

NEWS RELEASE

**Foundation For Black Philanthropy Grants \$20,000
for Education, Health Care and More**

CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG – Foundation For Black Philanthropy recently awarded \$20,000 in grants to local nonprofits. The grants will support programs that address a wide range of community needs across Charlotte and Mecklenburg County.

Foundation For Black Philanthropy is an affiliate of the Charlotte-based Foundation For The Carolinas. The grants were awarded by the FFBP's local board of advisors as part of an annual grantmaking program, which has invested more than \$500,000 in Charlotte/Mecklenburg residents since 1993.

The following grant awards support a range of activities benefitting Charlotte's African American community:

- **\$5,000 to Another Chance House of Refuge Inc.** to support the Transitional Housing Program, which provides shelter for individuals who are involved in the justice system or experiencing housing insecurity.
- **\$5,000 to The Male's Place** to assist with their Ujima Greenhouse Project which offers direct access to fresh vegetables, fruits, and herbs to seniors and underserved neighbors along the Beatties Ford Road corridor.
- **\$5,000 to Stiletto Boss University** for their summer camp program that teaches entrepreneurship, social/emotional learning, and community impact.
- **\$5,000 to S.T.A.R.S. Math and English Academy** to fund academic enrichment for students during End-of-Grade (EOG) Bootcamp, Saturday Academy, and summer programming.

For more information about both events, please visit www.fftc.org/FFBP.

About Foundation For Black Philanthropy:

The Lethia Henderson Fund Endowment was established at Foundation For The Carolinas in 1981 to support nonprofit programs and organizations with an emphasis on health and community service. The Elizabeth S. Randolph African American Fund Endowment was established in 1993 at Foundation For The Carolinas to foster philanthropy and to support nonprofit programs and organizations that address African American concerns. Learn more about [Lethia Henderson's Legacy](#) and the story of [Elizabeth S. Randolph](#).

Persons or groups interested in contributing to the Henderson and Randolph Funds or opening a new fund may contact Qiana Austin at Foundation For The Carolinas: 704.973.4535 or qaustin@fftc.org. All contributions are tax-deductible.

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