



Community Connections



**FOUNDATION INCREASED SUPPORT
OF EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT
PROGRAMS BY 40% IN 2017**

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**'Climate change is the
defining issue within the
energy industry'**

DTE Energy Chairman and CEO Gerry Anderson announced one of the earliest and most aggressive carbon reduction plans by an energy company last year. Now, he's being recognized with the Individual Climate Leadership award, among the first CEOs in the energy industry to win the prestigious award.

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Big spending means more jobs



DTE Energy spent nearly \$1.7 billion with Michigan businesses in 2017, and created or sustained 5,100 jobs across the state. The company exceeded its goal by more than \$300,000. In the past eight years, DTE has spent more than \$7.5 billion with local suppliers of goods and services, creating 16,000 jobs.

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In a world of possibilities, Randolph is a good place to start



Masonry? Carpentry? Electrical or plumbing? It's a tough choice. But for 300 Detroit students, the choice is easy now that Randolph Career Technical Center is re-energized thanks to business leaders across the region, including DTE Energy.

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Transforming communities, supporting minority businesses

For the first time in the Michigan Minority Supplier Development Council's 40-year-history, a non-automotive chairman has taken the helm. DTE Energy Chief Procurement Officer Tony Tomczak was sworn in as chairman this month, and is focused on strengthening small minority businesses and improving partnerships in west and central Michigan.

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Your community, our mission

Local communities had 3,500 additional helping hands last year, as our Care Force volunteers dedicated more than 56,000 hours to serving 567 Michigan nonprofit organizations. Because our mission is to positively impact the places where we live and serve.



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