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**AGC of Michigan raises funds to support healthy sleeping habits**

**Farmington, MICH.** — The Associated General Contractors (AGC) of Michigan’s Construction Leadership Council hosted its 14<sup>th</sup> annual event in support of Sweet Dreamzzz, a non-profit organization committed to improving children’s health, well-being and academic performance by providing sleep education and bedtime essentials to economically disadvantaged students and their families on Thursday. The event has raised \$71,800 for Sweet Dreamzzz between 2003 and 2017, with an additional \$8,300 raised at this year’s event hosted at John Cowley & Sons Irish Pub.

“The AGC of Michigan is proud to continue its support of Sweet Dreamzzz and its mission to make children healthier by providing sleep education,” said **Damian Hill**, president of AGC of Michigan. “Our members are dedicated to improving the lives of their communities, especially when it comes to setting children up for success. I was proud to see a strong turnout to support this important organization.”

Sweet Dreamzzz’ sleep programs are taught to preschool through 5th grade children in a fun and interactive way with hands on games, songs and activities by trained sleep educators. Each child receives a Sweet Dreamzzz sleep kit containing a blanket or sleeping bag, nightshirt, toothbrush and toothpaste, a reading book and other bedtime items.

“Sweet Dreamzzz is grateful to have a strong partner like the AGC of Michigan and the Construction Leadership Council,” said **Nancy Maxwell**, executive director of Sweet Dreamzzz. “Their ongoing support has helped us set thousands of children up for success. Healthy sleep habits are important for everyone, but especially children as they develop.”

The AGC of Michigan hosts a fundraiser in support of Sweet Dreamzzz each year. Event sponsors for this year also included Laborers Local 1076 Labor Management Trust, Michigan Laborers-Employers Cooperation & Education Trust, Fastdecks Inc. and Guy Hurley Insurance and Surety Services.

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