



United Way of Cowlitz
& Wahkiakum Counties



IMPACT REPORT

April 1, 2023 - March 31, 2024

We mobilize the caring power of our community to continuously improve the lives of every person in Cowlitz and Wahkiakum Counties.

Community Impact

We are proud to invest in solutions, drive change and help support our community this past year by helping to provide:



Thousands of books to children to increase literacy & remove barriers to books

\$267,348

\$267,348 invested into our community to address our most urgent challenges



Shelter & services for families experiencing domestic violence



School gardens to provide learning opportunities & access to healthy food



Peer-to-peer eating disorder & support services for youth



Community Service:
1,111 volunteers supported our programs and volunteered for 3,565 hours



\$25,502.30 donor designated contributions to local non-profits.



Food & essential items for low-income community members



Services for families experiencing homelessness



Mentorship program for Chuukese students



Access to laundry for low-income residents



Training for preschool teachers to increase skills & expertise



Legal services for low-income residents



Preschool programs to prepare children for Kindergarten



Advocacy efforts for children in the court system



Dolly Parton's Imagination Library

This outstanding program removes barriers to books, introduces children to the love of reading and helps build the fundamentals for learning and success in Kindergarten

7,917 children have received free books

211,493 books have been mailed



Thank You Imagination Library Partners!

**The Stanley and June
Rose Foundation**



Kelso, Longview &
Woodland Clubs



COMMUNITY HEALTH PLAN
of Washington™
The power of community

Partners in Impact

We work alongside our Partners in Impact to address our community's most urgent needs and develop solutions that support our entire community

Cascade Pacific Council BSA
Child and Adolescent Clinic
Children's Discovery Museum
Community Caring Project/Parents' Place
Community House on Broadway
Cowlitz Community Network
Cowlitz County Child Advocates
Cowlitz-Wahkiakum Legal Aid
Emergency Support Shelter
ESD 112
Ethnic Support Council
Family Promise of Cowlitz County
FISH of Cowlitz County
Hello Life
Lower Columbia Head Start/EHS/ECEAP
Lower Columbia School Gardens
Progress Center
St James Family Center
Volunteer Services
Woodland Action Center
YMCA of Southwest Washington
Youth & Family Link

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Thank you to our generous donors who help make our work possible. With your donations we are able to provide essential support to children, families and seniors right here in Cowlitz & Wahkiakum Counties.

Thank you for your support!

Tocqueville Donors Society: \$10,000+

Pacific Power Foundation

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Morgan, Dennis

Progress Center

The Stanley and June Rose Foundation

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In Honor of Heidi Souvenir



This year we lost an incredible member of our organization and dear friend, Heidi Souvenir. Heidi's warmth, laughter and dedication added so much to United Way and to our entire community.

In appreciation of Heidi, we have named our Woman of Excellence Award in her honor, as her dedication and commitment to our community are a model for each of us and define how we seek to lead and learn here at United Way.