

2025

# Community Impact Report

*Together we'll  
shape the future*



## Mission Statement

To be Chicagoland's best community bank, as judged by the value to our customers and the communities we serve.

## Value Statement

We will always act in a fair and moral way as we expect our employees to. We will provide them with the proper tools to do their jobs and allow them to grow as individuals and employees.

Our customers deserve the highest level of customer service that we can afford to give.

Our shareholders deserve a fair rate of return for their investment.

We believe in making a fair profit while forging a profitable partnership with our customers.

We build financial partnerships by helping customers identify and achieve their financial goals.



# Together We're Making a Meaningful Impact

At Itasca Bank & Trust Co., our commitment to the communities we serve remains at the heart of everything we do. As a locally owned and independently operated community bank, we believe that strong communities and strong local economies go hand in hand.

In 2025, we continued to invest in the people, organizations, and initiatives that make our communities vibrant and resilient. From supporting local schools and nonprofit organizations to strengthening public safety and expanding access to essential resources, our contributions reflect a deep and ongoing commitment to making a positive difference.

This year, we are especially proud of the continued growth of our Women's Initiative, which brings together hundreds of women for connection, education, and empowerment. We also expanded the long-term impact of the Hunger Action Fund, helping create a sustainable source of support for families facing food insecurity across DuPage County.

Our partnerships in Itasca, Roselle, and surrounding communities remain a cornerstone of our efforts. Through collaboration with local villages, park districts, chambers, and community organizations, we are helping foster meaningful connections, support local traditions, and strengthen the fabric of the communities we call home.

At the same time, we recognize that true impact goes beyond financial contributions. It is reflected in the relationships we build, the leadership we provide, and the ways we show up for our communities.

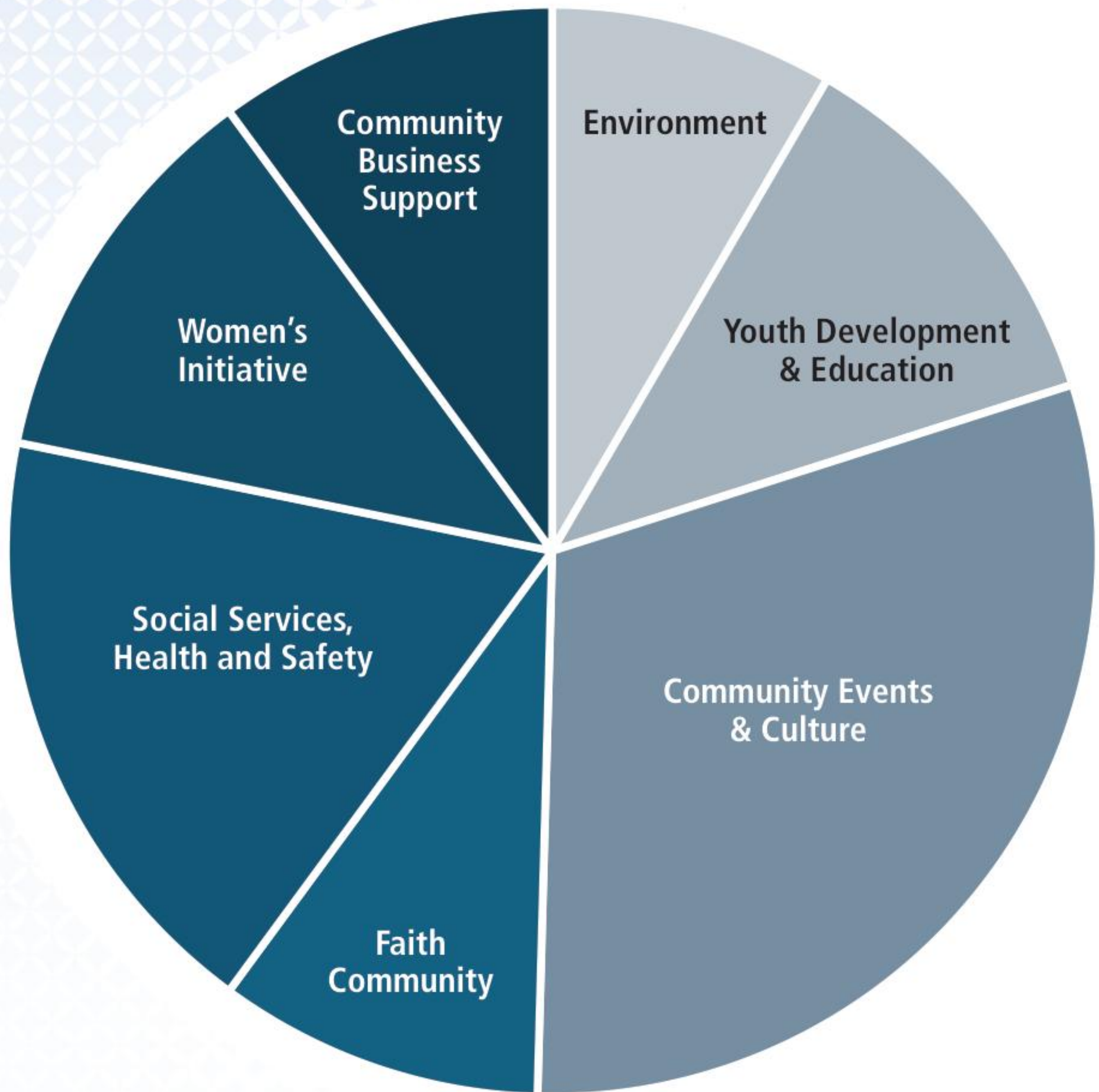
We are proud of the impact we've made together in 2025, and we remain committed to shaping a stronger future for the communities we serve.



# TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS OVERVIEW

## 2025 Impact at a Glance

- \$192,499 in total community contributions
- More than 130 organizations supported
- Over 10 communities served



### 2025 Community Support by Category

Environment	\$16,176	Social Services, Health, Safety	\$34,848
Youth Development & Education	\$22,473	Women's Initiative	\$22,586
Community Events & Culture	\$58,429	Community Business Support	\$19,412
Faith Community	\$18,575		

# BUSINESS BRILLIANCE AWARD



In 2025, Itasca Bank & Trust Co. was honored to receive the Business Brilliance Award from the Village of Itasca—an award that recognizes businesses that play an essential role in enhancing the quality of life in the community.

We are both humbled and grateful to be recognized by the Village we have proudly served for generations. At the same time, we are pleased that our ongoing commitment to community involvement and support continues to make a meaningful impact and is valued by those we serve. From sponsoring local events and supporting schools and nonprofits to fostering connections through community initiatives, this recognition reflects the collective effort of our team and our shared dedication to strengthening Itasca.

This award is not just a milestone—it is a reminder of our responsibility to continue investing in the people, programs, and partnerships that make our community a better place for all.



# FEATURED INITIATIVES



## A Lasting Commitment to Fighting Hunger

The Hunger Action Fund represents one of Itasca Bank & Trust Co.'s most meaningful long-term commitments to our community.

Initially funded by the bank in 2024 and strengthened through continued support in 2025, this initiative was created in partnership with the DuPage Foundation to provide a perpetual source of funding for hunger relief efforts across DuPage County.

Today, the fund is growing into a broader community effort. We are proud to invite individuals, businesses, and community partners to join us in supporting this enduring initiative—amplifying its impact for years to come.

By moving beyond one-time contributions and creating a sustainable funding model, the Hunger Action Fund ensures that support for families facing food insecurity will continue for generations.

**HELP MAKE A DIFFERENCE:**  
[dupagefoundation.org/donations/itasca-bank-hunger-action-fund.html](https://dupagefoundation.org/donations/itasca-bank-hunger-action-fund.html)



## Empowering Women. Strengthening Our Community.

The Women's Initiative at Itasca Bank & Trust Co. continues to grow as a powerful platform for connection, education, and empowerment.

In 2025, the program's membership was 2,783 women, they hosted 11 events that engaged, hosting 11 events that engaged 529 attendees across a variety of experiences—from professional development and financial education to networking and community-building opportunities.

These events support women at every stage of life—whether they are building careers, running businesses, supporting families, or planning for the future.

The impact extends far beyond each event. Women's Initiative programs foster confidence, encourage collaboration, and provide valuable tools to help women strengthen their financial future and other parts of their lives.



