THE REALTOR® FOUNDATION

2013 Mid-Year Report





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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5 6:30-10:30 P.M.

Tom Wood Aviation Center at the Metropolitan Indianapolis Airport in Fishers

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The REALTOR® Foundation 20th Annual Golf Outing

We are happy to report the success of the 20th Annual Golf Outing on July 18th which raised over \$36,000. The funds generated by the event will help in our efforts to support central Indiana non-profits that transition homeless individuals and families into safe and secure housing.

Thank you to all of the sponsors, players and volunteers for coming out to show your support! Visit our Facebook page to view pictures from the event!





The Ball

Saturday, Jan. 19th was a night to shine for many including the record number of sponsors who supported the event. The annual event raised more than \$52,000 for the REALTOR® Foundation's work. Our thanks to all the guests who attended, and the sponsors whose company and individual support made the event possible. Save the date for the 2014 soirée – it's January 18, 2014!

Thank You!

Nearly 900 homeless neighbors have been served so far this year through your generosity!

Coburn Place Safe Haven (\$7,500) provides safe, affordable housing and supportive services to women and children who are homeless because of leaving abusive situations. So far this year, 46 women and 70 children have benefited from Coburn Place's comprehensive approach to support services.

Craine House (\$10,000) is a unique facility for women transitioning from the prison system to community reintegration serving non-violent females with pre-school age children. 20 women and children have been housed at Craine House this year. Soon Craine House will move into a new facility dramatically increasing their bed capacity and programming. Funding provided by the REALTOR® Foundation refurbished women and children's bedrooms.

Damien Center (\$6,600) hosts a housing assistance program serving HIV positive men, women, and children in safe, affordable housing of choice. Residents complete an eight module life skills course preparing them to maintain safe housing while working towards self-sufficiency. During the first 6 months of the year 75% of participants have remained housed.



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Dayspring Center (\$8,000) provides emergency and transitional housing plus supportive services to families. The Foundation supports Dayspring Center's Follow-Up Case Management program which helps transition families to an independent way of life. Of the 52 families participating in this program, 72% have remained housed.

Gennesaret Free Clinic (\$7,500) runs the Health Recovery Program that houses men during their recovery from a hospital stay while providing supportive services on the road to permanent housing. During the first six months of the year, 30 men were safely housed during their recovery.

Indianapolis Interfaith Hospitality Network (\$10,400) is an emergency shelter for homeless children and their families. Through faith and community based partnerships, IHN provides not only emergency food and shelter but offers individual skill development and rehabilitation and advocates for economic stability and the end to homelessness for the guests they serve. This year, 37 adults and 59 children have turned to IIHN for shelter.

Pathway to Recovery (\$10,000) operates a housing program providing a seamless continuum of care beginning with supportive housing and ending with permanent housing for individuals battling mental health and substance abuse issues. Pathway-I has been home to 31 individuals so far this year. Of the 16 clients discharged this year, 10 have moved on to safe and affordable housing with lease agreements.

Progress House, Inc (\$5,000) provides temporary supportive housing services for chronically addicted adult homeless males. Its residents are required to work full-time and contribute both financially and through on site housekeeping duties. Temporary supportive housing services were provided to 18 chronically addicted homeless males for up to 90 days.





Project Home Indy (\$10,000) provides housing for pregnant and parenting teens in Marion County. They create opportunities to expand life skills, access health-care, and realize greater educational success. Eight moms and seven babies have been supported at PHI this year. After graduating from high school 60% of moms apply for post-secondary school - a critical step to building a positive future for them and their child

Promising Futures (\$7,500) provides shelter for abandoned, neglected, abused, homeless or pre-delinquent youth. Additionally, Promising Futures provided programs to meet the physical, social, emotional, educational, and self-discovery needs of 15 pregnant or parenting teens this year.

Sheltering Wings Center for Women (\$10,000) gives women in central Indiana a safe, protected retreat from abuse for them and their children, coupled with resources and guidance to help them rebuild their lives free from domestic violence. Foundation funding supported the completion of their shelter expansion which added significantly more space dedicated to the children they serve. So far this year, 125 women and children received safe housing at Sheltering Wings.

Turning Point Domestic Violence Services (\$7,500) provides an emergency shelter, a 24-hour toll-free help line, a legal advocacy program and prevention training to victims of domestic violence/sexual assault and their dependent children. The agency also helps clients overcome any barriers or obstacles that could put them at risk for future homelessness. In the first six months of 2013, 143 adults and 145 children were assisted through Outreach Services in Johnson and Shelby counties, and nine adults and their 13 children have received emergency shelter.