



2021 IOWA COMMUNITY IMPACT



Sharing our energy with the communities we serve through charitable giving, outreach and employee volunteerism



\$60 MIL
DIRECT ECONOMIC IMPACT

Serving over 161,900 natural gas utility customers in 133 communities, our direct economic impact in Iowa included franchise fees, charitable giving, compensation to over 275 Iowa employees, payments to suppliers and property, sales and use taxes paid.



\$546,000
CHARITABLE GIVING

Included contributions and sponsorships to nonprofits, chambers and economic development organizations, United Way, energy assistance, in-kind donations, scholarships and investments in trees.



\$229,000
CONTRIBUTIONS & SPONSORSHIPS

Invested in the great work completed by local organizations and nonprofits.



\$155,000
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Aided economic development organizations and chambers of commerce working to strengthen communities.



\$30,000 UNITED WAY PLEDGES

Contributed to United Ways across Iowa including over \$26,000 given by our employees, plus a 25% match from Black Hills Corp. Foundation.



\$71,000 ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Raised for our energy assistance program, Black Hills Cares, that helped families in need.



370 TREES PLANTED

Which will grow to filter over 2.6 million gallons of storm water and absorb almost one million pounds of carbon in our environment.



4,800 CUSTOMERS SAVED ENERGY

By participating in energy efficiency programs and benefiting from energy savings.



2,900+ VOLUNTEER HOURS

Shared by our employees volunteering with over 110 community organizations in Iowa.



1,100+ FIRST RESPONDERS & EXCAVATORS

Trained on emergency response and safe digging practices to help keep our Iowa communities safe.