



## Volunteer Spotlight:

### TJ Felice

Vice President, Centric Consulting



### Apparo volunteer since 2016, TJ has also supported us as a donor, speaker and corporate sponsor.

- 2016 - Kicks off his Apparo volunteer support serving on a Community Impact Project for Habitat Charlotte, helping them implement a new project management software system
- 2016 - Begins his relationship with Matthews HELP Center (MHC), volunteering on two Community Impact Projects, helping them implement Salesforce
- 2018 - Turns his attention to Apparo and our internal needs to improve our use of Salesforce
- 2019 - Compliments his volunteer support with financial support, becoming an Apparo donor
- 2020 - Leads two virtual education sessions for nonprofits
- 2020 - Extends financial support through CXO Tech Insights corporate sponsorship
- 2021 - Leads change management journey for G.A.I.N. nonprofits
- 2021 - Joins Apparo staff and Board in strategic planning for Apparo's future

"TJ has lifted our efficiency and helped our team become more effective in the way we serve other nonprofits. He has also been an amazing partner, walking alongside other nonprofits. He is innovative and totally community focused, a real philanthropist. We are grateful for him." - Kim Lanphear, CEO, Apparo

*"The ability to partner with Apparo to contribute to my local community is motivational. In my day job, I'm working on strategic initiatives where the impact sometimes isn't seen for years. Whereas, with volunteering, you are helping someone to overcome a challenge or navigate an obstacle and the payback is almost immediate. You can see that progress made, that goal achieved and that is so energizing and reassuring. It's part of who we are as a firm at Centric Consulting, committed to reinvesting back into our communities. So, for us, it's a great partnership that is mutually beneficial." - TJ Felice*

# 6 Years

Length of Apparo Relationship

# 50+

Nonprofits Supported

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*I can't even imagine doing what we're doing now with our prior database, which consumed so much energy and time of our social work team. If it were not for TJ's support, we would not be able to serve our community in the way we that we do. We wouldn't be in the place we are today. - Sandra Conway, Executive Director, Matthews HELP Center*

*As a result of our work together, our social work team can use our time more wisely to serve our clients in need. - Kelly Trott, Social Work Director, Matthews HELP Center*



TJ Felice visits with the Matthews HELP Center team.