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TEMPE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AWARDS \$7,656 TO SIX TEMPE NONPROFITS

TEMPE, Ariz.—Six nonprofit organizations providing Tempe residents with basic needs have received a combined \$7,656 in grant funding from the Tempe Community Foundation. Nonprofits were awarded \$1,276 each and were selected for funding based on recommendations from a citizen review board organized by the Tempe Community Council.

The nonprofits receiving funding were: A New Leaf: Men's Shelter, NewTown Community Development Corporation, Tempe Salvation Army, The ARC of Tempe, The Centers for Habilitation/TCH and Tumbleweed Youth.

The Tempe Community Foundation, one of 13 affiliates of the Arizona Community Foundation, is a permanent endowment fund working in cooperation with the Tempe Community Council. The grant funding was provided from the endowment's interest, which is distributed once a year to human service agencies applying for City of Tempe financial support.

Tempe Community Council is a private non-profit 501(c)(3) organization whose mission is connecting those in need with those who care. Tempe Community Council works in partnership with the City of Tempe and community organizations to serve as a planner, advocate, and resource to improve the funding and policies impacting human services in Tempe and surrounding communities.

An affiliate of the Arizona Community Foundation, the Tempe Community Foundation exists to foster Tempe's participatory philosophy and establish a permanent legacy of caring for our community. The TCF is committed to growing endowment resources, partnering with City of Tempe and the Tempe community, involving citizens in reviewing and determining community needs, and distributing proceeds with fairness and transparency.

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