

At the HEART of Kankakee County 2022

Our commitment to the community ... and you



Of Kankakee County means **GIVING BACK**

Commitment to the Kankakee County community has been a core value of Peoples Bank since its founding in 1962. Giving back a portion of our profits is simply in our DNA.

In 2022, this amounted to a total contribution of **\$118,654.**



RELIGIOUS
\$2,500

EMPLOYEE GIVING
\$4,214

EDUCATION
\$20,200

SOCIAL SERVICES
\$34,093

CIVIC & ARTS
\$57,647



GIVING BACK through the Peoples Bank **SPLASH Program**

Since 2017, Peoples Bank has proudly partnered with the local YMCA to sponsor the SPLASH Program. This life saving program offers swim lessons to every second-grader in the Kankakee public school system. Over 2,200 children have developed an appreciation of the water, improved self-esteem, and learned to save themselves in case of an aquatic emergency. Peoples Bank loves this indispensable program!



GIVING BACK through the Peoples Bank Scholar Program

Since 1996, Peoples Bank and the Hammes Family have invested in the youth of Kankakee County through its Scholar Program. The program provides scholarships to area high school graduates who plan to attend Kankakee Community College or Olivet Nazarene University as an incoming freshman or returning sophomore. Since inception, we've awarded **\$278,500** in local scholarship funds.



Pictured from left are Tinlee Woods (BBCHS grad attending KCC), Jeff Hammes President/CEO, Drew Crawford (BBCHS grad attending ONU), Christina Gross (Momence High School grad attending ONU) and Colin Zeppi (Manteno High School grad attending KCC).

GIVING BACK through the United Way Employee Giving Campaign



Peoples Bank proudly wrapped up their 2022 annual United Way Employee Giving Campaign with a combined employee/employer match total of **\$8,428**.

GIVING BACK through our annual Shred Event

Every year Peoples Bank hosts a free paper shredding event to raise awareness about identity theft and fraud by promoting the secure destruction of personal documents.



Of Kankakee County means **VOLUNTEERING**

The spirit of giving is reflected in Peoples Bank's talented employees and managers who donate their time and talents to charities, committees, and boards throughout the community. Here is a sampling:

Ryan Barrie

Boy Scouts of America,
District Commissioner
Bradley Cub Scout Pack 319,
Member
Knights of Columbus,
Member
St. George Venturing Crew
319, Member



Nick Bufford

Kankakee Kiwanis Club, Board
Member, Past President
Limestone Youth Baseball, Board
Member, Finance Committee
Kankakee YMCA, Board Member,
Finance Committee
Community Foundation of
Kankakee River Valley, Secretary



Ryan Guertin

Bradley Public Library
District, Treasurer
River Valley Christian
Fellowship, Youth Leader,
Musician



Jeff Hammes

Economic Alliance of
Kankakee County, Board
Chair
Maternity BVM Parish,
Finance Council Chair
Riverside Senior Living
Corporation, Board
Member



Mark Kaner

Adventure Commons, Youth
League Basketball Coach
Bradley Bourbonnais Little
League, Youth Baseball Coach
Kankakee County Chamber of
Commerce, Executive Committee
Member
Knights of Columbus, Notre
Dame Council 7072, Member



Deb Laskey

Acting Out Theatre
Company, Makeup Artist
Manteno United Methodist
Church, Financial Secretary



Samantha Costello

Church of Jesus Christ of
Latter-Day Saints, Youth
Activity Leader



Matt Olszewski

Kankakee Development Corpora-
tion, Board Member, Treasurer
Kankakee Events Partnership,
Management Committee,
Money Room Manager
Kankakee Regional Land Bank,
Board Member
Mound Grove Gardens of
Memory, Board Member
Project Catalyst Advisory Committee, Member



Laura Umphrey

Catholic Charities Money
Management Program
Advisory Council
Manteno Chamber of
Commerce, Board Member,
Women Supporting
Women Committee
Member



**VOLUNTEER HOURS OF ALL
PEOPLES BANK EMPLOYEES
IN 2022: 1,086**



Of Kankakee County means **GIVING BACK** by celebrating our success with the community

In celebration of Peoples Bank's 60th Anniversary, the bank and the City of Kankakee partnered on the 4th of July weekend to provide fireworks along the banks of the Kankakee River. By donating \$24,000 in funds, Peoples Bank lessened the burden to taxpayers, and celebrated our nation's founding at the same time we celebrated ours.



Of Kankakee County means celebrating together at community parades



Let's Make It Happen...



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