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# Newsletter

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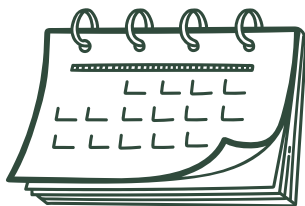
Greetings from the Eden Prairie Community Foundation! We're revamping our monthly newsletter to send you updates from the Foundation and inspiring stories from the Eden Prairie Community.

As a hub for our nonprofit community and a catalyst for philanthropy, we want you to be informed of some of the great work happening behind the scenes. You can expect about one email per month where we share what's new with EPCF and our nonprofit partners.

For over 40 years, we've been a place of connection, collaboration, and charitable work and we look forward to you joining us as we continue making Eden Prairie a great place to live and work!

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## *Looking Ahead:* **UPCOMING EVENTS**



Save the date for our 45th Annual **EP Gives Gala** coming up on **May 1, 2025!** This amazing event features food & drinks, a live & silent auction, our popular wine pull, and more. Most importantly, EP Gives is your chance to hear some amazing stories about the people EPCF has helped! Buy your tickets today on our **[event website](#)**.

## Community Spotlight: ONWARD EDEN PRAIRIE



Onward provides critical transitional housing and support for young adults aged 18–24 experiencing homelessness or housing instability. It's the only site-based program of its kind in Eden Prairie. They offer safe housing, expert case management, and a supportive community to help local young people achieve stability and independence.

A recent highlight is the inspiring story of Asha\*, a young woman who transitioned from homelessness to stability through Onward. After being forced to leave her family home at 18, Asha connected with Onward just days after her birthday. During her time at Onward, she thrived: graduating high school, securing a job, and building close friendships.

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## Meet the EPCF Staff

### GREG LEEPER & ROBIN MONDLOCH

**Greg Leeper** has been the Executive Director of EPCF since 2022. Greg's favorite part of the job is working with community members, volunteers, and supporters who donate their time, talent, and treasure to make Eden Prairie a better place for all.

**Robin Mondloch** is our new Operations & Communications Associate who joined the Foundation in November 2024. She enjoys helping the foundation with administration, marketing, events, and more.



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*Enriching our community through philanthropy, collaboration and leadership*