

Watowan Health Care Foundation

Supporting the work of St. James Medical Center

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Watowan Health Care Foundation is operated in support of St. James Medical Center (SJMC). The corporation desires to make St. James Medical Center a primary health care provider that can deliver quality medical services to the residents of the St. James Medical Center service area, including Watowan County and parts of Martin, Cottonwood and Brown Counties. The corporation will (1) educate the general public about the numerous and varied services that are available through SJMC and (2) establish, maintain and manage restricted and unrestricted gifts donated to the corporation for the purpose of enhancing the delivery of health care in the SJMC area. It was incorporated in October of 1982.

Watowan Health Care Foundation assumed the challenge of raising \$2 million as a requirement for financing a new St. James Medical Center. The campaign began 1-1-06. As of 11-16-07, \$1.5 M has been raised.

The Foundation has a planned giving program that is designed to encourage community members to leave a legacy to our community and, in particular, to consider a legacy to St. James Medical Center.

Watowan Health Care Foundation's planned giving program supports:

- Listening – What in life do you find most meaningful and why?
- Providing answers – What will your gift accomplish?
- Thinking creatively – What is the best gifting strategy for you?
- Celebrating – at the time of your gift and at our annual legacy reception
- Perpetual name recognition – on a beautiful, custom designed donor wall

Those who remember St. James Medical Center/Watowan Health Care Foundation in their wills or other planned gift are considered members of the Foundation Legacy Society. In addition to receiving on-going updates on issues important to the organization, Legacy Society Members are invited to a special legacy event held each summer.

Watowan Health Care Foundation was established by community members and is governed by a volunteer board of directors.

Watowan Health Care Foundation works with donors and their professional advisors. Please call the Foundation Office at 507-375-8607 for assistance or more information.

The Mission Statement of St. James Medical Center

St. James Medical Center will provide care that is patient-centered, safe, effective, timely, efficient and equitable.