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**Community Health Investment Program
awards more than \$232,000 in grants**

(March 2, 2016) – The Salina Regional Health Foundation’s Community Health Investment Program (CHIP) awarded three grants totaling more than \$232,000 in February. Funding for CHIP primarily comes from Salina Regional Health Center, which tithes a percentage of its operating margin each year to the Salina Regional Health Foundation. Additional funding for CHIP has come from the Salina Regional Service Auxiliary.

Grants awarded in February included:

- \$150,000 to the Salina Family YMCA toward its \$3.7 million capital campaign. The funds will be used to create youth and family program spaces at the YMCA.
- \$44,000 to Shiloh Ranch Ministries to support programming for at-risk children including the use of horses, archery, music and other activities in a Christian-based environment.
- \$38,148 to the School Marathon Foundation to support the 2016 School Marathon Program at 11 elementary schools in Salina.