Equity Statement

The Community Foundation of Northeast Alabama defines equity as:

- The full inclusion of all people into a society in which everyone can participate and prosper.
- In an equitable society, everyone, regardless of the circumstances of birth or upbringing, is treated justly and fairly by its institutions and systems.
- To promote equity everywhere, philanthropy must first acknowledge the historical roots of inequity and the present-day systems that perpetuate it. It must then use its resources to spark transformation that allows all people to reach their full potential, unhindered by hatred, bigotry, exclusion or discrimination.

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