# DOING GOOD IN YOUR HOOD LOCALIZATION MATTERS





#### More than ever today's costumers lend their wallets, loyalty, voices and ears to companies that give back and resonate locally.

### Get up to speed fast on today's trends and leave with ready to go tactics that drive loyalty, revenue and impact.





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CULTIVATE

CUSTOMER LOYALTY BRAND PREFERENCE SOCIAL ENGAGEMENT BRAND DIFFERENTIATION EMPLOYEE SATISFACTION



## 66 THERE IS NO EXERCISE **BETTER FOR THE HEART THAN REACHING DOWN AND LIFTING PEOPLE UP**



**94%** of consumers would switch to a brand supporting a good cause

70% believe companies should take actions to improve issues not relevant to their business

Employees who participate in workplace charity are 2X more likely to be satisfied in their careers

**90%** of consumers are more likely to trust and be loyal to companies that give back

**68%** of consumers are willing to socially share content from companies that give back

**77%** feel a stronger emotional connection to companies that give back





### 78% OF AMERICANS BELIEVE COMPANIES MUST DO MORE THAN JUST MAKE MONEY, THEY SHOULD POSITIVELY IMPACT SOCIETY





**EMOTIONAL CONNECTION** 

### **TO COMPANIES THAT GIVE BACK**





#### **70%** BELIEVE COMPANIES SHOULD TAKE ACTIONS TO IMPROVE ISSUES NOT RELEVANT TO THEIR BUSINESS \*

FIND A CAUSE FOCUS THAT RESONATES WITH CUSTOMER BASE VS PRODUCT LINE

BE AUTHENTIC ALWAYS

CHOOSE ONE CHARITY FOCUS

\*2018 Cone Communications Study





### **COMMUNITY PARTNER PROGRAM**

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# PROGRAM CONCEPT

- Select iHeartMedia Metro KY-IN markets partner with local non-profit organizations each year. These partners are the recipients of a 3 month in-kind media campaign across the market's chosen radio stations.
- 501c3 organizations interested in the opportunity must submit a Request For Proposal
  - Organizations must be highly transparent, financially responsible and have an excellent reputation
  - Non-profits are selected by each market's Local Advisory Board
- iHeartMedia Louisville
  - 3 Community Partners, 2018-2019
  - 12 Community Partners, 2019-2020
  - Program will expand to iHeartMedia Lexington and Indianapolis during the 2020-2021 year



# BUSINESS OBJECTIVES

- Increase awareness of iHeartMedia Metro Kentucky-Indiana's community engagement activities and station properties
- Help establish brand identity for iHeartMedia Metro Kentucky-Indiana
- Leverage iHeartMedia Metro Kentucky-Indiana's ability to mobilize listeners across its local region



# WHAT IS A LOCAL ADVISORY BOARD?

**Mission:** 

 The mission of the 53-member iHeartMedia Chicago Local Advisory Board is to provide unprecedented service to the Chicagoland community by utilizing our combined resources.

**Expectations of Local Advisory Board Members:** 

15 years and still growing strong!

Strengthen existing partnerships between the communities we serve and local management

Engage in open discussion with an eye toward creating a collegial environment between our respective businesses and the community

- Monitor public opinion and the players who shape it
- Serve as Community Ambassadors
- Identify and implement community initiatives and partnerships





#### • 2019-2020

In-kind media for 12 local nonprofits (iHeartMedia Louisville)

- Three month campaign based on each organization's specific needs
  - More volunteers?
  - Donations?
  - Awareness?
- Theme: Kids, Heart of Kentuckiana (as decided by the Local Advisory Board
  - Campaign theme differs depending on the needs of the community
- PSAs, Streaming, Talent Integration, Digital Placement and (1) Community Affairs interview





### Media Campaign Example: HEUSER HEARING INSTITUTE Jan-March 2020



#### **100.5FM Contests**



Win Tickets to the Kosair Shrine Circus!



Win Tickets to see The Lumineers!



Listen to Win \$1,000 Every Hour!











### Our Approach - "Win-Win-Win" for Patient, Community, and FCC

The FCC will improve the health of the medically uninsured in Louisville and surrounding areas.

**Community Clinic Inc.** 

Free, high quality healthcare rendered by volunteer healthcare providers.

SERVICES

ACCESS

For services not provided, patients will be referred to other affordable, high quality providers.

BENEFIT

Healthier populations, and reduced utilization of inappropriate emergency room visits.



# iHeartMedia Campaign Impact



- 15% increase in the number of new patient visits
- 270% increase in volunteer applications
- 400% increase in the number of donations
- Monthly media inquiries



