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## **JONATHAN'S LANDING CARES MAKES GENEROUS DONATION TO MYCLINIC**

*Donation in Honor of Jonathan's Landing Volunteer of the Year, Bill Mattison*

**JUPITER, FLA. (May 25, 2016)** – MyClinic, the free medical clinic in Jupiter, Florida, is pleased to announce a generous \$10,000 donation from Jonathan's Landing Cares, a group of Jonathan's Landing residents who regularly volunteer for a wide array of charitable causes, which was presented to MyClinic on March 30, 2016. The contribution will be used to expand the hours of MyClinic's medical interpreter and data entry/electronic health scribe, which will increase efficiency at MyClinic and allow doctors to see more patients.

MyClinic, which currently operates out of a modular building, is located at 6405 West Indiantown Road B Jupiter, Florida 33458, recently kicked off a capital campaign to raise \$2.5 million to support the construction of a new permanent facility. The funds from the campaign will help to build a permanent building twice the size of their current location. With over 1,400 registered patients and new patients coming in to seek care, the clinic continues to thrive.

The donation was made in honor of Bill Mattison, Jonathan's Landing Cares' "Volunteer of the Year." Bill has volunteered with many organizations for approximately 10 years. At Jupiter Medical Center, Bill volunteers each week as a dispatcher, answering phone calls and managing scheduling to ensure that patients safely get to and from their medical appointments. In addition, Bill provides pastoral care as part of a 30-person volunteer team

to help the spiritual needs of the patients. With the Diocese of Palm Beach Prison Ministry Team, Bill provides spiritual counseling and guidance to inmates housed in prisons and jails in South Florida.

“There are many patients in need that would otherwise go without medical care in Jupiter and our surrounding communities. This donation makes a difference in their lives,” said MyClinic Board Chair, Dr. Ron Surowitz. “It’s the volunteers and those who are willing to assist us financially that impact those in need in our community.”

As an independent, not-for-profit, free clinic, providing primary medical care to low-income uninsured adults, MyClinic relies on the support of its volunteers to fulfill its mission and remains grateful for the donation and the continued efforts of its volunteers and small staff to continue serving the health and wellness needs of the community.

Please see the attached picture of Tom Dwyer (JL Cares), Dr. Duke Gocke (MyClinic Volunteer of the Year) Rudy Monlinet (MyClinic volunteer nurse), Diane Williams (MyClinic Patient and Volunteer Coordinator), Amy Pepper (MyClinic Board Secretary and Acting Director), Doug Brown (MyClinic Board Member), Bill Mattison (JL Cares Volunteer of the Year). A site plan of MyClinic can be provided upon request.

### **About MyClinic**

MyClinic, Inc. is an independent 501(c)3 not-for-profit Free Clinic that provides primary medical care and referrals for urgent dental services to low-income, uninsured people in our community. For more information, please visit the MyClinic website at:

<http://www.myclinicjupiter.org/>

### **About Jonathan’s Landing Cares**

Established in 1996, JL Cares is a charitable group of Jonathan’s Landing residents who regularly volunteer for generous acts of giving throughout the local community.

Participants also aid in collection and contribution of donations to needy families in Jupiter.

The benevolence of the Jonathan’s Landing JL Cares committee members is obvious and

always proved with enthusiasm. For More information, please visit the JL Cares website at:  
<http://jonathanslanding.com/community/jl-cares/>

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