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As we wrap up 2023, we want to wish you and yours a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

This year was a year of celebration for us at Nex-Generation Round Up for Youth, as we reached our 10th Anniversary of serving youth and communities in the northwest and north central Kansas region. After starting with only six interns in 2011 (prior to our becoming a non-profit organization), our internship program has now played host to more than 700 students. Additionally, we have expanded our educational programs exponentially, aligning to core curriculum standards and focusing on youth retention to our small, rural communities, reaching over 13,000 students across the region.

We attribute our growth to each of YOU - supporting us financially, hosting interns in your local business, bringing students to Young AmeriTowne, and participating with us in so many other ways. Thanks to your support, thousands of students are experiencing hands-on lessons in finance, business, careers, and so much more, right here at home.

As you'll see from our highlights below, many students are being positively impacted as a result! We would be remiss not to give a special "Thank You" to all those who support us financially, including Nex-Tech, Dane G. Hansen Foundation, and other businesses and individuals, including the 10,000+ Nex-Tech customers who round up their monthly bills in support of Nex-Generation. Since May 2015, customer round-up contributions have exceeded \$740,000!

As we reflect on the past 10 years, we feel truly humbled, and we look forward to the future. We are certain that 2024 will be another year of growth and celebration, and we look forward to partnering with YOU.

Once again, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

*Jacque R. Beckman*  
Executive Director

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## **Nex-Tech Round-Up Program Contributions**



January-December 2023                      \$68,037

May 2015-December 2023                      \$742,678

### **Number of Participating Accounts:**

Residential: 9,455 of 25,198 billed accounts

Business: 1,517 of 4,532 billed accounts

TOTAL: 10,972 accounts





# 10th Anniversary of Nex-Gen Update

## 2011-2023 PARTICIPATION BY PROGRAM

Career Fairs:	7,753
AmeriTowne:	2,242
Entrepreneurship:	1,624
Internships:	709
Work Study:	147
Life\$kills:	53
Interviewing/Resume Writing	1,163
<b>Total:</b>	<b>13,691</b>



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## Want to Make a Year-End Contribution?

We are so grateful for the support system that we have for our programs! Whether you are able to donate \$5,000, \$500, or \$50, your contributions directly help educate young students in our programs! Click on the "donate" button below to give online or mail your donation to our office at Nex-Generation, P.O. Box 158, Lenora, KS 67645. Thank **YOU** for all **YOU** do for Nex-Gen!

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