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**Longmont United Hospital receives \$250,000 from Hospital Volunteers**

A check in the amount of \$212,000, completing a pledge of \$250,000, will be presented to Mitchell C. Carson, President/CEO Longmont United Hospital, by Longmont United Hospital Volunteers at the National Volunteer Week Celebration Tea.

In 2004 the volunteers pledged to raise \$250,000 by 2008 for the new Emergency Department. Through the collection of many efforts including their annual event, "An Evening to Remember," the volunteers successfully completed their pledge earlier this year.

The Celebration Tea will be held Friday, April 20, at 1:30 p.m. in the Hospital Gallery.