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### **The IEC Foundation Receives Capital Grant**

The Independent Electrical Contractors (IEC) Foundation has received a \$120,227 capital grant from The Dallas Foundation (TRIAD Fund) that will benefit the Independent Electrical Contractors' Fort Worth/Tarrant County's Chapter electrical apprenticeship program providing job training and employment. (For more information visit [www.iecfwtc.org](http://www.iecfwtc.org)).

The purpose of the TRIAD Fund (Texas Resources for Iraq-Afghanistan Deployment) is to fund program that provide career training and employment to Iraq and Afghanistan veterans and their families.

The Dallas Foundation was formally established in June 1929 as the Dallas Community Trust under the sponsorship of A. H. Belo Corporation (now known as Belo Corp.), the Times Herald Printing Company, the Dispatch Publishing Company, and the Dallas Chamber of Commerce. The heritage of The Dallas Foundation is an integral part of the history of Dallas and its many farsighted civic leaders over the years. The future of The Dallas Foundation and its ability to benefit the residents of Dallas County is assured by the continued generosity and concern of its distinguished donors and Governors. (For more information visit [www.dallasfoundation.org](http://www.dallasfoundation.org) )

The IEC Foundation, established in 1996, is the charitable partner of the Independent Electrical Contractors Association, a national organization with over 3,700 members nationwide. The mission of the IEC Foundation is to create educational opportunities introducing and guiding youth, men and women to successful and satisfying careers in the electrical and communications industries. Our major goal is to improve the quality of life and create a better world; to build better families, homes, cities, schools and businesses; and to make the world a better functioning place to live.

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