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### SRNS employees support the local community through Project Serve

AIKEN, S.C. – (August 28, 2024) – Over 70 Savannah River Nuclear Solution (SRNS) employees recently volunteered their time at the United Way agencies across the greater Augusta area as part of the annual Project Serve campaign, benefitting the <u>United Way of the Central Savannah Area (CSRA)</u>.



SRNS employees worked together to complete a variety of landscaping projects at the Jessye Norman School of the Arts in Augusta, Georgia.

Volunteers spent the day completing needed facility maintenance and repairs at five different agency sites. This year's projects included landscaping, fence repairing, painting, floor repairing, playground construction, basic repairs and more.

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"It's important that the needs of these charitable organizations are met in order for them to successfully achieve their missions," said Ethan Guidry SRNS Project Serve Chair. "SRNS employees have always been willing to donate their time, talent and skills to support the numerous project requests from the agencies."

SRNS Lead Emergency Preparedness Specialist Keith McGuire has volunteered with United Way for almost 19 years. This year, he served as team lead at the Heritage Academy, an independent school offering a quality Christ-centered education to children of diverse economic, racial and ethnic backgrounds.

"Our team accomplished several projects across the school's campus, including installing a new fence, laying mulch around the playground, trimming tree limbs and cleaning overgrown flower beds," said McGuire. "It's rewarding to know that these improvements are impacting the lives of individuals living right here in our community."



SRNS employee George Gonzalez-Minguela shovels a fresh layer of mulch around the playground of Heritage Academy in Augusta, Georgia.

Other Project Serve teams from SRNS completed projects at The Salvation Army Kroc Center, Jessye Norman School of the Arts, Camp Tanglewood and the Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Augusta.

Guidry was proud of their accomplishments and humbled by the overall participation of SRNS employees and their selflessness to volunteer on a day they normally would be off.

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"Our employees' passion and dedication to impacting the local community through the United Way Project Serve is truly inspiring," said Guidry. "Their unwavering commitment and hard work demonstrate our companies core values and our collective desire to make a positive difference in the CSRA."

Project Serve assists United Way agencies that provide support to 31 different programs at 19 partner agencies throughout the region. SRNS is a dedicated supporter of the United Way, having raised over \$800,000 for local United Way agencies during the 2023 SRS United Way campaign.

Savannah River Nuclear Solutions, a Fluor and HII partnership company, is responsible for the management and operations of the Department of Energy's Savannah River Site, located near Aiken, South Carolina.

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