

OH5 Eye Care Fund Advisory Committee

March 18, 2019

I am pleased to report that we have been able to help three people this Lions Year with vision related issues.

One was with assistance with co-pays for her cataract surgeries.

The second was providing financial assistance to procure special contact lens that cost \$1,500 a pair. The recipient now has 20/25 vision and can begin her quest for employment and for saving money for her next set of these contacts (require replacing every couple of years).

We finally got to close the Amanda Goff request for help in securing an eVision device. Our \$3,000 grant plus another corporate grant of \$3,450 allowed her to get the unit. eVision reduced the price of the device from \$10,000 to \$6,450.

As of February 22, 2019, the total donations to the Eye Care Fund this year has been \$1,000 and the total expense has been \$5,321.

I have not received any additional applications for help.

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