

## **Keep Our Community Vibrant!**



#### **WANT TO KNOW MORE?**

Please contact us to arrange to speak with a Board Member or to invite us to speak to your club or organization.

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The Village Community Fund is a non-profit 501(c)(3) community benefit organization. Tax ID #82-3793600



A Separate Entity – The Village Community Fund is an organization separate from Laguna Woods Village housing mutuals, the Golden Rain Foundation (GRF), Village Management Services Inc (VMS), and the Foundation of Laguna Woods Village.



### **OUR MISSION**

To provide support for programs, services, and facilities that enrich the lives of older adults.



A new way of giving back to our community. See your charitable contributions in action.

# Make A Difference! HERE'S HOW YOU CAN PARTICIPATE

Consider a donation now.

- 1. **Visit:** *villagecommunityfund.org* to donate online.
- 2. Send us a check.
- 3. **Donate through AmazonSmile.** .5% of the price of your eligible purchases will be donated to the Village Community Fund. Please select us as your charity at smile.amazon.com.
- 4. Donate your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD).

  Receive a tax benefit when your RMD goes directly to the Village Community Fund from your financial institution.
- 5. Create a Legacy with a Planned Gift.

We want your support!

Contributions are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. Always consult a professional tax or financial planner in these matters.

## We facilitate fundraising to fill the funding gap for approved projects.

### IMPROVING THE VILLAGE

Laguna Woods Village is a 2,100-acre community of 18,000 seniors in South Orange County, California – and a wonderful place for active adults to live and thrive. Since it opened in 1964, our community has achieved many significant improvements.

The Village Community Fund, founded in 2017, came into existence as a vehicle for residents, their family members, friends, and other charitable institutions to donate to planned improvements and receive a charitable deduction.

**The Fund** is a way for families and friends to donate and honor a loved one. Naming rights exist for buildings, rooms, spaces, equipment, and facilities.



In addition, many of the Village's 260 registered clubs have members interested in showing their support for the Village through charitable donations.

**Our Role** is to work with individuals, groups of residents, and clubs to plan and facilitate charitable fundraising in cooperation with housing mutuals, GRF, and VMS for approved projects.

### WHAT WE DO

We Foster Projects. The Village Community Fund serves in an advisory capacity for approved projects, large and small. A committee of the Village Community Fund Board and interested residents, working with GRF, develops a plan, including timetable and budget.

We help Village clubs develop a plan to raise funds for club projects. Club Projects are coordinated with the Recreation Department. Village Clubs wishing to undertake a tax-deductible fundraising project through the Village Community Fund are required to submit a completed Project Application, available on our website.

**Finding Support.** We help clubs identify potential donors who may help fund their planned projects.