

PARTNERSHIP

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Dear Friends and Community Partners,

I hope this letter finds you well and enjoying a strong start to the year. On behalf of The Bricks in Downtown Hays (Downtown Hays Development Corporation), I want to thank you for the many ways you help make our downtown a vibrant and welcoming place.

Downtown Hays is more than a collection of businesses and buildings—it is the heart of our community. It is where neighbors gather, traditions are celebrated, local entrepreneurs thrive, and memories are made. That vitality does not happen by accident. It is sustained through shared investment, thoughtful planning, and a deep commitment to place.

As we look ahead, The Bricks is launching a renewed approach to community support through the Bricks Partnership, a mission-based investment model designed to strengthen Downtown Hays year-round. This model invites individuals, businesses, and community partners to invest in the core work that makes downtown successful every day.

Through your partnership, you help fuel:

- Year-round events and experiences that bring people downtown
- Support for local businesses, entrepreneurs, and property owners
- Beautification efforts such as lighting, décor, and streetscape enhancements
- The staff, operations, and systems that ensure long-term sustainability

The Bricks Partnership is built on the belief that a thriving downtown benefits our entire community—economically, culturally, and socially. Your annual investment helps ensure that Downtown Hays remains vibrant, resilient, and positioned for future growth.

Below, you will find information outlining the Bricks Partnership investment levels and the impact each level supports. We welcome partners at every level and are grateful for all forms of support, including financial, in-kind, and volunteer engagement.

Thank you for considering this invitation to partner with The Bricks. Your investment is not simply a donation—it is a commitment to the heart of Hays and to the community we share.

With sincere appreciation,

Lee Ann June
Executive Director

2026 Board Members:

Schamra Detherage, Karen Dreiling, Julie Keller, Chelsey Ladd, Janie Louden, Patrick McGinnis, Kiley Rupp, Chief Don Scheibler, Jackie Smith, Andrew Taylor, Shae Veach, Bryan VonFeldt, and Mindy Werth

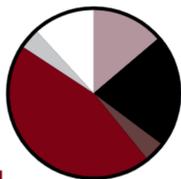
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Downtown Hays Market (DHM)

Downtown Hays Market Vendors

- Beverages
- Makers & Artisans
- Plants & Flowers
- Prepared Food
- Produce & Farm Products
- Other



54 Total Market Vendors

Market Food Access Impact

\$484
SNAP Benefits

\$464
Double Up Food Bucks

Access to healthy food from local growers!

The Bricks in Downtown Hays

Attendance at Community Events



DHM Weekly Attendance (lowest 300, highest 780)



2025 By the Numbers

Powered by Community

80 Individuals and Businesses Supported the Brick-by-Brick Campaign

Individuals and Businesses Gave to Christmas Magic on Main Street

37

82 Incredible Volunteers Supported Across the Board, Committees, Events, and Community Efforts

1420 Total Volunteer Hours in 2025

100% Gratitude for Community Support!

DHM Social Media Audience

6.8K
Total Followers

The Bricks Social Media Audience

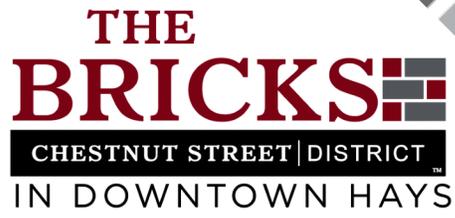
12.3
Total Followers

Christmas by The Numbers

- 🎄 100+ crafts created
- 👶 476 Visits with Santa & Mrs. Claus
- 🚗 572 Clydesdale Wagonette Rides
- ☕ 950+ Cups of Cocoa Served



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YES! I want to partner with The Bricks!

Return to help The Bricks continue its mission:
1200 Main Street, Ste 102, Hays, KS 67601

Contact Name: _____
Business Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Phone: _____
Email: _____
City: State: Zip: _____

- COMMUNITY SUPPORTER | \$100+**
- DOWNTOWN INVESTOR | \$500+**
- VISION PARTNER | \$1,000+**
- COMMUNITY CHAMPION | \$2,500+**
- LEGACY BUILDER | \$5,000+**
- IN KIND PARTNERSHIP _____**

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