Mercy Ridge Residents Association Employee Appreciation Committee Report June 6, 2024

The Employee Appreciation Committee held two meetings in April to prepare for the Spring Fund Drive and to discuss other committee items. On April 18, the following items were discussed:

- The March Activities Expo was successful for us and resulted in four residents signing up as potential committee members.
- The committee welcomed Pat Gonnermann and Nancy Shinn as new members. Additionally, Judi Keys sat in on the meeting as a potential new member come Fall.
- The fund drive solicitation letter, tent cards for the dining areas and other posters were reviewed and approved. Articles will also be placed in the Flash and Ridge Review as well as on Wellzesta.
- Jerry reported \$5,826.18 in the treasury, \$1,095 of which were donations made in the name of a deceased resident.
- HR set June 12,2024 as the date for check distribution.

At the April 30 meeting the committee prepared the fund drive envelopes for residents, placed them in all resident inboxes and put publicity tent cards and framed posters in place.

Jerry Kahan, Committee Treasurer, reports that as of June 3, \$76,660 was received from 391 donors (77.1% of 507 residents). These funds added to other donated funds already in the checking account will be distributed to 266 employees on June 12.

(On June 4, two more donations totaling \$700 were made in the name of three other residents. Thank you notes will be sent and the monies will be added to the Fall Fund).

Submitted by: Jackie Troutman, Chair Employee Appreciation Committee June 4, 2024