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Star of Hope Receives \$65,000 Grant from Judith Ann Mogan Foundation to Expand Services for Individuals with Developmental Disabilities



Star of Hope
New Building Rendering

Coos Bay, OR - Star of Hope is proud to announce it has received a generous \$65,000 grant from the Judith Ann Mogan Foundation in support of its new building project on 8th Street in Coos Bay. This funding will help establish a new Day Support Activities (DSA) program and expand the organization's capacity to serve individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD) across the South Coast.

The new facility, currently under construction, will provide much-needed space for program growth, staff collaboration, and community engagement. The addition of a dedicated DSA program will offer meaningful, person-centered activities that promote independence, skill-building, and social connection for adults with IDD.

"We are deeply grateful to the Judith Ann Mogan Foundation for their investment in our mission and our future," said Jason Grabinger, Director of Development at Star of Hope. "This grant helps us take a major step forward in creating a welcoming, inclusive space where individuals with disabilities can thrive."

The Judith Ann Mogan Foundation has a long history of supporting initiatives that strengthen the Coos Bay community. Their contribution to Star of Hope reflects a shared commitment to dignity, opportunity, and belonging for all.

Construction on the new building is expected to be completed in Spring 2026, with the expanded programming launching shortly thereafter.

About Star of Hope: Star of Hope is a nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities through residential, vocational, and community-based services. With a focus on person-centered care, Star of Hope empowers individuals to live full, meaningful lives as valued members of their communities.

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