Continued Commitment to the Bay Creates New Matches for Private Donors

The Patterson Foundation is continuing its support for The Bay by committing up to $4 million in matching funds to catalyze private donations toward completing Phase 1 of The Bay's master plan. Each time private philanthropy donates $5 million toward Phase 1 through 2023, The Patterson Foundation will provide a $1 million match, up to a total contribution of $4 million — resulting in a $24 million investment into The Bay.

On top of TPF’s match, for a limited time, a generous supporter of The Bay will match all donations made during this year's Friends of The Bay campaign. All donations, big or small, made now through October 23rd will be matched person-for-person.

Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading's Virtual Community Update

"Music has given me a way of expressing my feelings and my thoughts, and it has also given me a way of understanding more about life. For example, as you play together in a symphony orchestra, you can appreciate that each musician has something fine to offer. Each one is different, though, and each has a different song to sing. When you sing together, you make one voice. That's true of all endeavors, not just musical ones. Finding ways to harmonize our uniqueness with the uniqueness of others can be the most fun—and the most rewarding—of all." -- Fred Rogers

Join SCGLR and representatives from Charlotte, DeSoto, Manatee, and Sarasota counties for its 2021 Virtual Community Update Breakfast. Share in the accomplishments of the past 12 months. Learn about the
The Patterson Foundation Contributes 500,000 Dollars to the Center for Disaster Philanthropy's Recovery Funds

“The challenging events and circumstances of the past year and a half have been difficult for all of us, but helping communities and families recover from devastating disasters deserves support from all of us. The Center for Disaster Philanthropy’s work with funders and nonprofits enables them to allocate resources to reliable organizations that can efficiently assist communities. These crucial efforts rely on the support of private philanthropy now more than ever, and we hope that others turn to the Center for Disaster Philanthropy to strengthen the impact of their funding.” -- Debra Jacobs, president and CEO of The Patterson Foundation

Learn more about Center for Disaster Philanthropy
Advancing Mission Thrivability is an opportunity for regional nonprofits to learn a mission-centric, economically-informed approach to decision-making for their programs, products, and services through The Patterson Foundation's Nonprofit Thrivability initiative.

The Patterson Foundation is pleased to launch an opportunity for the 700+ Giving Partner nonprofits in our region.

Introducing **ADVANCING MISSION THRIVABILITY 4.0**...a series of 4 FREE Zoom sessions — called labinars and webversations — that will give executive directors / CEOs, board members, and staffers the opportunity to connect, share, learn, PLUS explore ways to strengthen their organizations and build mission impact.

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