Avalon Village

Sponsorship Levels

The Avalon Village is a sustainable urban eco-village for the 21st century. We are transforming one of the city’s most blighted blocks into a safe, functional, and beautiful space. Construction is underway right now on The Homework House and The Goddess Marketplace. Future plans include The Avalon Village Healing House, The Blue Moon Cafe, and The Avalon Village Community Greenhouse.

From blight…

Shamayim ‘Shu’ Harris is on a mission to transform her abandoned and blighted neighborhood into a beautiful and internationally-acclaimed destination. Mama Shu, as she’s known locally, runs a 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that has served the Highland Park and Detroit areas for nearly a decade.

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The Villager Level is our entry-level sponsorship, intended for individuals and institutions that wish to leave a lasting legacy in metro Detroit. Your contribution will fund the hard-earned wages of vital workers who labor each day to build the structures of our village. The economic benefits of creating gainful employment in a city with nearly 25% unemployment and 40% of residents living under the poverty line are tremendous, and will spiral out from our development into neighboring blocks.

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Villagers Wall of Honor
- Two VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
The Visionary Level is intended for donors who wish to fortify the vision of our founder and project directress, ‘Mama Shu’ Harris: a safe and beautiful neighborhood where a diverse community of people work together each day to transform blight into beauty – both in real space and also mental space. Your contribution will ensure an ongoing community health program in our Healing House that cultivates holistic well-being and health for all of our residents.

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as a Visionary Villager
- Your name and/or logo included on our uniforms and shirts
- Two VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at the Healing House.
Innovator

The Innovator expresses a commitment to relentless improvement at the village. A Village Innovator donor recognizes the opportunities that exist to create contagious positive social change in Highland Park and Detroit, and seeks to be an early adopter of Mama Shu’s theory of change. You are constantly seeking to uplift those around you with creative, innovative solutions to seemingly-intractable problems. Your contribution will ensure we continue to employ the brightest minds and talent at Avalon Village.

$10,000
Level

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as a Village Innovator
- Your name and/or logo included on major communications from the Avalon Village and on our uniforms and shirts
- Four VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at our Welcome Arch
The Village Patron is a donor who wishes to ensure the continuity of our charitable arm, The Moon Ministry, which serves the needs of the people of Highland Park. The Patron understands the vital importance of a philanthropic center in the heart of Highland Park, with deep and personal connections to the thousands of residents who live in poverty here. Your contribution will ensure the continuity of our food programs, youth enrichment programs and ongoing community betterment activities.

**Benefits:**

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as a Village Patron
- Your name and/or logo included on major communications from the Avalon Village and on our uniforms and shirts
- Four VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at The Moon Ministry

**$15,000 Level**
The Village Partner has a deep commitment to social justice and fostering equality of opportunity in underserved communities. They seek a long-term relationship of service to and with the residents and staff of Avalon Village. Your contribution ensures our ability to grow Avalon Village into a world-class eco-tourist destination that will spark copycat developments across the region by investing your contribution into developing ongoing beautification projects in and around the village.

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as a Village Partner
- Your name and/or logo included on major communications from the Avalon Village and on our uniforms and shirts
- Six VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at our Welcome Arch

$25,000 Level
The Village Angel is an honor reserved for the deeply-committed benefactor who shares the unique vision of Mama Shu and wishes to truly give it wings. Your significant contribution will ensure the continuity of our mission of Transforming Blight into Beauty by underwriting the development of 21st-century sustainability architecture in the village: solar, wind, rainwater catchment, geothermal and more. This is an endowment that keeps giving in the form of energy cost savings.

$50,000 Level

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as a Village Angel
- Your name and/or logo included on major communications from the Avalon Village and on our uniforms and shirts
- Eight VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at our Welcome Arch
Our highest honor is the Village Guardian. You believe wholeheartedly in the power of beauty over blight to resurrect and transform the hearts and minds of a broken village. Your generous endowment will underwrite the core functionality of the Avalon Village – its staff and volunteer structure. We’ll leverage your support to ensure that the 5 full-time staff and over 500 volunteers of the village continue to serve their community with love and hope every single day. Your contribution safeguards our future.

$100,000 Level

Benefits:

- Inscription in our Wall of Honor as Village Guardian
- Your name and/or logo included on major communications and t-shirts/uniforms as our elite Guardian Sponsor
- Eight VIP tickets to our annual Avalon Village ‘Blight to Beauty’ Gala.
- A dedication plaque in your honor prominently featured at our Welcome Arch