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O.C. Komen chapter gets \$25,000 award

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The Orange County affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure was recently awarded a \$25,000 grant from the Pacific Life Foundation, along with a service award named for Walter B. Gerken, the foundation's founding chairman.

The two organizations have been linked for nearly 20 years. The Pacific Life Foundation hosts Race for the Cure each year at its Newport Beach property, and provides volunteers and other support.

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"In its fight to end breast cancer forever, Komen Orange County has exemplified the dedication and commitment that embodies the true spirit of the Walter B. Gerken Award," Robert Haskell, president of the Pacific Life Foundation, said in a statement.

The award was given on Jan. 24 and announced Tuesday.

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