

## PRESS RELEASE

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## "Tax Collector Mike Fasano's Five Offices to Feature Sunrise Domestic Violence Center's Camp HOPE as October's Charity of the Month"

October is "Domestic Violence Awareness Month." This year the *Pasco Tax Collector's Office* will be featuring **Sunrise Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Center of Pasco's Camp HOPE** as the Charity of the Month. Often forgotten in the horrors of domestic violence are the children who either see or are victims of these horrendous crimes.

"Sunrise of Pasco County, Inc. is grateful to be *Pasco Tax Collector's* October Charity of the Month," remarks Kelly Sinn, CEO of Sunrise of Pasco. "We would like to express our sincerest gratitude to Tax Collector Mike Fasano and his commendable staff for providing this fantastic opportunity to raise awareness and support in our community. With October being Domestic Violence Awareness Month, this honor is both timely and significant. Our mission at Sunrise is about empowerment, education, and providing opportunities for growth and enrichment in the lives of survivors of domestic and sexual violence. This support will also allow us to continue services to children impacted by domestic violence with our Camp HOPE program."

**"Sunrise of Pasco** has been providing a program called **Camp HOPE** which is a mentoring program for children impacted by domestic violence," comments **Tax Collector Mike** 

**Fasano**. "The goal is to help children find a way to hope for a better future and healing from the past and present violence they have experienced. Our five tax collector offices will be collecting donations for **Camp HOPE** to provide these important healing services to more children escaping domestic violence or who are struggling with the past trauma of seeing or being victims of domestic violence."

For those who would like to give online, the tax collector's office's charitable giving arm **Pasco TC Gives** has a webpage through which donations for **Sunrise of Pasco** (Charity of the Month) can be made: <a href="https://www.govhub.com/fl-pasco/tc-gives/donate">https://www.govhub.com/fl-pasco/tc-gives/donate</a> Donations may also be mailed to: **Pasco County Tax Collector's Office**, P.O. Box 276, Dade City FL 33526-0276.

For more information about the charitable giving programs and other services at the *Pasco Tax Collector's Office* please visit www.pascotaxes.com or call **Greg Giordano, Assistant Tax Collector/ Communications & Special Projects** at 727-847-8179. For more information regarding *Sunrise of Pasco's Domestic Violence Center* please visit <a href="https://www.sunrisepasco.org/">https://www.sunrisepasco.org/</a> or contact **Kelly Sinn, Chief Executive Officer** at **(888) -668-7273.** 

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