# **Main Street Grants through the Minneapolis Foundation**

Funding Committed as of Jan. 5, 2024

## 38th Street and Chicago Avenue

- Chicago Avenue Fire Arts Center: \$150,000 to support the renovation of its existing facility and new construction of a 500-square-foot adjacent structure near 38<sup>th</sup> St. and Chicago Ave.
- Cultural Wellness Center: \$750,000 to support the construction of a 12,000-square-foot facility for cultural healing, career development, and business incubation near 38th and Chicago.
- **Jakeeno's Inc.:** \$60,750 to support exterior and interior renovations to Jakeeno's existing building near 38th and Chicago.
- Pillsbury United Communities: \$750,000 to support a creative economic hub in South Minneapolis through renovation and expansion of the Pillsbury House + Theatre and two adjacent properties.
- Southside Community Health Services: \$750,000 to support construction of a 20,000-square-foot Federally Qualified Health Center near 38th and Chicago that will provide free and low-cost medical services to uninsured and under-insured individuals.
- The Aliveness Project: \$180,000 to support the expansion and redesign of the organization's existing building near 38th and Chicago.
- Wado LLC: \$18,701 to support renovation and landscaping of an existing building near 38th and Chicago.

## **Brooklyn Center**

- African Career Education and Resources Inc.: \$300,000 to support the renovation of two commercial units to create an Innovation and Catalyst Center and food hall.
- CAPI USA: \$750,000 to support the construction of a three-story,16,050-square-foot expansion to the Immigrant Opportunity Center, which will provide new wealth-building services.

# **Brooklyn Park**

• Christina's Child Care Center Too, LLC: \$750,000 to support the construction of a 13,360-square-foot, two-story daycare learning center in Brooklyn Park.



## **Cedar Riverside Neighborhood**

- **Afghan Cultural Society of MN:** \$33,371 to support renovation, window replacement, and HVAC upgrades for office and meeting space.
- Al Karama Mall, Inc: \$52,800 to support the renovation of the 8,000-square-foot Al Karama mall on Cedar Avenue.
- Cedar Cultural Center: \$20,850 to support exterior renovations and accessibility upgrades.
- Faneta Development, LLC: \$49,671 to support the construction of a new, mixed-use development with 64 units of affordable housing and 7,000 square feet of commercial space.
- **Mixed Blood Theater Company:** \$200,000 to support facility upgrades to a 12,000-square-foot historic firehouse theater.
- **Sagal Restaurant, Inc:** \$106,282 to support the build-out of a 5,700-square-foot community engagement center.

#### **East Franklin Avenue**

- Little Earth of the United Tribes Housing Corporation: \$750,000 to support the renovation of a 212-unit apartment and townhouse project.
- **Minneapolis American Indian Center:** \$750,000 to support the preservation and renovation of an existing 43,500-square-foot MAIC building and construction of a 21,500-square-foot addition.
- Native American Community Clinic: \$750,000 to support the construction of a 25,000-square-foot clinic and an 83-unit affordable housing complex.
- Red Eye Collaboration: \$24,600 to support the build-out of performance space, including accessibility upgrades.

#### **Lake Street**

- Afro Deli & Coffee: \$380,431 to support the design and build-out of a food space featuring African, Mediterranean, and American cuisine in a new development at 3030 Nicollet Ave.
- Ariza Retail Services LLC: \$153,299 to support the expansion of additional auto service bays at this Lake Street business.
- **Big Ten Properties, LLC:** \$344,114 for the renovation of 5,200 square feet of commercial space to support entrepreneurs of color along Lake Street.
- Blue Horn Properties, LLC: \$750,000 to support the renovation of 35,000 square feet for a multi-tenant commercial building along Lake Street.
- Comunidades Organizando el Poder y la Accion Latina (COPAL): \$111,150 to support the expansion and renovation of Lake Street office space leased by a nonprofit that improves life for Latin American families.



