

What is KOVAR?



KOVAR is one of your Virginia Knights of Columbus Charities.

KOVAR is a 501(c)(3) corporation founded in 1971.

Donations are made only to organizations that support Virginians with ID, not to individuals.

92% of monies collected go directly to assist people with ID.

KOVAR is an all-volunteer organization, with 15 Board members that you elect.





Who We Are:

MISSION: Empower nonprofit organizations with financial support to improve access to affordable housing, job training, sports participation, and personal care for Virginians with Intellectual Disabilities.

VISION: Every Virginian with an Intellectual Disability (ID) has the foundation to thrive and live an enriching life.

VALUES:

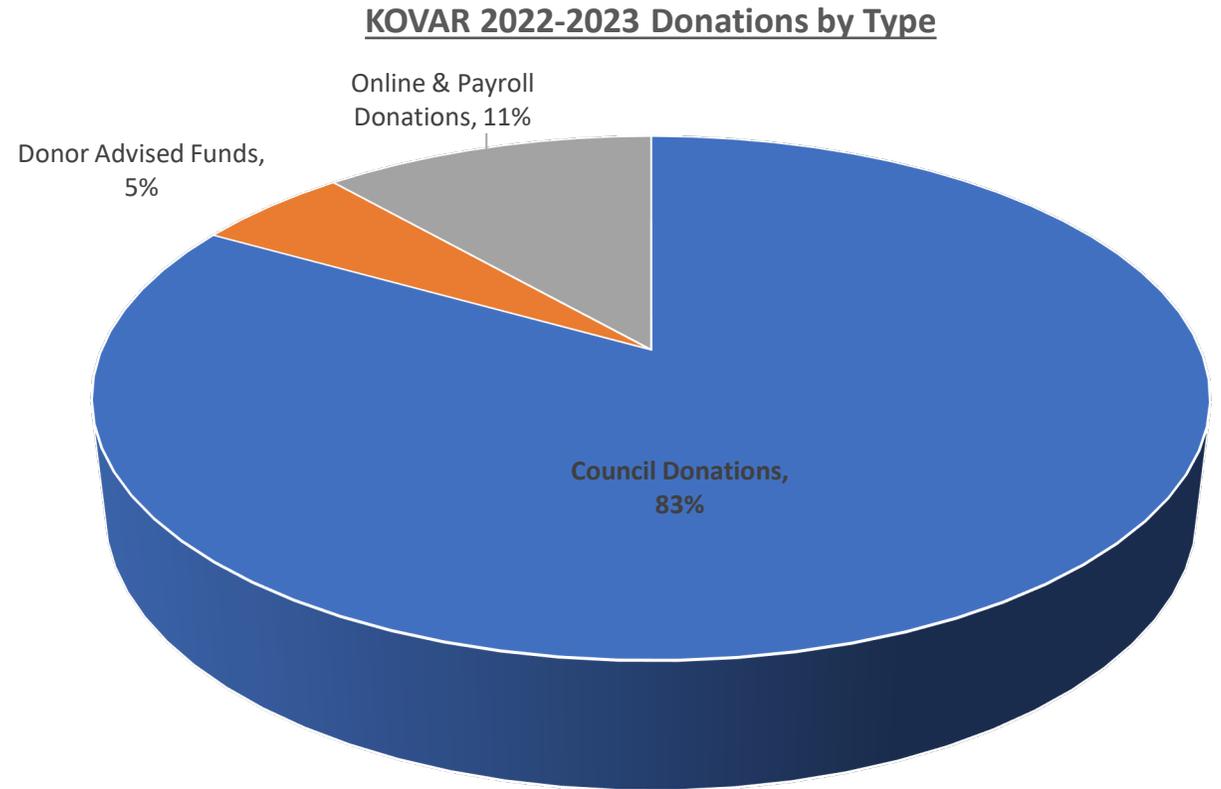
- Our **Catholic faith** provides the foundations for our actions.
- We strive to put **Respect for Life** and support to the **intellectually disabled in Virginia** into tangible works.
- We endeavor to implement the Knights of Columbus core values of **integrity, professionalism, excellence, and compassion** into all our efforts.
- We aim to become a **trusted and collaborative partner** with all stakeholders invested in improving the quality of life for Virginians with Intellectual Disabilities.
- We respect all regardless of creed, race, intellectual abilities, or ethnic origin.



