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WILTSHIRE AIR AMBULANCE: £10,000 DONATION FROM MALMESBURY LEAGUE OF FRIENDS

Wiltshire Air Ambulance (WAA) has received a further donation, of £10,000, from Malmesbury League of Friends (MLOF). It gave WAA £25,000 in 2019.

It decided to make this substantial donation for the charity after WAA were called to 20 potentially lifesaving incidents in the immediate Malmesbury area in the last 15 months.

MLOF provides funds to help local people with specific medical needs, which are not available from other sources. In particular, it provides badly needed equipment for use by the Malmesbury Primary Care Centre, Athelstan House and by patients in their own homes.

MLOF chairman David Hide said: “Although most of our donations are for items of medical equipment, we know what an absolutely vital service the WAA provides. It is essential that it is able to continue its life saving work and we are delighted to help in this way.”

WAA deputy chief executive Barbara Gray said: “This amount of money is hugely welcome and we cannot thank MLOF enough. Our service is vital in Wiltshire, Bath and the surrounding areas and this will go a long way to keeping us flying. We literally are funded by you, flying for you”

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