- Cooperativa Mercado Central, Inc.: \$74,000 to support predevelopment and remodeling of 24,000 square feet of commercial space on Lake Street.
- **D&T Tax and Accounting:** \$113,522 to support the design and build-out of retail space housing a community-based income tax service at 3030 Nicollet Ave.
- Eat Street Crossing, LLC: \$750,000 to support the renovation of 16,000 square feet of a multicultural food emporium near Lake Street.
- **Hi-Gate Urgent Care, LLC:** \$98,613 to support the build-out of a 1,608-square-foot clinic along Lake Street.
- **IBY's, LLC:** \$750,000 to complete the build-out of commercial and event space on the first and third floors of the Abyssinia Cultural Center on Lake Street.
- **Isuroon:** \$407,943 to support the redesign and renovation of office space housing a nonprofit that serves Somali women and girls.
- **John and Denise Graves Foundation:** \$750,000 to support construction of Calle Lake Cultural Center's 9,500 square feet of new affordable and market-rate commercial space along the Lake Street corridor.
- MaKee Company, LLC: \$160,538 to support the design and build-out of commercial space inside a new development at 3030 Nicollet Ave.
- Midtown Global Market, LLC: \$374,367 to support the renovation of the Midtown Global Market on Lake Street and construction of a beauty node within the market.
- MIGIZI Communications, Inc.: \$147,682 to support the final stages of a \$5.5 million renovation campaign to relocate MIGIZI's facility on Lake Street.
- MSR 27<sup>th</sup> Ave, LLC: \$186,000 to support 18,300 square feet of new construction in a
  development along Lake Street with 26 affordable housing units and mixed-use space
  addressing needs related to food security, education, and entrepreneurship.
- NEOO Partners, LLC: \$750,000 to support new construction of 6,890 square feet of first-floor commercial space for Atlas Staffing and additional levels with 30 units of affordable housing along Lake Street.
- North American Traditional Indigenous Food Systems: \$172,050 to support the renovation of commercial space that will offer an Indigenous kitchen and marketing space for entrepreneurs on Lake Street.
- Novedades Krystal, LLC: \$71, 264 to support the design and build-out of retail space within the 3030 Nicollet Project for a business selling special-event clothing.
- Pangea World Theater: \$303,000 to support construction of a 7,500-square-foot theater, business incubator, coffee shop, and greenhouse along Lake Street.
- Project for Pride in Living: \$750,000 to support construction of a mixed-use development with 110 units of affordable housing and commercial condo spaces at 3030 Nicollet Ave.
- **Seward Redesign, Inc.:** \$750,000 to support the renovation of the Coliseum Building's 85,000 square feet into affordable and market-rate commercial space for 25-30



- entrepreneurs of color on Lake Street.
- **St. Anthony Cleaners, LLC:** \$55,110 to support repairs and renovation of commercial space on Lake Street.
- Sumaya Deli & Grill: \$25,000 to support the renovation of commercial space on Lake Street.

#### **Penn Avenue North**

• Rose Development LLC: \$195,000 to support the build-out of a 5,000-square-foot commercial space near Penn and West Broadway avenues.

### **West Broadway Avenue**

- 1200 KMA Development LLC: \$750,000 to support the redevelopment of ZaRah's 28,000 square feet of commercial space (formerly known as the 1220 West Broadway Building), which will include a range of affordable options for African American-led orowned businesses and organizations.
- **JADT Food Group, Inc.:** \$750,000 to support the construction of Satori Lofts, a new mixed-use development of affordable and market-rate housing, office, and commercial space along West Broadway Ave.
- **Juxtaposition Arts:** \$750,000 to support renovation and new construction of a 40,000-square-foot art center, offices, and outdoor space on West Broadway Ave.
- **New Rules GBC:** \$720,000 to support the renovation of 25 Bell Lofts apartments as a housing prototype and innovative hub for culture, wellness, and social change along West Broadway Ave.
- Riverfront Development Partners LLC: \$750,000 to support construction of 71 units of affordable housing and four commercial units owned by African American- and womenled businesses on West Broadway Ave.
- **Urban Homeworks:** \$54,545 to support tenant improvement construction costs for the organization's 2,079 square feet of new office space on West Broadway Ave.

## Webber-Camden Neighborhood

- **Mobilize Design & Architecture:** \$750,000 to support the development of Baldwin Square, a major mixed-use facility containing commercial and office space.
- **Provision, LLC:** \$459,498 to support the renovation and development of Northside Epicenter, a 15,000-square-foot at- and below-market rate commercial and coworking space.



# **Washington Avenue and Riverfront**

• **2518 N 2**<sup>nd</sup> **Street LLC:** \$267,268 to support the design and renovation of a 20,000-square-foot, multi-use community gathering, creation studio, and creative coworking space.

