Why Join Roots?

When you become a member of Roots, you’re investing in the future of the place you call home. You’re taking steps to alleviate poverty, poor health, lack of educational opportunities, and other struggles people of all ages—from infants to the elderly—face in your community. You’re becoming an essential part of something that will continue forever to make your county and your community a better place to live.

Contribute to a specific cause you’re passionate about, pool your gift with others that address the greatest needs in the county as those needs evolve, or help support the operations of your Community Foundation. No matter how you choose to use your dollars, a monthly gift of any size to the Community Foundation is sure to make an immeasurable impact.

Plant Your Roots in Your Community

**Birch:** *Never underestimate the power of small gifts*  
$10/month - $120/year

**Pine:** *Together, we can make an immeasurable difference*  
$25/month - $300/year

**Hickory:** *Spread your roots in the place you call home*  
$50/month - $600/year

**Oak:** *Deep, strong roots support tall, sturdy trees*  
$100/month - $1,200/year

It’s Easy to Join!

Give online at nicf.org. Click “Donate,” and indicate that you’d like to make it a recurring gift. You can stop the monthly gift easily at any time!