

CitiCare 2011 Annual Report

CitiCare Reaches \$2 Million as Transportation Still Top Priority in Nevada

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CitiCare recently went over the \$2 million mark in fundraising, thanks to the generous help from private donations, local, state and federal organizations. CitiCare has used this money to purchase paratransit rides for people with significant disabilities, in the Reno/Sparks area since 2001.

Transportation is a high needs priority in Nevada. It is a basic need that must be met in order for people to live healthy, independent lives. In the recent Interim Statewide Needs Survey Summary of Results, prepared by the Grants Management Unit of the Department of Health and Human Services and released in December, 2011:

- Transportation was listed as the second highest priority (just behind Health Care) by Nevadans in public forums held throughout the state.
- Transportation was listed as the second highest priority (just behind Food) by service providers on a Survey Monkey survey by service providers.
- Transportation was listed as the third highest priority (just behind Food and Health & Dental Care) through written surveys collected from Nevadans.

Thank you for your support!

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What is CitiCare? Why is it so Unique?

CitiCare is an independent, nonprofit organization with local volunteers in Reno. It has an innovative approach to expanding the current transportation services for people with disabilities in our community. By creating a partnership between the public and private sectors; we are developing resources that will address their growing transportation needs. CitiCare purchases paratransit rides from the Regional Transportation Commission (RTC), which creates increased transportation availability for people with disabilities without costly capital expenditures or administrative costs. Best of all, there is

no duplication of services or “re-inventing the wheel.” We depend on RTC ACCESS’ well trained and qualified staff who operate the paratransit system making the process seamless for the riders. Since 2001, CitiCare has raised just over \$2 million in funds, and has purchased over 78,000 incremental paratransit rides for approximately 3,500 riders. Unlike other non-profit organizations, no grant money is spent for personnel or other human resource costs. All but a small percentage of grant funds is used to purchase paratransit rides for people with significant disabilities.

Please accept my check as a donation to CitiCare. CitiCare is a 501(c)3 organization.

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