




# TOWN OF GRANBY

## MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 15, 2025

**TO:** The Granby Board of Selectmen

**FROM:** Mike Walsh, Town Manager 

**REGARDING:** Friends of Holcomb Farm Annual Report Presentation - 2024

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Please set aside a few minutes at the May 19, 2025 Board of Selectmen Meeting in order to allow Jenny Emery and the Friends of Holcomb Farm to provide a brief presentation on the Annual Report for 2024 for Holcomb Farm.

A copy of the Annual Report is provided for your information.

I will be on hand to answer any questions you may have on this item. Thank you.



FRIENDS OF HOLCOMB FARM

## 2024 ANNUAL REPORT

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## President's Message

Dear Friends,

I learned long ago that successes should be celebrated. So, even as the next year is full upon us, I am grateful for this opportunity to pause and share with you a taste of what the Friends of Holcomb Farm accomplished in 2024.

Thanks to our volunteers, members, donors, partners, granting agencies, the Granby Land Trust, and of course the Town of Granby, we had a great year. You'll enjoy reading how Farmer Joe and his crew collaborated with Mother Nature to grow nutrient-dense, chemical-free produce; and how our Fresh Access program made sure not only that the bounty reached those in need, but that what was shared was much more than just "a bag of food." You'll see how the permanently preserved land we steward, and the trails and arboretum we have built and maintain, continue to evolve as the public's interest continues to grow. Perhaps most exciting has been a return to hosting events—from a mushroom log clinic to our first annual Holcomb Hoedown and a fabulous Harvest Dinner and Auction. Of course, we remain careful in our financial management and are developing a long-term plan to ensure future generations can sustain our mission: to preserve, promote, and utilize this authentic New England farm, for the benefit of the community.

On behalf of the board of directors of Friends of Holcomb Farm, thank you for being part of our journey. Please join us at the farm whenever you can!

With gratitude,



Jenny Emery  
President

### FRIENDS OF HOLCOMB FARM

#### Board of Directors

Jenny Emery, *President*  
Amy Eisler, *Vice President*  
Rocky Piccirillo, *Treasurer*  
Natalie Mackiel, *Secretary*  
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Steve Perry  
Christiane Pimentel







Thank you to everyone who helped make our first annual Holcomb Hoedown a success! Please join us on Sunday, September 7, 2025 for the second annual Holcomb Hoedown. Hope to see you there!

## FIRST ANNUAL HOLCOMB HOEDOWN

One of our goals in 2024 was to introduce more people to Holcomb Farm. What better way to do that, we asked, than to throw a Hoedown?

And that's exactly what we did. On a beautiful afternoon in late August, the Friends of Holcomb Farm hosted its first-ever Holcomb Hoedown, drawing an estimated 400 people to the farm. The event featured line dancing lessons, an exciting cowboy mounted shooting demonstration by the Granby Horse Council, a kid zone with a puppet show presented by the Hispanic Health Council, games, face painting, and more. Thanks to donations and sponsorships, we raised more than \$7,000 to help fund Fresh Access.

It was our first Hoedown, but it won't be our last! Special thanks to volunteers Lori Armentano and Donna Snyder, whose leadership and dedication made the event such a success.



## FARMING

### **A letter from Farm Manager Joe O'Grady**

2024 was a rewarding year of progress and improvements at the Farm. The year started quietly due to the loss of our Winter CSA after 2023's floods. Still, we were happy to hold pop-up sales for our community and provide winter vegetables to Wheeler, our largest Fresh Access partner. Through banner years and lean years, it is important to us to spread the love and make sure any produce we grow finds its way both to folks who can pay and those who cannot.

Our early spring was busier than normal thanks to two large grants received in late 2023. Through the Connecticut Department of Agriculture, we received funding for 385 cubic yards of compost to spread on our flood-damaged fields, helping to replenish nutrients that washed away. And thanks to Nassau Financial Group,

who took part in the Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act, we were able to make massive upgrades to our greenhouses' ventilation systems. As farms continue to deal with climate change, maintaining soil health and optimizing growing conditions in greenhouses are critical.

