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Local Tribe Donates Thousands to Area Orgs

(KNZA)--The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation is providing more than \$72,000 to nineteen community organizations.

The funding was distributed Thursday during the tribe's quarterly award's ceremony.

The largest donations, \$10,000 each, went to the Arthritis Foundation and Washburn University Foundation.

\$5,000 donations were provided to five organizations. Among them were the Kansas Senior Olympics, American Heart Association, and National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI).

A committee acts as a clearinghouse for all funding requests and makes recommendations to the Tribal Council.

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