

## IFF

The Midwest's Leading Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI)

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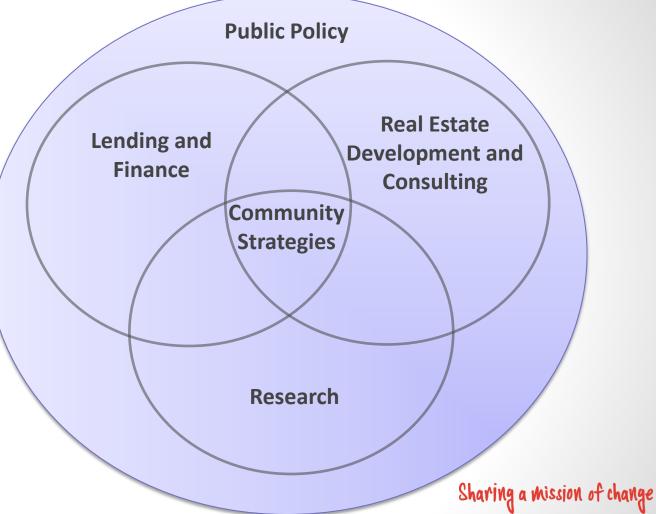


At IFF, we believe that every person has the right to a good education, fresh food, health care, and affordable housing, and to grow up in a safe environment, regardless of income level. And we are here to provide you and your organization with the tools and resources to help your community thrive for years to come.

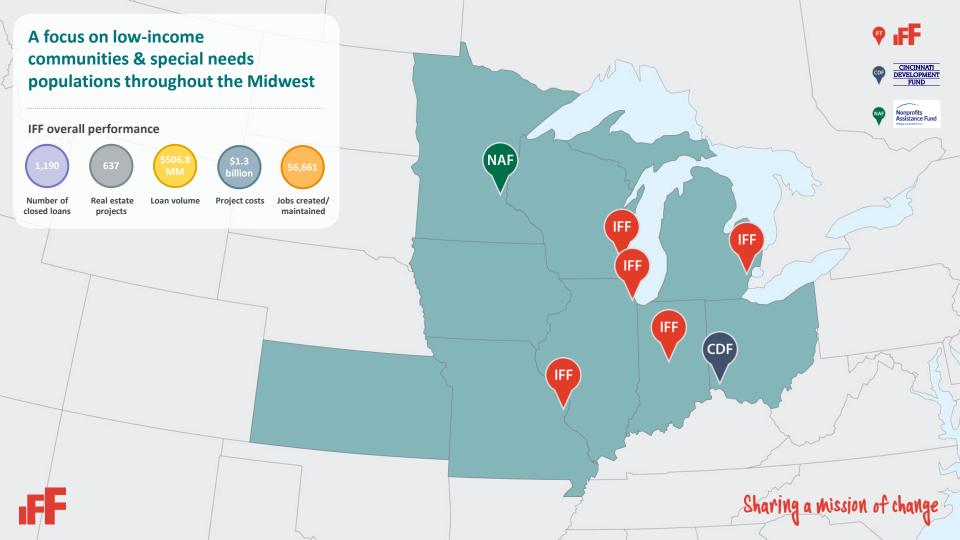
Joe Neri, IFF CEO

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Leading comprehensive community development



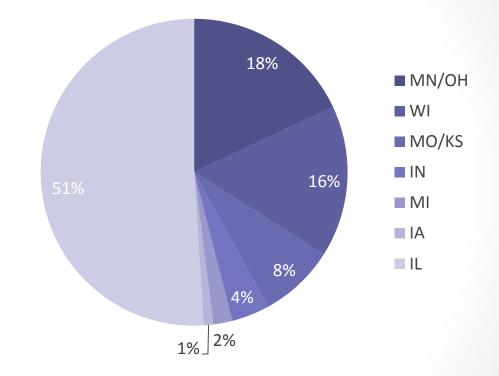




## Total portfolio by state

(based in \$volume)

The loan portfolio is increasingly diversified by geography, as we expanded into Michigan and formed lending partnerships with CDFIs in Minnesota and Cincinnati, Ohio.

