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Tax Collector Mike Fasano's Five Offices Raised Over \$6,900 for Gold Star Family Memorials in Pasco

During the month of January 2026, the **Pasco Tax Collector's Office** featured the **Gold Star Family Memorial Monuments** as the Charity of the Month. The **\$6,993.71** raised and donated to the memorial fund will help in the building of two monuments in Pasco County to honor Gold Star Families. Gold Star Families are those who paid the ultimate price (losing a loved one in service of our nation) so that their sacrifice to protect our freedoms as Americans will not be forgotten. The building of the monuments is a joint effort by the non-profits **Pasco Appraiser Gives** and the **Woody Williams Foundation**.

"Pasco Appraiser Gives would like to sincerely thank **Pasco County Tax Collector Mike Fasano** and **Pasco TC Gives** for the generous donation of \$6,993 to help fund **Gold Star Families Memorial Monuments** in Pasco County!" remarks **Pasco Property Appraiser Mike Wells**. "Both monuments and the surrounding

installations are entirely donor funded. Local businesses, organizations, and individuals alike have a unique opportunity to support this legacy project that will be a poignant tribute within our community. We're so thankful for the generous support of our friends at the **Tax Collector's Office.**”

“The memorials, one in East Pasco (Wesley Chapel District Park) and one in West Pasco (Veterans Memorial Park), will honor the legacy, service and sacrifice of loved ones so that we may all live with liberty,” remarks **Tax Collector Mike Fasano.** “Thank you to every person who donated not only during our charitable giving drive, but to all who continue to donate today. Your donation in any amount will help bring honor to those who gave all so that we can truly live free.”

To make a donation or learn more about the **Woody Williams Foundation** and the **Gold Star Family Memorials** please visit: <https://woodywilliams.org/monuments/pasco-cty-fl.html> For more information about **Property Appraiser Mike Wells'** charitable giving arm please visit: <https://pascopa.com/meet-your-appraiser/pasco-appraiser-gives/> For more information about the charitable giving programs and other services at the *Pasco Tax Collector's Office* please visit www.pascotaxes.com or call **Greg Giordano, Assistant Tax Collector/ Communications & Special Projects** at 727-847-8179.

[PHOTO ATTACHED – LEFT TO RIGHT – **Brendan Fitterer, Pasco Property Appraiser Chief Deputy, Tax Collector Mike Fasano, Property Appraiser Mike Wells, Jacques Hakim, Chairman of Gold Star Families Memorial and Lisa Shippy-Gonzalez, Director of HR/ Finance**]

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