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LIBERTY BANK FOUNDATION DONATES \$44,000 TO NEW HAVEN COMMUNITY

NEW HAVEN, CT — Nine agencies serving the greater New Haven area received a total of \$44,000 in grants from Liberty Bank Foundation at a grant presentation held at Yale’s Peabody Museum.

In presenting the grants, Liberty Bank President and CEO Chandler J. Howard said, “We’re delighted to provide this financial support, but would like you to know that we contribute in other ways, too. Among other things, I am proud to say that Liberty Bank Foundation played a role in building the system that has effectively ended chronic homelessness in our state, as recently announced by Governor Malloy.”

The grants span a broad spectrum of services and will help hundreds of local residents by supporting education of youth and adults, the creation of affordable housing, and sustaining vital human services, including the continued fight to end homelessness.

Agencies included:

- Catalysts Powering Educational Performance
- Charter Oak State College
- Chrysalis
- Connecticut Veterans Legal Services
- Liberty Community Services
- Local Initiative Support Corporation
- Squash Haven
- The United Way of Greater New Haven
- Yale’s Peabody Museum

Since its inception in 1997, the Liberty Bank Foundation has awarded over \$10 million in grants to nonprofit organizations within Liberty Bank’s market area. The foundation seeks to improve the quality of life for people of low or moderate income by investing in three areas: education to promote economic success for children and families; affordable housing; and nonprofit capacity building. Along with its grantmaking, the foundation strives to foster the convening and collaboration of nonprofits, funders, business, and government to address community issues.

Established in 1825, Liberty Bank is Connecticut’s oldest bank, with \$4.5 billion in assets and 55 banking offices throughout the central, eastern, and shoreline areas of the state. As a full-service financial institution, Liberty offers consumer and commercial banking, home mortgages, insurance, and investment services. Named as a “Top Workplace” by the Hartford Courant for five consecutive years, Liberty maintains a longstanding commitment to superior personal service and unparalleled community involvement.

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Liberty Bank President and CEO (and Liberty Bank Foundation President) Chandler J. Howard (r) presents a grant check to Carlton Smith, Residential Director of Meriden Wallingford Chrysalis.