Save the Date for the 2022 N Street Village Annual Gala and Auction

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MARCH 10, 2022 | MARRIOTT MARQUIS

We look forward to welcoming you in person this year, as we continue to monitor the ongoing pandemic. Join us to hear stories of strength and triumph from Village honorees, share our vision for a more equitable DC, and reflect on the impact of our incredible Village family.

HONORING
Cynthia Dahlin and Ronald Barusch

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Remembering Reza Shahabadi

N Street Village is grateful for the recent generous gift from the Shahabadi family, made in memory of Reza Shahabadi. Reza passed away in 2019 and his family’s gift to N Street Village is one of the many ways they continue to cherish Reza’s generosity and kindness.

Reza was born in Tehran, Iran in 1977. His mother and father were hardworking and instilled in him the values of honesty, kindness, community service, and respect for all. When Reza turned sixteen his family moved to Germany, and a year later, to the United States where he attended George Washington University, earning a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering and later a Master’s degree in engineering management.

Later in life, Reza became interested in real estate and developing properties. He had a special sense of art and a grand vision of expanding his projects. But his professional projects were just one expression of his artistic and aesthetic sensibility. It extended to the way in which he lived his life. He was caring and considerate to everyone from different walks of life, a master in the art of living, and an artist in living beautifully. He was respectful and kind to all, patient with an immense amount of tolerance, soft-spoken and mild-mannered, easy to smile and laugh. Reza’s family and friends will always remember him as a gentle, loving, and caring man. He embodied our Village values of meeting everyone where they are with radical hospitality and offering a helping hand on their journey towards hope, healing, and growth. Thank you to the Shahabadi family for ensuring Reza’s legacy lives on by supporting the hundreds of women N Street Village serves each year.

Are you interested in becoming more connected to the Village? A great way to start is through workplace giving. By putting your paycheck to work, you are able to provide women experiencing homelessness in DC with a safe place to call home. Give directly or share to support workplace giving!

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Hypothermia Season Alert

As we enter the colder months of the year, keep an eye out for neighbors in need of shelter. If you see someone in need, please call the Shelter Hotline at 202-399-7093. Your call could save a life.
For nearly 10 years the Pacers Running Community has supported the Village through their Holiday Fun Runs the entire month of December. This year, with generous matching gifts from Village friend Joanna Calabrese and Andrea Rutledge, more than 50 DC runners raised over $5,500 to support their neighbors experiencing homelessness.

Bloomie’s by Bloomingdale’s hosted the Village for an evening of shopping on December 16th! Thank you to Village friend Susan Cannaday and the entire Bloomie’s team for your hospitality and $5,000 investment in the upcoming Annual Gala and Auction.

Thank you to Terriotate, Painted Palettes, Handmade Habitat, Marcello Kriebel and all of the amazing Brookland Arts Walk partners for welcoming us to be a part of Small Business Saturday!

Our Associate Director of Development, Makenzie Delmotte, enjoyed meeting new Village supporters and friends while raising money to support the Village.

Gifts That Gave Back

On October 16th, over 200 members of the Village family showed off their SHERO spirit both in person and virtually. Thank you to all our SHEROs that got active for the women of N Street Village. We raised a record-breaking $140,000! Special thanks to our $50,000 presenting sponsor, Pepsico, who supported the SHERO Walk in memory of Arne Sorenson’s spirit of service, enthusiasm for getting active, and commitment to N Street Village. And to the Junior League of Washington for volunteering their time and talents on walk day!

N Street Village received an abundant outpouring of wonderful gifts to share with each resident this holiday season. From home-baked cookies by the Ambassadors Council and Good Food People, cleaning supplies, stockings filled with goodies, blankets, sheets, and toiletries — to warm winter hats and gloves — the Village community ensured that every client had a bright holiday.

A huge shout out to N Street Village’s yearlong service corps volunteers from Jesuit Volunteer Corps and Lutheran Volunteer Corps. With their help, we were able to deliver all the supplies and presents to each Village resident. Thank you Alex, Cynthia, and Silva — we wouldn’t have been able to bring hope and healing to our residents without you!

SHERO Walk Gratitude

Village -

Community -

Commercial -

Individual -

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SHERO Cindy and Mark Joos Champion Sorensen Family Defender Kate Kriebel and family Jean Simons and Steve Solow Jessica Spichals Average: Asheli Dinon and Larry Robertson Sherry Imerman and Decker Analmor Diane and Bill Lunderb Andres and Scott Resley Peter Sheils and Joe Werner Haoria Salem Peggy and Matthew Sparks Village Friend Susan and Ben Allen Carol Bishop Joan and Kenneth Bailey Joan and Gene Dornan Sharon and Ed Gold Elis and Michael Freedman Susan Parry Margaret and Gary Monroe Paticia and Mike Rogers Nancy and Tom Shriver Monica Sinipko Sandi and Jim Smith Lisa and Chris Smith TOP FUNDRAISING TEAMS Village Board (SHEDS) Village SHEDS Volunteers SHEDS It Takes A Village (Ashel and Larry Robertson) Peggy Spurts’s Remote SHEDS Team

TOP INDIVIDUALS Larry Robertson Peggy Sparks Patti Yamada Kate Mook Maria Torres-vargas