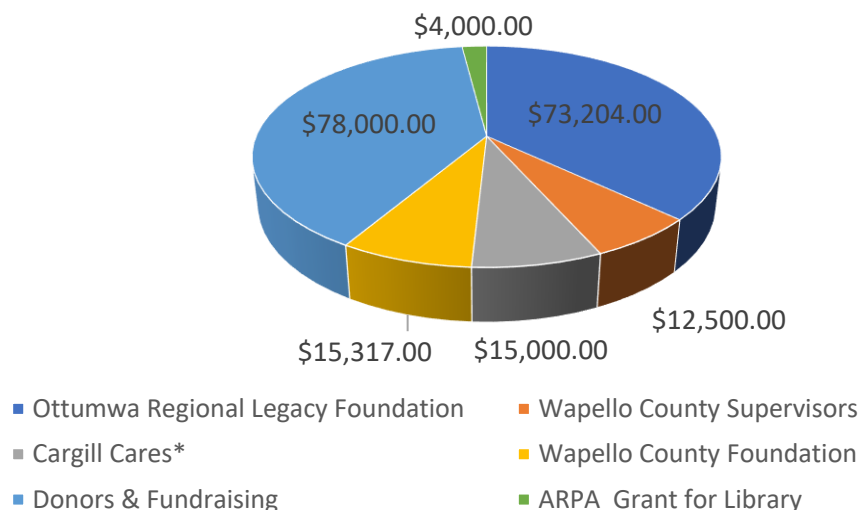


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### Revenue Sources Since 2015 -- \$198,021



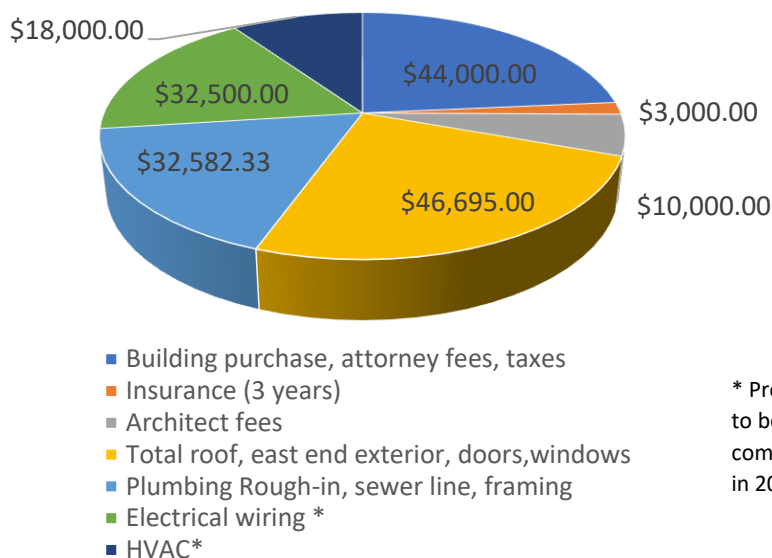
### At a Glance

ORLF 4 grants; one each from Wapello Co. Supervisors, Cargill Cares, Wapello Co. Foundation, American Rescue Plan Act Grant (Library-for technology).

More than 60 individual donors in "100 Wildcats" and other individual donors.

Fund-raising efforts include raffles, Tip-Nights, BINGO concessions, Sweetheart Dinner, Vendor Fair, Trivia events, etc. Annual Tax preparation: Davis & Lewis.

### Expenditures Since November 2017 -- \$186,777



\* Projects to be completed in 2021

### At a Glance

The project is being completed in phases as funds become available.

COVID19 affected fund-raising efforts and increased costs; two more projects should be done before the end of the year.

We have additional grants in the works to complete the building. No city funds were used, nor will they be as the building is owned and maintained by FOBPL.

### FOBPL Officers

President: Dave Talbert  
Vice President: Judy Riedel  
Treasurer: Ilene Johnson  
Secretary: Miranda Danner  
Board Member: Grant Reidel

Membership is open to all. Annual dues are \$10 per person; \$25 per family. Membership meetings are held January, April, July & October.



Proposed front elevation: Rod Curtis, Curtis Architecture & Design  
General Contractor: Christner Construction, Inc., Anthony Christner  
Project Superintendent: Brad Fisher, CCI  
Library Director/Building Consultant: Cheryl Talbert