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Press Release

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The Board of Directors of The Springs Close Foundation along with the Chester County, Lancaster County and York County Community Boards made grants at their November 23, 2016 annual meeting totaling \$773,052 to forty-five agencies and organizations helping local citizens who need basic and emergency needs such as food, medical assistance, shelter and early childhood education.

These grants primarily covered the three-county service area of Chester, Lancaster and York Counties. The grants approved are as follows:

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| ▪ Children's Attention Home | Shelter Program | |
| \$45,000 | | |
| ▪ Palmetto School at CAH | Early Childhood | |
| \$18,000 | | |
| ▪ The Salvation Army | Center of Hope | |
| \$22,936 | | |
| ▪ Junior Achievement | JA Program CCSD & LCSD | |
| \$10,000 | | |
| ▪ Saluda Counseling Center | Technology Upgrade | \$20,972 |
| ▪ York Technology College | Capital Campaign | |
| \$12,500 | | |
| ▪ International African-American Museum | Charleston, SC | |
| \$5,000 | Capital Campaign | |
| ▪ United Way of Chester | 2018 Campaign | |
| \$35,000 | | |
| ▪ United Way of Lancaster County | 2018 Campaign | |
| \$20,000 | | |
| ▪ United Way of York County | 2018 Campaign | |
| \$20,000 | | |
| ▪ SC Lion Charitable Services | Eye Surgery Program | \$5,000 |
| ▪ Project Hope | Food Winter Drive Project | \$5,000 |
| ▪ Dorothy Day Soup Kitchen | Food, Supplies & Equipment | |
| \$6,000 | | |

- York County Christians Job Corp 7 Steps toward Self-Sufficiency Program
\$5,000

Chester County Grants:

- St. Mark's Episcopal Church Sunny Side Breakfast Project \$2,500
- South Carolina Aquarium Rovers Program CCSD \$5,000
- Chester County Rescue Squad New Pagers for Volunteers
\$5,000
- Chester County School District Continuing ED/Conferences for Teachers
\$9,177
- Chester County School District Classroom Supplies for CCSD Teachers
\$20,000
- Chester County School District Charlotte Symphony Trip - Tour Buses 4
\$9,218
- United Way of Chester County Early Childhood Initiatives \$7,000
- GRASP Direct Client Services \$15,000
- Chester Ministerial Association Food Pantry Program 2017
\$15,000
- Turning Point of Chester Food Pantry Program 2017
\$17,500
- Brown's Corner FAST Program
\$15,000
- Good Samaritan Medical Clinic Direct Client Services 2017
\$29,105

Lancaster County Grants:

- Communities in Schools of Lancaster County Food Recovery Project
\$11,000
- United Way of Lancaster 211 Referral Hotline & Software \$9,346
- Lancaster Co. Council on Aging Senior Program
\$25,000
- Lancaster Co. First Steps Countdown to Kindergarten \$25,800
- KARE Food Pantry Program 2017
\$35,000
- Lancaster Fatherhood Program Medical, Dental & Eye Exams
\$15,000
- Christian Services, Inc. Food Pantry Program 2017
\$45,000

York County Grants:

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| ▪ Christians to Feed the Hungry | 2017 Operational Expenses \$25,000 |
| ▪ Adult Enrichment Center
\$23,595 | Vehicle Replacement – Fort Mill Center |
| ▪ Family Promise of York County
\$15,000 | Guests & Operational Expenses |
| ▪ Covenant Presbyterian Church
\$10,000 | Plentiful Harvest Kitchen |
| ▪ Renew Our Community
\$10,000 | Development Program |
| ▪ Catawba Mental Health
\$12,000 | Mental Health Court |
| ▪ Pilgrims’ Inn
\$25,000 | Dorothy Bing Inn |
| ▪ Keystone Substance Abuse
\$35,000 | Young Adult Program |
| ▪ Chrysalis Autism Center
\$11,303 | ABA Therapy: Equipment & toys |
| ▪ Renew Our Community
\$25,000 | ROC Dental |
| ▪ Affinity Health Center
\$24,600 | Interpreter Program |
| ▪ A Place for Hope
\$10,000 | Wash House Expenses |

The Springs Close Foundation has assets totaling \$28 million and since 1942 has distributed over \$116 million into its geographic area. Anne Springs Close is Chairman of the Board of Directors and Angela McCrae is President. The main office is headquartered at 168 Skipper Street in Fort Mill, SC. The telephone number is (803) 548-2002 and the FAX number is (803) 548-1797.

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