

Crane Composites Supports Local Charities

GOSHEN, IN, October 12, 2017 – Crane Composites, a subsidiary of Crane Co. and the world’s leading provider of fiberglass reinforced plastic (FRP), recently presented 36 local organizations with donations as part of their long-standing and valued tradition of supporting local communities through the Crane Fund for Widows and Children.

In the RV industry, we’re all on the road together. Part of that journey is investing in the business, but also in the community and those in need. Crane Composites is part of company with a 162-year-plus history of doing business the right way. That’s what led R.T. Crane, our founder, to setup the Crane Fund and the Crane Fund for Widows and Children which was established in 1914. Since their inception, these funds have provided support to former employees in need and local charitable organizations. In parallel, the Crane Foundation has been contributing to educational and scientific organizations since 1951. Today, The Crane Fund supports more than 1,200 former Crane Co. employees and their partners, as well as hundreds of charitable organizations throughout the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom.

This year, Crane Composites had a goal to make the donations from this fund more personal to our associates. Leaders at each of the four plant locations in Goshen, IN, Florence, KY, Jonesboro, AK, and Channahon, IL, asked their associates to identify local organizations that have positively impacted their lives or the communities in which they work.

Crane Composites received many suggestions and was able to use its 2017 funds to donate to charitable organizations that were close to our associate’s hearts. Donation requests ranged from hospital or scholarship funds in memory of a loved one, college programs, to local chapters that impacted the communities where associates work. Specifically in the Elkhart County area, where the majority of RVs are manufactured, the spirit of giving has been extended to several local organizations including: The Boys & Girls Club, National Multiple Sclerosis Society, Salvation Army of Goshen and the United Way of Elkhart County.

“Being involved in the community where we live and work, and supporting those in need, is an essential part of how we do business at Crane Composites,” said Jack Stambaugh, Vice President, RV. “We have built this company on being a good member of the community. That’s a legacy that lives on here at Crane Composites and extends into everything we do – from developing innovative, quality products for the RV industry to inspiring future generations and providing a helping hand when needed.”

About Crane Composites

Crane Composites Inc., a subsidiary of [Crane Co.](#), is the world’s leading provider of fiber-reinforced composite panels. We combine our expertise in composite material science, process and technology with a deep understanding of customer needs to deliver innovative products that outperform traditional metals and woods. Our lightweight composite products deliver unsurpassed strength and durability. Since 1954, we have continued to pioneer numerous patented technologies for industrial and commercial product applications. We’ve built a proven reputation for industry leadership by partnering with customers and suppliers to deliver advanced, industry-leading solutions. Follow Crane Composites on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [LinkedIn](#).

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