

## **STEADFAST FOCUS**

## To the San Antonio community and Valero partners:

Valero has kept a steadfast focus on what it can control amid these dynamic times, placing the highest priority on our people, on the communities where we live and work, and on the safe and responsible production of products that are essential to modern life.

Last month, we provided 58 San Antonio area children's charities with Valero Benefit for Children (BFC) grants totaling \$1.5 million from the \$22 million in net proceeds generously raised through our business partners and sponsors during the 2022 Valero Texas Open. BFC funds will be shared with all of the communities across the U.S. where we have operations, supporting vital children's programs that provide basic needs, education, and healthcare services. Also, Team Valero in San Antonio far exceeded its local United Way fundraising goal of \$3.5 million, pledging a record amount of more than \$4.5 million for the United Way of San Antonio and Bexar County. I am proud of our Team's caring spirit, personally giving their resources to help those in need.

We continue to make essential transportation fuels the world depends on every day in a safe, reliable and environmentally responsible manner, increasing refinery utilization rates to 95% in the third quarter of 2022. We also remain committed to advancing the growth of our low-carbon fuels businesses to further strengthen our long-term competitive advantage and drive higher returns. The Diamond Green Diesel (DGD) joint venture set another record for renewable diesel sales volume of 2.2 million gallons per day in the quarter. And, a new DGD plant, located adjacent to our Port Arthur, Texas, refinery is currently in the startup process and is expected to be operational in November. This will bring DGD's total annual production capacity to 1.2 billion gallons of renewable diesel and 50 million gallons of renewable naphtha, solidifying DGD's leading position as North America's largest producer of renewable diesel.

As for our other low-carbon fuel opportunities, BlackRock and Navigator's carbon sequestration project is progressing on schedule and is expected to begin startup activities in late 2024. We are expecting to be the anchor shipper with eight of our ethanol plants connected to the system, which should provide a lower carbon intensity ethanol product. And, we continue to evaluate other low-carbon opportunities, including sustainable aviation fuel, renewable hydrogen, and additional renewable naphtha and carbon sequestration projects.

In closing, I encourage you to review our recently released Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) Report. It provides an in-depth review of the actions we are taking right now to build a better tomorrow.



View our latest Environmental, Social and Governance Report at investorvalero.com

May God bless you and your family, especially as we approach the holiday season.



Sincerely,

Joe Gorder.

Valero Chairman and Chief Executive Officer





## 2022 BFC CHARITY PARTNERS-**SANANTONIO**



Any Baby Can of San Antonio **Arms of Hope** 

**Autism Service Center of** San Antonio

**Autistic Treatment Center** 

**AVANCE-San Antonio** 

Blessed Sacrament Academy

Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Aréa Council

Boys & Girls Clubs of San Antonio Boys & Girls Clubs of TX Hill Country

Boysville

**Brighton Center** 

Carver Academy

**Catholic Charities** 

Child Advocates San Antonio

Children's Bereavement Center

of South Texas

Children's Shelter

ChildSafe

City Year

Clarity Child Guidance Center Communities In Schools of San Antonio

Down Syndrome Association of South Texas

Easter Seals Rehabilitation Center Endeavors

**Epilepsy Foundation Central &** South Texas

**Family Service** 

**Family Violence Prevention** Services

Girl Scouts of Southwest Texas

Girls, Inc. of San Antonio Good Samaritan Center of

**Guardian House** 

San Antonio

Haven for Hope of Bexar County

**Healy-Murphy Center** 

Hill Country Daily Bread

Kendall County Women's Shelter

**Kinetic Kids** 

Mission Road Developmental

Morgan's Wonderland

**Ronald McDonald House** Charities

Respite Care of San Antonio

**Roy Maas Youth Alternatives** 

**SAISD Foundation** 

San Antonio Council on Alcohol and Drug Awareness

San Antonio Food Bank

San Antonio Metropolitan Ministry

San Antonio Sports Foundation

San Antonio Zoo

Seton Home Special Reach

St. Jude's Ranch for Children

St. PJ's Children's Home

**Sunshine Cottage** 

The Arc of San Antonio

The Ecumenical Center for Religion and Health

The Salvation Army

The University Health System

Foundation

Transplants for Kids

Witte Museum

YMCA of Greater San Antonio



MORE THAN \$22 MILLION IN NET PROCEEDS FOR CHARITIES ACROSS THE U.S.