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Dosher Memorial Hospital Pays Tribute to more than 1,000 Donors who Raised over \$2 Million

Southport, NC – On March 26, 2019, the Foundation Board Members of Dosher Memorial Hospital hosted a celebration to honor all the employees, friends, neighbors, businesses and organizations who came together and donated more than \$2 Million for the Capital Campaign which began in 2015 and concluded at the end of 2018. The Campaign, co-chaired by Robert & Becky Howard was established to create a fund which will support needed capital improvements for the Hospital.

Tom Siemers, President & CEO of the Hospital said "These funds will continue to help us provide patients with the finest of healthcare equipment, programs and services as well as resources that are necessary for construction, expansion and remodeling projects. Today we pay tribute to over 1,000 donors throughout our service area, businesses from near and far and all our employees who had nearly a 100% contribution level."

Lynda Stanley, Foundation President proudly applauded the group and noted that "The Campaign is a huge benefit to the Hospital and shows how much our community values Dosher Memorial Hospital and its medical care professionals and employees. The show of support truly reflected the community's appreciation. It was very humbling." Stanley went on to note that in addition to the Campaign, yearly fundraisers like the gala, golf tournament and Heart-to-Heart event combined with annual giving, planned giving and major gifts program are all part of the Foundation's giving program. For more information on the Foundation, please call 910.457.3850 or email Foundation@Dosher.org.



Pictured are Lynda Stanley, Dosher Foundation President, Becky Howard, Capital Campaign Co-Chair, Robert Howard, Capital Campaign Co-Chair, Mark Bachara, Dosher Foundation Board Chair, Dr. Scott Starks, Dosher Hospital Board Chair, and Tom Siemers, Dosher President and CEO, standing in front of the tree planted in honor of the Howards, for their dedication to the Capital Campaign.



Pictured are Becky and Robert Howard, Co-Chairs of the Capital Campaign, in front of the tree planted in their honor for their dedication to the success of the campaign.

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