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100 DONORS MEMBERSHIP VOTE TO AWARD INAUGURAL GRANT OF \$20,000 TO SPECTRUM DESIGNS FOUNDATION

Inspired by the \$2MM impact of the local Women’s only group, Impact 100, the new “100 Donors” nonprofit is tapping into the unrealized potential of Westchester “men” to help further address critical local unmet needs and to create an organization capable of generating annual transformative results



L-R: Founding 100 Donors Board Members gather at a special Sam’s of Gedney Way summer 2021 kick-off event, Thatcher Drew, David Ringler, Alan Rothstein, Tony Fasciano, Michael Lang, Dan Lipka, JD Summa.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NY - 100 Donors (100donors.org) Co-founder and Board President, David Ringler, CAP®, CRPC®, CPFA, announced today that 100 Donors, Inc, one of Westchester’s newest 501c3 organizations, has made its inaugural grant of \$20,000 to Spectrum Designs Foundation. The grant was made possible by the 2021 founding members of this men’s only collective giving organization.

“This is an important grant for a vital organization in our community that will have a transformational impact on our community over the coming years, Ringler said. “The good it will do is why we started this, and it’s only just the beginning.

Spectrum Designs Foundation (SDF) is a nonprofit with a social mission: to create meaningful and inclusive employment opportunities for people on the Autism Spectrum. This transformative program addresses the unmet employment needs of Autistic Westchester residents. This project is directly aligned with 100 Donors’ values of equality, community and diversity. Having opened their Westchester location in 2020, the grant will help build its organizational infrastructure in order to provide meaningful work and training opportunities for people with Autism in Westchester.

Patrick Bardsley, Co-Founder and CEO remarked, “It is a great honor to accept this inaugural grant from 100 Donors. We know there were many worthy applicants, so it is extra special to be recognized by the members of 100 Donors who believe so wholeheartedly in our community. The funds from this grant will be used towards building a more equitable workforce that dismantles barriers, dispels myths, and expands opportunities for people of all abilities. We thank 100 Donors for believing in our mission and for their incredible generosity.”

David Ringler, commented on the origins of 100 Donors, “Too often men are outside the giving process. We came together to create 100 Donors to be a space where men can give a smaller amount and still feel the larger impact. We hope to become the beacon for other men in the community to step forward and give big together.”

Ringler continued, “100 Donors is providing the men of Westchester with an understanding that collective giving works. We’re so proud and thankful to the founding local members who have stepped up in our inaugural year, during this time of great uncertainty, trusting this vision and making an inaugural gift of over \$20,000 not just possible . . . and of today, a reality as well.”

100 DONORS FOUNDING MEMBERS

Amir Asadi, Dan Bernstein, Kevin Cook, Rob Cordero, Jon Drew, Thatcher Drew, Tony Fasciano, David Fisher, Joshua Gaccione, Drew Hahn, Anonymous, Michael Lang, Daniel Lipka, Bob Mogil, Scott Morrison, Alexander Pilavsky, Dylan Pyne, David Ringler, Mark Rollins, Alan Rothstein, Michael Sava, Chip Schultz, Mark Seiden, David Severance, Richard St. Paul, JD Summa, Sam Wallis. Special thanks to Founding Sponsor David McBride.

HOW TO JOIN IN 2022

The application for new members to join in the next round of giving in 2022 will open by early January. Please contact transform@100donors.org with any questions.

Follow us on [Facebook](#) and [LinkedIn](#) for all related grant announcements, updates, and membership news.

100 DONORS MISSION

100 Donors is a nonprofit that was founded in 2021 that provides men the opportunity to have a larger positive impact on their community as a group, than as individuals, by leveraging our resources, ideas, and experiences. We value equality, community, and diversity.

The annual goal of 100 Donors will be to invest in empowering and bringing to life the best transformational ideas of local changemakers and nonprofit organizations, through planned annual collective philanthropic giving. Learn more at 100donors.org.

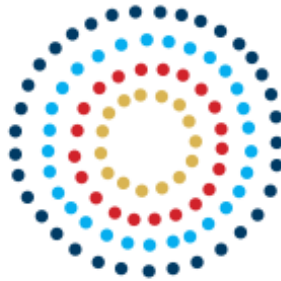
OUR INSPIRATION

We are inspired by Impact 100 Westchester, a women’s-only collective giving organization that has donated over \$2million dollars since they were founded in 2014. 100 Donors is grateful to Impact 100 Westchester Founder Sharon Douglas for her support and guidance. We encourage any woman who is interested in giving, to please visit Impact 100 and explore that amazing organization.

In addition, this organization has been inspired and helped by two seminal programs offered by Volunteer New York! Leadership Westchester and Board Boot Camp. As well as to Pro Bono Partners. We are grateful to all who have stepped up to help inspire this dream become a reality.

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WHY IS THE 100 DONORS LOGO CALLED **THE CAMPFIRE?**

IT'S A REMINDER THAT THE IDEA OF COMMUNITY
HAS EXISTED FOR AS LONG AS WE'VE GATHERED
TO KEEP WARM AROUND THE FIRE + SHARE
EXPERIENCES TOGETHER.

IT'S A SYMBOL OF CONNECTION, TRADITION, WHAT
WE ARE SUPPORTING, AND A BRIGHTER FUTURE.

IT'S THE BELIEF THAT WE ARE STRONGER AND
WISER WHEN WE WORK TOGETHER AND AT THE
END OF THE DAY, NO MATTER OUR DIFFERENCES,
WE ALL HAVE A PLACE AROUND THE CAMPFIRE.

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