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**WAYNE COUNTY FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES
2020 CHALLENGE MATCH PROGRAM**

The Wayne County Foundation Challenge Match program is an opportunity for participating not-for-profit organizations to cultivate new donors and encourage increased giving from current contributors, especially for general operating support. In the last eight years, the Challenge Match has helped 72 organizations raise over \$9.73 million, including \$1.58 million from the Foundation.

Any charitable not-for-profit organization, school, or government agency in Wayne County that has had a prior application history with the Foundation is eligible to apply.

The Foundation will not hold an information meeting this year as there are no changes to the program. New applicants or those not selected previously should contact the Foundation's Program Officer, Lisa Bates, to schedule a meeting at lisa@waynecountyfoundation.org or 765-962-1638. The online application will open on Friday, July 24, 2020 and close on Friday, August 14, 2020. This year, the Challenge Match Program will be held from November 2 to November 10.