



Sue D. White

In 1983, Sue Donathan White was a single mother in her early thirties and with a bank loan built her first 200-unit apartment building, founding Donathan Properties. Today she employs over 60 people and has over 2,000 units in North Carolina, offering upper-end apartments as a quality housing option. Donathan Properties continues to be family-owned and responsible for managing every piece of the business, from acquiring land to owning and administrating all of their properties.

Sue served as President for both the Triad Apartment Association and Apartment Association of North Carolina during the 1990's. She has been passionate about bringing professionalism to the industry and making women aware of the available leadership opportunities since the start of her career.

Today, Sue serves on the United Way of Greater Greensboro Board of Directors and Tocqueville Women's Leadership Steering Committee. United Way Women's Leadership fosters, promotes and recognizes the vital importance of voluntary community service and personal giving at an exceptional level among women. Women's Leadership members contributed \$800,000 toward the annual United Way campaign. Sue has been a leader in our Thriving at Three early childhood initiative since its beginnings and serves on the community collaborative.

Sue is helping lead United Way of Greater Greensboro's work in starting WINGS – Women's Initiative Next Generation. With her help, we will bring together emerging women leaders (WINGS) with accomplished women leaders who can provide mentoring, friendship and guidance to those who seek to follow in their footsteps in philanthropy, career or life. She is helping a new generation of women leaders to become inspired and empowered to continue the legacy of leadership that is the hallmark of the Tocqueville Women's Leadership.

Sue serves as a role model of a professional, female business owner. She engages in public speaking opportunities with the local Apartment Association and for over a decade has participated in the Greensboro Day School's Senior Project program, mentoring high school students about business life, providing career counseling, resume guidance and connections to business contacts. Sue is dedicated to education, saying that, "education is about children and children are our future." At Peace College, Sue's alma mater, she is helping raise \$30 million dollars to double the school's endowment.

Sue dedicates tremendous time and philanthropic dollars to breast cancer research. Last year, Sue and her daughter co-chaired the 9th annual Gathering of Friends event for Friends for an Earlier Breast Cancer Test and raised over \$500,000 to provide researchers support for innovative work toward earlier breast cancer detection.

She serves as a Board member of the Duke Comprehensive Cancer Center, which combines groundbreaking research with compassionate care. Sue White is committed to this cause, “because breast cancer affects the whole family.”

Short bio

Sue is owner and president of Donathan Properties, Inc., a real estate development and management firm for several large residential complexes in Cary, Chapel Hill, Charlotte and Winston-Salem. In 1983, Sue Donathan. Sue White built her first 200-unit apartment building in 1983, founding Donathan Properties. Today she employs over 60 people and has over 2,000 units in North Carolina, offering upper-end apartments as a quality housing option. Sue serves her community in many capacities, including as an officer of the Board of the United Way of Greater Greensboro and Tocqueville Women's Leadership Steering Committee. She is also active in the fight against breast cancer in many ways including her service as Board member of the Duke Comprehensive Cancer Center.

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