# OUR IMPACT IN 2025

## Community Events & Culture

### Supporting the Communities We Call Home

In Itasca and Roselle—home to our Bank branches—our community involvement extends far beyond individual events. These are the communities where our customers live, where our employees work, and where we are deeply invested in long-term success.

Throughout 2025, we partnered with the villages, park districts, and chambers of commerce to support a wide range of community initiatives—from seasonal festivals and public events to civic engagement programs like Shape of Itasca.

These efforts bring residents together, support local businesses, and strengthen the connections that define a thriving community.

In Wood Dale, Elk Grove Village, Addison, Medinah, and Bloomingdale, we continue to expand that impact. Even without a physical branch, our support reflects our commitment to the broader communities we serve.

#### Itasca

Our partnership with the Village of Itasca and the Itasca Park District supports a variety of community traditions—from civic engagement events to festivals, like Itasca Fest. These initiatives create opportunities for residents to connect and actively participate in shaping their community's future.

#### Roselle



In Roselle, our support of the Village and Park District helps bring the community together through events like Taste of Roselle, the Rose Festival and other seasonal programming—creating shared experiences that strengthen relationships across generations.

#### Wood Dale

In Wood Dale, our involvement in the Prairie Fest reflects our commitment to supporting neighboring communities—celebrating local identity while fostering connection among residents and businesses.



## COMMUNITY EVENTS & CULTURE

Village of Itasca		Contributions supporting Oktoberfest and other events in Itasca. Hosted and managed Shape of Itasca, an evening filled with Village leaders reporting on last year's goals and future community initiatives.
The Taste of Roselle		We sponsor the Main Stage for the concert, as well as a bingo tent for our chance-takers!
Itasca Park District		Long-term partnership supporting Winter Wonderland, Memorial Day Parade, Goats at Work, and more.
Roselle Park District		Major sponsor of Founders Day and Summer Concerts in the Park. We also sponsor many other events through the year.
Lions Club		We support the Itasca Lions Club and the Roselle Lions Club with their major community events. These include Itasca Fest, Rose Fest and the Taste of Roselle.
Itasca Community Library		By sponsoring the library's joint reading program with other community libraries, we are promoting literacy for all ages. We also sponsor their Christmas Tree decorating contest, adding cheer during the holidays.
City of Wood Dale		Major sponsor of the Prairie Fest event. Hosted and managed Shape of Wood Dale, an evening filled with Village leaders sharing updates on the community.
Village of Addison		Hosted and managed the Shape of Addison, offering the opportunity for residents to learn about their community from Addison leaders.



# Investing in Community Growth

At Itasca Bank & Trust Co., our commitment to the community goes beyond sponsorships and donations. Through municipal investment participation and local financing partnerships, we help support projects that strengthen our communities and improve quality of life for residents.

In 2025, we proudly supported major initiatives led by the Itasca and Roselle Park Districts—investments that will benefit local families and residents for generations to come.

## Itasca Park District

### Investing in Recreation & Community Connections

Itasca Bank & Trust Co. proudly supported projects that enhance recreation, accessibility, and community gathering spaces throughout Itasca, including:

- Usher Park Redevelopment
- Recreation & Fitness Center Expansion
- Improved walking paths and recreational amenities
- Community spaces designed for year-round programming and events

These projects help create welcoming spaces where residents can connect, stay active, and enjoy the community.

## Roselle Park District

### Investing in Environmental Sustainability & Community Quality of Life

Through continued partnership and municipal investment participation, Itasca Bank & Trust Co. supported projects that enhance parks, strengthen environmental sustainability, and improve recreational opportunities throughout Roselle, including:

- Kemmerling Park and Pool improvements, including their new splashpad
- Clauss Recreation Center facility enhancements
- Other parks and parks facilities, including tree reforestation, wetland restoration, and pathway improvements

These investments help preserve natural spaces, encourage outdoor activity, and create welcoming environments for residents and families throughout the community.

**Investing in projects that strengthen our communities for generations to come.**



# Social Services & Health

## Impact Spotlight: Roselle Community Food Pantry

### Providing Stability in Times of Need

The Roselle Community Food Pantry plays a critical role in supporting families across Roselle, Medinah, and Bloomingdale—serving more than **300 households each month**.

