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VIRTS MILLER FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM

May 17, 2022, Leesburg, VA - The Virts Miller Foundation announces the launch of an annual competitive grant program and its Request for Letters of Interest from the non-profit community. In addition to its directed grants program, the Foundation intends to issue over \$100,000 in competitive grants to area non-profits this year through a two-phased process.

“Our family has been fortunate to have achieved success through our past business endeavors, affording us the opportunity to give back to our community,” said Sharon Virts, the founder of the Foundation. “This year, we have expanded our giving to include an annual competitive grant program to reach a wider audience in Loudoun.”

All grants awarded will be in support of Foundation’s multifaceted mission to reinforce cultural significance, assist in the preservation of historical sites, ignite initiatives that fuel opportunities for the underserved in our community, strengthen and enhance access to healthcare and counseling services available to the community, and encourage the development and mentorship of the next generation through educational and training programs.

The Virts Miller Foundation invites local nonprofits to submit Letters of Interest via their website, www.virtsmillerfoundation.org. Letters are due by June 30, 2022.

About the Virts Miller Foundation:

The Virts Miller Foundation, founded in 2015 as the Sharon D. Virts Charitable Foundation, is a 501(c)(3) non-profit chartered to support the pillars of a thriving community: Education, Culture & Historic Preservation, Health, and Opportunity Development. Since its inception, the Foundation has pledged more than \$5M in grants to the Loudoun community to date. For more information, please see our website at www.virtsmillerfoundation.org.