

NORTH CAROLINA
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION



THE POWER OF ENDOWMENT



This chart shows the growth of a \$25,000 endowment over 20 years. The fund's balance increased 36 percent, while granting 5% per year. This increase was achieved with no additional contributions to the fund. Imagine the power if regular contributions were made!



Endowment Balance



Cumulative Grants

Assumptions: 8% annual growth, 5% annual grants