We also received a Connecticut Department of Agriculture Farm Transition Grant to purchase irrigation equipment and a potato digger. One highlight of the season was seeing how our new toy turned the brutal job of harvesting potatoes (and perhaps more importantly sweet potatoes) into a veritable walk in the park!

Not that we had time for walks in the park. With our largest CSA membership yet—570 half- and full-shares—we were quite busy. There were so many people coming to the Farm that our parking lot routinely



overflowed. Farm Store sales were brisker than ever, thanks in part to our partnership with Julien's Farm Store (collaborating with another Granby farm-based foodie was a big win-win). Harvesting food for this many people in the heat and humidity we had in 2024 is almost impossible, so we were thrilled to have volunteers help us with some of our bulk harvests. The garlic harvest was a particularly special day, with more than a dozen tough volunteers getting our garlic out of the field, trimmed, and ready for curing in record time during a heat advisory. Thank you!

Extreme heat and humidity aside, the weather for most of the season was good enough. The fall heat wave and drought conditions, however, will leave an impact (and alter our practices). We saw little to no germination in our entire final round of cover cropping—the first time this has happened, as usually the morning dew alone provides enough moisture for seeds to grow. Going forward, we will delay storing irrigation equipment, realizing that extreme heat and drought are now possibilities for autumn in Connecticut.



Thank you to the volunteer farmers who helped with our onion and garlic harvests. With our community helpers, it took less than an hour to harvest thousands of garlic bulbs!

# STEWARDSHIP

We continued to focus on invasive plant removal in the hedgerows of the east side fields of the Holcomb Tree Trail. In 2023 and 2024, volunteers girdled a small grove of invasive trees called trees of heaven (*Ailanthus altissima*), tough and fast-growing trees that are the favored host of the spotted lantern fly. Spotted lantern flies are “probably the most serious agricultural pest to hit the U.S. shores in a long time,” according to the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station. They have been seen in Connecticut and have caused enormous damage to vineyards in Pennsylvania. In early 2025, the Friends hired Macaulay Excavation and Tree Service to cut down and chip about 30 girdled trees. (The largest tree stump—more than 36 inches in diameter—was only about 35 years old, based on a count of its rings.)

Stewardship volunteers also continued the pond restoration work, adding more native shrubs. Unfortunately,

this man-made pond is leaking, so temporary efforts were made to slow the outflow. By the end of summer, however, these efforts were no longer needed as Granby experienced an extreme drought and the pond nearly dried up completely.

Our new trail map, created by Steve Perry of Sperry Geospatial, is now posted at all our trail entrances and is available digitally on our website and on the Avenza mobile app.

## Holcomb Tree Trail

The Holcomb Tree Trail continues to grow and thrive. In 2024, we planted more native shrubs and 16 new trees, including four European larches, three golden larches, two tamaracks, and a dawn redwood cultivar. We also added three sweetgum cultivars, a sycamore, a wild plum, and a katsura. Watering the new trees remained the most



Stewardship volunteers upgraded the appearance of the Holcomb Tree Trail entrance. We installed an entry sign and cleaned up the surrounding area, removing a rock pile and overgrown invasives. On the other side of the entrance we installed a new trailhead signpost with our new trail map, and repurposed an old milk delivery box to serve as a place for lost and found.





Stewardship volunteers met in April 2024 to reroute a woodland trail on the farm's east side. During the process of making the new trail map, Steve Perry, our cartographer, had flagged a better route and the crew came out to clear two newly relocated sections of the Vernal Pool Trail (blue).

labor-intensive task for our volunteers, especially as the drought conditions worsened in late summer and into the fall. It was their dedication that ensured the survival of these young trees and shrubs.

We received exciting news in 2024, when the Holcomb Tree Trail received Level I Arboretum certification from ArbNet, an international community and networking program for arboreta and tree-focused professionals managed by the Morton Arboretum in Chicago. To achieve Level I certification, an arboretum must label and care for at least 25 different species of trees and provide access to the public.