In 2025, when the pantry experienced an unexpected equipment failure, Itasca Bank & Trust Co. stepped in to fund the replacement of a commercial freezer—ensuring food could be safely stored and distributed without interruption.

Our commitment continues through ongoing support of the pantry's annual gala and leadership involvement, with a member of our team serving on its Board of Directors.

Together, these efforts help sustain an organization that provides reliable access to food and essential resources for thousands of individuals each year—offering not just meals, but stability and support.



## SOCIAL SERVICES & HEALTH

<b>Itasca Cares</b>	Itasca Food Pantry and the Itasca Walk-In Ministry are both part of the organization Itasca Cares.
<b>Boys &amp; Girls Club of Joliet</b>	Gala and community event sponsorship.
<b>Roselle Community Food Pantry</b>	Donations supporting community food insecurity.
<b>DuPage Foundation</b>	Donations addressing hunger relief and community enrichment.
<b>Home DuPage &amp; CHAD</b>	Contributions supporting housing initiatives and community development.
<b>Itasca Park District</b>	Support the park district's senior luncheon with special holiday treats.
<b>Wood Dale Park District</b>	Host the senior luncheon with a catered meal and a presentation by an expert Itasca Bank & Trust Co. staff person. This year's presentation was on fraud prevention and how to stay safe while online
<b>Childhood Leukemia &amp; Special Olympics</b>	Supported healthcare initiatives and inclusive community events.
<b>Northeast DuPage Family &amp; Youth Services</b>	This organization provides essential mental health counseling, crisis intervention, and community education programs aimed at strengthening families and supporting youth. Their dedicated services foster emotional resilience, healthier relationships, and overall community wellness. In addition to our financial support, a senior staff member volunteers his expertise by serving on the Board of Directors.
<b>Habitat for Humanity</b>	Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit that builds and renovates affordable housing for families in need, and we support their mission through financial contributions that help make homeownership more accessible in our community.



# Youth Development and Education

## Supporting Those Who Are Shaping Our Future

Investing in youth is an investment in the long-term strength of our community. Throughout 2025, Itasca Bank & Trust Co. proudly supported organizations and programs that provide young people with opportunities to learn, grow, and succeed. From educational initiatives and school-based programs to leadership development through groups like the Girl Scouts, these contributions help equip the next generation with essential skills and confidence.

By partnering with local schools and youth-focused organizations, the Bank reinforces its commitment to fostering academic achievement, personal development, and community involvement. These efforts not only benefit students today but also help build a more vibrant, capable, and resilient community for the future—living out our promise that *together, we'll shape the future*.



## YOUTH DEVELOPMENT & EDUCATION

<p><b>Junior Achievement</b>  <b>Junior Achievement</b></p>	<p>Contributions to educational initiatives and sponsorship events. Our staff volunteered in multiple schools throughout the year, talking to students about financial literacy, career readiness, and entrepreneurship. We also spoke at numerous career fairs, sharing the benefits of a career in banking and investment services.</p>
<p><b>Trinity Lutheran School</b></p>	<p>Top-tier sponsor for their annual gala, while supporting other multiple school events throughout the year.</p>
<p><b>Lake Park High School</b></p>	<p>We supported athletic teams, bands, and more.</p>
<p><b>Roselle Scholarship Program</b></p>	<p>We invest in students' education by providing funding for multiple scholarships.</p>
<p><b>Scouting America</b> </p>	<p>Contributions included council pledges, support of leadership events, and community breakfasts.</p>
<p><b>Girl Scouts</b> </p>	<p>Supported fundraising benefiting Roselle Food Pantry.</p>
<p><b>Roselle School District 12 PTO &amp; IPTO</b></p>	<p>Contributions supporting educational and extracurricular activities.</p>
<p><b>Medinah School District 11 PTO</b></p>	<p>Gift card donations promoting educational activities.</p>
<p><b>YMCA (Downers Grove)</b></p>	<p>Support for youth programs via event sponsorship.</p>
<p><b>Clare Woods Academy</b></p>	<p>This nonprofit alternative day school offers a unique, therapeutic, educational environment tailored to diverse needs.</p>
<p><b>Roselle Racers</b></p>	<p>Roselle Racers provides inclusive athletic opportunities that build confidence, connection, and community for individuals of all abilities.</p>
<p><b>Roselle Arts &amp; Culture Foundation</b></p>	<p>The Roselle Arts &amp; Culture Foundation enriches the community by supporting local arts initiatives and awarding scholarships to aspiring students pursuing creative fields. Through programs like its scholarship competition—where an Itasca Bank &amp; Trust staff member proudly served as a judge—the foundation helps foster the next generation of artists and cultural leaders.</p>



