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Hospice of the Valley receives \$133,250 multi-year Challenge Grant from Sobrato Family Foundation

2:1 grant to match new and increased cash donations to Hospice of the Valley

SAN JOSE, Calif., April 29, 2013 – Hospice of the Valley, a leading provider in palliative and hospice care, grief counseling and education in Northern California, has received a \$133,250 multi-year 2:1 Challenge Grant from the Sobrato Family Foundation.

For every dollar raised for Hospice of the Valley, the Sobrato Family Foundation will match it times two, up to \$133,250.

The first year's unconditional grant is \$65,000 and the second year's conditional grant is \$68,250. The Sobrato Family Foundation's 2:1 Challenge Grant is contingent on new or increased cash donations during the grant fundraising period now through Dec. 31, 2013.

"Hospice of the Valley is grateful for the continuing support of the Sobrato Family Foundation," said Sally Adelus, president and chief executive officer of Hospice of the Valley. "We look forward to donors supporting our mission affirming dignity and hope for those facing serious illness by providing comfort through compassionate palliative, hospice and grief care."

"We are very pleased to support Hospice of the Valley's essential work in our community," said Rick Williams, CEO of the Sobrato Family Foundation.

To make a donation to Hospice of the Valley to help meet the Sobrato Challenge Grant, please visit hospicevalley.org.

About the Sobrato Family Foundation

The Sobrato Family is committed to building a strong and vibrant Silicon Valley community through business and philanthropic leadership. To support these efforts, the Sobrato Family Foundation is a place-based grantmaker that invests exclusively in nonprofits serving those most in need in Santa Clara, San Mateo and Southern Alameda counties. For more information, please visit www.sobrato.com.

About Hospice of the Valley

Hospice of the Valley is a nonprofit organization in Silicon Valley that provides serious illness and end-of-life care programs and services, including palliative and hospice care, grief counseling for adults, children and families, and emotional support, education and practical assistance. The organization also provides individual counseling and loss-specific support groups to anyone who has experienced the loss of a loved one. In mid-2013, Hospice of the Valley will open the Palliative Care Center Silicon Valley as the first independent, community-based, outpatient center of its kind in California for seriously ill patients and their families. Hospice of the Valley also provides a community resource website for caregivers and families at seriousillness.org/santaclaracounty. Serving Santa Clara County since 1979, Hospice of the Valley honors all cultures, beliefs, values and traditions and is committed to serving its diverse community and providing equitable access to care for all regardless of financial ability. For more information, call 408.559.5600 or visit hospicevalley.org.

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