### Appreciation

The Friends of Holcomb Farm thank all our volunteers. They are at the heart of our efforts to reduce invasives;

source, plant, and care for new trees; and provide the public with a safe and scenic place to walk, snowshoe, cross-country ski, and ride horses. Our volunteer trail stewards maintain over 10 miles of woodland trails and mow several miles of paths along the Holcomb Tree Trail.

We would like to thank the Town of Granby for improving access to the Holcomb Tree Trail. The Town repaired the entrance area drainage and built a sidewalk with a crosswalk, making it safer for everyone to navigate the intersection of Simsbury Road and Day Street South.

We also are grateful to Granby Land Trust (GLT) for providing access to Holcomb Farm's west side trails by building a trail across their Wilcox Family Preserve on the west side of Salmon Brook. Thanks to them, visitors can now access these trails via the GLT's Hastings Trail, located just south of the Simsbury Road bridge.





Crates of late summer produce are loaded in our van for distribution at Wheeler Health's locations in Hartford, Bristol, Plainville, New Britain, and Waterbury.

## FRESH ACCESS

In 2024, the Fresh Access program provided more than 16 tons of fresh, nutrient-dense food—at the wholesale cost of more than \$92,000—to seven nonprofit organizations—our “community partners.” These organizations distributed the food to nearly 500 households per week during the growing season (June through October). For every \$1.00 we raised, we grew and delivered healthy food valued at an estimated \$1.40 (retail value) to families facing food insecurity, people struggling with a health crisis, and people living on a fixed income.

Through our community partners, Fresh Access reached families in Granby, Hartford, New Britain, Plainville, Bristol, Waterbury and beyond. For many of the families we serve, a weekly bag of fresh vegetables is more than just a bag of food—it’s a sign of care, support, and hope.

### 2024 Highlights

The decline in grant availability following the COVID-19 pandemic challenged us to work harder to raise funds in 2024, which led to some truly special events. In addition to the first annual Holcomb Hoedown, we brought back the Harvest Dinner and Auction for the first time since the pandemic. Hosted by Fresh Access partner Healing Meals Community Project in Simsbury, over 100 attendees enjoyed an amazing meal made using Holcomb Farm produce. After dinner, attendees bid on a variety of donated items and experiences at a live auction. Thanks to the tireless work of our volunteers and the generosity of our guests, we were able to raise \$17,500 to support Fresh Access. This, together with increased donations from so many and continuing contributions from some of our Community Partners, enabled us to not only fully fund

the program for the year, but also to replenish reserves we'd tapped into in 2023.

### Our Future

We continued to work with our Grants and Fundraising committee, our community partners, and the full FOHF board to develop funding opportunities to ensure the sustainability of the Fresh Access program. While we work to improve the financial sustainability of this valuable program, we plan to keep the program at its current size (adjusted for inflation). In other words, our produce and fruit commitments to our Community Partners will remain strong for the 2025 season.

### Appreciation

The Granby Community Fund once again provided a grant to support our contributions to Granby-based partners, and we are grateful. We also extend our sincere thanks to Wheeler Health, the Healing Meals Community Project, and the Hispanic Health Council, who supported our events. And, of course, we are deeply thankful

for the generosity of our donors and the dedication of our volunteers.

We also would like to extend our thanks to the Maletz family of East Hartland for their generous donation of fruit. Skip and Shelly Maletz invited us to harvest apples from their private orchard, enabling us to increase the supply of fruit for our Community Partners from 3,500 pounds in 2023 to over 5,000 pounds in 2024. We are deeply grateful for their support.

### 2024 Fresh Access Community Partners:

#### Granby Partners:

Granby Senior Center  
Town of Granby Social Services  
Waste Not Want Not Community Kitchen  
Granby Congregational Church UCC Open  
Cupboard Pantry

#### Greater Hartford Region Partners:

Healing Meals Community Project  
Hispanic Health Council  
Wheeler Health



In 2021, we added fruit to our Fresh Access distribution because our partners requested more ready-to-eat produce options for their clients with limited kitchen access. Since then, we have purchased fruit from the Thrall Family Orchards in Windsor. Every week, our Fresh Access volunteers pick apples and grapes, which we use to supplement the vegetables we grow and deliver to our community partners.



