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Gordon Flesch Charitable Foundation Donates \$20,000 to Milwaukee Area Charities

MILWAUKEE, Wis. (August 10, 2011) – Donations totaling \$20,000 from the Gordon Flesch Charitable Foundation are helping four Milwaukee area organizations further their missions. Since its inception in 2002, the Gordon Flesch Charitable Foundation, Inc. has donated more than \$1 million to various charities and organizations throughout Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Wisconsin. Each year, grants totaling nearly \$100,000 are awarded in the communities where the Gordon Flesch Company does business. Milwaukee organizations receiving grants in 2011 include:

- **Love for Lexi Foundation** - provides funds to families of sick children who need assistance paying medical bills. The donation will help local families with their medical bills and fund research at the Children's Hospital of Wisconsin.
- **Make-A-Wish of Wisconsin** - grants wishes to children with life-threatening medical conditions. Every child in the program receives their wish. The donation will grant the wish of one child in the Milwaukee territory.
- **The Conservatory of Music** - a music therapy program that addresses physical, emotional, cognitive and social needs. The donation will help purchase new musical instruments, CDs and portable music players used in the program.
- **YMCA of Metro Milwaukee Southwest Branch** - offers services to individuals born with special needs at a reduced rate to assure all participants are able to afford them. The donation will benefit the special needs program.

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“Spirit and generosity have been a part of Gordon Flesch Company’s culture since the beginning, and the Charitable Foundation reflects that,” said Barb Anderson, president of the Gordon Flesch Charitable Foundation. “Year after year, our work and these donations provide a tremendous opportunity to improve the quality of life in the communities where we work and live.”

The Gordon Flesch Charitable Foundation, Inc. is led by a board of employee volunteers. The charities are selected from nominations submitted by individual associates throughout the Gordon Flesch Company. Organizations, large and small, that provide assistance to those suffering from disease or recovering from disaster are given priority attention.

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