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100+ Women Who Care of Will County Donate to CASA of Will County

On October 11, 2019 members of 100+ Women Who Care of Will County donated \$4,100 to CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates) of Will County.

CASA's Executive Director, Rita Facchina, and its Board of Directors were presented the checks by members of 100+ WWC of Will County. CASA acts as the child's voice in court, helping to navigate the confusing maze of the juvenile court system and making sure that the child's needs are being met. The organization recruits, trains and supports citizen-volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children in courtrooms and communities.

"CASA of Will County is incredibly grateful for this gift and thanks 100+ Women Who Care of Will County for their generosity. This donation will go toward helping four children in our care during 2020," said Rita Facchina.

100+ Women Who Care is for every woman who desires to directly support local charitable organizations where she lives. We keep the methodology simple and easy. All 100+ WWC members/teams make a pledge to donate \$100 four times a year. At each of the quarterly meetings members nominate charities, three are chosen at random, and after a brief presentation, the members vote on which charity to support. Once the winning charity is announced, everyone writes a \$100 check, on the spot directly to that charity. All charities nominated must be located in, and serve Will County and must have 501(c)(3) non-profit status.

100+ Women of Will County has raised over \$67,600 for local charities. We have donated to Shady Oaks, Green Harvest Food Pantry, Morning Star Mission, LWSRA, Trinity Services, Operation Care Package, Will-Grundy Medical Clinic, Bags of Hope, Love Moves Us, Big Brothers Big Sister and many more local causes!

Come to a meeting to hear more about 100+ WWC and the work of three outstanding local charities. Every day, these organizations improve the strength, vitality and compassion of our community. 100+ Women Who Care of Will County's next meeting is November 12th, 2019 from 6:00-7:00 PM at Prairie Bluff Golf Course. For more information, please go to the web site at www.100wwc-will.org or visit us on Facebook.