Our Giving, Our Stories!

A series of giving profiles in celebration of Black Philanthropy Month

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3 Questions With ... Philanthropist LaJoy Y Mosby, MBA

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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 grew up in a family of volunteers. My grandparents and my parents and other family members set an example for my generation. They were involved in a variety organizations from the Red Cross to serving on local community boards and serving in leadership roles in their respective churches. They supported causes they believed in and belonged to service organizations. Volunteering and donating to causes was a natural progression for me and my family members.



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

I don't recall a time in my life when I didn't provide service to the community in some capacity. I suppose my first experiences was when I was a child and I participated in UNICEF collections. Later I participated in March of Dimes Walks in college. I also was able to join sorority that focused on community service and I was able to volunteer my time and to make donations to various causes.



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

Find a cause or an organization that focuses on what you care about and offer your time, talent and treasures to advance the cause or efforts of that organization. You will find that it is very rewarding.

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The Women's Giving Circle is proud to continue our support for National Black Philanthropy Month 2023!

The WGC is building a community of philanthropists 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 Malynda Madzel, Chair of the WGC's "Our Giving, Our Stories" effort. "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."