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St. Paul Lions Select Grant Award Winners

The St. Paul Lions (formerly Midway Lions) is pleased to announce its award winners through its ***Growing Together for Greater Impact Initiative***. The Initiative is designed to support and assist in sustaining nonprofits who serve residents of St. Paul and have a focus area of food security, disabilities or youth development.

Through this partnership, the grantees receive significant financial support and access to the Lions for volunteer assistance, while the Lions receive new members from the agencies. The award winners are Highland Friendship Club, TSE, Inc., and Advocating Change Together.

"The St. Paul Lions are pleased to enter into the new partnerships with these outstanding organizations that provide a tremendous positive impact on the people they serve from St. Paul and the surrounding communities. We are delighted to work more closely with them to help fulfill their mission," stated **Craig Hamm, President of the Lions**. "We are also looking forward to having some of their representatives join the Lions to help us achieve our mission of service to the community."

"TSE is very appreciative of the multi-year *'Growing Together for Great Impact'* grant from the St. Paul Lions Club. This grant allows TSE to continue to grow and expand our employment and enrichment services in our St. Paul and surrounding communities. We are delighted that our team member Jim Freeman and person served, Ron Williams, are joining the St. Paul Lions Club. They are both excited to become participating members. Thank you, St. Paul Lions. We look forward to growing our partnerships in our communities," said **Lynne Megan, President and CEO of TSE, Inc.**

"I am truly looking forward to becoming a member of the St. Paul Lions. The work they do to strengthen and support the community is inspiring, and I'm excited to contribute to that mission. My grandfather belonged to a similar organization, and I grew up hearing stories of how members came together in service to others. Joining the Lions feels like a meaningful way to honor his legacy while creating one of my own. This opportunity to serve alongside such a dedicated group of people is not only a privilege but also a chance to inspire those around me to give back and do more for others," said **Jim Freeman, Chief Business Development Officer for TSE, Inc.**

The St. Paul Lions were established in 1940 as the St. Paul Midway Lions. It is an award-winning member of Lions International, the largest nonsectarian service organization in the world. With a motto of "We Serve" the Lions make a tremendous difference in communities and individuals daily in St. Paul and throughout the world. To join us in making a difference, contact Bob Brick at 651-248-4590, Robertjbrick@yahoo.com.