

# Aiken Together



Newsletter #6

August 19, 2016

“Love only grows by sharing. You can only have more for yourself by giving it away to others.”  
— Brian Tracy

Aiken Together’s Advance Division team is actively – and successfully – working to schedule meetings with leaders from the businesses which represent the top prospects for the Campaign.

This team represents the tip of the spear in our efforts to engage the top prospects in the community. I want to publicly recognize and thank them for the time they are investing in opening doors for Aiken Together.

Advance Division Chairman: Gary Stooksbury, Aiken Electric Cooperative

Monica Key – Bridgestone Americas Tire Operations  
Teresa Haas – Savannah River Nuclear Solution  
Dara Glass – BWXT

Joerg Klisch – MTU America Inc.  
Bill Inman – Aiken Electric Cooperative  
Vance Reynolds – Aiken Regional Medical  
Greg Tompsett – UPS Customs Brokerage  
Mark Bolton – Centerra SRS

Through the diligence of our Advance Division team the campaign has already scheduled or completed appointments with 12 prospects, and are continuing to reach out to an additional 27 in effort to schedule solicitation meetings. The goal of the Advance Division team is to complete the solicitation of all Division Prospects by September 16<sup>th</sup> in effort to achieve the division goal of \$1,050,000 in pledges.



## **Events:**

Aiken Together Public Kick-Off – details to come in September

## Weekly Pledge Report

**Aiken Together**

**Weekly Pledge Report**

**As of 08/19/2016**

<b>Campaign Director</b>	Brian Abernathy	<b>Campaign Goal</b>	\$1,750,000
<b>Starting Date</b>	1-May-16		

### Advance Division

<b>Division Chairman</b>	Gary Stooksbury	<b>Begin Solicitations</b>	7/25/2016	<b>Goal</b> \$1,050,000
<b>Volunteers</b>	12	<b># Enlisted</b>	9	<b>% of Goal</b> 5%
<b>Prospects</b>	50	<b># Assigned</b>	39	
<b>Total Pledges Received</b>	1	<b>Total Value Pledges</b>	\$50,000	

### Leadership Division

<b>Division Co-Chairs</b>	Cody Anderson	<b>Begin Solicitations</b>	9/15/2016	<b>Goal</b> \$700,000
<b>Volunteers</b>	30	<b># Enlisted</b>	4	<b>% of Goal</b> 2%
<b>Prospects</b>	150	<b># Assigned</b>	2	
<b>Total Pledges Received</b>	16	<b>Total Value Pledges</b>	\$12,775	

### Summary

<b>Pledges Added This Period</b>	1	<b>Total Signed Pledges Received To-Date</b>	17
<b>Value of Pledges Added This Period</b>	\$500	<b>Total Value of Pledges Received To-Date</b>	\$62,775
		<b>Pledges Received as % of Campaign Goal</b>	3.6%
<b>Cash Received This Period</b>	\$0	<b>Total Cash Received To-Date</b>	\$2,525

## Honor Roll of Investors

Barry Adams

Blue Salamander Solutions

Mary Driscoll

Dudley Erb

George Fansmith

Tom French

Bob Hottel

Roy McLain

John McMichael

Joe Ortaldo

Dorean Price

Sara Ridout

Jim Schroeder

Security Federal Bank

Bob Smoak

The South Company

Don Winslow



## Did you know?

South Carolina is the #1 exporter in the US in passenger automobiles, synthetic staple fibers, ball and roller bearings and parts, lawn mowers, and tire export.

The state's top 10 export industries last year were vehicles, machinery, aircraft, rubber, plastic, electrical machinery, optics, paper, paperboard, organic chemicals and wood pulp.