

The logo for the Pablo Foundation, featuring a stylized orange graphic that resembles a lowercase 'p' or a similar shape, composed of several curved segments. Below the graphic, the words "PABLO" and "FOUNDATION" are stacked in a white, sans-serif font.

PABLO
FOUNDATION

2023 ANNUAL REPORT



The mission of Pablo Foundation is to create a model for a healthy and sustainable community.

Our vision is to empower organizations to inclusively transform Eau Claire by facilitating human connections and ensuring sustainability in the areas of health, housing, education, and the arts.

To move forward with focus and intention, we often times have to step back and take a pause. In 2023, Pablo Foundation invested a record \$4+ million* into the greater Eau Claire area, but this record-breaking year was only possible by first taking a pause, revisiting our mission, and formulating a vision to guide us in how we live out that mission.

Our mission has always been to create a model for a healthy and sustainable community, but it was through thoughtful conversations and reflecting on the soul and purpose of the Foundation that together we crafted a vision that we believe will help strategically guide us into the next decade.

It is our vision that with every dollar the Foundation gifts, we look to empower organizations to inclusively transform Eau Claire by facilitating human connections and ensuring sustainability in the areas of health, housing, education, and the arts. This means that for those who similarly commits to equity, diversity, and inclusion, we want to support and elevate your voices and tell your stories to ensure your sustainability. For those who similarly believes in the power of collaborations to create greater impacts, we want to partner with you. And for those who can help us transform the greater Eau Claire area to be better or more sustainable in the areas of health, housing, education, or the arts, we want to hear from you.

As we move through 2024, we are challenging ourselves to uncover opportunities that align and advance our mission so that our vision becomes real in our time. As the Foundation evolves, we look forward to introducing a new method of support that will extend beyond financial investments to promote the longevity, financial sustainability, and success of our non-profit partners.

Within Pablo Foundation's Board of Directors, we are fortunate to welcome two new members who will contribute greatly to the Foundation's diversity of thought. Carol

Gabler brings extensive background in the nonprofit world at both the local and national levels and will be instrumental in strategically guiding the Foundation forward in its grant-making strategies. Kate Noe brings her professional background in wealth management and will provide powerful fiduciary oversight and a fresh perspective for the Foundation.

We can't wait to see what we can accomplish together within the greater Eau Claire community in 2024!

\$4,080,251.33 INVESTED IN 2023

MISSION ALIGNMENT	DOLLARS GIFTED
HEALTH	\$374,699
HOUSING	\$375,203
EDUCATION	\$2,290,449.33
ARTS	\$531,200
SPONSORSHIPS	\$8,700



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MaiVue Xiong, Executive Director



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Zach Halmstad'.

Zach Halmstad, Board President

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Baredfeet Co.	\$1,500
<i>Hands of Peace Project (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Black and Brown Womyn Power Coalition, Inc.	\$2,700
<i>Black History Month Gala (Sponsorship); Hmong Heritage Month Gala (Sponsorship)</i>	
Boys & Girls Club of the Greater Chippewa Valley, Inc.	\$83,333-33
<i>Teen Center Renovation (Multi-Year Commitment)</i>	
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of La Crosse, Inc.	\$25,000
<i>Sojourner House</i>	
Children’s Hospital of Wisconsin Foundation, Inc.	\$45,583
<i>Building Families Program</i>	
Children’s Museum of Eau Claire, Inc.	\$100,000
<i>Support of New Building (Multi-Year Commitment)</i>	
Chippewa River Industries, Inc.	\$24,116
<i>Community Based Day Services</i>	
Chippewa Valley Habitat for Humanity, Inc.	\$305,203
<i>Veterans Housing Project: Phase 1; Building Materials Purchase (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Chippewa Valley Health Clinic, Inc.	\$25,000
<i>Comprehensive Care for the Working Poor</i>	
Chippewa Valley Montessori School Parent Group	\$2,000[†]
<i>Biodiversity of Life Instruction (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Confluence Council, Inc.	\$518,700
<i>Multi-Year Commitment; Improbable Fiction: New Works Project</i>	
Council on Foundations, Inc.	\$6,500
<i>Qualified Designation as Grant</i>	
Eau Claire Chamber Orchestra	\$8,000
<i>Underrepresented Composers’ Music</i>	
Eau Claire Community Complex, Inc.	\$1,638,747[†]
<i>Sonntag Project (Multi-Year Commitment)</i>	
Eau Claire Community Foundation, Inc.	\$107,143
<i>Storybook Campaign (Multi-Year Commitment)</i>	
Eau Claire Public Schools Foundation, Inc.	\$42,500
<i>EDI Microgrants; CNA Classes & Certification</i>	
Eau Claire Sober Living, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Support for Sober Living Homes (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Family Resource Center, Inc.	\$37,256
<i>Dolly Parton’s Imagination Library (Multi-Year Commitment)</i>	
Family Support Center, Inc.	\$20,000
<i>Rapid Re-Housing Project</i>	

