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Inspirica Inc. Awarded \$29,000 Grant from The Community Fund of Darien

DARIEN, CT – Inspirica, Inc. was the recipient of a \$29,000 grant from The Community Fund of Darien at the 2016 Grants Award Open House held on Thursday, July 14th in Darien.

The Community Fund of Darien is dedicated and committed to building a healthy community in Darien, Norwalk, and Stamford. The Community Fund awards grants to local initiatives and nonprofits each year to recognize the good works of these organizations and celebrate the power of community.



Nzinga King of Inspirica, Inc. receives a check from Carrie Bernier and Amy Wilkinson of The Community Fund of Darien.

Inspirica, Inc. is one of the largest providers of services to the homeless in Connecticut and the largest in lower Fairfield County. Inspirica covers only the physical component of homelessness by housing 300 people each night, but also works to address the root causes by providing support services to the homeless population in a single, end-to-end platform.

“We are deeply grateful to The Community Fund of Darien for playing such an important role in our efforts to permanently break the cycle of homelessness,” said Jason Shaplen, CEO of Inspirica. “Over the past six years we have made 1,068 job placements and moved 901 men, women and children into permanent housing; none of this would be possible without The Community Fund’s continued support.”

About Inspirica

Inspirica's mission is to break the cycle of homelessness by helping people achieve – and maintain – permanent housing and stability in their lives. For more information visit www.InspiricaCT.org

About The Community Fund of Darien

The Community Fund of Darien is an independent, local, volunteer-driven, not-for-profit organization that addresses health and human service needs. The Community Fund of Darien is dedicated and committed to building a healthy community in Darien, Norwalk and Stamford. For more information visit www.communityfunddarien.org