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May 11, 2011, Greenwich, CT – Community Centers, Inc. of Greenwich, a non-profit social services organization, is pleased to announce the award of a \$15,000 grant from Fairfield County Community Foundation for their CCI Summer Youth Program.

The CCI Summer Program builds on the success of its Homework Clubs held regularly through the school year. During the summer, CCI provides activities 5 days a week (with transportation), which include: recreation (swimming, tennis, fishing, hiking, and trips), a reading education program, and a career component for teens. Last year, the Summer Program opened with a picnic for over 170 young people and their families. The Summer Program primarily serves the residents of the public housing community.

About Community Centers, Inc. of Greenwich

The mission of CCI is to help everyone in Greenwich have the opportunity to be part of community life. Serving Greenwich for over 50 years, CCI works to promote the personal and social potential of those members of the Greenwich community who are economically marginalized, have special needs, or are isolated from the mainstream. CCI offers a combination of educational and therapeutic recreational programs; individual and family group counseling, and advocacy.

CCI is a member agency of the United Way of Greenwich. To contact CCI, please call (203) 869-1276, visit their website at www.ccigreenwich.org, or email ccigreenwich@juno.com.

About Fairfield County Community Foundation

The Fairfield County Community Foundation promotes the growth of community and regional philanthropy to improve the quality of life throughout Fairfield County. Individuals, families, corporations and organizations can establish charitable funds and contribute to existing funds. The Foundation provides philanthropic advisory services, and develops and leads initiatives to tackle critical community issues. It is in compliance with the Council on Foundations' national standards for community foundations. The Foundation has awarded over \$120 million in grants to nonprofits in Fairfield County and beyond. For more information, visit www.fccfoundation.org



CCI End-of-Summer Reading Party