

**CASA KIN (Kids In Need)
McLoughlin Foundation**

The McLoughlin Foundation has generously donated funds to Cass County CASA to be used primarily for direct support to the children CASA serves for services that are not covered by DHS, Medicaid, or any other resources. This money will be granted based on need and must be applied for by the CASA volunteer. The following lists cover the general categories for which the funds might be used, however all requests will be reviewed on a case by case basis. Emphasis will be on (but not restricted to) adolescent youth, the development of independent living skills to prepare youth for a career after foster care.

1. Direct Service to CASA Children

- a. Mental health
- b. Physical health
- c. Training outside school
- d. Camps
- e. Private tutoring
- f. Extracurricular activities
- g. School supplies, equipment, etc.
- h. College visits
- i. Transportation costs

2. CASA Training, Technical Support

- a. CTAC Training (Children's Trauma Assessment Center) for volunteers, board, staff
- b. Delinquency training