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Savings Institute Foundation Awards \$3,000 to The Arc New London County

NORWICH The Savings Institute Foundation has awarded \$3,000 to The Arc New London County to help support empowerment/enrichment groups and activities provided by the Community Life & Advocacy program serving people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD). The empowerment/enrichment groups are key to introducing participants to the concept of viewing themselves as part of a broader community in which they have a voice, an interest, and a right of inclusion. They include self-advocacy, support for victims of sexual abuse/domestic violence, civic responsibility and community volunteerism.

The Savings Institute Foundation was established in 2005 to support organizations that enhance the quality of life for the constituents they serve/

For more information on The Arc's Community Life & Advocacy Program, please contact Denise Tift at 860.889.4435 x110 or dtift@thearcnlc.org.

Please Note: "The Arc" is not an acronym; please refer to us as The Arc NLC, not "The ARC" and not "ARC". *Thank you.*