



May 2018 Round Up

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Radio Show: *Perspectives from local veterans*

You can now also listen to our shows as podcasts through iTunes or other podcast apps. Search "Community Foundation Boulder County" to download and listen.

Grantee Spotlights:

- *Pledge 1% Colorado: Nonprofit pitch competition recognizes innovative nonprofits*
- *Cultivate, formerly CareConnect, advance mobility for veterans*

Donor Spotlights:

- *Cindy Hagg ensuring every dollar goes as far as it can go*
- *Blue Skies Memorial Fund transforming tragedy into "flying high" for community*
- *Kim and Ethan Decker addressing inequalities on a local level*
- *Lynn Streeter: "The foundation takes the work out of it for me."*
- *Robyn Landry believes in paying it forward*

Community Thought Leaders:

- *Cynthia Divino: Committed to early childhood mental health*

Opportunities:

- *Office space for lease*
- *Open Door Fund request for proposals due June 11.*
- *Be a 2018-19 Leadership Fellow. Application deadline June 29.*

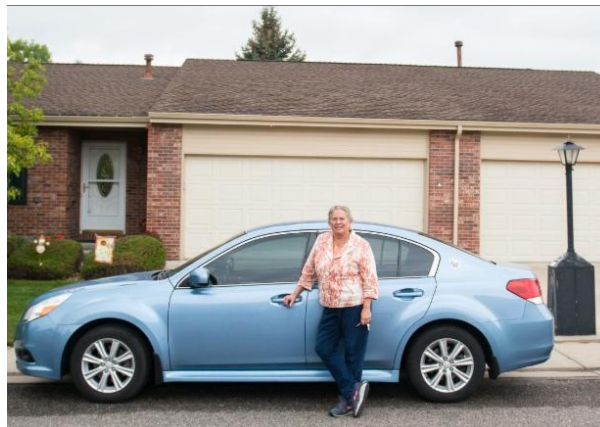
Meet Our Staff and Board:

- *League of Women Voters honors trustee Stan Garnett and VP of Programs and Inclusive Leadership Elvira Ramos*

If you haven't already, we invite you to explore the Community Foundation on *Instagram!*

**Donating to your Community Foundation
makes a local impact you can see.
Get inspired. Donate here.**

Know Your County



Did you know? From January 1, 2017 through May 31, 2018, Cultivate - formerly known as CareConnect - provided 5,183 rides to seniors through its Medical Mobility program. Of those, 975 were veterans.

Learn more about the needs and opportunities of our growing senior and veterans populations in our *TRENDS Report*, and on *our blog*.

News & Perspectives From The Field

Foundations and nonprofits split over how to respond to tax changes (May 22, The Chronicle of Philanthropy)

Almost half of US families can't afford basics like rent and food (May 18, CNN Money)

New bill opens up charitable deductions to non-itemizers (May 15, CPA Practice Advisor)

The nonprofit sector is the third largest employer in America (May 14, Fast Company)

First look at the tax cuts and jobs act: Impact on donor advised funds (May 2018, The CPA Journal)

Denver law students research the "criminalization of homelessness" (May 7, University of Denver)

Fast forward: How the Trump Effect is accelerating key trends in philanthropy (May 7, Inside Philanthropy)

Nonprofits are America's third-largest employer, report says (May 7, Chronicle of Philanthropy)

Off the beaten path: With another mega-gift, the regional philanthropy boom rolls on (May 6, Inside Philanthropy)

Over 90% of nonprofit workers say they're engaged at work (May 4, HR Drive)

John Tayer: Someone (really) cares about small businesses and nonprofits (May 2, BizWest)

Work with donor-advised funds: The basics (May 1, Chronicle of Philanthropy)

How nonprofits can address their own biases to build better diversity (April 30, Fast Company)

Statement Of Affirmation

Community Foundation Boulder County is committed to being a community catalyst for good, alongside donors and partners like you. We believe our community is stronger when all people - women and men, children, older adults, immigrants, people of color, LGBTQ individuals, those with varying abilities and from all faiths - are respected, welcomed, and invited to share their assets and contributions in community building.

We stand with others, in Boulder County and beyond, who courageously strive to build more inclusive communities rather than walls of division. We remain wholeheartedly committed to social justice for our most marginalized and vulnerable people and for the care of threatened environments. We believe in the power of art and music to improve our lives and community. Now, more than ever, we seek opportunities for local action and invite you to join us in our **ongoing leadership work** that includes grantmaking, outreach, and advocacy. We accomplish more together than we do alone.



