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**Nolin RECC members give back to their community with over \$23,000 in grant funding through 2021 Operation Round-Up® grants**

*Eight local organizations were selected to receive funding for 2021*

Operation Round-Up is a nonprofit grant program that is funded by members of Nolin RECC who volunteer to round up their monthly bill to the nearest dollar amount. That “small change” adds up with over 6400 members participating.

“The average donation each month is around 50 cents. For less than \$12 a year, our members much a huge impact on their communities,” says Nolin RECC Communications Manager Sarah Fellows.

The Operation Round-Up fund and grant application process is overseen by a volunteer board comprised of Nolin members. The application process is open to organizations and individuals working to make a positive impact their local communities. This year, eight (8) local organizations were chosen to receive grant funding totaling \$23,644.88:

**Association for Retarded and Handicapped of Hardin County, Inc**

**Camp TESSA (Teaching Essential Social Skills to Children with Autism)**

**Central Valley Feed the Homeless**

**Hardin County Schools: Creekside Elementary**

**Helping Hand of Hope**

**Knob Creek Conservancy**

**Magnolia Cumberland Presbyterian Church: Shepherd’s Pie Food Pantry**

**Wesley Hilltop House, Inc**

Since Operation Round-Up first began in 2006, over \$263,000 has been awarded in community impact grants. Grant applications for 2022 will be available in the Spring. Find details at [www.nolinrecc.com](http://www.nolinrecc.com)