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Media Advisory

Purple River Project on October 3rd, Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Alle-Kiski Area HOPE Center, *Center for Victims, Crisis Center North, Women's Center and Shelter of Greater Pittsburgh*

WHEN: Saturday, October 3rd, 2015 from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

WHERE: Roberto Clemente Memorial Park, Across from Heinz Field on North Shore

WHAT: **"Purple River Project" for October, Domestic Violence Awareness Month**

Event to increase recognition of Domestic Violence Awareness Month featuring speakers, awareness materials, a memorial service, food, children's activities, a live band, and more.

Participants at the event can honor domestic violence survivors and loved ones by choosing to pin a flower on a float that has been donated for the event.

SPEAKERS: **TBD - Victim's Story**
TBD - Bystander Intervention
TBD - Male Engagement

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About Domestic Violence Awareness Month:

Observed since 1987, Domestic Violence Awareness Month focuses on violence prevention and reaching out to victims and their loved ones, honoring those who have died. Local residents are encouraged to learn more by visiting <http://www.nrcdv.org/dvam/DVAM-history>.