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ServiceSource Awarded A DCTV Capacity Building Grant

Significant investment helps nonprofits expand how they connect with communities.

Washington, DC — August 19, 2019 —ServiceSource is among the inaugural class of grantees to receive one of DCTV's newly formed Capacity Building Grants. The grant program fosters expanded opportunity for nonprofit organizations to share their stories of community impact through professionally-produced video content that can be shared via social media and website platforms. In addition, ServiceSource will receive valuable media education assistance to strengthen our communications capabilities and expand storytelling capacity.

The grant program, which was designed with input from nonprofit leaders across the District, enables nonprofits at any budget level to tell quality stories, have vital conversations, and get valuable training. As part of the new Capacity Building Grant program, DCTV will create a new weekly television series, *District Life*, which will explore the nature of living in Washington, DC and share important conversations and compelling stories with people all over the District. This new show will be a vehicle for distributing powerful stories about the impact that nonprofits are having in their communities.

“At DCTV, we understand the critical role that the nonprofit sector plays in sparking vital conversations that ultimately affect the lives of residents across the District of Columbia,” said Nantz Rickard, President and CEO of DCTV. “We are thrilled to welcome our first class of grantees and we look forward to the quality stories that show how nonprofit organizations are impacting the neighborhoods and communities across the District.”

This grant will help us powerfully expand how we connect with you in the coming months. As part of this grant, we will focus on highlighting the quality stories and vital conversations surrounding our mission and people with disabilities.

To see the full list of grant recipients, visit dctv.org/grantawards. We are excited to join them in our collective effort to uplift DC communities. Stay tuned for more information!

About ServiceSource

ServiceSource is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization with a mission to facilitate services and partnerships to support people with disabilities, their families, their caregivers and community members in order to build more inclusive communities. In FY 2018, ServiceSource served more than 4,500 people with disabilities across the Washington, D.C. Metropolitan Area. For more information, visit servicesource.org or follow us on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/ServiceSource1

About DCTV

Created by and for Washington, DC residents, DCTV is a community media nonprofit organization that fosters a 24/7 forum to amplify local voices in the nation's capital and its neighboring metropolitan communities. Using the power of meaningful media to connect DC residents, we tell quality stories, spark vital conversations, and provide valuable training. DCTV cultivates a premier platform to examine local issues and interests across the District's three cable television providers Comcast, RCN, and Verizon and digital streaming channels. You can watch DCTV streaming online at dctv.org/live. To learn how DCTV serves residents in Washington, DC every day, visit dctv.org.