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**ORANGE COUNTY COMMUNITY FOUNDATION CELEBRATES 30 YEARS OF PHILANTHROPIC IMPACT  
DURING 2019 ANNUAL MEETING, ANNOUNCES \$1 BILLION GRANTING GOAL BY 2024**

*Prominent Orange County Philanthropists Gather at Sold-Out Event to Celebrate the Power and Potential  
of Philanthropy*

**NEWPORT BEACH, Calif. (November 22, 2019)** – More than 700 philanthropists, business executives, and community leaders gathered for the Orange County Community Foundation’s (OCCF’s) 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Annual Meeting on November 20. While addressing the sold-out audience at Hotel Irvine, OCCF President and CEO Shelley Hoss announced the Foundation’s commitment to reach \$1 billion in cumulative granting by 2024. As a younger member in a field with more than 100 years of history, OCCF has already distinguished itself among its peers by awarding \$630 million in grants and scholarships since its inception. Attaining the \$1 billion mark will make OCCF one of only three community foundations founded in the last 30 years to reach this milestone, and one of only 35 U.S. community foundations ever to have accomplished it.

“Of all the metrics of growth and accomplishment that we could celebrate at our 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary, nothing is more meaningful than the philanthropic impact we have achieved,” said Hoss. “As we build on 30 years of leadership in the Orange County community, we renew our commitment to unleash the philanthropic potential of our donors and partners, to pioneer solutions to our region’s most pressing challenges and to channel our expertise into meaningful impact, now and for generations to come.”

As of the close of the fiscal year on June 30, 2019, OCCF’s assets had grown to \$405 million—placing the foundation in the top 7 percent in assets among more than 780 U.S. community foundations. OCCF awarded \$69 million in grants and scholarships in their 2019 fiscal year, which positions it in the top one percent in grantmaking among U.S. community foundations.

The Annual Meeting kicked off with special performances by students from Orange County School of the Arts and OC Music & Dance. OCCF’s Board officers transitioned as Board Chair Keith Swayne passed the gavel to incoming Chair Reshma Block. In addition, the Swayne Family presented the Judith Swayne Leadership Award to Anne Olin, founder of Charitable Ventures, for her tireless service and generous giving of herself for the greater good of the Orange County nonprofit community. The keynote presentation included a trio of personal stories of impact from Reshma Block, reflecting on the transformative power of giving to receive; Ranney Draper, who with his son Ranney Blake explored the rewards of family engagement in strategic giving; and Ambassador Gaddi Vasquez, who addressed the power of education to transform our future.

## **OCCF Thanks 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Annual Meeting Partners**

OCCF recognizes donors and Orange County-based businesses for sponsoring the 2019 Annual Meeting.

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## **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 \$630 million in grants and scholarships and ranks in the top one percent in grantmaking activity among more than 780 U.S. community foundations. For more information, visit [oc-cf.org](http://oc-cf.org) or call 949-553-4202. Be a part of our conversation on [Facebook](#) [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#). View OCCF's 2019 annual report [here](#).

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