There’s millions of reasons to believe in LI2DAY and support our local movement, “What’s Raised Here Stays Here”. Together through our diverse beneficiary organizations from South Nassau and Manhasset to Montauk, we are helping families have a fighting chance against breast cancer and other cancers including children’s cancers.

- **Cancer research grants in the amount of $306,000** have been used to fund cutting-edge research at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory aimed at developing new diagnostics, preventative strategies, and therapies for breast cancer.

- **Lend A Helping Hand Programs and similar programs have assisted more than 7,456 (23 other cancers) families.** These programs that assist cancer patients and their families with direct financial assistance payments of rent, mortgages, utilities, food cards, childcare, housekeeping, medical co-pays, wigs, mastectomy bras, lymphademic garments and other self-esteem items not covered by insurance, transportation to/from treatment, and more.

- **Multi-cultural Programs have assisted over 1,783** diverse populations of women and families with direct financial support.

- **Education and Awareness helped more than 50,743 residents** through brochures, health fairs, and wellness programs conducted in high schools, churches, hospitals and wellness centers.

- **10,293 families were reached through outreach initiatives, workshops and one-on-one conversations and health fairs targeting multicultural communities like the Spanish speaking community and Hindu community of either South Asian or Indo-Caribbean descent.** The communities were provided medically accurate, culturally sensitive and linguistically appropriate education about breast health and breast cancer, as well as screening resources to medically-underserved women in the last year alone.

- **Hospital and Medical Centers apply funds to purchase digital equipment, provide mammograms, and procedures not covered by insurance or for the uninsured - assisting over 46,698 women and men with early detection and services Mount Sinai South Nassau Communities Hospital.**

- **Breast Cancer Counseling/Support for over 57,932** survivors and their families.

- **Scholarships are awarded yearly to high school seniors who are the children of families affected by breast cancer and other cancers. 120 Long Island high school seniors have received $256,000 in LI2Day Scholarships.**

- **SOS Program provided funding or services for 51 families who have lost a loved one to breast cancer including financial assistance to offset the cost of funeral expenses, childcare, housecleaning, and food services.**

- **Newly Diagnosed Breast Cancer Patient Outreach Programs distributed more than 6,312 gift bags & resource binders containing vital information resources, seatbelt softeners, books, CD, movie passes, etc.**

- **Lucia’s Room at Southampton Hospital is occupied 90% of the year by breast cancer patients and other cancer patients. The room is designed to provide comfort and caring for cancer patients who are going through difficult surgeries, palliative care and/or end-of-life services.**

- **6,556 individuals have participated in wellness programs including workshops exercise, nutrition, and yoga classes.**

- **Mind, body and soul programs for coping with cancer, reflexology treatments, retreats, empowerment groups, mindful walking groups, cooking is caring, therapeutic painting classes, ballet for recuperation, fix your hormones and days of renewal are programs that have reached 76,439 individuals fighting cancer and the aftermath.**

- **600 childhood cancer care packages delivered to kids in area hospitals.**