KOVAR Donations 2022-2023:

Type	Amount
Council Donations	\$ 491,485
Donor Advised Funds	\$ 31,510
<u>Online & Payroll Donations</u>	<u>\$ 67,507</u>
Total	\$ 590,502

- Many thanks, we had a fantastic year in a challenging economy: 12% increase over the prior year
- Council fundraising is the engine of our collective efforts!

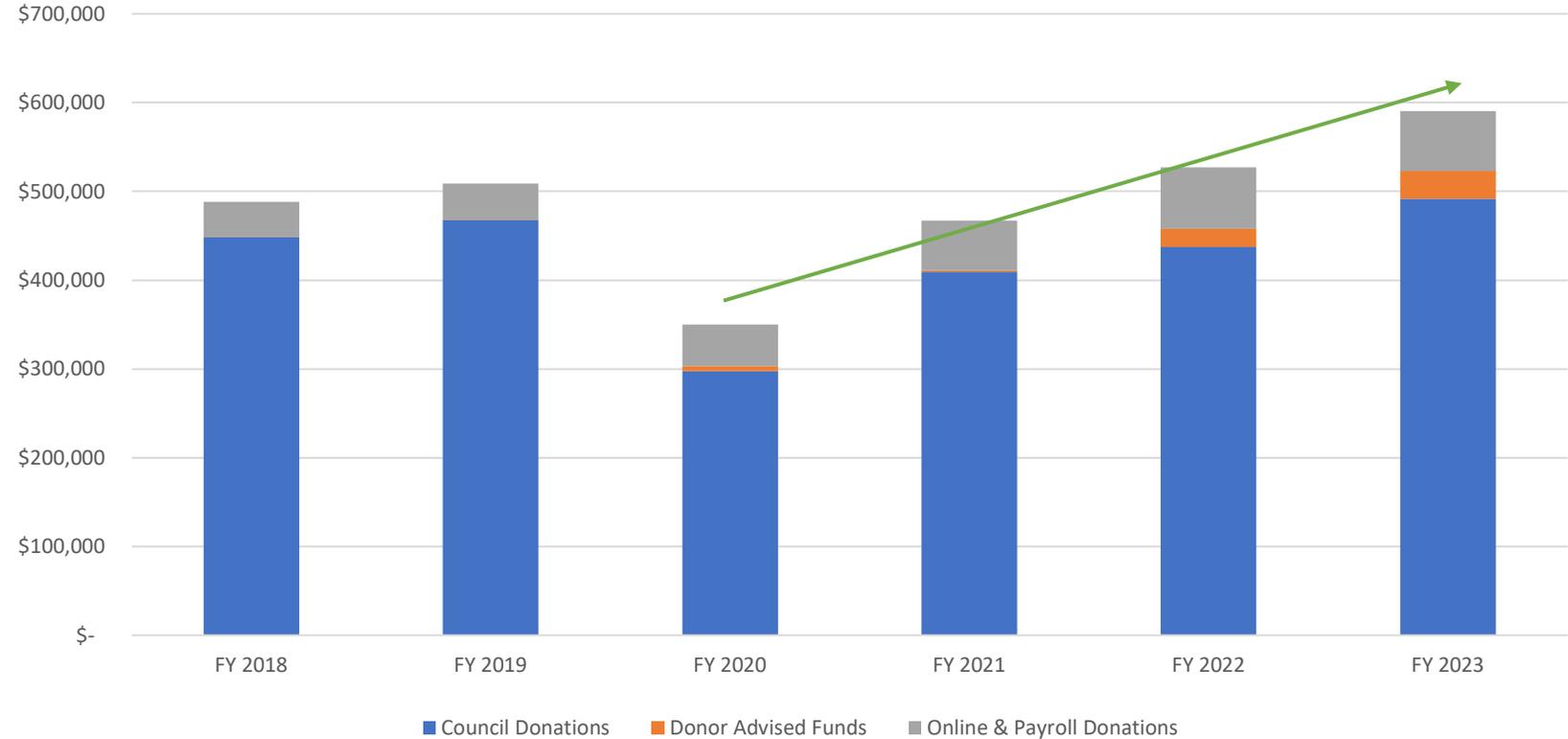




KOVAR'S Annual Donations:



- Donations continue to increase in the post-pandemic era
- The generosity of support to those with Intellectual Disabilities in Virginia is AMAZING!



