



Active community volunteer and practiced fund-raiser Fran Tognazzini is the newest member of the board of directors at Jack's Helping Hand. A North County resident for more than three decades, Tognazzini has been a staff accountant with the CPA firm Roy & Connor for 23 of those years. She has been treasurer for the Pioneer Day Committee, has cochaired the Hospice Afternoon at the Ranch event for many years and is currently treasurer for the San Luis Obispo County Cattle Women's Association.

Tognazzini has also worked at the Mid-State Fair livestock office for many years. "I am delighted that I can be of service to Jack's Helping Hand," Tognazzini says. "It's truly a one-of-a-kind organization that does extraordinary things for extraordinary children." Now in its fourth year of service, Jack's Helping Hand Inc. is a non-profit charitable organization created in honor of Paul and Bridget Ready's youngest son, Jack, who passed away in 2004 at the age of three. Funds received in Baby Jack's name have since been utilized within our community to advance the interests of children with special needs. For more information, call 547-1914.