

The Southfield Community Foundation was created by community leaders to enable people to effectively support the changing needs of Southfield and Lathrup Village. **The Foundation promotes community philanthropy, builds endowments, and provides resources and leadership to improve our community.**

**The Foundation is at once**

- A community trust
- A perpetual endowment
- A vehicle for personal philanthropy
- A reservoir of hopes and dreams
- A response to unmet needs
- A venue for training youth
- A means of strengthening community
- A means of enhancing lives

**We seek to support and sustain a vibrant, integrated community that will attract residents and businesses.**



*The Foundation serves as a catalyst for change, an innovator to resolve problems, a partner with other local groups and a resource to provide solutions for current and emerging community needs.*

The Foundation holds a growing collection of endowed funds, contributed by many individuals, corporations, private foundations and government agencies to benefit Southfield and Lathrup Village. Income from these funds is distributed for community enhancement projects, scholarships, and other charitable purposes.

By creating a fund, or giving to our existing endowment funds, you will help to plant a seed for future generations, build a source of strength for our community and create an opportunity for continued growth and prosperity.

**PERMANENT FUNDS**

**For Greatest Need**

Millennium Fund

**Field of Interest Funds**

Arts & Culture Fund  
 Diversity Fund  
 Emergency Assistance Fund  
 Healthy Youth Healthy Senior Fund  
 Senior Philanthropy Fund  
 Women’s Fund  
 Youth Philanthropy Fund

**Donor Advised Funds**

Charlene Coursen Family Fund  
 The Mayors Fund  
 Tonya Allen Endowment Fund

**Organizational Endowment Funds**

Southfield Public Schools Fund  
 Mary Thompson Fund  
 Volunteer Impact Fund

**Scholarship Funds**

Gene Taylor Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Louise Ward Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Phillip Vails Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 SCF Memorial Scholarship Fund  
 Southfield Guarantee Scholarship Fund

**Memorial Funds**

Pamela S. Howitt Memorial Fund  
 Lindsey Linnell Sanders Memorial Fund  
 Tony Spina Enrichment Fund

**MICHIGAN TAX CREDIT**

To encourage gifts to community foundation permanent funds, the State of Michigan offers a tax credit of up to 50%. This, in addition to the Federal Tax deduction, can reduce the cost of a gift substantially. The out of pocket cost for a \$400.00 gift from a couple in the 30% bracket can be as low as \$80. Corporations enjoy the same tax advantages for gifts of up to \$10,000. For further information, visit <http://www.forgoodforever.org/Calculator.htm>.

*For information on donating to the Foundation, please visit our website at [www.scfmi.org](http://www.scfmi.org).*

**Southfield Community Foundation  
 Financial Statement**

July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2010

**ASSETS**

|                            |             |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| Total Assets June 30, 2009 | \$1,402,000 |
| Total Assets June 30, 2010 | \$1,456,000 |

**REVENUES, GAINS, AND SUPPORT**

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|--------------------------|-----------|
| Contributions            | \$155,000 |
| Investment Income (loss) | \$167,000 |
| Programs and Events      | \$48,000  |

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| Total Revenue, Gains, and Support | \$370,000 |
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**EXPENDITURES**

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| Grants              | \$158,000 |
| Programs and Events | \$31,000  |
| Support Services    | \$106,000 |
| Fund Raising        | \$22,000  |

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| Total Expenditures | \$317,000 |
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| <b>CHANGE IN ENDOWMENT ASSETS</b> | <b>\$168,000</b> |
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The Foundation’s audited financial statements and IRS Form 990s are available at the Foundations website: [www.scfmi.org](http://www.scfmi.org).

**Connecting People Who Care  
 With Causes That Matter**

Volunteers play an essential role in the Foundation’s work, serving as members of standing, program and ad hoc committees. The Foundation is about enabling passionate people to make a difference in ways that matter to them and to our community.

*If you want to make a difference in our community, please call the Foundation office at 248-327-6125.*

## 2010 BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Southfield Community Foundation is directed by a diverse group of Trustees representing our community, corporate and civic leaders.

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### 2009-2010 Youth Advisory Committee

William Winbush, Chair  
Chardae Caine  
Tyler Clifford  
Djemila Fields

Joshua Fort  
Zoe Haynes  
Stephanie Onwuegbuna  
Logan Patman

*For information about joining the YAC, contact the Foundation office at 248-327-6125*

**Raquel R. Robinson, Executive Director**

## THE 'FIELD ZONE

The past several years the Foundation and its Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) have taken on the challenge of creating a Youth Center for the residents of Southfield and Lathrup Village. **The Center has been designed to meet four community needs:**

1. Providing parents of middle school students with a safe, supervised, afterschool environment.
2. Creating a "place of their own" high school students
3. Creating a central location at which afterschool programming and students can find each other.
4. Making Southfield and Lathrup Village even better places to live, work, and raise a child.

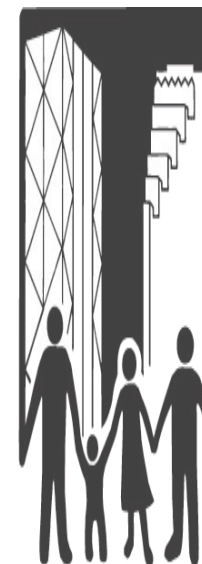
As of December 31, 2009, over \$2,600,000 has been raised for the Center. The Campaign has brought together many collaborative partners, including major in-kind contributions from the City of Southfield and the Southfield Public Schools.

The Center opened in May of 2009 and is in full operation. Significantly, youth have been involved in every stage of the project and have representation on every committee.

We are grateful to the many donors who have come together to make this facility possible. Their generosity and support have made it possible to create an afterschool environment where our youth are able participate in a wealth of safe and supervised programs designed to help them explore themselves and find their passions in life.

For additional information on the 'Field Zone, please contact Lauren King at 248-395-9663 or via email at [lking@fieldzone.org](mailto:lking@fieldzone.org).

## 2010 Annual Report



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