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To our wonderful community,

The year 2020 has brought interesting and unforeseeable challenges for each of us, and has led us to cancel or postpone many events we come to know and expect each year, include the Street Party of Hope. We stay apart with the hopes that next year we will all be able to gather again in person.

Buffalo Hospital Foundation has been proud to host Street Party of Hope (formerly the Pink Street Party) each fall since 2009 in order to bring exceptional cancer care close to home. Together, we have raised funds to establish the Virginia Piper Cancer Institute at Buffalo Hospital, purchase 3D Mammography technology to enhance our screening and detection capabilities close to home, and support local cancer patients with emergency financial support through the **Community Cancer Care Fund**.

This fund is a critical program for our foundation and the patients we serve: through the generosity of our donors, we are able to provide emergency financial aid grants to members of our community who have found their cancer diagnosis to be a financial burden. Funds are used to pay for basic living expenses such as rent or mortgage payments, utility bills, transportation and groceries. Without the Street Party of Hope, we would not be able to support more than 20 patients each year who come to us for help.

We are grateful for all who have contributed this year, even though we could not have an in-person party. We send our sincerest thanks to all of you!

It's never too late to support the Street Party of Hope. Your gifts in any amount will all go to the Community Cancer Care Fund. Together we can help our community members focus on what matters most: their health.

Yours Sincerely,
Kelly Spratt, President
Buffalo Hospital

Ashley Andersen, Development Officer
Buffalo Hospital Foundation

Special Thank You: Team Huro – No One Fights Alone



Mike Huro's friends started Team Huro: No One Fights Alone to support his family during his cancer journey. Mike paid it forward in the following years to support others facing a similar battle.

For the 7th year in a row, the family and friends of Mike Huro have joined together to plan a Motorcycle Ride in his honor and memory.

When Mike was diagnosed with multiple myeloma in 2014, he and his family were surrounded by their friends with care and support.

The first motorcycle ride raised funds for his treatment and expenses. As a recipient of the generosity of many, as well as Buffalo Hospital Foundation's Community Cancer Care Fund grant, Mike was motivated to pay it forward.

The following years have seen the Annual Team Huro – No One Fights Alone Motorcycle Ride grow. Each year, they have given the proceeds of their event to Buffalo Hospital Foundation's Community Cancer Care Fund to help others facing a cancer journey.

Mike passed away in 2018, but his family and friends have continued his amazing legacy. This year, in spite of the pandemic, Team Huro kept fighting for Mike and others facing cancer. Their September 12, 2020 event raised \$15,000 to help local cancer patients focus on what is most important: family! To date, Team Huro has raised \$100,000 for Buffalo Hospital Foundation's Community Cancer Care Fund!

Our deepest thanks goes to the Team Huro Committee and Board of Directors and all who participated in their event. Thank you for continuing to pay it forward to honor Mike's legacy.



The 2020 Team Huro Committee, who raised \$15,000 through their Motorcycle Run, raffles, live and silent auction on Sept. 12, 2020.

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Our mission is to serve as a catalyst for innovative services and facilities to improve community health.

The Street Party of Hope is a unique event hosted by Buffalo Hospital Foundation to honor those who have experienced cancer, to elevate cancer awareness and to enhance cancer care in our community. Every dollar raised stays in our community. Proceeds from this year's event will help those who find their cancer diagnosis to be a financial burden through our Community Cancer Care Fund.