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LOCAL CELEBRITIES VOLUNTEER AS WAITERS FOR RAPPAHANNOCK UNITED WAY

October 6, 2017 – Fredericksburg, VA – A dozen local business leaders, college presidents and CEO’s will be serving lunch at Park Lane Tavern soon in an effort to help raise funds for Rappahannock United Way.

These local celebrity waiters are set to entertain guests as waiters at the fun-spirited Celebrity Waiter Luncheon on Wednesday, November 1, 2017 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Park Lane Tavern at 1 Towne Centre Boulevard in Fredericksburg.

The general public is invited to attend. Guests will be encouraged to “tip” their celebrity waiter for services such as receiving silverware, singing their order or brining refills of beverages. All of this is done in good humor with a light heart.

Tickets are now on sale while supplies last for \$50 per person at www.RappahannockUnitedWay.org/RSVP.

Event sponsorships are also available at <https://www.rappahannockunitedway.org/sponsor/> or by contacting Ann Jones at 540-373-0041 ext. 304 or ajones@rappahannockunitedway.org.

“We’re so excited about this new event,” said Ann Jones, Director of Resource Development at Rappahannock United Way. “We’re going to enjoy a great meal and a few laughs as we come together to raise funds to help people right here in our community. This money will allow more people in Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Caroline and King George achieve their potential through vital Education, Financial Stability and Healthy Living programs we support.”

Celebrity Waiters will be:

Tim Baroody, City Manager Fredericksburg
Michael B. Clark, CEO, Spotsylvania Regional Medical Center
Daniel W. Clendenin, Partner, Cary Street Partners LLC

Dr. John H. Coker Jr. , Rappahannock Rotary and RUW Board of Directors
Janel S. Donohue, President, Rappahannock United Way
Dr. Janet Gullickson, President, Germanna Community College
Heather Hagerman, Realtor, Coldwell Banker Elite
Paul Milde, Chairman, Stafford County Board of Supervisors
John Simpson Moss Jr., Lawyer, Rinehart, Butler, Hodge, Moss & Bryant P.L.C.
Dr. Troy D. Paino, President, University of Mary Washington
Xavier Richardson, Executive Vice President of Corporate Development and Community Affairs
for Mary Washington Healthcare
Susan Spears, President and CEO, Fredericksburg Regional Chamber of Commerce
W. Andrew Withers, Senior Vice President, Union Bank and Trust

Our event sponsors include: Chancellor's Village, Mary Washington Hospital Foundation,
University of Mary Washington Foundation, Featherstone, LLC, Central Rappahannock Regional
Library, Dr. and Mrs. John Coker and Rappahannock Area Community Services Board.

About Rappahannock United Way

Founded in 1939, Rappahannock United Way is a local nonprofit serving Fredericksburg,
Spotsylvania, Stafford, King George and Caroline. Rappahannock United Way's vision is a
community where individuals and families achieve their potential through Education, Financial
Stability and Healthy Living. Together, we can create opportunities for a better tomorrow.

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