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Press Release

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One Lafayette Grants $42,000 to Local Nonprofits

LAFAYETTE, CO - October 2, 2012 – During the meeting on October 2, Lafayette City Council will be awarding $42,000 to 21 local nonprofit organizations who provide assistance for Lafayette residents. Funding is provided via the 17th annual "One Lafayette" Grant Program. This program is financed through the City's general fund. The awards fell into two categories; Essential Community Resources and Special Projects.

The following organizations were awarded Essential Community Resources funds:

Sister Carmen Center, Meals on Wheels, Safehouse Progressive Alliance for Non-Violence (SPAN), Clinica Campesina, Saint Benedict Health and Healing Ministry, Flatirons Habitat for Humanity, VIA (Formerly Special Transit), Voices for Children, Immigrant Legal Center of Boulder County, Rocky Mountain Legal Center, and Boulder County Legal Services.

Special Project Grants were awarded to:

WOW! Children's Museum, Audio Information Network, Lafayette Miners Museum, Project YES, Intercambio Uniting Communities, Institute for Ethical and Civic Engagement, Centaurus Track and Cross Country, Kids Park Lafayette, Rocky Mountain Center for Musical Arts, and Imagine.

One Lafayette's mission is to assist local non-profits in the work they selflessly perform in Lafayette, enabling our community to be a better place to live.

Pam Spring, Human Resources Director and staff liaison for the program, had this to say about One Lafayette "This is a great thing that the City does for the nonprofit organizations in our community; they deserve our support. We are building a community with heart. "

Anyone interested in helping to make a difference with a tax-deductable donation can do so by sending a check to the address below. 100% of all donations will be dispersed to the community.

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