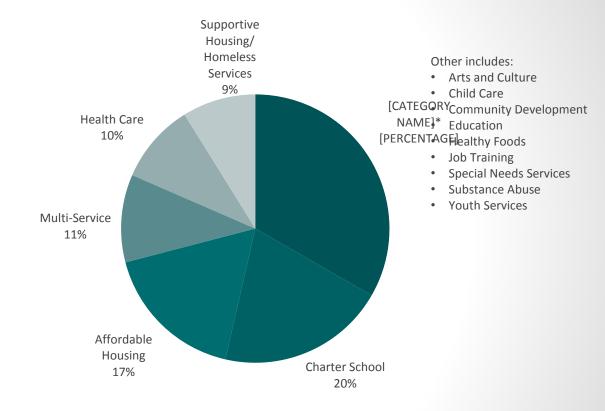




## Total portfolio by sector

(in dollars)

IFF's portfolio reflects diversification by sectors





# Sample List of Investors and Funders

#### 34+ Financial Institutions including:

- Bank of America
- BMO Harris Bank
- Northern Trust
- JP Morgan Chase
- PNC
- The Private Bank
- Citibank

#### 13 Religious Institutions including:

- Adrian Dominican Sisters
- Catholic Health Initiatives
- Mercy Investment Services
- Religious Communities Investment Fund
- Trinity Health

#### 26 Foundations including:

- The Skillman Foundation
- The Kresge Foundation
- The W.K. Kellogg Foundation
- John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation



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#### **Historical loan information and financial impact**

Historical loan information	Current year	Cumulative from 1990	
Number of loans closed	87	1,190	
Average closed loan amount	\$631,712	\$425,924	
Total closed loan amount	\$54,958,961	\$506,850,653	

Financial impact	Current year	Cumulative from 1990	
Total capital leveraged by IFF financing	\$205,624,436	\$1,595,347,439	
Capital leverage ratio	3.74	3.15	
Facility capital leveraged by IFF financing	\$147,822,166	\$1,320,499,740	
Facility capital leverage ratio	3.89	3.36	

Facility capital leverage Ratio excludes refinancing, equipment, working capital, and predevelopment loans.





#### Investing in Metro East and Southern Illinois

City	Loans (#)	Loans (\$M)	Rate Range	Terms
Alton	4	\$0.96	5% to 6%	1 to 15 yrs
Belleville	9	\$3.60	3% to 6%	5 to 22 yrs
East St. Louis	6	\$3.90	3% to 6%	5 to 15 yrs
Cahokia, Centerville, Granite City	3	\$1.63	4.5% to 6%	5 to 15 yrs
Jerseyville	4	\$2.05	5% to 6.5%	5 to 15 yrs
Lebanon	2	\$1.19	5% to 5.5%	10 to 15 yrs
Total	28 Loans	\$13.3 M	3% to 6.5%	1 to 22 yrs



Borrowers:	Since	Purpose of Loan(s)	
Alton Day Care and Learning Center	2000	Rehab of Leased Property	
Alton Square Apartments, LP	2014	Refinance	
Area Agency on Aging of Southwestern Illinois	1999	Acquisition and Rehab	
Caritas Family Solutions	1991	Rehab, Refinance	
First United Methodist Church of Jerseyville	2003	Rehab, Refinance	
Good Samaritan House of Granite City, Inc.	2005	Rehab of Owned Property	
Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation, Inc.	2006	Acquisition and Rehab	
Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House	2010	Working Capital	
Local Union No. 101	2009	Acquisition and New Construction	
New Life in Christ Interdenominational Church	2009	Acquisition, Construction, Refinance	
Power of Change Christian Center, Inc.	2004	Refinance	
Rise	2011	Predevelopment	
Save-a-lot in East St. Louis	2015	New Construction	
St. Clair Associated Vocational Enterprises, Inc.	2010	Refinance	
The Sinai Family Life Center	2003	Acquisition and Rehab, Equipment	
Touchette Regional Hospital, Inc.	2012	Rehab of Owned Property	
Vincent Gray Academy	2009	Acquisition and Rehab	
Violence Prevention Center of Southwestern Illinois	2000	Rehab of Owned Property	



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## **Development** and Financing:

New
Construction of
Food Desert
Grocery Stores



## Save-a-lot Grocery Stores East St. Louis, IL and Rockford, IL

- Used IFFF and HFFI Funds
- Developed and own the Rockford store
- +55 jobs

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#### **Financing:**

New Construction of Food Desert Grocery Store



## Harvest Market Grocery Store East St. Louis, IL

#### **Community Partnership:**

- Harvest Market
- City of East St. Louis and Community Residents
- Lessie Bates Davis Neighborhood House
- Twain Financial
- IFF and Associated Bank

#### Financing:

Leasehold Improvement and Acquisition



## Carondelet Leadership Academy Charter School St. Louis, MO

- \$725 leasehold improvement loan
- Approved a \$3.3M loan for building purchase (CDFI Bond Guarantee)



#### Financing:

New Construction



### **Local 101 Plumbers and Pipefitters Training Facility Belleville, IL**

- Deal with Commerce Bank under appraised (2009)
- IFF "plugged gap" with \$910K
- Deal structured to repay Commerce in 3 years (IFF in 15)
- Deal was successful and paid off early





