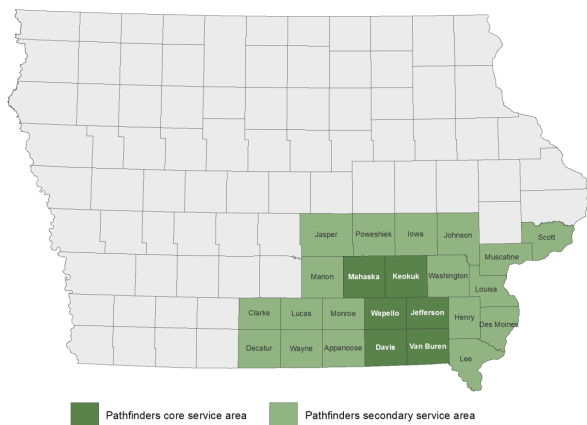


**We provide
the scaffolding for
YOUR great ideas!**



Our work extends from our 5 member counties to communities across southeast Iowa. We've developed **more than 600 projects and partnerships** with communities and awarded **more than \$30 million in grant funding** for our partners.



Keosauqua, IA

From Our Partners

"Pathfinders is involved in almost every aspect of economic or community development. Whether it's funding, help putting it all together, help writing grants, or directing you to get more resources, Pathfinders does it all."

"Pathfinders is improving the quality of life in these communities, whether its beautifying the surrounding area or having tourism that helps the local economy."

"Without the Pathfinders team, our grant application probably would not have been successful. They have a gift with words."

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Creating vibrant communities by strengthening local economies and encouraging natural resource conservation since 1978.

Key Projects

Historic Hills Scenic Byway

We support the visitor experience along the 110-mile byway by installing scenic wayfinding signs and enhancing tourism along the route.



Lake of the Hills Reclamation

We developed a comprehensive long-term plan to improve water quality and conservation in the Lake of the Hills watershed. This provided the groundwork for future improvement projects in Scott County.



Bloomfield, IA



Outdoor Recreation & Tourism

We develop and promote recreational assets to boost tourism, enhance the quality of life and strengthen local economies.



Youth Empowerment & Leadership

We co-create programs with youth that foster leadership, civic engagement, workforce readiness and personal development, which ensures that young people have a voice and a role in shaping their communities.



Conservation & Natural Resources

We support projects that protect, restore and enhance natural resources, with more than 1,700 acres of abandoned mine land restored so far.

How We Help

Economic & Community Development

We partner with local leaders to spark economic growth, revitalize main streets, attract business and build vibrant and resilient communities through planning, collaboration and resource development.



Grant Writing, Fiscal Management & Technical Assistance

We offer grant writing, project development, compliance support and financial management as fee-for-service offerings to help communities access funding, meet program goals and build local capacity.