

9TH ANNUAL FUNDRAISER FOR MILITARY VETERANS



& COMMUNITY SERVICE LEADERS

2022

24 O.U.R HOUSE, INC.



THE UNITY "N" RECOVERY

MISSION STATEMENT:

TO PROVIDE HOMELESS, DISABLED, AND DISPLACED VETERANS WITH A SAFE AND STABLE LIVING ENVIRONMENT AND ACCESS TO SUPPORT SERVICES

VISION STATEMENT:

TO ENSURE ALL VETERANS LIVE A HEALTHY AND PRODUCTIVE LIFE

WHO WE SERVE:

VETERANS AGES 18 YEARS OR OLDER IN THE COOK AND LAKE COUNTY AREAS

OUR STORY

24 OUR HOUSE BEGAN WITH RICHARD BLACKWELL WANTING TO GIVE BACK TO OTHERS WHAT WAS GIVEN TO HIM (A SECOND CHANCE).

WHILE HE WAS IN TREATMENT, HE SAID HE DID NOT WANT TO BE HOMELESS BUT INSTEAD IN A CLEAN AND SOBER ENVIRONMENT. ONCE HE REALIZED HE WANTED TO RUN HIS OWN BUSINESS, HE DECIDED TO START RECOVERY HOMES. HE SHARED HIS IDEA WITH HIS FRIEND GEORGE, PUT TOGETHER A CONCEPT, COMPLETED A MARKETING CLASS ON BUSINESS START-UP, AND BEGAN TO SEE HIS DREAM OF HAVING A POSITIVE IMPACT ON VETERANS AND ALL RECOVERING ADDICTS UNFOLD.

WHEN COMING UP WITH A NAME, RICHARD WANTED TO INCORPORATE THE 12 STEPS AND 12 TRADITIONS OF RECOVERY. PUTTING THE TWO 12'S TOGETHER, HE ARRIVED AT 24. HE FIGURED THERE ARE 24 HOURS IN A DAY AND THIS NEW RECOVERED WAY OF LIVING TAKES 24 HOURS. BEYOND THAT, HE NEEDED EACH PARTICIPANT TO BE INCLUDED AND CAME UP WITH OUR. ALL TOGETHER IT STANDS FOR "OUR UNITY IN RECOVERY" AND WE LIVE TOGETHER IN 24 OUR HOUSE.



GEORGE HEARD



RON HAJEK



ROCHELLE JONES



VALESA MOORE



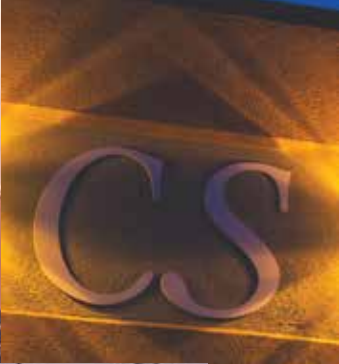
BARBARA DOUGLAS



TRANCEY WILLIAMS

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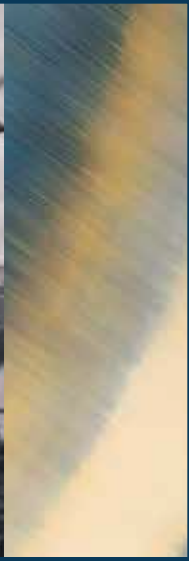


VENUE/HOSTS
VOLUNTEERS



ENTERTAINERS





HONOREES



RECOGNITIONS



COME ON BABY



LET THE



GOOD TIMES ROLL

A SPECIAL THANKS

TABLE SPONSORS

RON HAJEK

REGINALD HICKS

PRAYER DELIVERANCE CHURCH

THE WILLIAMS FAMILY

THE HEARD FAMILY

VOLUNTEERS

JANICE MOORE-JOHNSON

CAROLYN PETERSON

PAMELA TERRY-SPURLOCK

LINDA WHITE

JENICE UPSHAW

REGINALD WHITE

JANICE WORDLAW

DONORS

CLARENCE JACKSON III

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