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Alabama Lawyers Support Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy

Montgomery, AL—Thanks to lawyers from across the state, Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy has received \$5,000 from the Alabama Civil Justice Foundation (ACJF) to assist with programs and services.

“It is especially rewarding to offer funding that supports the outstanding work that is being done by Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy to help others. We recognize that the downturn in the nation’s economy has meant decreased resources for nonprofits while the need for their services has increased. We are pleased that our grants can offer some support during these difficult times,” Rebekah McKinney, ACJF President, said.

We really appreciate the Alabama Civil Justice Foundation and our Local lawyers like Mr. Ross Diamond who are dedicated to help us keep our patients connected to their medications. Last year, we filled 3000 more prescriptions than planned. Funds from the Alabama Civil Justice Foundation help to continue to fill medications, especially now, the number of medications to be filled has increased,” explained Shearie Archer, Ozanam Charitable Pharmacy Executive Director.

Founded in 1992, funds from the ACJF Interest on Lawyers Trust Accounts program as well as from donations have allowed the Foundation to award nearly \$9 million to nonprofit organizations statewide in ACJF’s 18-year existence.

ACJF’s grants are possible because of the generosity of Alabama lawyers who work diligently for justice in the courtroom and their communities. ACJF is proud to represent the nearly 2,300 attorneys who support its efforts to demonstrate a genuine concern for the disadvantaged in the state and to assist in turning this concern into genuine help for those who need it the most.

“Our grants truly have a statewide impact. We not only fund programs and services in local communities, but we also fund projects that have a statewide capacity. Many of these organizations look to us for vitally important funding which is why it is gratifying to know that we are able to fund large and small projects and touch so many lives in the process,” Sue McInnish, ACJF Executive Director, said.

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