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## **Children Awaiting Parents, Inc. Selected as Participant in Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack's Annual Charity Cup, November 11**

Rochester, NY – Children Awaiting Parents, Inc., has been selected as one of the six local non-profit organizations to participate in the Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack's 12th annual \$30,000 Charity Cup event, Monday, November 11, 2019.

“We are grateful to Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack for choosing our organization for its Charity Cup, and look forward to a spirited and exciting afternoon of racing” said Children Awaiting Parents Executive Director Lauri McKnight. The public is invited to join CAP to support its efforts, and VIP tickets—including indoor seating and a full buffet lunch—are available for a \$20 donation.

We are so pleased to offer this unique event as an opportunity to help participating organizations continue to address important needs and concerns of our community,” said Steve Martin, senior director of marketing at Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack. “We always enjoy working with our non-profit partners, and look forward to spending a spirited, fun afternoon with their dedicated staffs, volunteers, and donors.”

On Monday, November 11, the six groups will gather supporters to select one horse in each of six live, designated races, and receive points based on the race results. The non-profit that earns the most points will take home the top prize: \$10,000 and the Charity Cup trophy. All participating non-profits receive a share of the \$30,000 purse: second place-\$6,000, third place-\$5,000, fourth place-\$4,000, fifth place-\$3,000, and sixth place-\$2,000.

The five other organizations selected to compete this year are Bridges for Brain Injury, Home Meal Service, Jim Dooley Center for Early Learning, Ontario ARC and Victor-Farmington Food Cupboard. At the culmination of this year's event, Finger Lakes Gaming & Racetrack will have awarded \$360,000 to more than 70 local non-profit organizations since its inaugural Charity Cup in 2008.

Non-profit organizations located within Monroe, Ontario and Wayne counties were invited to apply for a chance to be selected to participate. The selection process was based upon several factors including—but not limited to—an assessment of overall need, services provided, the program to be supported, and the potential impact within the community.

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