$356,000 CHARITABLE GIVING
Our charitable giving included contributions and sponsorships for nonprofits, chambers and economic development organizations, United Way, energy assistance, in-kind donations, and investment in the environment through the donation of trees.

$168,000 CONTRIBUTIONS & SPONSORSHIPS
Invested in the great work of hundreds of worthy local organizations and nonprofits.

$59,000 UNITED WAY PLEDGES
Employees gave over $47,000, plus a 25% match from Black Hills Corporation Foundation to benefit United Ways in Arkansas.

$103 MIL DIRECT ECONOMIC IMPACT
Serving 174,400 natural gas utility customers in 101 communities, our direct economic impact in Arkansas included franchise fees, charitable giving, compensation to almost 430 Arkansas employees, payments to suppliers and property, sales and use taxes paid.

2019 ARKANSAS COMMUNITY IMPACT
Sharing our energy with the communities we serve through charitable giving, outreach and employee volunteerism.
Learn more at blackhillsenergy.com/community

Hosted emergency response trainings for 85 first responders serving Arkansas communities.

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Economic development

$50,000
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Aided economic development organizations such as local chambers to grow our communities.

Energy assistance

$50,000
ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Our energy assistance program, Black Hills Cares, helped more than 136 families in need.

Investment in trees

$1,500
INVESTMENT IN TREES

Invested in planting 78 trees, which will grow to save energy by blocking the hot sun, as well as filter storm water and absorb pollutants in our communities.

200+
IPADS & PHONES

In-kind donations including over 200 gently used phones and iPads were donated to keep 25 nonprofits connected while serving 23 Arkansas communities.

2,800+
CUSTOMERS IMPROVED THEIR ENERGY EFFICIENCY

More than 2,800 customers participated in energy efficiency programs and benefited from energy savings.

155+
VOLUNTEERS

More than 155 employees in Arkansas shared their energy with 115 community organizations.

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