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Shenandoah Community Foundation Awards \$49,000 Local Non-Profits

Woodstock, VA (April 24, 2017) – The Shenandoah Community Foundation announced this year's community grant recipients today.

19 local non-profit organizations received grants totaling \$49,000.

"Once again we are honored to be able to positively affect our community by supporting local charities," said Foundation President Jeff Dalke. "These organizations work tirelessly to improve the lives of Shenandoah County residents and we are happy to be able to support their work."

The organizations which received funding in amounts ranging from \$750 to \$5,500 were:

American Red Cross

Blue Ridge Area Food Bank

Blue Ridge Hospice

Family Promise of Shenandoah County

Gemeinschaft Home

Healthy Families Shenandoah County

Humane Society of Shenandoah County

LFCC Educational Foundation, Inc.

Mt. Olive and Shiloh UMC Enrich Program

Response

Shenandoah Area Agency on Aging

Shenandoah Alliance for Shelter

Shenandoah Education Foundation – Dolly Parton Imagination Library

Shenandoah Lutheran Ministries – Luke's Back Pack

Shenandoah Valley Music Festival

Hamburg Ruritan Club – Spring Forward

Northwestern Community Services Board – Sunshine House

Valley Educational Center for the Creative Arts (VECCA)

Virginia Cooperative Extension

The Community Grants program was made possible by a generous donation from Woodstock Anonymous.

The Shenandoah Community Foundation helps connect people who care with causes that matter in Shenandoah County area. For more information, contact us at

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