

## Komen raises \$230,000

### CHARITABLE GIVING

The Oregon and southwest Washington affiliate of **Susan G. Komen for the Cure** raised more than \$230,000 at its second largest annual fundraiser, Lunch for the Cure. The money will go directly toward Komen's programs and services, such as providing mammograms to low-income, uninsured women.

The **Metro Council** is giving nearly \$1.6 million for efforts to protect, restore, promote and celebrate nature throughout the Portland metropolitan region. The council awarded money to 17 projects, including: the Boardman Creek fish habitat restoration project; the Klein Point overlook and habitat enhancement; and the Mount Scott Creek restoration at North Clackamas Park.

**Wells Fargo** donated \$50,000 to **The Freshwater Trust**, a statewide conservation organization based in Portland. The not-for-profit group will use the gift to fund the ongoing development of its StreamBank software program, which improves the pace and scale of river restoration.

The **Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce** received a \$30,000 grant from the **Donald H. Frank Fund** and the **Christine and C.F. Swigert Jr. Fund II** of the Oregon Community Foundation. The grant will go toward funding a development director to build capacity and increase the number of businesses and students served.

### BOARDS

**Cascade AIDs Project** appointed new leaders to its board of directors: **Foy Renfro** of Global Incentive



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From left, Keynote speaker Eric Binker, Susan G. Komen for the Cure CEO Christine McDonald and board member Robert Dove enjoy the Lunch for the Cure event in May.

Group, board chair; **Jacqueline Yerby** of The Regence Group, vice chair; **Charles Washington** of Fred Meyer Stores Inc., secretary; and **Ron Young** of Goodwill Industries, treasurer.

**Hillary Jenks**, professor at Portland State University, was elected to the **Oregon Nikkei Endowment** board. The **Hispanic Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce** elected **Roberto Flores** to its board of directors. Flores is an account executive for BlueCross BlueShield.

**Tiffani Penson**, bureau support manager for Mayor Sam Adams' Summer Youth Connect Program, was elected to the board of directors for **Financial Beginnings**, a Portland-based nonprofit that providing free financial education to children and young adults.

### AWARDS

**Brad Fletcher** and **David Squire**, executive vice presidents and

managing directors at Grubb & Ellis Company, were awarded the company's **Top Brokerage Professionals for 2010** awards at Grubb & Ellis' annual Circle of Excellence event. Fletcher was also recognized as the company's top industrial producer for 2010.

**David Bartz Jr.**, president and shareholder at Schwabe, Williamson & Wyatt, received the **Liberty and Hope Award** from the Oregon League of Minority Voters.

**Rosenbaum Financial** was recognized as an asset leader by Ameritas Investment Corp., the firm's broker/dealer. This is the second consecutive year the firm has been recognized.

**Jim Berglund** was awarded the **Kamelia Massih Prize for a Distinguished Optometrist** by Pacific University's College of Optometry.

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