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Washington County Safe Kids Program Gets Additional Funding ***Antietam Broadband Partners with Meritus Healthcare Foundation***

(Hagerstown, MD) Meritus Healthcare Foundation is pleased to announce Antietam Broadband as a Corporate Roundtable Founder. The Corporate Roundtable is a single-ask program that allows partners like Antietam Broadband to be recognized for their investment in wellness initiatives. Some of the Meritus programs include patient emergency assistance, childhood obesity prevention, community education and new medical equipment. Antietam Broadband's financial donation will provide needed support to the Safe Kids Program. The Safe Kids Program is a community needs-based initiative providing a dedicated staff, operational support and resources to assist in achieving one common goal: keeping kids safe. Some of the important community education programs include car-seat check-ups, safety workshops and sports clinics.

Car Seat Safety Checks:

June 4th: 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Community Rescue Service

Dec 3rd: 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Community Rescue Service

By appointment at Meritus Medical Center. For more information, call 301-790-8000

"I personally thank Antietam Broadband for joining Meritus Healthcare Foundation's Corporate Roundtable Program. Their financial support will allow Meritus Medical Center to remain financially strong and ready to respond to the healthcare needs of our local community," said Carolyn Simonsen, President, Interim CEO, Meritus Medical Center.

Antietam Broadband saw an opportunity to expand their partnership with Meritus Healthcare Foundation to enhance community education and safety programs. "The Meritus Healthcare Foundation provides needed resources to the community of patients at Meritus Health and Meritus Medical Center. Antietam Broadband is pleased to join the Meritus Healthcare Foundation Corporate Roundtable to support kids' safety programs. We share in the belief that our children are our greatest community asset and it's our privilege and responsibility to help focus on their safety." said Brian Lynch, President Antietam Broadband.

Antietam Broadband's community investment strategy focuses on initiatives that support education for children and families. In 2018, Antietam Broadband became a key sponsor of OnTrack which aligns public, private and non-profit resources and opportunities from cradle to career. This program empowers individuals to realize their potential through education and

vocational endeavors.

[How to join the Meritus Healthcare Foundation Corporate Roundtable Program](#)

Corporate Roundtable members help ensure that Meritus Medical Center can thrive in the competitive and ever-changing health care market and continue to meet the medical needs of the community. As a Meritus Healthcare Foundation Corporate Roundtable partner our hometown businesses are showing their commitment to the health of our neighbors, friends and family. For more information email us at foundation@meritushealth.com.

About Meritus Health Foundation:

Meritus Healthcare Foundation is a private, not-for-profit, tax-exempt organization whose sole purpose is to raise support for community health improvement, education, future innovations and patient access to care by identifying and engaging new prospects, giving donors accurate and timely information, providing opportunities for meaningful engagement and appropriately recognizing support

For more information or to donate to Meritus Health Foundation programs and services, please call 301-790-8631 or visit us online at www.meritushealth.com/foundation

About Antietam Broadband:

Antietam Broadband was founded in 1966 and was purchased by Schurz Communications, Inc. in 1968. It is a full-service telecommunications company offering a complete range of residential and business-class technology solutions including digital television, high-speed Internet and digital phone services in Washington County, MD. Antietam introduced Flight Gigabit Internet service in 2016 and made Hagerstown the 75th gigabit city in the USA. The company is focused on enhancing the lives of its customers by providing the latest telecommunication services and maintaining the highest standards of excellence in customer care and world class technical service. For more information: <http://antietambroadband.com>

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