# Community Safety & First Responder Support

## Supporting Those Who Protect Our Community

At Itasca Bank & Trust Co., we are proud to support the first responders who keep our communities safe.

In 2025, we supported community events like Ice Cream with the Cops and Firefighters and National Night Out in Itasca and Wood Dale—helping distribute over 2,200 treats and novelties and creating opportunities for families to connect with local first responders.

Our impact extends beyond community events. Our loan department played a key role in helping fund the new Itasca Fire Department building north of the railroad tracks, along with renovations to the existing station south of the tracks.

These improvements help ensure firefighters can respond more quickly—without delays from passing trains—when every second matters.

Our commitment is further strengthened through leadership involvement. Our CEO serves as Secretary on the Roselle Police Foundation board. This foundation works alongside law enforcement officers and local business leaders to strengthen the connection between the police department and the community through charitable initiatives and outreach programs. One of the foundation's most meaningful efforts is *Shop with a Cop*, which helps local children and families experience support, generosity, and positive relationships with first responders during the holiday season.



# Environment

## Preserving Our Community's Natural Resources

By supporting environmental conservation and sustainability initiatives, we help preserve local ecosystems, promote outdoor engagement, and ensure these resources remain available for future generations.



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## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT & ENVIRONMENT

### The Conservation Foundation



The Conservation Foundation works to preserve open spaces, protect natural resources, and promote environmental stewardship across our region. We proudly support their mission through financial contributions and community partnership, helping ensure a healthier, more sustainable environment for future generations.

### Springbrook Nature Center

A beautiful natural setting for community recreation, conservation, and environmental education. With picturesque trails, diverse wildlife habitats, and peaceful surroundings, it provides an ideal space for families, nature enthusiasts, and the broader community to enjoy, explore, and learn about our local ecosystem.

### Wood Dale Historical Society & Roselle Historical Foundation

Preservation of local history and heritage.



## FAITH COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Places of worship serve as vital pillars within our communities—offering not only spiritual guidance, but also support, connection, and resources for individuals and families.

Our contributions help these organizations continue their outreach efforts, provide assistance to those in need, and create welcoming spaces where community members can gather, support one another, and grow together. We maintain especially strong partnerships with organizations like Trinity Lutheran School, where our ongoing support helps sustain meaningful programs and services that make a lasting local impact. We also fund website support for St. Walter Catholic Church and School, giving the community access to learn more about the organization.

## CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE AND COMMUNITY BUSINESS SUPPORT

We proudly support Chambers of Commerce across the communities we serve, recognizing their vital role in strengthening local economies, supporting small businesses, and fostering professional connections.

Through sponsorships, event participation, and leadership involvement, we help advance initiatives that promote economic growth and community development.



## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT THROUGH LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

At Itasca Bank & Trust Co., our commitment extends beyond financial contributions.

Our employees actively volunteer their time and expertise—serving on boards, supporting nonprofit organizations, and participating in community initiatives.

We believe that true leadership means showing up, giving back, and helping build stronger communities through meaningful involvement.

- GOA (Greater O’Hare Association)
- Itasca Chamber of Commerce
- Wood Dale Chamber of Commerce
- Wood Dale Community Assistance Council
- Itasca Lions Club
- Junior Achievement
- Roselle Chamber of Commerce
- Bloomingdale/ Roselle Rotary
- Roselle Police Foundation
- Community Associations Institute (CAI)
- Northeast DuPage Family and Youth Services Organization
- Northwest Community Hospital Foundation
- Northwest Suburban Estate Planning Council
- DuPage County Bar Association
- Dupage County Estate Planning Council
- Roselle Main Street Merchants Association
- St. John’s Lutheran Church
- The Conservation Foundation
- DuPage Foundation
- Roselle Food Pantry



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