



THE TOWN OF PALM BEACH UNITED WAY ALLOCATION COMMITTEE CELEBRATES END OF GRANT REVIEW PROCESS

Town of Palm Beach United Way

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JAY BOODHESHWAR
Chairman

PALM BEACH, Florida – Volunteers celebrated the end of the Town of Palm Beach United Way’s grant review process Monday, April 23, with a cocktail reception at Al Fresco’s at the Palm Beach Par 3 Golf Course.

MARK COOK
CHRISTINE CURTIS
J. IRA HARRIS
TRIP MOORE
BETSY TURNER
DEBRA VASILOPOULOS
Vice Chairmen

Each year, dedicated volunteers make important funding decisions to ensure that annual donations are carefully and thoughtfully put to good use to help the most vulnerable children, individuals and families in Palm Beach County. They spend hours reviewing grant applications from area non-profits, attending site visits and meeting with team members to decide how much money will go toward programs in the areas of education, health, financial stability and basic needs.

MISSY AGNELLO
Treasurer

“The allocations process is the cornerstone of our United Way,” said Board Chairman **Jay Boodheshwar**. “Volunteers dedicate their heart and soul to this process to ensure that more than 2,500 donations are invested in effective programs that make the greatest impact on those in need in our community.”

GAIL CONIGLIO
Secretary

Since the volunteer-driven review process began in 1945, more than \$69 million has been invested in programs that put kids on the path to graduation, ensure people are healthy and safe, help older adults and persons with disabilities gain independence, and provide the supports needed to lift adults and families out of poverty.

ANN-BRITT ANGLE
JORGE CABRERA
ATESH CHANDRA
MARY FREITAS
MICHELE KESSLER
DAVID MACK
CARA CONIGLIO MCCLURE
DANIELLE HICKOX MOORE
ALISON SIEVING
Executive Committee

This year, 96 volunteers on 14 teams (list attached) participated in the allocation process. They evaluated 92 programs at 46 local non-profits from Boca Raton to Jupiter. Their recommended \$3,281,700 in funding will help more than 390,000 residents in our community.

BETH WALTON
Chief Executive Officer

“Over the course of the last three months, these volunteers have dedicated their time and energy to making Palm Beach County a better place to live and work, and we cannot thank them enough,” said **Tish Carlo**, co-chair of the Allocation Committee with **Jorge Cabrera** and **Betsy Turner**. “They’ve spent 2,000 hours and traveled 6,000 miles to review vital health and human service programs that will serve thousands of children, seniors, caregivers, persons with disabilities and struggling adults and families in our community.”

The Allocation Committee volunteers are a diverse group of community representatives with a broad range of expertise and skill. Their knowledge, passion and dedication to this process is invaluable to the Town of Palm Beach United Way and the community we serve.

For more information about the Town of Palm Beach United Way please call 561.655.1919 or visit www.palmbeachunitedway.org.

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CHANGE DOESN'T HAPPEN ALONE

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Amb. Edward Elson
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