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Liberty ARC Awarded Walmart Community Grant

AMSTERDAM - Liberty ARC, the Montgomery County Chapter of The Arc New York, has received a \$2,500 grant from the Amsterdam Walmart Community Grant Program. The Walmart Community Grant Program is highly competitive, receiving more than 150,000 applications annually. These grants are awarded by local stores to various non-profits, based on community impact and need.

Liberty ARC will use these funds to enhance the quality of life for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities, and others in-need in the community. A portion of the grant will be used to fund virtual chair yoga classes for people supported at the Agency, and offered to community business partners whom provide services to the senior citizen population. The remaining funds will be used to purchase equipment for a hydroponic garden set-up at one of Liberty ARC's day support sites. The hydroponic garden will provide a year-round educational opportunity for individuals with disabilities. Individuals will learn how to cook, grow, and transplant organic food. Remaining food items will be donated to local food banks and charity organizations in the community.

"We are proud to announce that we have received a Community Grant from the Amsterdam Walmart, for the fourth consecutive year," said Jennifer Saunders, Chief Executive Officer, Liberty ARC. "We extend our sincere gratitude to the Amsterdam Walmart for their continued support, and for helping to underwrite important programs in our community. We are excited to use this grant funding to provide wellness activities, and educational opportunities, for the people we support as well as other members in our community."

About Walmart

Walmart Inc. (NYSE: WMT) helps people around the world save money and live better - anytime and anywhere - in retail stores, online, and through their mobile devices. Each week, nearly 275 million customers and members visit our more than 11,300 stores under 58 banners in 27 countries and eCommerce websites. With fiscal year 2019 revenue of \$514.4 billion, Walmart employs over 2.2 million associates worldwide. Walmart continues to be a leader in sustainability, corporate philanthropy and employment opportunity. Additional information about Walmart can be found by visiting

<http://corporate.walmart.com>, on Facebook at <http://facebook.com/walmart> and on Twitter at <http://twitter.com/walmart>.

About Liberty ARC

Liberty ARC, the Montgomery County Chapter of The ARC New York, is a not-for-profit agency that provides top-quality supports and services to individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. We are proud of our six decades of bringing these innovative and valuable programs to those most vulnerable in our community. While staying committed to our framework the agency has grown our employment, residential, day supports, family support and health-related programming throughout the years. Our mission- *Together we support people with disabilities to achieve a quality of life each person values* - together with our *Values* make up the foundation on which our culture is framed. We are extremely proud to be a pioneering agency, which coupled with a dynamic workforce and our person-centered mission makes Liberty ARC a stand-out in our field.

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