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Small Waves, Big Changes

And just like that, it's time for the Annual Travelers Aid Fundraiser! Join us on June 25th to make *Small Waves, Big Changes* and support our many programs that empower San Diego seniors, survivors of domestic violence, and individuals experiencing homelessness with safe and reliable transportation. Complete with live music, great food, themed cocktails, beer, wine, and a variety of auction items, you're sure to have a great time while supporting our mission to provide connections and solutions that prevent and address crisis. We can't wait to see you there!

Bringing the Resources to YOU!

Travelers Aid paired up with over 25 other local organizations at the the CARES Center Resource Fair this past April, bringing important resources and volunteer opportunities altogether in one place! These events are so important to our community as they make services more accessible and provide a space to connect with our clients. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, reach out to our Operations Manager, [Allie Servey!](#)



Meet our President, Marcy!



Marcy was named President six years ago, but she joined TAS in 2006 as the Director of Development & Communications, in which she was tasked with grant writing, events, technology, and overall communications efforts, as well as program development and design. This diverse skill set and years of dedicated experience with Travelers Aid are what make Marcy such a dynamic leader!

Marcy sits on the Travelers Aid International Board of Directors, and currently serves as the Chair of the Professional Council. An enthusiastic traveler herself, the mission and work of Travelers Aid organizations all over the country (and world) both inspire her and provide her with valuable perspective and professional support. Marcy lives in San Diego with her husband of 34 years, Arthur, and is the proud mother of three young men: Adam, Brian, and Colin.

Marcy takes seriously the responsibility of being the steward of this nearly 125-year-old San Diego institution, and is continuously inspired by the clients we serve. She remains devoted to the work, the mission, and creating programs that meet the changing needs of San Diego's most vulnerable populations.

Important Partnerships

Last time, we shared with you our exciting collaboration with the San Marcos Community Foundation for our *Journey to Safety* program. Because of their generous grant, and in close partnership with [One Safe Place North](#), 39 individuals received emergency assistance while fleeing domestic violence situations. That meant a total of 21 households in the San Marcos community were assisted in receiving services, which included hotel rooms, gas cards, Lyft trips, and bus passes in just the past three months! [One Safe Place North](#) provides a variety of necessary resources for those experiencing domestic violence, and we are grateful for the opportunity to provide reliable and discreet transportation so that more people can safely access those critical services.

The Stories That Matter

While Travelers Aid Society works with over 1,800 clients throughout the County of San Diego, we love to stay individually connected to our members and ensure they are getting the best support possible.

Gwendolyn recently reminded us of the importance of accessible transportation to our seniors: "Travelers Aid helps me organize getting to and from the doctor, and get me to and from where I need to be. The lab, the doctor, the pharmacy. I get to relax, and I feel safe. I think the most important thing for me is that I feel safe and



comfortable going to and from my appointments and errands” -
Gwendolyn



Can't make it to the Fundraiser?

You will be missed! But you can still support our mission to bring necessary transportation options to our community members! A donation of just \$23 can sponsor one disabled or senior bus pass for a full month, and a \$150 contribution can provide a family experiencing domestic violence access to safety at a local shelter. With any amount, you can be sure that your money is going directly toward services that benefit some of our most vulnerable community members. Thank you for all of your support!

Thank you for supporting our mission!

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