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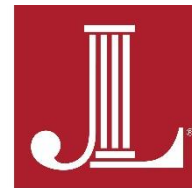
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GOAL OF INFORMATION SESSION



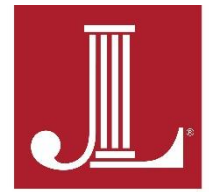
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- 1. Introduce the Junior League of Denver**
- 2. Explain how we collaborate with Community Partners**
- 3. Kick-off our Granting Process**
- 4. Share how to get started with the Junior League of Denver**



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MISSION & OPERATIONS



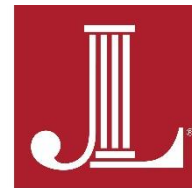
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Junior League of Denver (JLD) is a women's training organization that develops civic leaders committed to improving our community. We are currently working to disrupt the cycle of systemic poverty for women and families in Denver.

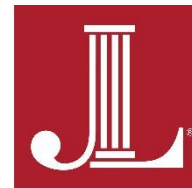
- **Founded in 1918**
- **Over 1,300 trained volunteer members**
- **Have provided over \$7.3M in direct grants**
- **Committed to diversity and inclusion in Denver**





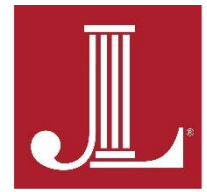
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WORKING WITH THE LEAGUE



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DONE-IN-A-DAY



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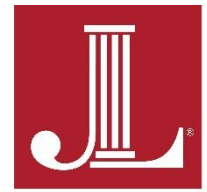
DONE IN A DAY

Done-In-A-Day (DIAD) provides a variety of hands-on one-day projects for nonprofit organizations throughout the Denver metro area. Projects are part of the League's ongoing commitment to send our volunteers into the community to make a difference.

- **DIAD shifts can be one-time or recurring**
 - **Added throughout the league year on rolling basis**
- **Typically last 2-4 hours**
- **Between 100-150 DIAD shifts per year**



WHAT MAKES A GOOD DIAD SHIFT?



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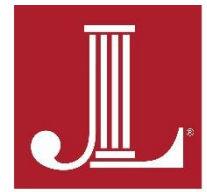


DIAD loves to partner with organizations:

1. Whose mission aligns with that of JLD
2. Focus on topics are members are passionate about supporting

Great DIAD shifts for our members are ones where our members have:

1. A clear understanding of the impact that they have through the volunteer shift
2. They feel that their time is being used well
3. Have the opportunity to get to know the community partner



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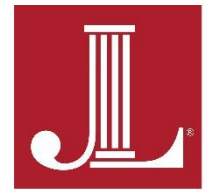
DONE IN A DAY

Past DIADs have included:

- Dress for Success
- Newborns in Need
- Bella Boutique
- Delores Project
- Ronald McDonald House
- Period Kits
- Food Bank of the Rockies
- WeeCycle
- Hope House
- Girls on the Run

Questions: email doneinaday@jld.org

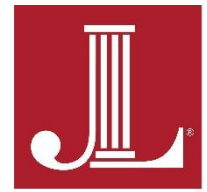




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**LEADERS UNITED IN
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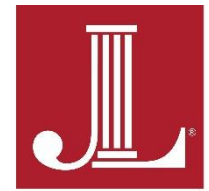


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- Each fall, our members come together for a League-Wide day of service
- One-day event with simultaneous projects across the Denver Metro area.
- 200+ trained volunteers
- \$10,000+ in grants
- Over 900 volunteer hours



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Past L.U.V.S projects have included:

- Performed outdoor yard clean-up, landscaping and shed organization for **ACCESS Housing**. They also prepped the backyard to be re-established into a vegetable garden
- Assisted in throwing their “End of Year Garden Party” to celebrate the end of their summer programs. They set up games, did face painting and served healthy snacks for the **Denver Children’s Advocacy Center**
- Organizing Sack lunches at **The Gathering Place**
- Painting bathroom doors and cleaning Garden at DPS school while collaborating with **Friends First**

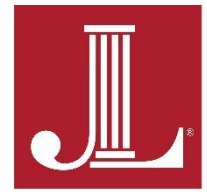
Past L.U.V.S partners have included:



Denver Children's
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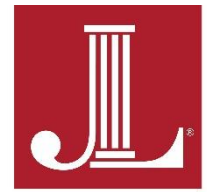
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If interested or if you have questions, contact: jldluvs@jld.org

Our 7th Annual Leaders United in Volunteer Service (L.U.V.S) Event will be held on Saturday, September 23!

We have already finalized our partners for this year, but look forward to the opportunity to work together for the 2024 L.U.V.S. Day!





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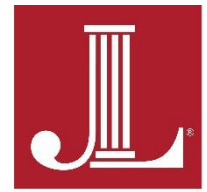
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The Community Grants Committee of the Junior League of Denver (JLD) is awarding up to \$25,000 and volunteers to qualified local nonprofits that support improving the lives of women and children in the Denver metro area. Programs working with all ages of children or adults may apply.

