

# STARFISH GALAXY

**LEAD Brevard's mission:  
working together to strengthen our community by inspiring people to lead.**

LEAD Brevard has created the **Starfish Galaxy** to recognize leaders who, through their philanthropy, provide access and opportunities for our community members to prosper.

**LEAD Brevard recognizes the individuals and organizations who make a philanthropic investment of \$1,000 or more as an annual donation as members of the Starfish Galaxy. It is a community of alumni, business leaders, and philanthropists who support LEAD Brevard and the greater leadership community of Brevard.**

As a member of the Starfish Galaxy, we recognize your support of efforts to expand participation.  
**You have a vision and are willing to invest in the future.**

*A young girl was walking along a beach upon which thousands of starfish had been washed up during a terrible storm. When she came to each starfish, she would pick it up and throw it back into the ocean. People watched her with amusement. She had been doing this for some time when a man approached her and said, "Little girl, why are you doing this? Look at this beach! You can't save all these starfish. You can't begin to make a difference! The girl seemed crushed, suddenly deflated. But after a few moments, she bent down, picked up another starfish, and hurled it as far as she could into the ocean. Then she looked up at the man and replied, "I made a difference to that one!"*

*Adapted from "The Star Thrower" by Loren C. Eiseley*

**Starfish Galaxy annual gift levels begin at \$1,000.**  
Monthly gift options and multiple-year pledges are welcome.  
*(Membership in LEAD Brevard is a separate investment).*

Please join the people who are ensuring that others have access to life-changing experiences with LEAD Brevard.  
Thank you for your personal commitment and generosity.

**YES, I want to join the Starfish Galaxy!**