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Marguleas Gives Annual Donation to Village Green

For the fourth year, **Amalfi Estates** owner and real estate broker **Anthony Marguleas** has given his annual \$5,000 donation to the **Village Green**.

The upkeep for the Village Green is done with the help of volunteers and is paid for by donations, Marguleas noted.

“I am in awe of how much time they put in,” he told the *Palisadian-Post*. “People take it for granted.”

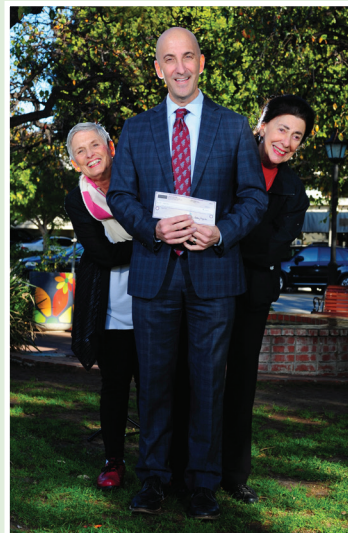
Before the Village Green was a park, it was a gas station, Marguleas explained. In the middle of an urban landscape, “the more green the better.”

The area will be seeing even more green space thanks to the proposed park in the **Palisades Village** project by **Caruso Affiliated**, he added.

Giving back to the community is one of Marguleas’ passions. For the last year and a half Marguleas has been donating 10 percent of each of his home sales to one of 20 charitable organizations.

“It’s our duty and our civic responsibility to give back,” Marguleas said about working in an affluent area and selling high-dollar properties.

Recent donations include \$14,500 to the **Pacific Palisades Task Force on Homelessness** (PPTFH), \$14,100 to the Lili Claire Foundation and \$5,482 to the spcaLA, among others. A complete list of Marguleas’ donations can be found at amalfiestates.com.



(L to r): Marge Gold, Anthony Marguleas, Joan Graves

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