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FINAL DAYS TO DOUBLE EVERY DOLLAR FOR THE LAKE CHELAN COMMUNITY CENTER

Less Than Two Weeks Remain to Unlock the Full \$2 Million Matching Opportunity for The Lake Chelan Community Center.

CHELAN, WA — With fewer than two weeks left in its year-end giving campaign, **The Community Center** is calling on supporters across the Chelan Valley and beyond to act now and help close the final gap in a \$2 million matching opportunity generously provided by the Turner family.

So far, the community has raised approximately \$1.3 million, an extraordinary demonstration of generosity and belief in The Community Center's mission. With about \$700,000 still to be raised, there is a powerful opportunity—right now—to ensure that every available matching dollar is fully realized..

“This matching opportunity was created to inspire participation and momentum,” said **Brooke Isaak, President of the Seven Acres Foundation Board**. “Every gift made before the deadline is matched dollar for dollar, up to \$2 million. The closer we get to closing the gap, the more of that generosity we are able to put to work for our community.”



The Turner family's gift was designed to amplify the community's collective generosity, ensuring that each contribution—large or small—has twice the impact. As the campaign enters its final days, leaders emphasize that timing matters.

“The Community Center exists to bring people together,” Isaak added. “This is a moment when our shared effort can make a lasting difference for families, kids, seniors, and neighbors throughout the valley.”

Supporters have many ways to participate, including:

- One-time or recurring monthly gifts
- Contributions through Donor Advised Funds
- Gifts of stock or other appreciated assets
- Tribute or honor gifts
- Business or family foundation support

As shared in a recent Community Center story, “Giving gives back—in meaning, connection, and lasting joy.”

Another supporter reflected, “The Community Center is a bridge that is bringing people together and strengthening the fabric of our community.”

With the deadline approaching quickly, The Community Center encourages donors not to wait.

“The opportunity is here,” Isaak said. “Every dollar matters, every gift is matched, and now is the time to act so that no part of this extraordinary match goes unused.”

Donations can be made online at **chelancommunity.org**. All gifts made before the deadline will be matched dollar-for-dollar, up to \$2 million.