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FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES FROM SUSAN G. KOMEN CENTRAL GEORGIA

Nov. 4, 2015 - Susan G. Komen Central Georgia is proud to announce the availability of grant funds for FY2015. Grants will be made to support efforts to reduce breast cancer disparities in Baldwin, Crawford, Houston, Jones, Macon-Bibb, Monroe, Peach, and Twiggs counties.

Based on a community needs assessment, Komen Central Georgia has identified the following funding priority areas:

- Programs that increase the access to breast health services across the entire continuum of care and/or improve affordability of breast screening and diagnostic procedures for medically underserved populations.
 - Priority will be given to programs that break down systems-level barriers to care, including the provision of free/low-cost screening and diagnostic services, non-traditional clinic hours, weekend appointment availability, etc.
 - Priority will be given to projects that support services for the medically underserved in Peach, Macon-Bibb, and Monroe counties.
 - Priority will be given to projects that provide transportation assistance.
- Programs that are culturally relevant and aim to eliminate cultural barriers that preclude populations from receiving breast health information and breast health services, particularly in African American, Hispanic, and uninsured and underserved populations.
- Programs that provide support programs and/or services that meet basic needs and facilitate quality of life during breast cancer treatment (e.g. nutrition, prosthesis, transportation, case management and navigation, emergency assistance, etc.).

The deadline for applications is December 16, 2015 at 5 PM.

To obtain the Request for Applications, please visit www.komencentralga.org or contact Rachel Hollar at (478) 952-8349 or grants@komencentralga.org.

About Susan G. Komen Central Georgia

Susan G. Komen Central Georgia was founded in 1999 and held its first Race for the Cure in 2000. The Affiliate's eight county service area includes Baldwin, Bibb, Crawford, Houston, Jones, Monroe, Peach, and Twiggs counties. Through annual events, including the Race for the Cure, and individual contributions, the Affiliate has invested over \$1.8 million in breast health programs. 75 percent of the net income goes toward funding grants to local hospitals and community organizations that provide breast health education and breast cancer screening and treatment programs for medically underserved women and men. The remaining 25 percent supports the national Komen Grants Program, which funds groundbreaking breast cancer research, meritorious awards and educational and scientific programs around the world. For more information, visit www.komencentralga.org or email info@komencentralga.org. Connect with us on Facebook at facebook.com/komencentralgeorgia and Twitter @komencentralga.

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