

## Vero Beach Building contractors honor Patrick Loftus with United Way dedication

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INDIAN RIVER COUNTY — Local building contractors will honor Patrick J. Loftus, former owner of Gator Lumber, which was sold to Stock Building Supply, by making a lasting contribution to the United Way Center in his name.

On Aug. 5 at 5 p.m., the United Way will dedicate its Community Room to Loftus for his many years of work and service to the community.

Croom Construction Co., Barth Construction, Hale Construction Inc., Jones and Jones Inc. and Will Craft, former partner in Gator Lumber Company, joined together to fund the naming of the 1,300-square-foot room at the United Way Center, 1836 14th Ave.

The Community Room is used as a free meeting space for nonprofit organizations.

David Croom, president and CEO of Croom Construction Co., initiated the idea of a room naming as a gesture of support while Loftus was recovering from cancer.

For more information about the United Way of Indian River County, contact Lisa London at (772) 567-8900.



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