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The Arc Eastern Connecticut Receives Donation from Old Lyme

The Town of Old Lyme has awarded \$750 to The Arc Eastern Connecticut to help support the agency's Community Life & Advocacy program. CL&A provides recreation, socialization, self-advocacy, job preparedness and civic engagement programs for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities throughout eastern Connecticut. It is the only program of its kind in the region, and one of its components—a 35-member Volunteer Corps--helps at over 75 fundraising and community service events throughout the state annually. The Town of Old Lyme has been a crucial and committed partner of the agency for many years, and a number of residents and their families take advantage of its many day, residential, and employment programs.

To learn more about The Arc Eastern Connecticut and its programs throughout the region, and for weekly agency updates and resources during the COVID-19 pandemic, please visit *TheArcECT.org* or contact Denise Tift at (860) 889-4435, ext. 116.