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Because of You

As we work through this last quarter of 2013, we are reminded that, because of you—our donors, volunteers and local non-profits--the Racine Community Foundation accomplished much this year. Because of you, we awarded \$725,852 to seventy-one organizations and, with great anticipation, look forward to awarding many more grants before the close of this fiscal year.

Because of your gifts, we are able to identify and support those organizations that work to eliminate homelessness, poverty and ill-health, and others that work to underscore the power of education across all ages, take up the torch of environmental stewardship, and deliver important cultural programs that feed our souls. Because of you, the quality of life for all those who live in Racine County is significantly better. *Thank you.*

We're On the Move!

As you read this newsletter we are one day away from moving into our new offices at 1135 Warwick Way, just north of Highway 20. We have been working to make it a smooth transition with as little interruption as possible. Please don't hesitate to call us with questions about your Fund or projects. We don't anticipate any delays in responding to you, but ask for your patience should a delay occur. Our phone and fax numbers will remain the same.

Our new location offers 3,750 square feet of office and work space and will accommodate larger committee meetings and community seminars and roundtables. Unrestricted parking is available adjacent to the building. A community open house for the new facility will be held at a future date. More information will follow.

Phenomenal Women

RCF's very popular Phenomenal Women series will conclude its 2013 schedule with a November 12th presentation titled "Women and Leadership" with Betsy Myers, director of Bentley University's Center for Women and Business. The presentation is offered in collaboration with

UW-Parkside's Center for Community Partnership's Eighth Annual Nonprofit Leadership Conference. Betsy Myers is the author of, "Take the Lead: Motivate, Inspire and Bring Out the Best in Yourself and Everyone Around You." She will lead a discussion about the skills needed by today's leaders in the face of an ever-changing workplace. The 7:00p.m. presentation is free and will be held at UW-Parkside's Student Center. We hope you will consider joining us for what is sure to be a fascinating presentation and lively discussion. Registration is required.

For more information about the Racine Community Foundation, or the Phenomenal Women series, please call: 262-632-8474. Or visit the RCF website at www.racinecommunityfoundation.org. For the latest on events and activities, go to RCF's Facebook page at: www.facebook.com/RacineCommunityFoundation.