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2025 Annual Report

Letter to the Community

Kelley McClurkin & Andrea Kramer

As we reflected in 2025 on United Way of Hancock County's 70th anniversary, we were reminded that our story has always been about people.

For seven decades, we have joined important community conversations and chosen diverse partnerships to identify the most pressing challenges being faced by our friends and neighbors. We've learned a lot about our community since 1955, and we're proud of the work we've done to ensure that individuals and families facing difficult circumstances can access the resources they need to move forward.

In 2025, the generosity of our community helped us surpass our Annual Campaign goal and raise \$1.9 million to support vital programming that serves local children, families, seniors and individuals. Every dollar raised in Hancock County stays here to strengthen the safety net that so

many of our neighbors rely on.

Those dollars support 19 programs across 15 partner agencies, and they represent our commitment to meeting the most urgent needs in our community. They also allow us to respond to emerging needs, as we did throughout 2025.

As requests for food assistance continue to rise, we've increased funding to our partners working to fight hunger. As the lack of available childcare impacts families and our overall workforce, we've strengthened our partnerships with those working toward a long-term solution. And as families are being forced to stretch their paychecks further, we've expanded our free tax preparation program to help them keep more of what they earn.

As we look ahead to the future, we invite you to continue standing with us. Together, we are building a stronger community – one life at a time.



Kelley McClurkin
CEO, United Way of Hancock County



Andrea Kramer
Board Chair, United Way of Hancock County



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Financial Reporting

THE UNITED WAY OF HANCOCK COUNTY CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION As of 12/31/2025 – preaudit

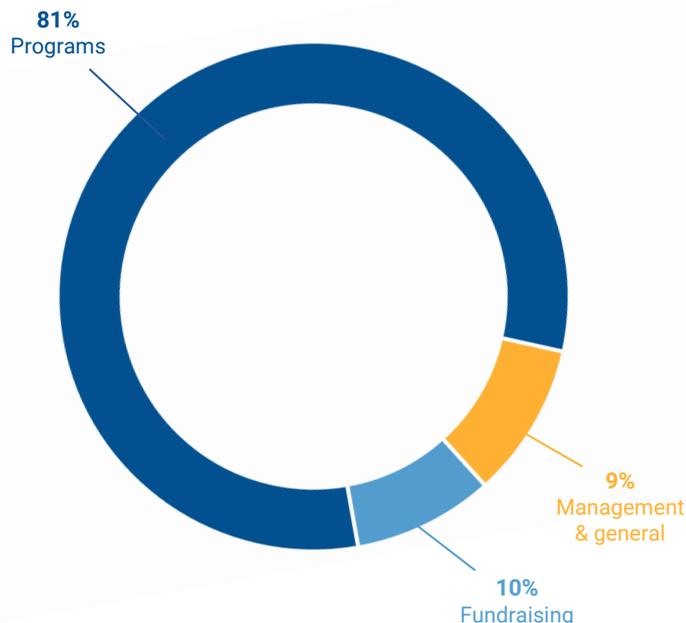
Assets	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$1,776,056.63
Pledges Receivable	\$0.00
Accounts Receivable	\$197,077.24
Property & Equipment	\$24,703.24
Investment Assets	\$617,768.53
Total Assets	\$2,615,605.64
Liabilities	
Grants Payable	\$4,848.00
Donor Designations Payable	\$5,146.31
2024 Campaign Collections	\$1,060,110.24
2024 Campaign Pledges Remaining	\$0.00
Funds Held for Others	\$500.00
Total Liabilities	\$1,070,604.55
Net Assets	
Total Net Assets	\$1,361,133.89
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$2,615,605.64

THE UNITED WAY OF HANCOCK COUNTY CONDENSED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the year ended 12/31/2025 - preaudit

Revenue and Support	
2023 and 2024 Campaign Pledges	\$1,164,039.73
Less Donor Designations	-\$38,870.79
Fundraisers and Events	\$556,961.36
Investment Income	\$58,469.43
Other Revenue	\$69,006.64
Total Revenue	\$1,809,606.37
Expenses	
Program Service	\$1,463,329.97
Fundraising	\$176,542.40
United Way Worldwide Dues	22,177.64
Management and General	\$168,851.00
Total Expenses	\$1,830,901.01

An independent audit of UWHC is conducted annually. Complete audited financial statements are available at our office.