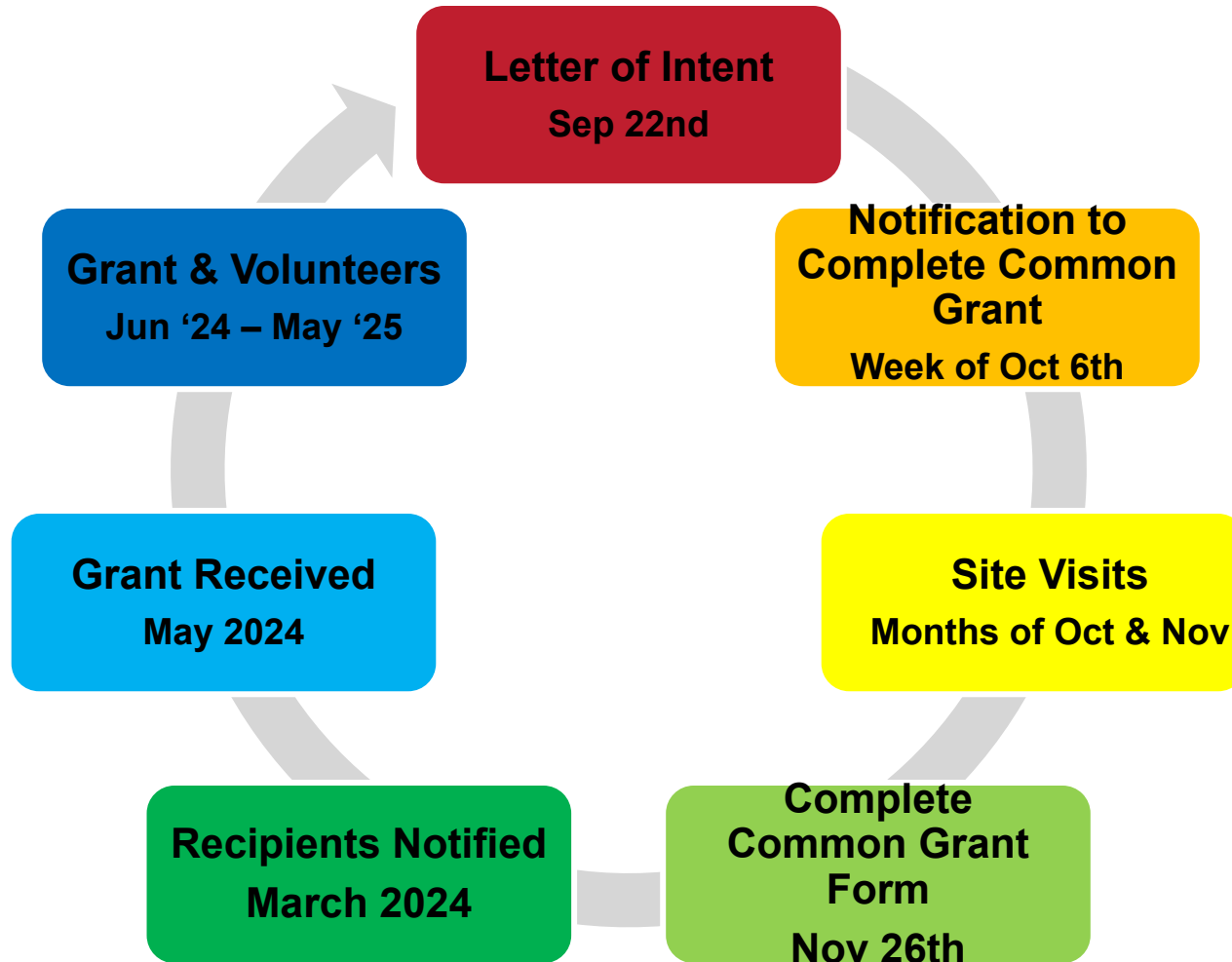
- Purpose is to respond to community needs and seek new volunteer partnership opportunities
- Committee reviews common grant forms, conducts site visits, and selects finalists
- Presents finalists to our members who vote for the winners
- Selected nonprofits will receive funding and volunteers during the 2024-2025 year



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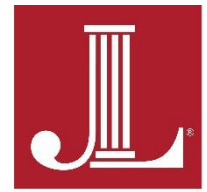


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Volunteer Component:

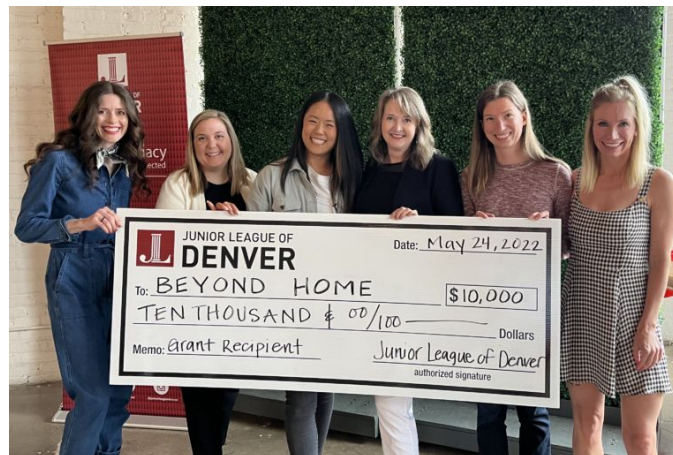
- *NEW* No JLD placement is required
- Examples of volunteer opportunities
 - One-time or recurring volunteer opportunity for JLD members (ex: DIAD or LUVS)
 - Offer training opportunities for JLD members
 - Board service opportunity for JLD members

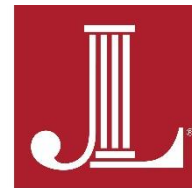
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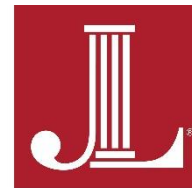
- Notification of advancement (or elimination for consideration) to next phase will be communicated to all applicants
- Please submit your LOI and questions to JLDgrants@jld.org
- Learn more at: www.jld.org/community/grants/





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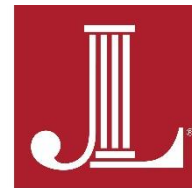
HOW TO ENGAGE WITH THE JLD



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