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# Celebrating Black Philanthropy Month 2021

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# 3 Questions With ... Philanthropist, Kim Flowers

Realtor, The Flowers Home Team at Keller Williams Realty Centre

The Women's Giving Circle of Howard County, Maryland is proud to elevate the voices and giving of our donors and friends throughout Black Philanthropy Month



## what moves you to give your time, talent and financial resources?

I have always loved the energy and spirit of kids, so for me, most causes that benefit children and their families will always be easy to support in one way or another. I'm motivated and driven by the possibility that my efforts may contribute positively to lives of children, and they too may be inspired to give back.



### when did you start giving to issues that are important to you?

My very first philanthropic effort took place in the late 1970's. My mom says I was 7 or 8. I took on the task of raising money for the American Heart Association. I found donors to pledge a dollar amount for every lap I swam at Towson University. I don't remember the number of laps I swam, yet I remember the feeling I had. It stuck with me.



### what advice do you have for those interested in giving back?

Find your passion and give whatever you can, in whatever way you can. No effort is too small. No amount of time or resource is too little. God and his universe will find the perfect way for you to contribute to a cause that you find worthy.

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The Women's Giving Circle is proud to continue our support for National Black Philanthropy Month 2021!

The WGC is building a community of philanthropists and creating a permanent legacy to address the needs of women and girls in Howard County, Maryland.

"We are excited to continue our support of National Black Philanthropy Month" said Hina Naseem and Judy Smith, co-Chairs of WGC's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee. "Informing, involving, inspiring and investing in Black philanthropic leadership and giving are among the goals of this annual celebration and we are committed to advancing this important work in philanthropy, both in our community and across the country."

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