2025 Consolidated Expenses

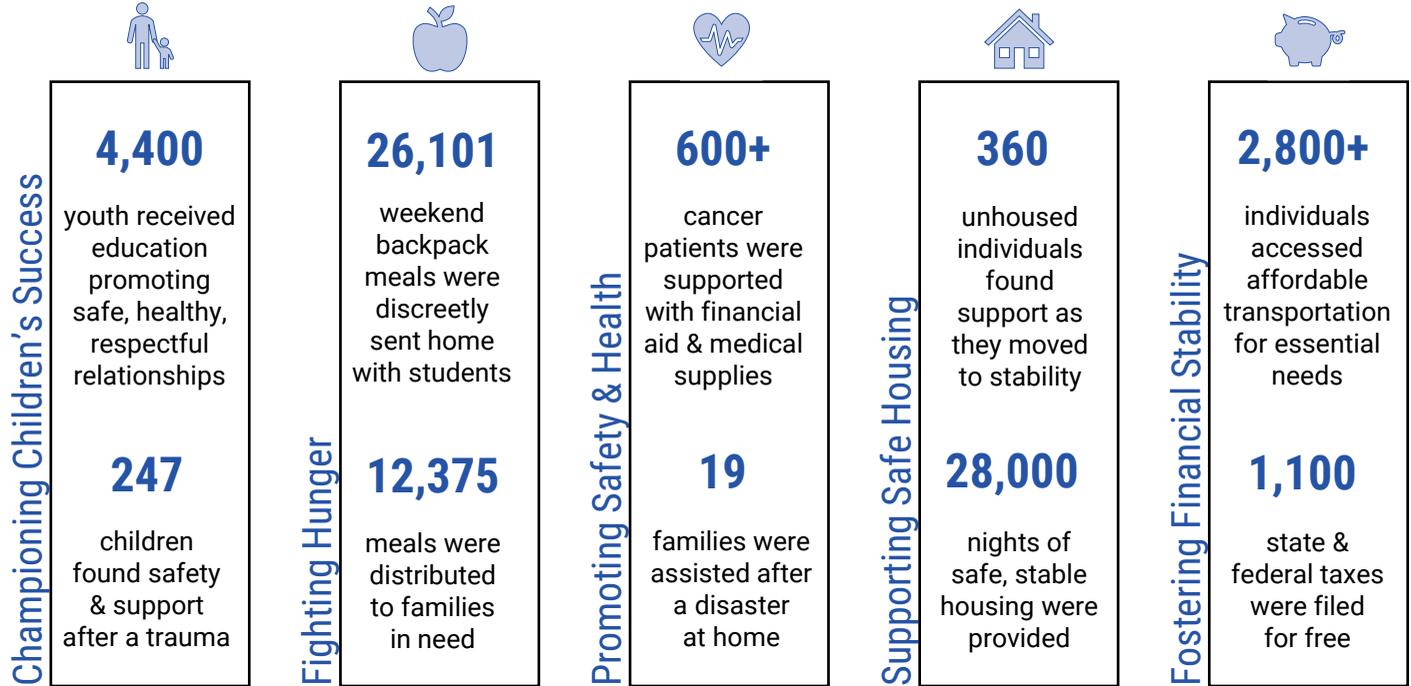


Program expenses: Includes program grants and multi-year funding awarded to Partner Agencies through the grant application process; community assessment; program service; disaster relief/rapid response; service expenses for youth and volunteerism; and fiscal agent representation.

Fundraising expenses: Includes fundraising efforts for Annual Campaign and special events.

Management & general expenses: Includes United Way Worldwide dues; along with finance, legal, IT and general operations that support business functions.

2025 Impact Snapshot



These are just a few highlights of our 2025 community impact. For more, visit www.uwhancock.org.