#### **Capital Solutions**







- Loans for nonprofits, affordable housing and grocery stores
- 95% loan to cost
- Loans from \$10,000 to \$2 million
- 5- to 15-year loans @ 5% to 6%
- No fees or operating covenants
- First mortgage, leasehold, UCC, other





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#### **Technical Assistance**

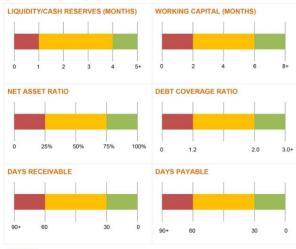
#### IFF's LOAN READINESS INDICATORS

#### for Nonprofit Organizations

Though not the right solution for every situation, taking on debt can allow organizations to build net assets, plan for growth, and control cash flow—strategic use of debt can be a highly effective financial management tool. When managed carefully, project loans enable organizations to reserve cash for operations and programs or can act as a bridge during a fundraising cycle.

Lenders will evaluate many aspects of your organization, including the strength of your board and leadership team. The following are just a few indicators of loan "readiness" that give lenders confidence that your organization has the financial capacity to service debt.

For more helpful financial and real estate planning resources for nonprofit organizations, please visit iff org or call (866) 629-0060.



#### LEGEND:

■ Weak

Acceptable Strong

Credit criteria vary by lender. Any lender commitment would be subject to a completed application, full underwriting, and appropriate approval.



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#### New Market Tax Credits

2002 \$10M 2012 \$25M

2012 \$251

2013 \$43M

#### **St. Louis Area Clients:**

Arts and Education Council LOAN

Beyond Housing LOAN

City Garden Montessori Charter
 STRUCTURING / LOAN

• F2F, LLC Food Hub LOAN

Greenstreet Sav-A-Lot
 LOAN

Grand Center LOAN POOL

Paraquad LOAN POOL

SouthSide Early Childhood Center
 STRUCTURING

St. Louis Language Immersion Schools LOAN POOL



#### Real Estate Services







- Financial Feasibility
- Site Search and Due Diligence
- Strategic Facilities Planning
- Facilities Assessment
- Owner's Rep Services
- Construction Management
- Housing Development Management





#### **Phases of a Facility Project**

Laying Groundwork Site Acquisition Financing Predevelopment Closing

- Assessing Readiness
- Defining Project Parameters
- Evaluating Feasibility

- Structuring Financing/Funding Sources
- Applying for loans/grants
- Site Search
- Site Due Diligence

- ns/grants
  - Project Team Assembly
    - Design
    - Permitting

Closing on financing

Project Management

Construction



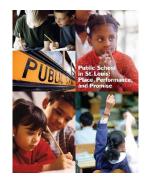


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#### Research



- Community investment analysis
  - Supply and demand studies to measure need for quality schools and early childhood services
  - Guidance on smart resource allocation





#### **Service Gap for Children Ages 0-2 Years**

#### Licensed Providers Demand Service Gap Service Level Master Plan Neighborhoods Great Start to **Quality Rating** Five Stars

Sources: Esri Single Year Age Data 2013. United States Census. United States Department of Health and Human Services. Michigan Department of Human Services. Michigan Department of Education. City of Detroit. Planning & Development Department.

IFF conducts independent research that enables nonprofit organizations, foundations, and government agencies to make informed decisions about resource allocation and policy initiatives. Please see www.iff.org/research for more information.

Neighborhood Rankings

1-10 (Highest Need)

21-30

Service Gap, Children Ages 0-2

Four Stars Three Stars O Two Stars One Star Cicensed, but without a rating

Provider Type O Child Care Center

Master Plan Neighborhoods

Detroit River

☐ Group Child Care Home



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## Community Strategies





- Proactive community development
- Short- and long-term real estate ownership
- Community conditions analysis
- Stakeholder engagement and relationship building
- Resource marshalling















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# Community Development Finance Institution (CDFIs)

#### **Summary**

- Designation under the US Department of Treasury
- Increased investment in low-income communities
- Financial and Technical Assistance

#### **Pros**

- Will often make riskier investments/loans
- Often more flexible and affordable terms
- Provide technical assistance
- Able to provide subordinate or gap financing behind commercial banks

#### Cons

- Smaller Financings
- Timing related to approval and closings



## Affordable Housing Loans

- Typically first position debt, 30-yr amort. with 15-yr term
- LTV of 80% based on as-completed & stabilized value
- Loan amount up to \$1,500,000
- Reserve requirements vary on type
- 1% loan origination fee & no other fees



#### **CDFI** Bond Guarantee Program • Projects over \$1 million

- Bond Financing backed by Treasury Dept. guarantee
- Low, tax-exempt, investment grade rates
- Terms up to 30 years
- Leased or owned spaces
- 100% financing
- Sponsored \$262 million for new/existing campuses

