





# **HUBBARD COUNTY IMPACT REPORT**

# **GRANT FUNDING**

This year United Way has provided local funding and support to the following agencies:

- Anishinabe Legal Services
- Legal Services of NW MN
- ARCC Emergency Shelter
- MAHUBE-OTWA

- North Country Food Bank
- Support Within Reach

Agencies that applied and received funding in past years include Family Safety Network, Hubbard County DAC, Hubbard in Prevention Coalition, Kinship of the Park Rapids Area, Living at Home of the Park Rapids Area, Northern Dental Access Center, Park Rapids Armory & Events Center, and Youth Emergency Shelter & Supports



#### VOLUNTEER WEBSITE

United Way hosts the Volunteer Heartland Lakes website that allows agencies to post volunteer opportunities, events, and donation needs.



#### 129 CHILDREN

have received a gift through Holiday Gifts for Kids.



# CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION COUNCIL

United Way allocates grant funding to agencies working on local child abuse prevention programming, using funds raised from the Radiothon to End Child Abuse.



#### **160 CHILDREN**

ages 0-5 receive a free book every month through Dolly Parton's Imagination Library.

# **HUBBARD ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS**



**Connie Carmichael** Living At Home Park Rapids Area

**Stephanie Carlson** Local Business Owner Kendra Coborn Citizens National Bank

**Brian Hall**Sanford Health

**Bill Steen** Retired, Community Member

Mike Carroll Retired, Community Member

# **BEYOND THE FUNDING**

United Way supports local partner agencies through problem solving, advocacy, marketing, fundraising, volunteer connections, and strategic services. We've provided free services such as website and logo development for Support Within Reach and Hubbard County DAC.

### **HOW FUNDING WORKS:**



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#### Allocations

Hubbard Advisory
Council volunteers
extensively vet
and make
recommendations to
the Board of Directors
for allocation of funds.

Partner Agencies work to balance the community in the areas of Healthy Community, Youth Opportunity, and Financial Stability.

#### Partners



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#### Beyond the Funding

United Way supports Partner Agencies through problem solving, advocacy, and capacity building.

#### ASSET LIMITED INCOME CONSTRAINED EMPLOYED

ALICE® is an acronym for Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed, and it's a way of understanding families, neighbors, and colleagues who work hard, earn above the Federal Poverty Level, but don't make enough to afford a basic household survival budget. ALICE workers include childcare providers, home health aides, cashiers, retail clerks, waiters, nonprofit professionals and others – those working low-wage jobs, with little or no savings and one emergency from poverty. As members of the United Ways of Minnesota, our organizations recently joined the United for ALICE network – a national movement to raise awareness about this growing but often hidden population in our communities.

During our annual campaign, our focus is on ALICE. We are committed to ensuring ALICE families have the resources and opportunities they need to thrive.

For more information, visit www.UnitedForAlice.org

# WHO IS ALICE?

# ASSET LIMITED

ALICE has no safety net in times of crisis.

#### INCOME CONSTRAINED

ALICE's income falls short of essentials.

#### **EMPLOYED**



ALICE is working, yet not earning enough.

# FOREVER FUND



The Forever Fund was created to serve as the backbone of our community, by providing long-term funding to our local United Way.

This fund serves two purposes, 1) Emergency community funding, when needed; and 2) Support funding for United Way to ensure their work is sustainable over time.

The Forever Fund is both a financial safety net and a resource for times of community crisis. By contributing to the Forever Fund, you are investing in the long-term well-being of our community. The fund will provide essential resources in Healthy Community, Youth Opportunity, and Financial Stability.

Your contribution to the Forever Fund is tax-deductible! And, depending on how you give, maximum tax benefits may be realized.

#### **HOW DOES THE FOREVER FUND WORK?**







#### GIVE

An establishing gift is made and forms the principal.

#### **INVEST**

The principal is protected and invested and grows.

#### GRAN

A portion of the fund's value is distributed annually forever.