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**ORANGE COUNTY COMES TOGETHER TO IMPACT ANAHEIM,
RAISING A RECORD-BREAKING \$67,000 IN ONLY 24 HOURS**

Launched by the Orange County Community Foundation, the Series of Collaborative Giving Days Held Throughout 2018 Helps Raise a Collective \$1.4 Million to Benefit Local Nonprofits

NEWPORT BEACH, Calif. (October, 2018) — On October 24, the Orange County Community Foundation (OCCF) partnered with 10 local nonprofits to host **IMPACT** Anaheim, a Giving Day for the area’s underserved youth. The 24-hour event raised \$67,000 with participation from more than 274 donors.

OCCF launched this bold initiative to enhance the capacity of local nonprofits through a series of Collaborative Giving Days hosted throughout 2018. Nonprofits with shared missions were invited to come together to boost collective giving for their causes.

“Thanks to the work of our local nonprofits, generous donors and our compassionate community, underserved youth in Anaheim are receiving the vital support they need to fulfill their full potential,” said Shelley Hoss, president, OCCF. “We’re beyond thrilled with the success of the collaborative Giving Days throughout this year — and we congratulate the efforts of our valued nonprofit partners who are tackling the most important issues facing our county.”

OCCF first challenged Orange County residents to “give where their heart lives” during the inaugural i♥oc Giving Day in 2015, raising more than \$1.8 million through gifts to 347 participating nonprofits in just 30 hours. OCCF nearly doubled those results in 2016 during the second annual i♥oc Giving Day, receiving contributions totaling \$3.2 million for 418 participating nonprofits. OCCF has now re-envisioned i♥oc as an expanded opportunity for nonprofits to connect with one another in support of their shared missions.

The 10 nonprofits participating in the **IMPACT** Anaheim Giving Day included Western Youth Services, Hope Builders, Girls Inc., Children’s Bureau – Network Anaheim, GOALS, Waymakers, Orange County Congregation Community Organization (OCCCO), Boys and Girls Club of Anaheim, The Muckenthaler Cultural Center and OC Human Relations.

Additional collaborative Giving Days will be announced next year. For more information, please visit oc-cf.org/iheartoc.

About Orange County Community Foundation

Founded in 1989, the Orange County Community Foundation (OCCF) works with donors, strengthens the local nonprofit sector and works to find solutions to community needs. Since its inception, OCCF

has awarded \$560 million in grants and scholarships and ranks in the top two percent in grantmaking activity among more than 780 U.S. community foundations. For more information, visit oc-cf.org or call 949-553-4202. Be a part of our conversation on [Facebook](#) [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#). View OCCF's 2017 annual report [here](#).

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