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Highfields Celebrates 2018 Citizenship and Partnership Award Recipients

*Onondaga, Michigan –April 20, 2018* – Highfields will present the Robert L Drake Citizenship Award to John Evans and the Partnership Award to The Community Foundation at the Annual Meeting on April 25, 2018 at the University Club of Michigan State University.

The Citizenship Award recognizes individuals in the community who are dedicated to creating opportunities for youth and families.

Evans recently retired from the Circuit and Juvenile Court in Livingston County. He is a steadfast supporter of Highfields, and served as the President and CEO from 2006-2007.

“John has provided decades of leadership serving children and families throughout the state of Michigan,” said Brian Philson, President and CEO of Highfields.

The Partnership Award is awarded annually to a company or organization that has contributed to the fulfillment of Highfields’ mission.

The Community Foundation has generously supported many of Highfields programs throughout Eaton, Clinton and Ingham counties.

“The Community Foundation is a leader in collaborative community change,” said Philson.

Highfields is a nonprofit human services organization which provides home-based counseling, residential care, and experiential education and support programs for children, youth, and families in 13 mid-Michigan counties. For more information, please visit [www.highfields.org](http://www.highfields.org).

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