

Dear Community Partner,

THRIVE! is a community service organization of influential women dedicated to effective, positive change in Lafourche, Terrebonne, St. Mary, and other nearby parishes.

The Powerhouse Collective will host its inaugural Community Honors & Fundraising Gala in partnership with the Nicholls State University Black History Month Committee, which will be held on April 5, 2025, at the Nicholls State University Ballroom.

The theme of this year's Gala is "Celebrating and Cultivating Seeds of Excellence on the Bayou," a celebration of the outstanding achievements of our students and leaders within the community. Your generous support will help us continue to empower these exceptional individuals, inspiring others to strive for excellence. The event will feature an elegant evening of dinner, entertainment, and recognition, attended by local community leaders, business owners, and philanthropists who share our vision for educational excellence.

We are inviting your organization to join us as a sponsor for this special event. By becoming a sponsor, you will help us provide scholarships that can make a transformative difference in students' lives. We offer a range of sponsorship levels, each with unique advantages designed to showcase your company's commitment to education and community engagement.

We hope you will consider partnering with us for this exciting event.

If you have any questions or need further information, please do not hesitate to email us at thrivebayou@gmail.com.

Thank you for considering our invitation and for your potential commitment to making a difference in our community. Together, we can help our students thrive and build a brighter future.

Ways to Give:

- https://ExcellenceontheBayou.eventbrite.com
- Mail check to: P.O. Box 132 | Houma, LA 70361
- Email for check pick up: thrivebayou@gmail.com

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INVESTOR \$10,000

- 12 Complimentary Event Tickets
- 12 VIP tickets for a private cocktail hour prior to event
- Name Recognition on all media print campaigns for the event
- Scholarship in Name of your company
- Reserved Parking

CULTIVATOR \$5,000

- 8 Complimentary Event Tickets
- 8 VIP tickets for a private cocktail hour prior to event
- Name Recognition on all media print campaigns for the event
 - Scholarship in Name of your company

SEED SOWER \$2,500

- 6 Complimentary Event Tickets
- 6 VIP tickets for a private cocktail hour prior to event
- Name Recognition on all media campaigns for the event

COMMUNITY GARDENER \$1,000

- 4 Complimentary Event Tickets
- Name Recognition on all media campaigns for the event

COMMUNITY PLANTER \$500

- 2 Complimentary Event Tickets
- Name Recognition on all media campaigns for the event

SINCERELY,

Brittany Brown THRIVE! Fundraising Chair Roxanne Reed

Dr. Melinda Jefferson THRIVE! Fundraising Co-Chair THRIVE! Fundraising Co-Chair

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cc: Dr. Elena Mann THRIVE! Vice President

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