When Bill and Julie Kellner decided to plan their charitable giving, one method of delivery stood out – the Community Foundation for the Land of Lincoln. The Kellners, who operate MJ Kellner Co. Inc., established the Kellner Charitable Fund through the Foundation.

“We are fortunate to be in a position to give back to the community, believe in the mission of the foundation and are secure in knowing the fund will be judicially managed,” Julie Kellner said. “We look forward to working with (Executive Director) John Stremsterfer and the staff at the Foundation and see what we can do over time.”

The Kellner fund will focus on education and health care, with an emphasis on patient care and mental health issues.

Bill Kellner’s parents, Janet and Hack, were extensively involved with Memorial Medical Center and the family believes strongly in continuing their commitment.

Narrowing down the broad interests is a benefit to working with the Foundation, which has knowledge and access to a wide range of charitable causes. “It’s quite helpful that the Community Foundation assists in finding organizations in need of help,” Kellner said.