

PO Box 56 Yuba City, CA.95991 (530) 674-5400 Fax (530) 674-3035 <u>www.casaysc.org</u>

2023-2024 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

September 13, 2023

John Nicoletti President Habitat for Humanity

Whitney Hardison Vice President SCSOS

Jason Roper Treasurer Yuba Co. Probation

> Cynthia Rachel Secretary IEM

Julie Gill Shuffield
Director
Sutter Buttes Advisors

Brian Baker Director Yuba City Police Dept.

Tippy Dhaliwal
Director
Hilbers INC.

Dear Supporter,

In an effort to increase well-being to live longer and better, Casa de Esperanza (Casa) has partnered with Blue Zones Project-Yuba Sutter and the UC Master Gardeners of Yuba Sutter and launched the <u>Where Hope Grows</u> campaign. The goal is to raise \$25,000 to build a Healing and Therapeutic Garden for survivors of domestic and sexual violence in Yuba, Sutter, and Colusa County.

Survivors of domestic and sexual violence are often left with no other option but to go into a confidential, emergency-safe house. While at Casa, they begin the planning process of moving out of crisis and into a place of peace and recovery. Over 45 years, Casa has assisted with that process to thousands of survivors and their children in Yuba, Sutter, and Colusa County.

The Healing and Therapeutic Garden will have six raised beds with vegetables, flowers, sitting areas, a water feature, and other naturally inspiring scenery, which will reduce stress, depression, and anxiety and encourage parents and children to spend quality time together.

With your help and support, we can create this calm and serene outdoor space that will contribute to a higher level of resilience and optimism for the women and children residing in the Shelter. It will be a place that will encourage, empower, and provide them with an opportunity to heal from the trauma they have endured.

Will you support our efforts to create an oasis of peace by sponsoring Where Hope Grows?

Sincerely,

Michelle Downing

Michelle Downing

Casa de Esperanza Executive Director

Marni Sanders Blue Zones Executive Director

Marni Sanders

## WHERE HOPE GROWS.

Casa de Esperanza, the Yuba-Sutter Blue Zones, and the UC Master Gardeners of Yuba Sutter have teamed up to create a healing garden, a place of tranquility and reflection where hope grows for victims of domestic and sexual violence.



#### GARDEN OF HOPE SPONSOR (\$7,500)

Help empower women and children to heal and recover by promoting self-care and well-being.

Benefits include naming rights for the garden. Signage with the name of the sponsoring business or person is beautifully displayed on the garden's entry. **ONLY ONE AVAILABLE.** 



#### OASIS OF PEACE SPONSOR (\$5,000)

Welcome the women and children to enjoy nature and a peaceful experience to begin their healing journey.

Benefits include naming rights for the serene outdoor meditation space. Signage with the name of the sponsoring business or person is displayed in the mediation area. **ONLY ONE AVAILABLE** 



#### WHERE HOPE GROWS SPONSOR (\$1,000)

Provide an inspiring scenery and create a place of solitude and lasting experiences.

Benefits include that each sponsored garden bed will feature signage including the name of the sponsoring business or person and an inspirational garden quote. **ONLY SIX AVAILABLE** 



#### PATH TO HEALING SPONSOR (\$250)

Help build a stronger path to Hope and Healing for women and children caught in the cycle of domestic and sexual violence.

Benefits include a personally inscribed 4"x 8" pathway brick to be placed in the Path to Healing. Honor a survivor or loved one in your life. **ONLY TWENTY-SIX AVAILABLE** 



#### **HOPE GIVER DONATION (\$100)**

Inspire and Encourage.





POWERED BY:



# WHERE HOPE GROWS.



**SPONSORSHIP FORM** 

Please print your organization's name exactly how it should appear on promotional materials.

### SPONSOR INFORMATION

EIN 94-2415741

Company or Donor Name		Contact Name (if different than Donor Name)	
Street Address			
City	State	Zip	Phone
Email	Website		
Signature			
SPONSORSHIP L	EVEL		
○ Garden of Hope Sponsor \$7,500		O Path to Healing Sponsor \$250	
Oasis of Peace Sponsor \$5,000		○ Hope Giver Donation \$100	
○ Where Hope Grows S	Sponsor \$1,00	00	
TOTAL COMMITMENT \$			
PAYMENT INFORMATIO	N		
☐ Check enclosed ☐ Please send	d invoice □Cre	edit card (w	e will contact you to make a credit card payment)
Email Sponsor forms to: <b>michelle@</b> Please make checks payable to: Ca	sa de Esperanza		