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Feed My People, Inc.	\$252,000[†]
<i>Farm to Food Bank; New Auburn School Lunch Program (Sponsorship)</i>	
Fierce Freedom, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Operational Costs (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Friends of the L.E. Phillips Memorial Public Library, Inc.	\$19,000
<i>Free Book Distribution Program</i>	
Girl Scouts of the Northwestern Great Lakes, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Girl Scout Leadership Experience Program (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Girls on the Run Chippewa Valley, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>GOTR Financial Assistance Initiative (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Good Shepherd Lutheran Foundation	\$2,000
<i>Subsidization of Healthy Meals for Senior Citizens (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Legacy Community Center, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Improving Access to Hot Meals & Community Socialization to Individuals in Wheelchairs (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
LGBTQ+ Community Center of the Chippewa Valley, Inc.	\$1,000
<i>Pride in the Park (Sponsorship)</i>	
Literacy Chippewa Valley	\$10,000
<i>Inmate Literacy Program</i>	
Mabel Tainter Literary Library & Educational Society	\$2,500
<i>Mabel's Community Celebration (Business Directed Giving); Messiah Sing (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Power of Perception, Inc.	\$150,000
<i>South Africa Cultural Immersion Trip</i>	
Special Olympics Wisconsin, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Buckshot Run (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
The Community Table, Inc.	\$20,000
<i>Daily Meal Service Operations</i>	
The Village Project, Inc.	\$15,000
<i>Extracurricular Scholarships</i>	
United States Conference of Catholic Bishops	\$2,000
<i>Literature, Art, & History Enhancement Project for McDonell Area Catholic Schools (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
United Way of the Greater Chippewa Valley, Inc.	\$10,270
<i>Device Distribution Program</i>	
Uniting Bridges of Eau Claire, Inc.	\$1,000
<i>Juneteenth Celebration (Sponsorship)</i>	
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Foundation, Inc.	\$46,000
<i>Chancellor's Diversity Scholarship (Multi-Year Commitment); Midwest Artist Academy Scholarships (Business Directed Giving); Youth Leadership Camp Scholarships (Business Directed Giving)</i>	

Visit Eau Claire Foundation, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Chippewa Valley Multicultural Festival (Sponsorship)</i>	
Western Dairyland Economic Opportunity Council, Inc.	\$25,000
<i>Security Deposits & First Month's Rents toward Permanent Housing</i>	
WI Veterans Chamber Foundation, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Membership Sponsored Veteran-Owned Business Startups & Veteran-Run Nonprofits (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Wildlands School, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Student-Raised Funds Match for Research Trip (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Wisconsin American Legion Foundation, Inc.	\$2,000
<i>Welcome Home Post 53 (Business Directed Giving)</i>	
Wisdom, Inc.	\$11,200[†]
<i>No Mow May</i>	

** Of the \$4+ million invested by Pablo Foundation in 2023, ~\$3.5 million consisted of grants to our nonprofit partners in alignment with our mission and vision. Another \$500,000 was invested in the downtown Eau Claire Menomonie Market Food Co-operative[†]. Less than a year after its grand opening, the Foundation's MMFC investment returned dividends exceeding \$15,000, all of which have been reinvested into multiple MMFC programs to promote healthy food and to support local farmers and producers.*

† Our commitment to a healthy planet remains strong. While all our investments consider whether an organization also shares this value, over \$2.4 Million was invested specifically to support environmental sustainability projects in 2023.

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