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San Manuel Contributes \$40,000 to Arrowhead United Way

San Bernardino, CA – San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino has raised \$40,000 for Arrowhead United Way (AUW) through their annual golf tournament. Audrey Martinez, golf committee member and treasurer for the tribe, stated that the golf committee selects a different nonprofit organization to receive the funds each year. “AUW was selected to receive the funds this year because of the wonderful work the local United Way does in the community,” Martinez said.

Doug Rowand, President of AUW, was elated by the size of the contribution. “We are extremely honored to receive these funds, especially with the state of the economy. This money will give a boost to what we are able to do locally,” Rowand said.

The donation will specifically target AUW’s programs that focus on family services. These programs assist struggling families to help build lifelong skills and provide conditions necessary to avoid crisis and assure lasting stability.

Some of these programs include dental and vision care for children from low-income families, access to affordable health care for working families with children, hospice care, and counseling for families and victims of violence. The contribution also helps to provide affordable legal services for low-income families, adult education programs that include parenting skills, and basic family needs.

AUW focuses on youth services, family services, and basic needs. These services address the underlying causes of our community’s issues and create lasting change. AUW encourages individuals to become more involved in the community by giving, advocating, and volunteering.

For more information about how to become more involved with Arrowhead United Way, please call (909) 884-9441 or visit www.ArrowheadUnitedWay.com.

Arrowhead United Way is a volunteer driven organization that has been actively supporting health and human services in the area for over 117 years. Established and led by prominent respected community leaders, it is one of the oldest United Ways in the country.

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