# TREASURER'S REPORT

The Friends of Holcomb Farm, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization led by an all-volunteer board of directors, continued to uphold its mission in 2024, demonstrating strong financial health while advancing our commitment to sustainability, food equity, and community engagement. This year's financial success was driven by robust CSA participation, generous contributions, grants, and diligent expense management across our program areas.

Holcomb Farm is more than just a farm; it is a model of sustainability and community-driven stewardship. Our farming programs remained the foundation of our financial stability, with CSA memberships for both summer and winter shares (for 2024-25) meeting or exceeding projected enrollment. The Farm Store also saw steady growth, reflecting an increased engagement with local producers. Despite inflationary pressures affecting labor, supplies, and equipment costs, careful fiscal oversight ensured that expenses remained within budget, allowing us to sustain and expand our operations.

Financially, the organization achieved an impressive milestone by bringing in over \$600,000 in top-line revenues. Additionally, we closed the year with a positive net income exceeding \$36,000—an improvement of \$14,000 over budgeted projections. This strong financial

performance reinforces our ability to invest in our mission-driven programs and sustain long-term growth.

As stewards of this property, we strive for both environmental sustainability and public enjoyment. The Friends establish an annual program budget to guide financial management across our core initiatives: Farming, Fresh Access, and Land Stewardship. Through program-based accounting, we ensure transparency, alignment with donor intent, and the long-term sustainability of our mission.

Looking ahead to 2025, we remain dedicated to responsible financial management and thoughtful growth. With the continued support of our members, volunteers, granting agencies, and other community organizations, and in partnership with the Town of Granby, Friends of Holcomb Farm is well-positioned to advance its vision as a sustainable, community-driven farm that provides healthy food, preserves the land, and fosters a commitment to local food systems and ecological practices.

The statements below are extracted from an annual audit commissioned from Rowley and Associates of Concord, New Hampshire. Complete copies of the audit are available to members upon request.

**Holcomb Farm, Inc.**  
**Statement of Activities**

Year Ended December 31, 2024; With Comparative Totals for the Year Ended December 31, 2023

	2024			
	Net Assets Without Donor Restriction	Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	Total	2023
<b>Revenues</b>				
Grants & Contributions	\$ 146,792	\$ -	\$ 146,792	\$ 157,943
Programs & CSA Shares	312,304	-	312,304	235,103
Farm Sales Net of Cost of Goods of 2024: \$35,346 and 2023: \$28,987	81,708	-	81,708	75,022
Fresh Access Event Net of Expenses of 2024: \$12,161 and 2023: \$1,624	26,143	-	26,143	1,151
Thirtieth Anniversary Event Net of Expenses of 2023: \$29,458	-	-	-	705
Project Fund	-	81,252	81,252	-
Total revenues	566,947	81,252	648,199	469,924
<b>Non-Operating Activities</b>				
Gain (Loss) on Sale of Fixed Assets	(29,100)	-	(29,100)	2,300
Unrealized Gain (Loss)	6,895	-	6,895	5,015
Total revenues	(22,205)	-	(22,205)	7,315
<b>Net Asset Released from Restrictions</b>	66,164	(66,164)	-	-
Total Revenue and Other Support	610,906	15,088	625,994	477,239
<b>Expenses:</b>				
Programs	535,691	-	535,691	433,133
Management & General	44,747	-	44,747	43,576
Fundraising	9,297	-	9,297	8,401
Total Operating Expenses	589,735	-	589,735	485,110
Changes in Net Assets	21,171	15,088	36,259	(7,871)
<b>Net assets, beginning of year</b>	306,977	24,126	331,103	338,974
<b>Net assets, end of year</b>	<b>\$328,148</b>	<b>\$39,214</b>	<b>\$367,362</b>	<b>\$331,103</b>



