



CoServ Charitable Foundation Grant Helps Keep Bus Running

***Grant to offset costs of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Denton County school bus
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The CoServ Charitable Foundation of Corinth, Texas presented a financial gift to the Boys and Girls Clubs of Denton County to assist with expenses related to a 65-passenger school purchased by the Club in 2007. The grant will be used to offset the costs of the purchase, maintenance and fuel costs associated with providing pick up services to Club members that attend local school districts.

"We are thrilled that CoServ has provided the grant and it came at the perfect time," Chief Professional Officer, Babs Troutman said. "This help with our bus has essentially stretched our ability to keep the Club open and to continue to serve the segment of the community assisted by the Boys & Girls Club."

"Our Board of Directors knew when the bus was purchased it would put a strain on the organization's finances, but without it, local kids would be denied access to the Club. Many children used to walk to the Club but when the Lake Dallas Elementary School closed and the students were moved to Shady Shores Elementary, they could no longer walk to the Club," Troutman said.

"CoServ has supported the Boys & Girls Clubs of Denton County with a previous grant to purchase one of the Club's 15-passenger vans. We are pleased CoServ is always ready, willing and able to help local children. They continue to be a member of our team of sponsors, and we are proud to display the CoServ logo on two of our vehicles," Troutman said.

Since its inception in 2004, the CoServ Charitable Foundation has donated more than \$1.5 million to 79 organizations in 28 communities. The Foundation was created as a direct result of two parallel driving forces - the establishment of Operation Roundup, a cooperative program designed to improve the quality of life for residents within the community and by a desire among CoServ's employees to be more directly involved in how CoServ gives back to the community.

The majority of the foundation's funding comes from their members and customers, and from employee payroll donations, fundraisers and raffles.

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