

Dear DHDC Partner,

When you or a family member is looking for a one of a kind experience or a one of a kind gift, where do you turn?

It's likely you head to The Bricks in Downtown Hays and the historical Chestnut Street District.

Why?

Because you know Downtown Hays is full of wonderful shops, great restaurants, eye catching artwork, and unbeatable entertainment.

Your contributions have helped make Downtown Hays the premier shopping district in Northwest Kansas. We are so grateful to you for helping to create and support the heart and soul of our community.

Downtown hays has grown and changed so much, even since last year. We welcomed new businesses like the Blue Heron Boutique, GypsyRose, and Something Blue. The Fox Pavilion is once again host to big concerts and community events. We are still witnessing businesses expanding and growing and completing incredible renovations and improvements.

You are helping DHDC promote our wonderful events such as Brews on the Bricks, Wines and Steins, Thunder on the Bricks, and the illuminated Frostfest Parade. You are helping us create new events like the Farm to Fork dinner event we hosted in October featuring mostly products from the Downtown Hays Market. Events that continue to engage the city of Hays and remind it's people just how wonderful Downtown is.

The Downtown Hays Market provides access to fresh food and unique crafts that bring people from the surrounding neighborhoods to your downtown every week. Because of your gift, DHDC will be breaking ground on a community pavilion and public restroom facilities in early 2017, a pavilion that could be a new home for the market and countless community events.

DHDC has enjoyed being "home" in our Downtown offices since February 2016. It has improved connections with downtown merchants as well as local and out of town patrons. We hope you'll come see us as well at 106 W 12th, just across 12th street from the library.

DHDC is you and it's me. It's our community striving to preserve our quality of life. The DHDC is all of us working together to make Hays an even greater place to dine, shop, stay, and play,

Your gift, of any amount, will help make an immediate impact on our community. Right here, Right now.

Our work in Downtown Hays is never done. We promise to continue to work for the betterment of our community. We will be accountable to the coming generations who will be the judges of what we do today, and we will not disappoint. Thank you for supporting our mission.

Sincerely,

Sara Bloom

Executive Director, DHDC