# Holcomb Farm, Inc.

## Statements of Financial Position

December 31, 2024; With Comparative Totals for December 31, 2023

	2024			2023
	Net Assets Without Donor Restriction	Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	Total	
<b>ASSETS</b>				
<b>Current Assets</b>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 32,288	\$ 39,214	\$ 71,502	\$ 180,425
Accounts Receivable	-	-	-	543
Prepaid Expenses	16,561	-	16,561	20,246
Investments	180,743	-	180,743	119,685
Total Current Assets	229,592	39,214	268,806	320,899
<b>Machinery &amp; Equipment</b>				
Machinery & Equipment	335,989	-	335,989	393,122
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(178,825)	-	(178,825)	(203,823)
Net Machinery & Equipment	157,164	-	157,164	189,299
Total Assets	480,606	39,214	519,820	594,603
<b>LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>				
<b>Current Liabilities</b>				
Accounts payable	4,236	-	4,236	3,675
Accrued expenses	6,694	-	6,694	6,178
Operating lease liability, current portion	14,100	-	14,100	14,100
Deferred Revenue	42,018	-	42,018	167,675
Total Liabilities	67,048	-	67,048	191,628
<b>Long Term Liabilities</b>				
Operating lease liability, less current portion	85,410	-	85,410	71,872
<b>Net Assets</b>				
Without donor restriction				
Undesignated	40,645	-	40,645	(39,064)
Board Designated	130,339	-	130,339	156,742
Machinery & Equipment	157,164	-	157,164	189,299
Total Without Donor Restrictions	328,148	-	328,148	306,977
With donor restriction	-	39,214	39,214	24,126
Total Net Assets	328,148	39,214	367,362	331,103
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$480,606	\$39,214	\$519,820	\$594,603

# THANK YOU!

The Friends of Holcomb Farm thank the following people, businesses, and organizations for their generous contributions received between April 1, 2024 and March 31, 2025. The Friends had 673 members—those who gave \$25 or more to the Friends of Holcomb Farm or joined our CSA during our 2024 fiscal year. Gifts received after March 31, 2025 will be reflected in next year's annual report.

## \$1000+

anonymous  
Nannie and Put Brown  
Evan Crosby  
Jen and John Dankosky  
Laura J. Eden Fine Art  
Amy Eisler  
Jenny and David Emery  
Farmington Valley YMCA  
Kristal and Mark Fiorentino  
Jill and Walter Ford  
Andrew Griffin  
Paula and Whitey Johnson  
Mary Ellen and Lowell Kahn  
Sally King and Eric Lukingbeal  
Peggy and Jack Lareau  
LevelUP 24/7 Smart Gym  
Lynn Lochhead  
Shelly and Skip Maletz  
Metro Bis  
Shirley Murtha  
New England Black Label  
Portraiture  
Debi O'Keefe and Joel Alsop  
Resolute FIT  
Robinson + Cole  
Natalie Mackiel and James Rollins  
Martha and David Rusch  
Judy and David Russell  
Aubrey and Kenneth Schulz  
David Schupp  
Dianne and James Szipszky  
Jeanne Galloway and Kathleen Usher  
Barbara and Mark Wetzel  
Wheeler Health

## \$500-999

Kim and Chris Becker  
The Bushnell  
Gaylien Chun and Matthew Hamer  
Nancy and Jim Costopoulos  
Dixon Orthodontics

Patricia and Bill Kennedy  
Laura and Mark Midura  
Missing Link Wine Company  
O'Brien Nursery  
John Schumann  
Selective Development  
Ashley Smith  
Steve Sosik  
The Oakbridge Group  
Jonah Wellins  
Ann Wilhelm and William Bentley  
Helen and Alfred Wilke  
Windsor Federal Bank

## \$250-499

Action Carpet & Cleaning  
Anna Sogliuzzo, Berkshire Hathaway Homeservices  
Beman Hardware  
Flo Bischoff  
Bouvier Insurance  
Kathleen Bromage  
Cahill's Motor Cars  
Lisa Corbett and Richard Pfeifer  
Jesse Eisler  
Deborah and Michael Gantt  
Sherry and Matt Garrett  
Peggy and Bob Giles  
Granby Family Eye Care  
Grassroots Kitchen + Creamery  
Lisa Gray  
Todd and Valorie Hollister  
Cat and Rob Kadrlie  
Lisa and Mike Larsen  
Kathryn Lord  
Lost Acres Orchard & Bakery  
Kelly Lynch and Gary Kanter  
Maximum Tree Service  
Merrill Memoirs  
Shelley and Steve Perry  
Valerie Raggio and Dave Desiderato  
Route 10 Tire  
Pamela Russek  
Patricia and Jim Sansone

