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**Assistance League of St. Louis partners with Marquette High School Ambassador Girl Scout, Lauren King. Her Rainwater Garden Project & Texas Roadhouse fundraiser propel her toward the gold: *The Gold Award*, Girl Scout's Highest Award.**



ST. LOUIS, MO: Ambassador Girl Scout Lauren King and student at Marquette High School selected Assistance League of St. Louis as a partner for her Rainwater Garden project to help her achieve *The Gold Award*, the most prestigious award Girl Scout Seniors and Ambassadors can earn. King developed her Rainwater Garden project along with Bev Pettit, Landscape Chairman of ALSTL.

In addition to creating the Rainwater Garden, King organized a very successful fundraising event January 25th at The Texas Roadhouse restaurant in Ballwin. Roadhouse manager Lauren Meyer presented Assistance League of St. Louis President Yolanda Perez-Cunningham with a \$300 donation for their philanthropic programs.



**ABOUT ASSISTANCE LEAGUE OF ST. LOUIS.** Assistance League of St. Louis is an all-volunteer group of nearly 500 volunteers. The organization's mission is to identify, develop, fund and implement ongoing philanthropic programs to serve specific needs of children and adults in the St. Louis community. In 2020-2021 alone, Assistance League members and friends donated nearly 57,000 volunteer hours through six philanthropic programs, touching over 35,000 lives. Each program has a special focus from providing new school uniforms to shoes and socks and from personal care items for crisis shelters and books for aspiring readers. All funds raised are returned to the St. Louis community. Assistance League of St. Louis is an accredited charity of the Better Business Bureau, rated 100 out of 100 by Charity Navigator and has achieved a Platinum Transparency Rating from GuideStar.

