation.....	\$6,500
Bettendorf, City of.....	\$348,332
Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Mississippi Valley....	\$33,675
Black Hawk College Foundation.....	\$2,000
Blue Grass, City of.....	\$13,782
Boys & Girls Clubs of the Mississippi Valley.....	\$28,000
Buffalo Bill Museum.....	\$10,000
Buffalo, City of.....	\$25,000
Café on Vine.....	\$4,066
Camp Shalom, Inc.....	\$17,000
Center for Active Seniors (CASI).....	\$15,000
Child Abuse Council.....	\$16,393
Child Protection Response Center.....	\$20,437
Churches United of the Quad City Area.....	\$6,250
Community Action of Eastern Iowa.....	\$14,769
Cornbelt Running Club	\$25,000
Davenport Community School District.....	\$367,514
Davenport Parks & Recreation.....	\$45,000
Davenport School Museum.....	\$5,040
Durant, City of.....	\$2,000
Eastern Iowa Community College District.....	\$50,000
Ecumenical Housing Development Group.....	\$55,000
Family Museum Foundation.....	\$60,000
Family Resources, Inc.....	\$72,157
Figge Art Museum.....	\$50,000
Friendly House.....	\$32,536
Friends of Bettendorf Parks Foundation.....	\$4,000
Gabe's All-Inclusive Play Village.....	\$37,500
GiGi's Playhouse Quad Cities.....	\$1,957
Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa and Western Illinois...\$	10,000
Habitat for Humanity Quad Cities.....	\$20,000
Hand In Hand.....	\$19,500
Handicapped Development Center.....	\$41,231
Hilltop Campus Village.....	\$20,000
Humane Society of Scott County.....	\$10,584
Humility of Mary Housing, Inc.....	\$30,000
Humility of Mary Shelter, Inc.....	\$20,000
John F. Kennedy Catholic School.....	\$19,697

LeClaire, City of.....	\$50,000
Lourdes Catholic School.....	\$36,236
Maysville, Town of.....	\$12,150
MidCoast Fine Arts.....	\$15,000
Midwest Writing Center.....	\$8,250
Mississippi Bend AEA Special Events Committee..\$	13,464
Mississippi Bend Area Education Agency.....	\$21,500
Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center.....	\$15,000
New Kingdom Trailriders.....	\$20,000
North Scott Community School District	\$97,216
One Eighty.....	\$110,140
Our Lady of the River Church.....	\$10,000
Pleasant Valley Community School District.....	\$138,429
Princeton Fire & Rescue.....	\$75,000
Princeton, City of.....	\$40,000
Putnam Museum and Science Center.....	\$60,000
QC Closet2Closet.....	\$3,860
Quad Cities CommUniversity, Inc.....	\$2,000
Quad Cities Food Hub.....	\$4,100
Quad Cities Golf Classic Charitable Foundation....\$	9,948
Quad Cities Running Club.....	\$3,750
Quad City Arts.....	\$50,000
Quad City Botanical Center.....	\$50,000
Quad City Symphony Orchestra Association.....	\$20,000
River Action, Inc.....	\$32,870
River Bend Foodbank.....	\$104,656
River Music Experience.....	\$14,544
Rotary Club of North Scott.....	\$17,000
Safer Foundation.....	\$8,984
Scott County Housing Council.....	\$110,690
St. Ambrose University.....	\$100,000
St. Paul the Apostle School.....	\$50,000
Supplemental Emergency Assistance Program.....\$	15,000
The Children's Therapy Center of the Quad Cities\$	15,000
The Salvation Army of the Quad Cities.....	\$7,500
Unity House of Davenport.....	\$24,149
Up With Families.....	\$6,900
Walcott Hearts & Hands Foundation.....	\$9,000
Walcott Parks & Recreation Board.....	\$23,800
Western Illinois University Foundation.....	\$15,000
WVIK Augustana Public Radio.....	\$20,000
YWCA of the Quad Cities.....	\$26,281

2017 Grand Total.....\$3,177,140