

ASSET DEVELOPMENT

Proactively raise funds to increase impact around community needs

#1: Set annual and long-term

fundraising goals and objectives based on community needs.

- #2: Expand donor outreach efforts with existing fundholders and new donors to grow funds for charitable purposes and needs in LaGrange County.
- #3: Review and update current development programs to ensure they are meeting their intended objectives.

COMMUNITY CATALYST

Define and establish the foundation's role as community leader

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#2: Create opportunities that connect and empower collaborative solutions and partnerships for community needs.

#3: Develop strategic communication and outreach initiatives to communicate the foundation's community catalyst and strategic goals.

LEADERSHIP

Foster, recruit and retain people, resources and knowledge to excel in our mission

#1: Assess the needs of the board of directors to develop the appropriate structure and education needed to achieve the foundation's strategic goals.

#2: Assess current staff structure to determine future staffing needs to achieve strategic goals, as well as retention and development of current staff.

#3: Continue to cultivate and recruit the best staff and board by developing an organizational leadership pipeline.

STRENGTHEN NONPROFITS

Align foundation grant and education opportunities with nonprofit needs

- #1: Develop strategies and opportunities to help local nonprofits strengthen their strategic leadership capabilities and organizational sustainability.
- #2: Conduct strategic review of the grantmaking process to maximize the impact funds are making in the community.

