Annual Shred Cancer Event to Raise \$50,000 for Cancer Prevention Research

Washington, D.C – **PROSHRED®** Security (**PROSHRED®**) will be celebrating the tenth anniversary of their nationwide Shred Cancer event. The first event will take place on Friday, June 2nd, 2023, in Milwaukee, with the rest of the events following through to the end of August 2023 in partnership with The American Institute for Cancer Research (AICR). Community members are invited to bring their personal information to be securely shredded while raising funds for cancer research.

The event will be held in many major metropolitan **PROSHRED®** markets throughout the country over the next three months. To view event locations and timings, visit https://www.proshred.com/shredding-events/

Individuals may bring boxes of documents to one of **PROSHRED®**'s on-site shredding trucks to dispose of unwanted personal information safely and securely. The event is free to attend, however we encourage a donation of **\$10 per box** that will go directly towards funding AICR's cancer research and education programs. Several locations will host additional events and raffles.

"Generous support from millions of individual Americans—and not government or industry grants—have allowed AICR to fund emerging research and to continue our programs for educating the public about what practical steps we all can take every day to live in a world with less cancer. The funds raised by the **PROSHRED®** community makes a significant impact on the health of millions of Americans." – American Institute for Cancer Research

Jeffrey Hasham, Chief Executive Officer of *PROSHRED®*, commented, "We at *PROSHRED®* are extremely privileged to have the opportunity to contribute to the crucial research conducted by AICR. Over the last 30 years, AICR's work has led to increased awareness between diet, exercise, and the prevention of many cancers. It is our hope that our collective efforts across the *PROSHRED®* system will raise awareness and money for the work AICR conducts. We hope to see everyone over the next several weeks at our Nationwide Shred Events. Together we can Shred Cancer."

Commencing in 2014 on National Cancer Survivors' Day, *PROSHRED®* has contributed over \$200,000 to cancer research. This year AICR and *PROSHRED®* have set a goal to raise \$50,000 for research.

Event locations and other details are available at aicr.org/events/shredcancer/.

About PROSHRED® Security

PROSHRED® shreds and recycles confidential information and proprietary materials for thousands of customers in the United States in all industry sectors. **PROSHRED®** is the pioneer of mobile document destruction and is both ISO 9001 Certified by NSF-ISR and NAID AAA certified.

It is **PRO**SHRED®'s vision to be the 'system of choice' and provider of shredding and recycling services throughout North America. Today, **PRO**SHRED® serves over 30 markets in 42 locations in the United States. For more information, please visit, <u>www.proshred.com</u>.

About AICR

Our Vision: We want to live in a world where no one develops cancer that is preventable.

Our Mission: The American Institute for Cancer Research champions the latest and most authoritative scientific research from around the world on cancer prevention and survival through diet, weight, and physical activity so that we can help people make informed lifestyle choices to reduce their cancer risk.

We have contributed over \$107 million to innovative research conducted at universities, hospitals, and research centers. Find evidence-based tools and information for lowering cancer risk, including AICR's Recommendation for Cancer Prevention, at www.aicr.org.

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