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JUNIOR LEAGUE OF LAFAYETTE SEARCHING FOR DONE- IN- A- DAY PROJECTS TO ASSIST LOCAL NONPROFITS

The Junior League of Lafayette's Opportunity Knocks program is seeking 12 local nonprofit agencies that need assistance with "done in a day" projects to be completed between September 2010 and April 2011. In connection with this program, the Junior League of Lafayette will provide up to \$1000 towards supplies and 4-6 volunteers to plan and staff each project.

Requests for program participation can be found on the JLL website at www.juniorleagueoflafayette.com. Agencies applying and all projects must be in Lafayette Parish. Projects involving fundraising will not be accepted. The deadline for local nonprofit agencies to apply is noon on July 9, 2010. For more information, please contact Becky Ducrest, beckyducrest@bellsouth.net, (337) 298-1029 or Stacey Bearb, staceym8@yahoo.com, (337) 288-7567.

Funding for Opportunity Knocks projects is available as a result of the overwhelming community support of the Junior League of Lafayette's holiday market, Tinsel & Treasures, and sales from its four cookbooks.

Established in 1957, the Junior League of Lafayette is an organization of women committed to promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women, and improving the community through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers. Its purpose is exclusively educational and charitable. For more information, please call the Junior League of Lafayette at 337-988-2739 or visit www.juniorleagueoflafayette.com.

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