

DAVIDSON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

FACT SHEET

- **Mission:** Enhance the lives of Davidson residents, now and for generations, by working with local leaders and donors to build and distribute a community fund to address Davidson's most pressing needs.
- **Values:** Grounded in Davidson residents' values of social justice, racial and socioeconomic diversity, inclusion, affordable housing, neighborhood preservation, and the unique and powerful bond we have as a community.
- **Philosophy:** Built on a philosophy of abundance, DCF is committed to growing philanthropy in Davidson to increase the capacity for our local non-profits and to focus funding to effectively address key community needs.
- **Culture:** Embrace a culture of and commitment to performance, transparency and accountability for both itself and for all organizations receiving DCF support.
- **Structure:** All-volunteer effort with no staff, office, overhead, or costs typical of a non-profit agency. DCF is powered by Foundation For The Carolinas (FFTC) as a Field of Interest Fund, and 99 cents of every donor dollar (small administrative fee for FFTC) goes directly to the community to meet the most pressing needs, as determined by the Board of Advisors. Donations to DCF are tax deductible.
- **Partnerships:** DCF leverages critical partnerships – with residents, non-profits, Town of Davidson, Davidson College, local businesses, and FFTC – to address our community's the most pressing needs, both immediate as well as those requiring longer-term, more transformative initiatives. DCF may serve as a convener, collaborator, and galvanizer to tackle community needs.
- **Governance:** Local Board of Advisors, including include leaders from the community, local non-profits, the Town of Davidson, and Davidson College. Board members selected based on racial, socioeconomic, geographic and work experience diversity, leadership and community trust. Board committees include executive, community needs/strategies, grants review, governance, and communications/marketing.

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Members of the founding board:

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- **Donate:** All donations to DCF are tax deductible as a Fund of FFTC, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

Tax-deductible donations to DCF can be made the following ways:

- a. **To donate online**, visit fftc.org/Davidson.
 - b. **To send a check**, please make the check payable to:
Foundation For The Carolinas
ATTN: Davidson Community Foundation, Fund #3749
220 North Tryon Street
Charlotte, NC 28202
 - c. **For an ACH transfer**, send to:
Truist Bank
Account Name: Foundation For The Carolinas
Special Instructions: Davidson Community Foundation, Fund #3749
Bank Routing # (ABA): 021052053
Account #: 48477231
 - d. **For a gift through a Donor Advised Fund (DAF)**,
Select Foundation for the Carolinas as the beneficiary, and designate Davidson Community Foundation, Fund #3749 in the notes section.
 - e. **To Donate a Gift of Stock:**
Please direct your broker to contact our Donor Relations team at 704.973.4529 or donorrelations@fftc.org prior to asset delivery to ensure proper and timely credit of your gift or to coordinate transfer of mutual fund shares. The stock/funds should be credited to Davidson Community Foundation, Fund #3749 with FFTC.
- **Contact:** Please contact info@davidsoncommunityfoundation.org for more information about DCF. Information is available at davidsoncommunityfoundation.org.