

GIVING TUESDAY

NEWS RELEASE

Date: <DATE>

Subject: <AFFILIATE NAME> encourages donations to local nonprofits for Giving Tuesday

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On Dec. 2, Giving Tuesday kicks off the year-end season of giving. To join in on the generosity, <AFFILIATE NAME> encourages community members to donate to local nonprofits. A list of the <AFFILIATE ACRONYM>'s nonprofit partners can be found at cfozarks.org/affiliates/<AFFILIATE URL>.

A few tips for donors:

- **Consider a recurring gift when giving online** to support an agency throughout the year.
- **To donate time or physical goods, contact agencies** to find out what services or items are most needed, as well as how to coordinate your volunteer services or delivery of your donation.
- **An unrestricted gift is the most effective way** to give to a nonprofit. These flexible gifts allow agencies to use funds where they are most needed.

As an affiliate of the Community Foundation of the Ozarks, the <AFFILIATE ACRONYM> can help donors who wish to donate something beyond cash — like appreciated stock or IRA charitable distributions — to a nonprofit partner or charitable fund. Please contact <CONTACT>.

The <AFFILIATE ACRONYM> does not provide tax or legal advice and recommends speaking with a professional advisor. If a donor wants to engage with one, members of the CFO's Professional Advisors Council can be found at cfozarks.org/professional-advisors.

The <AFFILIATE NAME> was founded in <YEAR> with a mission to enhance the quality of life in <COMMUNITY NAME> through resource development, community grantmaking, collaboration and public leadership.

Founded in 1973, the Community Foundation of the Ozarks is the region's largest public charitable foundation serving a network of donors, 55 regional affiliate foundations — including the <AFFILIATE NAME> — and nonprofit partners across central and southern Missouri.

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