The Next Generation: Mission Forward Plan

Bringing philanthropy to life for a stronger South Dakota by:

- Promoting philanthropy;
- Receiving and administering charitable gifts; and
- Investing in a wide range of programs benefiting the people of South Dakota.

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South Dakota Community Foundation (SDCF)

Stakeholder(s):
South Dakota

Vision
Philanthropy and community create a better state for all residents.

Mission
To bring philanthropy to life for a stronger South Dakota

Values
- **Philanthropy**: Philanthropy as a preferred choice in expressing a commitment to a better South Dakota
- **Integrity**: Integrity, clarity, and transparency in all we do
- **Clarity**
- **Transparency**
- **Empowerment**: Empowering donors to meet the needs of South Dakotans in their own unique way
- **Community**: Strong local communities bonded through shared savings and investment
- **Relationships**: Building long term relationships that focus on the strength and sustainability of South Dakota
1. Philanthropy

Promote philanthropy

1.1. Recognition & Awareness

Grow SDCF recognition and awareness as the leader in philanthropy for the state.

1.2. Promotion

Promote philanthropy as a way of life for South Dakotans.

1.3. Tools

Broaden the scope of the tools we provide to bring philanthropy to life.
2. Grants

*Enhance grantmaking impact*

2.1. Leadership

*Demonstrate and promote SDCF leadership in grantmaking statewide.*

2.2. Investment

*Identify opportunities to invest in initiatives or areas of demonstrated need.*

2.3. Collaboration & Impact

*Build collaborative grantmaking with CSAs and DAFs for combined grantmaking impact.*

**Stakeholder(s):**

CSAs  
DAFs
3. Assets

Grow charitable assets

3.1. Endowment

Grow permanent endowment donor base.

3.2. TOW

Capture transfer of wealth (TOW).

3.3. Advisors

Strengthen relationships with professional advisors.

Stakeholder(s):
Professional Advisors

3.4. Relationships

Seek relationships with private foundations, corporate giving programs and commercial DAFs.

Stakeholder(s):
Private Foundations          Commercial DAFs
Corporate Giving Programs

3.5. Investment Strategies

Regularly review and adapt investment strategies needed to accomplish goals.
4. Sustainability

*Build a sustaining infrastructure*

4.1. Leadership & Staff Development

*Invest in leadership and staff development that assures continued competitive advantage.*

4.2. Operations Investment

*Define and set strategy for ongoing operations investment that builds competitive advantage and leverages the vision of SDCF as the leader in philanthropy.*

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