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2024 TRAVELERS CHAMPIONSHIP GENERATES MORE THAN \$3.2 MILLION FOR CHARITY

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 17, 2024 – The Travelers Championship today held its annual Charity Celebration at TPC River Highlands and announced that the 2024 tournament set a record with more than \$3.2 million generated for 206 charities.

Representatives from many of the participating nonprofits were in attendance, as well as Nathan Grube, Travelers Championship Tournament Director; Andy Bessette, Executive Vice President and Chief Administrative Officer at Travelers; and Marissa Weidner, Chief Corporate Responsibility Officer at Webster Bank, which sponsors the tournament's Birdies for Charity program.

"It's a privilege to celebrate another successful Travelers Championship with so many incredible nonprofits and announce the highest amount the tournament has ever generated for charity," said Grube. "We're grateful for everyone's support and want to thank our dedicated title sponsor, Travelers, along with our volunteers, our tournament staff, the best fans in golf and our community for their help and hard work."

The 2024 Travelers Championship was a PGA TOUR Signature Event, with a \$20 million purse and an exceptional player field, featuring seven of the top 10 in the Official World Golf Ranking and nearly every top-50 player who was eligible to compete. Scottie Scheffler, the top-ranked player in the world, continued his dominant season by winning the tournament in a one-hole playoff.

In a video sent by Scheffler and shared at the Charity Celebration, he said, "It's really special for us to be a part of the Travelers Championship, it's such a well-run event and they do a great job of taking care of the players, the families and the community. I want to congratulate Travelers and the Travelers Championship for generating [more than] \$3 million for over 200 charities."

Since 2007, when Travelers became title sponsor, the tournament has generated more than \$31 million for over 900 nonprofits across the region, donating 100% of its net proceeds to charity.

"This year's tournament featured a standout collection of players and produced a great champion in Scottie Scheffler," said Bessette. "The real winners, though, are the local charities the Travelers Championship supports. The impact they have on so many is an inspiration, and they're the reason we strive to make the tournament better every year."

Preparations have begun for the 2025 Travelers Championship, which will take place June 16-22 at TPC River Highlands in Cromwell, Connecticut. For more information, visit <u>TravelersChampionship.com</u>.

About the Travelers Championship

The Travelers Championship, held in Cromwell, Connecticut, is the only PGA TOUR event in the Northeast and is part of the FedExCup series. The tournament is one of the PGA TOUR's Signature Events with an elevated purse and attracts many of the TOUR's most popular players. The Travelers Championship has a rich history of

supporting the community and donates 100% of its net proceeds to charities. More than \$31 million has been generated by the tournament for over 900 local charities since 2007, when Travelers became title sponsor. Travelers, a leading provider of property and casualty insurance for <u>auto</u>, <u>home</u> and <u>business</u>, is the Official Property Casualty Insurance Provider of the PGA TOUR. The company has been a corporate sponsor of this event each year since its inception in 1952 and has been doing business in the Hartford community for more than 160 years. Tournament details are available at <u>TravelersChampionship.com</u>.

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