

Knitters Donate Handmade Blankets to BHP

BOULDER, Colo. (Feb. 20, 2025) - A group of dedicated knitters at Frasier, a nonprofit senior living community, has donated more than 60 handmade blankets to Boulder Housing Partners (BHP), offering comfort to local infants and toddlers.

More than 20 residents contributed to the effort, spending over 4,000 collective hours knitting, crocheting, assembling, and finishing the colorful blankets. The donation will directly benefit 150 children, from infancy to age three, who are part of BHP's programs.

Karin Stayton, BHP's director of resident services, accepted the blankets on behalf of the organization during a special presentation at Frasier.

"This project represents not only generosity, but also the deep sense of purpose that our residents carry," said Barbara Farhar, a Frasier resident who spearheaded the initiative. "Frasier has a yearslong relationship with BHP, and its programs for young parents of limited means provide a perfect match to the mission of our knitters. We hope these little ones will find comfort in their unique handmade blankets."

BHP provides affordable housing to families across Boulder, where the average household income of those served is \$34,000. The organization owns and manages more than 1,800 affordable apartment homes and administers more than 1,400 rental assistance vouchers.

About Frasier

Frasier is an independent, nonprofit Life Plan Community dedicated to helping seniors enjoy vibrant and fulfilling lives since 1960. Located in Boulder, Colo., the 20-acre campus serves nearly 500 residents and offers independent living, assisted living, memory support, skilled nursing, rehabilitation services, and a wellness center.

About Boulder Housing Partners

As the housing authority for the City of Boulder for more than 55 years, Boulder Housing Partners builds, owns, and manages quality affordable homes for low- and moderate-income residents while fostering thriving, sustainable communities. Its programs and properties provide Boulder residents with access to safe, stable, and affordable housing.

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