

# Foundation Announces Grants 2022



In its eleventh year of funding proposals submitted by staff members for their departments, **Passavant Hospital Foundation** announced that 15 projects are being funded, thanks to a partnership among the **Foundation**, the **Auxiliary** and the **Hospital** itself.

The **15 projects** funded range in cost from \$1,323 to \$78,736 for a total of **\$270,466**

Every project funded improves patient diagnosis, treatment, comfort and/or safety or significantly improves the working environment for staff.

The Foundation's Mission Support Committee vetted the proposals. **John Borza, DNP, CRNA, Jennifer Hall, RN, Peggy Hayden, RN, Allison Lewis, MSN, CRNA, MBA and Patti Massa, information technology**, represented staff on the selection panel.

Physician representatives included **Karen Barkey, MD, Kenneth Huber, MD, Wende Goncz, DO, Frank Kunkel, MD, Joseph Romano, MD, Andrew Thomas, MD, John Uribe, MD**, and **Daniel Sullivan, MD**, who is chair of the Foundation board.

**Jean Eckert** president, **Beverly Aufman**, treasurer, and **Louise Moffatt, Patricia Kutcher**, served for the Auxiliary.

**Eric Kofmehl, PhD, Emily Shimko** and **Karen Morrison** served as community representatives.

Rounding out the committee is **Tony Dills** and **Richard Hamilton** who serves on the boards of both the Foundation and the Hospital. Mr. Hamilton is chair of the hospital board.

## Funded jointly by the Auxiliary and the Foundation - \$20,000

**UPMC Wound Healing Services at UPMC Passavant-Vasculab**

## Funded by Passavant Hospital Auxiliary - \$16,477

**Occupational & Physical Therapy-Portable Oxygen IV Holder**

**Imaging Services-Ultrasound OB/Gyn Stretchers**

**GI Lab- Stryker Prime TC Wheelchairs**

## Funded by Passavant Hospital Foundation - \$78,455

**Prehospital Care/Emergency Services-**

Paramedic Educational Support

**Respiratory Services-** Ergometer

**Cardiac Rehab-** Seated Elliptical

**6 South-** Relax and Renew

**Passavant Prehospital Care-** LUCAS System

**Police/Security-** ED Security Office Monitor

## Funded by the Hospital - \$155,534

**APS/PACU-** 12 Lead EKG for TAVR Surgery

**6 Pavilion Nursing Unit-** Call Bell System Update

**Cranberry Emergency Department-**

Behavioral Health Room

**Pathology Lab-** Gross hood replacement

**Maintenance-** Bobcat Skid Steer Loader Replacement