Type	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Council Donations	\$448,044	\$467,411	\$297,375	\$409,488	\$437,178	\$491,485
Donor Advised Funds	\$ 400	\$ 320	\$ 6,000	\$ 1,850	\$ 20,663	\$ 31,510
Online & Payroll Donations	\$ 40,007	\$ 41,124	\$ 46,558	\$ 55,838	\$ 69,385	\$ 67,507
Total	\$488,451	\$508,855	\$349,933	\$467,176	\$527,226	\$590,502



Our Programs:

- Grants to Non-Profit Organizations Supporting Virginians with Intellectual Disabilities:
 - In Fraternal Year 2022-2023: 32 requests for \$ 522,273
 - Current limit is \$20,000 every 18 months

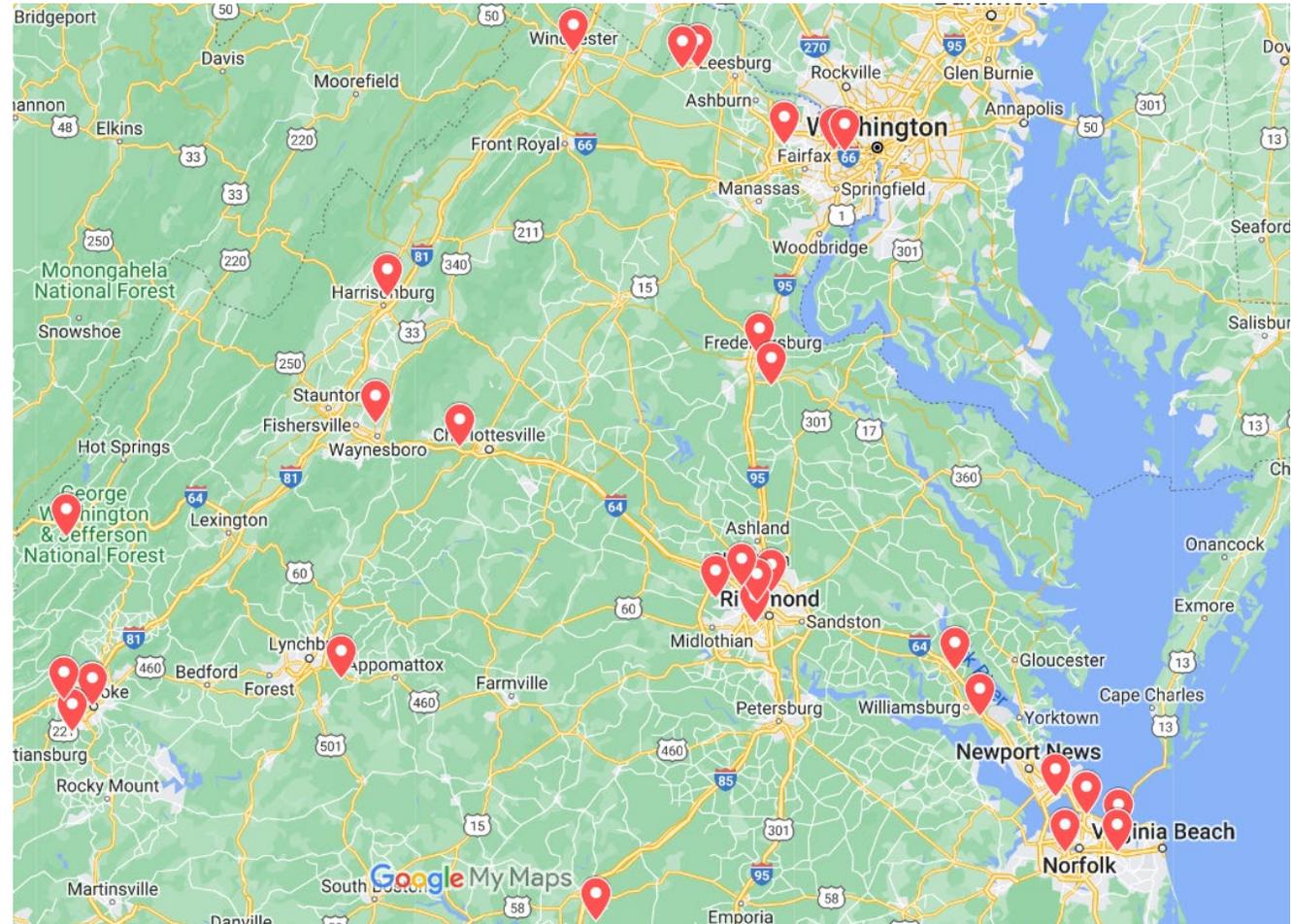
- No-Interest Group Home Loans:
 - 14 current loans for \$1.4M,
 - Current limit is \$250,000 for 15 Years
 - We are the ONLY organization in Virginia offering these terms!