Peggy and Donald Shaw  
Diane Smith and Wayne Hill  
Donna and Jim Snyder  
Janet and John Spatcher  
Julia Stainforth and Derek Bronson  
State Line Propane & Oil  
Ellen Thomson  
Adah Todd  
Heather and Sam Tomasetti  
Two Coyotes Wilderness School  
Michael Walsh  
Kristi Warters

## \$100-249

Anne and Gary Adamson  
Kathy Agresta  
Jean Allen  
Lee and Chris Barba  
Liz and Stephen Beaudin  
Marcie Braden  
Mary and Francis Brady  
Susan Canavan and Joel Danke  
Idalia Carvalho  
Peggy and Wayne Chapple  
Chris Chinni and John Weeks  
Linda and Gary Daniels-Miller  
Robert Donna  
Beverly and Roy Duff  
Julie Erasmus  
Robin Finn  
Rachel Fontanazza  
Mary and Tom Fuller  
Geissler's Supermarket  
Catherine and Robert Grandahl  
Ellen and Andrew Hannah  
Patia Haverty  
Healing Meals Community Project  
Mary Ann and Paul Henzler  
Kathy and Ed Hodgson  
Margot Hosford  
Paula Jones and Kevin Gough  
Nancy Kannenberg  
Susan Keller  
Pamela Kirk and John Violette

Stacey and John Kroninger  
Charles Kuchenbrod  
Karen Kudish  
Lorraine Lanyon  
Jo Ann and Rob Lebel  
Deb and Tim Lenihan  
Monica Logan  
Jonathan Lynch  
Karen McNey  
Ruth and Richard Meyer  
Joan Mocarski  
Katherine and John Morgan  
Linda and Thomas Morgan  
Therese Mulvey and Brad McDougall  
Susan Nilsen  
Maggie and Bill Percival  
Carol Pescik  
Lisa Peterson  
Katie and Rocco Piccirillo  
Christiane Pimentel and Moshood Olatokunbo  
Susan and James Rook  
Suzanne and Gary Scarella  
Mary Ellen Schoonmaker and Michael Hoyt  
Cindy and Earl Schulz  
Donna and Jack Sennott  
Melody Smith and Joshua Welch  
Sibylle Spooner  
Kelly and Jonathan Sterling  
Joanne and Richard Stevens  
Maryanne and Aaron Strindberg  
Lauren Tellier  
David Tolli  
Darcy Topper  
Tractor Supply Company  
Thomas Turon  
Kathy and Michael Ungerleider  
Palma Vaccaro  
Catherine and Paul Willis  
Marilyn Wyman  
Zen Restaurant Group  
Betsy and Mark Ziemienczyk





### Up to \$99

Tony Allen  
Lori and Fran Armentano  
Heather and Barry Avery  
Shawn Ball and David Katz  
Christopher Barthel  
Morven and Peter Barwick  
Wanda Bazyk  
Tori Birkeland  
Heather Blum-Pastor  
Alex Bricault  
Margaret Buchanan and Lou Golden  
Richard and Pamela Burek  
Charles Cahill  
Linda and Lou Carissimi  
Devon Casady  
Catherine Ceneviva  
Geoffrey Ching  
David Chittick  
Darla Cloutier  
Eric Cohen  
Jennifer Cohen  
Mary and Randall Cole  
Sara Conklin  
Wendy Cook  
Costco  
Celine Cracco  
Jag Dalal  
Elaine and Edward Darcy  
Laura Delisle  
Bonnie and Jan Dommel  
Cynthia Dowd  
Barbara Doyle  
Dreena Dulin  
Juliette Dunlevy  
Lois Elsesser and Joseph Nunes  
Coreen and Nicholas Faraco  
Keith and Laura Fetridge

