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Nathan Adelson Hospice Receives Grant from The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee and Wells Fargo Foundation to encourage those impacted by the Route 91 Tragedy to Seek Help at Vegas Strong Resiliency Center

LAS VEGAS – January 22, 2019 – Carole Fisher, president and CEO of Nathan Adelson Hospice, has announced that monies have been donated to help make individuals impacted by the tragic Oct. 1/Route 91 incident aware of ongoing support at the Vegas Strong Resiliency Center.

“We are proud to support the Vegas Strong Resiliency Center’s efforts to assist anyone struggling with effects from this incident, whether they were present during the shooting, responded to the scene or had friends or loved ones in harm’s way,” Fisher said. “Some people may not be aware of the support available. Others may be reluctant to reach out for emotional help because of concerns about being stigmatized for seeking assistance for mental health-related issues.”

As part of the grant, a 30-second PSA begins airing this week on various local television stations in both English and Spanish, and a 60-second video will be posted on social media sites and websites. The PSAs feature a wide variety of people affected by tragedy, including survivors, first responders, a local physician, nurses and EMTs who cared for the injured, and local leaders including Sheriff Joe Lombardo and chiefs from the Clark County and Las Vegas Fire and Rescue Fire Departments.

Scott O’Neal of the Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee said, “We are privileged, on behalf of some many who gave to the Music City Cares Fund, to lend a helping hand to support our friends that were impacted by this tragedy.”

The videos can be viewed at: <https://spaces.hightail.com/space/919pHTBUaa>

About Nathan Adelson Hospice

Nathan Adelson Hospice, the trusted partner in hospice care and palliative medicine for 40 years, is the largest non-profit hospice in Southern Nevada, caring for an average of 400 hospice and palliative care patients daily. In 1978, Nathan Adelson Hospice began providing home care hospice service in Southern Nevada with the mission to offer patients and their loved ones with comprehensive end-of-life care and influence better care for all in the community. In 1983, Nathan Adelson Hospice opened an in-patient hospice in Las Vegas, and today the hospice is recognized as a national model for superior hospice care. The mission of the hospice is to be the Hospice of



Choice, the Employer of Preference and a Training Center of Excellence for comprehensive end of life care. Its vision is simple: no one should end the journey of life alone, afraid or in pain.

About The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee

The Community Foundation exists to promote and facilitate giving in the 40 counties of Middle Tennessee and beyond. This is done by accepting gifts of any size from anyone at any time and by empowering individuals, families, companies, nonprofits, and communities to respond to needs and opportunities that matter.

About Music City Cares Fund

In times of a disaster, Nashville and Middle Tennessee residents have exhibited a strong desire to lend a helping hand to friends, neighbors, and often times strangers. To connect the outpouring of generosity to those impacted by disaster, The Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee established the Music City Cares Fund in 2017 to support affected communities, victims and their ongoing needs.

About Vegas Strong Resiliency Center

The Vegas Strong Resiliency Center is staffed by knowledgeable and caring professionals to help people access free resources to assist them with building strength and resiliency following the Route 91 festival shooting. Support is available to anyone affected by the attack including survivors, family members of victims, responders and those who witnessed the incident or tried to assist victims. Since the center opened in Oct. 2017, it has served more than 8,000 people. Services include victim advocacy and support; legal consultations for civil legal matters such as debt collection, foreclosure, insurance claims, and family law issues; and counseling and spiritual care referrals.

The Resiliency Center is located at 1524 Pinto Lane in Las Vegas. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday except holidays. It can be reached at (702) 455-2433 (AIDE) or toll-free at (833) 299-2433 and by email at: vegasstrongresiliencycenter@clarkcountynv.gov. Its website is www.VegasStrongRC.org.

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