Grants Awarded in 2022-2023:

Organization	Purpose
Gabriel Homes, Inc	Materials and labor to renovate bathrooms in two residential group homes.
Special Olympics Virginia	Fund scholarships for Special Olympics Virginia to send athletes to the 2022 Fall Championships
Rappahannock Adult Activities	Purchase indoor and outdoor furniture for the Kings Highway Day Support Center.
A Farm Less Ordinary	To purchase farming tools and equipment to support the work of our "Growers" with intellectual and developmental disabilities for the 2023 growing season.
Colonial Behavioral Health	20% DRPT local match for one wheelchair accessible minivan
Nest Academy RVA	Scholarships to support Adaptive Adventures, a series of adaptive field trips to enable students to engage in the community
Bishop O'Connell Expanded Services	To purchase updated audio visual equipment in the Expanded Services classroom suite in order to have clear projection and interactive capabilities.
The Arc of the Piedmont	Funding to complete the building's basement renovation and art studio expansion project for art making and community engagement.
Medical Home Plus	Scholarships for clients with ID for services scholarships .

Sample of a few 2022-2023 Grants



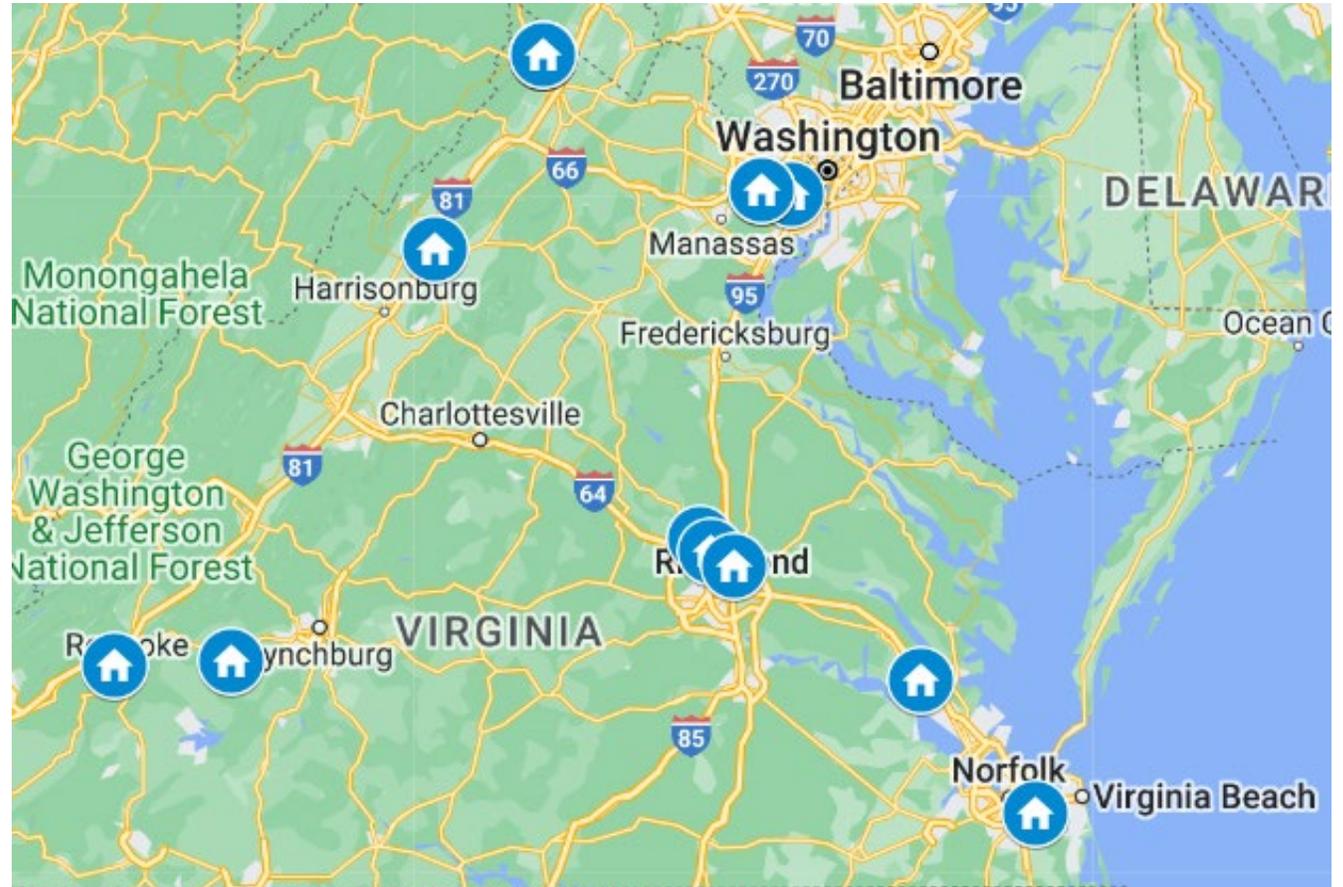
Locations of all 2022-2023 Grants



Current No-Interest Home Loans:

KOVAR has 14 loans with 7 different organizations:

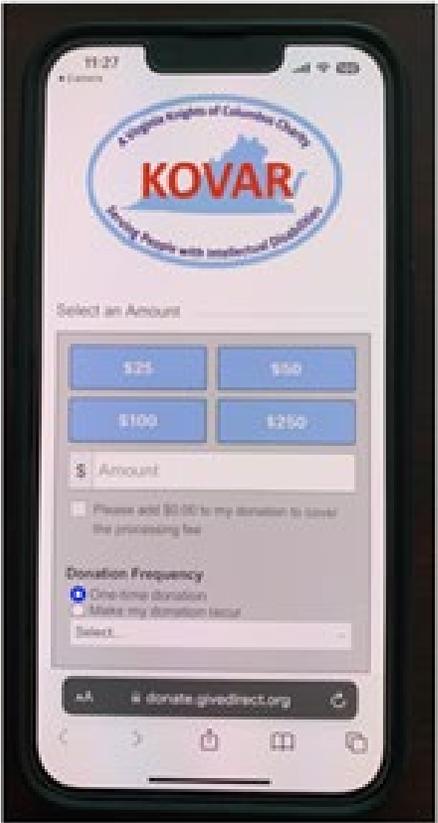
- Franciscan Brethren of St. Phillip, Inc.: Williamsburg
- Heart Havens, Inc.: (2) Glen Allen, Virginia Beach
- Housing Options Inc.: (2) Glen Allen, Richmond
- Lutheran Family Services of Virginia, Inc. (dba enCircle): (2) Bedford, Roanoke
- Marian Homes, Inc.: (3) Annandale, Fairfax (2)
- Shen-Paco Industries, Inc.: Quicksburg
- Shenandoah Valley Community Residences: (3) Winchester



KOVAR reaches all areas within the Commonwealth



KOVAR Collections: Cash is king but digital donations are easy. Just **SCAN TO DONATE**...





Stewardship: We are Recognized by:





Thank You
for Your
Continued
Support!

