



GROUNDWORKS

And The Winner of *IT TAKES TWO 2020!* Is...

Charna E. Sherman!!

Her partner also gave her the superlative award:

Most Fiercely Generous Celebrity

"At the launch party she wasn't shy at all about why she was doing this and the fact that she wanted to win and raise us the most money. And at every step of the project she's sought out ways to benefit other local Cleveland businesses. Whether it be for costuming or wanting to dedicate our video to a local seamstress making masks in Cleveland to help the public. The best part is it's never a suggestion, it's always baked right into her thinking and planning for what we're doing." - Spencer Dennis



Thank you to everyone who voted and donated to this campaign. The entire team at GroundWorks is extremely grateful for your support now and throughout the year. Also a huge thank you to all our Celebrity Dancers. Without their support and participation, none of this campaign would have been possible.

Our overall goal for IT TAKES TWO 2020! is \$75,000, and we are excited to announce that we are very close to achieving it. To continue supporting the organization and campaign, please enjoy all the final videos and consider making a donation of any amount.

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Each of our professional dancers gave their Celebrity Partner a superlative award during the closing Celebration:

Jeff Epstein
Zoom Innovator

"We would be talking about a crazy idea and before I knew it, Jeff would be walking around his house with his computer, trying to figure out how to turn it upside down and how to get the best shot of himself. He was such a good sport and worked so hard to get the best shots to make our video the best it could be." - David Shimotakahara



Suzanne Hamilton
Quickest Picker Upper

"She was the quickest non-dancer to pick up choreography. I would show her an 8 count of movement, she would do it and I was just like, okay, that's it. We would then be able to move on to the next section of the video very quickly." - Nicole Hennington

Connie Hill-Johnson
Grooviest Mover

"When I first asked Connie to freestyle for our piece, she already had an extensive vocabulary of groovy moves. She connected to the music with ease and her own stylistic flares. Connie is a natural dancer and super fun to dance with (even over a zoom chat)" - Michael Arellano



Brian M. Zimmerman
Tower of Ideas

"Brian was such an amazing partner. Although we only had 1 in-person meeting/rehearsal, we accomplished so much. Not only was he willing to try anything I threw at him, he also brought so many great ideas to the table that enabled our partnership to be 100% collaborative." - Alexis Britford