Colleen Fitzpatrick  
Claudia Forgue  
Patricia Freedman  
Jennifer Gentry  
Judy Gessford  
Christine and George Giannoni  
Stacy Giguere and Len Dupille  
Albert Glazier  
Susan and Charles Gowen  
Helena Grabo and Kaveh Davoudi  
Marion Griffin  
Sarah Griggs  
Christa and Boris Grigorov  
Melissa Hall  
Kristin Harnedy  
Jess Brandt and Stefan Harroo  
Hartford Yard Goats  
Yuling He  
Cherie Henselder  
Yuko Hoffman  
Lisa and Erick Holm  
Emma Hoyt and Joe O'Grady  
Erica Zamsky Hunt  
Interstate Building Supply  
Sharon Ions  
Rita Isaacson  
Holly and Curt Johnson  
SueAnn Kenedy  
Patrick and Maureen Kenna  
Jennifer and Tom Kim  
Richard Kirschbaum  
Cheryl and Dale Kittelson  
Susanne and Thomas Kornacki  
Tracy Krasinski and Greg Kirschner  
Dawn Kruger  
Joan and Scott Kuhnly  
Pamela Lamson

Christina and Ken Lapent  
Audrey Lapiner  
Shanie LaRocca  
Susan and Bryan Larson  
Jackie Lawrence  
Dorothy Lennox  
Andrea Leshinskie  
Amanda Lindberg  
Lynne Lipkind  
Michelle Lobovits  
Aurelle Locke  
Carey Loughran  
Katherine and John Magarian  
Charlie and Ellen Mandelberg  
Kathy and Gregory Marco  
Arlene and Joseph Mattavi  
Gary Maulucci  
Jeffrey Maytas  
Victoria Mazzei and Richard Stepanov  
Allison McKeen  
Rebecca and William Mikus  
Dawn and Wayne Miller  
Jane Miller  
Stephen Miltimore  
Agatha and Jack Monahan  
Sally Moon  
Karen and Steve Moore  
Christine and Eric Mortensen  
Susan Morton  
Maia Mullen  
Joyce and John Mundt  
Louise Nadeau  
Joan and John Nagy  
Elizabeth Neave  
Steve Nelson  
Patrice Nelson  
Pamela Newcomb  
Kathy Norris  
Marilyn and Thomas Nystrom  
Virgil Paggen  
Dorothy and Ralph Palma  
Adrienne Park  
Samuel N. Paul  
Cathy Peck  
Trish Percival and Rick Orluk  
Christopher Peregrin and Julien Tessier  
Margaret Preli  
Susan Pearson and Hank Prussing  
Hannah Purves  
Rosalie Puskar  
Naomi Rafalowicz  
Ann and Jim Reed  
Debby Reelitz  
Gail Reiner

Ann Marie and Charles Reuter  
Daneen and Hasan Riaz  
Susan Ritz  
David Roberts  
Lori Rogers  
Christine Rouleau  
Rosemarie Roy  
Rita and Peter Rozantes  
Diana Sadjadi  
Donna and Rob Schedinger  
Toby Scheel  
Laurie and Steven Schock  
Elaine Shapiro  
Brittany Silva  
Erin Sloat  
Beth and Brian Smith  
Jamie Soule  
Audrey Staropoli  
Stop & Shop  
Carol and Bruce Sullivan  
Winifred and John Sumner  
Sara Thornton  
Marilyn and Scott Tracy  
Kitty and Jim Vangunten  
Jim Veirs  
Lidia Vilner  
Amanda and Adam Vincent  
Robert Walz  
Brie and Nick Watson  
Margot Weiss and Matthew Garrett  
Austin White  
Marty and Don Wilmot  
Christine Winter  
Michelle Wirth  
Jane Zande  
Stephanie Zappone  
Michelle and Connor Ziegler

### In Memoriam

In memory of Andy Bentley  
Jenny and David Emery  
Susan Pearson and Hank Prussing

### Granting Organizations

Eversource  
Granby Community Fund  
Hartford Foundation for Public Giving  
Northwest Community Bank Foundation  
State of Connecticut Department of Agriculture  
United States Department of Agriculture