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## **Governor Snyder to Join Statewide Celebration of Giving & Volunteering** *Members of Michigan's service and philanthropy sectors to be recognized*

**WHEN:** Wednesday, April 30, 2014  
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** Michigan State Capitol Building Front Steps/Lawn  
100 N. Capitol Avenue  
Lansing, MI 48933

**WHAT:** Statewide volunteers, philanthropists, members of the nonprofit community, and leaders in higher education will attend the annual Giving and Volunteering Day Celebration to recognize and thank the many volunteers, philanthropists, and educators who make significant contributions in communities across the state.

A new statewide campaign, "Volunteer, Michigan" will be launched at the event. The "Volunteer, Michigan" campaign will engage residents to take an active role in revitalizing Michigan through volunteering in their communities.

The program will feature Governor Rick Snyder and State Representative Sam Singh. Individuals to be recognized for their outstanding dedication and commitment to service and volunteerism include State Senator Roger Kahn, State Senator Glenn Anderson, and Deputy Superintendent for the Office of Great Start Susan Broman. The 2014 Outstanding Senior Corps Volunteer award winner is Mary Gionet of Mesick, Michigan. Angela Clock of Lansing will be honored as this year's Outstanding AmeriCorps Alum. Michigan State University will be awarded the Michigan Engaged Campus of the Year Award. HandsOn Genesee will be announced as the Volunteer Center of the Year.

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

The annual Giving and Volunteering Day Celebration is hosted by the Michigan Nonprofit Association, Council of Michigan Foundations, Michigan Community Service Commission, Corporation for National and Community Service, and Office of Services to the Aging to honor the ways service, volunteerism, and philanthropy help to build strong communities in the state of Michigan.

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