



*Offering stabilization and growth  
to homeless individuals, families and veterans.*

### **Trust House Receives Donation from Wells Fargo Foundation**

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**Roanoke, VA** – The Trust House, located at 404 Elm Avenue SW, has received a donation of \$3,850 from Wells Fargo & Co., as part of their corporate giving program. Trust House appealed to Wells Fargo to help with facility upgrades and will use the funds to install a commercial-grade security system.

“The generosity of Wells Fargo will allow the Trust House to ensure a safer and more secure environment for residents, staff and volunteers,” said Ali Hamed-Moore, Trust House executive director. “The current security system has become inadequate for the 7,000 square foot facility that has multiple entrances and houses 27 residents at any given time,” said Hamed-Moore. “With several staff shift changes over a 24-hour period and the ongoing activity of our residents, we really needed a security system that could handle the kind of high traffic we see on a daily basis.”

“Wells Fargo’s commitment to our team members and our communities is a core part of our vision and values,” said Tommye Arnold, Community Relations Officer for Western Virginia at Wells Fargo. “That’s why we partner with our team members and organizations across the country to promote the long-term economic prosperity and quality of life for everyone in our communities. Our team members are truly at the heart of our community involvement and, through grants and volunteerism, supported 28,000 nonprofit agencies in 2012,” said Arnold.

According to Julie Kern, Senior Relationship Manager at Wells Fargo in Roanoke, “Last year across the nation, Wells Fargo team members gave \$60.4 million in campaign pledges and a combined total of \$78.9 million in donations,” said Kern.

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#### **About Trust House**

Trust House is a shelter for homeless veterans, families and individuals. Operating from two homes in Old Southwest Roanoke, it assists up to 27 people each evening. Residents are offered weekly life skills training, the option to attend a sober living group and other supportive activities. Trust House provides therapeutic case management, skills development for self-sufficiency, credit remediation, budgeting and savings.

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