



DECC Weekly Update: Wednesday, October 7, 2015

TEAM DECC presents: Marcus Robinson
Featured Nonprofit: Susan G. Komen/Komen Colorado

My wife is an 8 year Breast Cancer Survivor, and we have benefited from Komen Colorado in many ways. Without the support locally of Komen Colorado we would not have found the information needed to combat this disease. We are extremely active in the Komen Colorado Community both as a spokesperson and Board Member of Komen Colorado (Marcus) and Chair of the Pink Tie Gala 2015 which raised over 500,000 dollars last year. I have given countless hours and financial support since her diagnosis and will continue to work toward ending this vicious disease. I have also provided lunch and learn programs at DIA during the months of October which featured Doctors and Nurse educators presenting information and tools for wellness specifically about Breast Cancer and Komen Colorado.



This week's featured agency: **Susan G. Komen/Komen Colorado**



Mission Statement

To save lives and end breast cancer forever by empowering people, ensuring quality care for all and energizing science to find the cures.

Komen Colorado is working to better the lives of those facing breast cancers in our community. Through events like the Komen Race for the Cure® and the Pink Tie Affair, Komen Colorado has invested \$41 million in community breast health programs in 22 Colorado counties: Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Broomfield, Clear Creek, Denver, Douglas, Eagle, Garfield, Gilpin, Jefferson, Larimer, Logan, Morgan, Park, Phillips, Pitkin, Sedgwick, Summit, Washington, Weld, and Yuma. Seventy five percent of net proceeds generated by the Affiliate stay in Colorado. The remaining funds support national breast cancer research.

Click [here](#) to learn more about Susan G. Komen/Komen Colorado.