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My Fathers Hands

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My Fathers Hands receives generous grant from the Community Foundation of the Fox River Valley

Funds to be used to purchase a new work truck.

AURORA, IL— The Community Foundation of the Fox River Valley has generously given a grant of \$10,000 to Aurora based non-profit My Fathers Hands. The allocated funds are desperately needed for an additional vehicle which will be used to fulfill the high demand for services.

My Fathers Hands has been in desperate need of a vehicle which can haul both equipment and workers to various job sites. Without this truck the organization is forced to use multiple vehicles to travel to and from work sites which was an unnecessary burden on gas and time. The new work vehicle will be a key component in helping to provide home repair services to seniors and disabled community members in the Fox Valley area. My Fathers Hands hopes to find and purchase the new vehicle before the end of 2013. When hearing the news, My Fathers Hands Executive Director, Robert Thurlby, commented “This is truly a blessing for our organization and for the people we serve. Our thanks goes out to the Community Foundation.”

For further information on the Community Foundation, please visit their website at www.CommunityFoundationFRV.org

My Fathers Hands is a non-for-profit organization based out of Aurora Illinois. The mission of the organization is to provide safety home repairs and maintenance to low income seniors and disabled community members. My Fathers Hands also provides a mentorship program which gives at-risk workers the opportunity to learn general contracting skills in order to further their career opportunities. For additional information please contact Matt Strausberger at 630-897-0033 or matt@mfhds.org

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