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SIERRA MADRE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES GRANTS, RECORD YEAR OF GIVING

SIERRA MADRE, CA Nov. 21: The Sierra Madre Community Foundation announced a record year of giving, capped off with two grants recently awarded to local organizations:

- The Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce was awarded a grant to purchase a community holiday tree. The artificial tree is displayed annually in Kersting Court for the Winter Holiday season and in support of the Shop Small Business Saturday program.
- The Sierra Madre Public Library received a grant to support its annual One Book One City series. The month-long community reading program invites everyone in Sierra Madre to read and discuss the same book during the month of February and participate in exciting programs and events.

For the year, the Sierra Madre Community Foundation awarded \$23,871 in grants, marking the largest annual amount awarded in the organization's 22-year history. This record amount supported 11 local civic and community organizations,

"Thanks to the generosity of our residents, we're pleased to provide record support to local community organizations, events and programs," said Frank Moore, chair of the Sierra Madre Community Foundation.

In addition to soliciting donations to support and enhance the community, the Sierra Madre Community Foundation assists other local community groups in the collection and distribution of their funds that enable ongoing program support and continued operations. Learn more at sierramadrefoundation.org.

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