2025 Partner Agencies and Funded Programs

American Red Cross of North Central Ohio
Disaster Services

Cancer Patient Services
Direct Patient Services

CASA/GAL of Hancock County
Child Advocate Program

Challenged Champions Equestrian Center
Equine-Assisted Therapy

Children's Mentoring Connection
Mentoring At-Risk Youth

Christian Clearing House
Food Vouchers

Findlay Family YMCA
Feed-A-Child Program

Girl Scouts of Western Ohio
Scouting

HHWP Community Action Commission
Hancock Area Transportation Services (HATS)

Hope House
Independence Program
Transitional Shelter

Open Arms
Adult Victim Services
Child Victim Services

Salvation Army
Emergency Food Pantry
Summer Enrichment

Scouting America
Exploring
Scouting

The Center for Safe & Healthy Children
Forensic Interview Program

West Ohio Food Bank
Hancock County Food Distribution

Financial Stability Initiative
UWHC's In-House Financial Empowerment Efforts

Free Tax Preparation
UWHC's Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program

Halt Hunger Initiative
UWHC's In-House Hunger Eradication Efforts

Volunteers United
UWHC's In-House Volunteer Center

Vulnerable Children Initiative
UWHC's In-House Child Championing Efforts

Direct Services Make Big Community Impact

Volunteer hub engages next generation



Youth volunteers lead a card-making exercise at a United Way event

Volunteers United, our in-house volunteer center, has continued supporting our community through the many volunteer efforts people count on each year. Alongside that work, we have made youth involvement a major focus. We are not just filling volunteer spots. We are helping raise a generation that sees service as a normal part of life. Young people are learning that they can make a real difference right here in their own community.

Students across Hancock County have stepped up in big ways. They have helped with service days, community events, donation drives, and projects that support seniors, veterans, educators and first responders. They are growing more confident and more aware of how their actions impact others. They are not just helping. They are growing.

By connecting youth with age-appropriate volunteer opportunities, Volunteers United is making it easier for kids and teens to get involved. Schools, families and community groups are working together more than ever. We are building a culture where volunteering is simply part of growing up in Hancock County, and that will strengthen our community for years to come.

Free VITA tax service continues to expand

Our free tax preparation service expanded its reach in 2025, thanks to a large federal grant and a fleet of dedicated volunteers.

VITA BY THE NUMBERS

23 volunteers

2,123 volunteer hours

1,093 state & federal taxes filed

VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) is an IRS-sponsored program that returned over \$1 million to the community in federal tax returns. That's money our clients were able to put back into their pockets to help build their financial safety net or pay down debt, with absolutely no filing fees to worry about.

Over a 10-week period, our VITA volunteers filed nearly 1,100 state and federal taxes for qualifying individuals who live, work or attend college in Hancock County. These volunteers gave thousands of collective hours – with some working up to six days a week – to bring this program to life, and many return year after year to serve our community. Some are certified to serve as tax preparers, while our volunteer greeters assist and direct clients as they arrive for their appointments.

We are extremely proud of this direct service and the impact that it makes, and we value our partnerships with our host sites, the Findlay-Hancock County Public Library and the 50 North senior center.



VITA volunteers advise clients during their free tax prep appointments

Campaign Comes in Over Goal



Keynote speaker Jerry Blevins, formerly of the MLB, speaks at the inaugural Barrels & Bids event

Exciting new anniversary year event propels Campaign to \$1.9M

Through a dynamic combination of fundraising events and donor engagement, we are proud to have exceeded our Campaign goal of \$1.8 million in 2025 and brought in \$1.9 million! As always, these critical funds will stay in our community to strengthen safety net services supporting local children, families and individuals.

The year marked our 70th anniversary, and in honor of this momentous occasion we held a formal, masquerade-themed bourbon event. It had been over 20 years since we'd hosted an event of this caliber, and through the genius of our events committee, the variety of live and silent auction items that were

donated, and the enthusiasm of keynote speaker Jerry Blevins, Barrels & Bids raised \$45,000 in its inaugural year. It's safe to say that this event will be a returning favorite over the coming Campaign years!

Our traditional fundraising efforts were also embraced by the community, as we engaged individual donors and retirees, as well as local businesses through corporate gifts and employee giving. And, of course, no Campaign season would be complete without the return of crowd-pleasing events like our Downtown Restaurant Tour, Campaign Kickoff Pickleball Tournament and our weekly Do Good Days food truck gatherings at City Apparel + Merch.

Campaign Cabinet

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Campaign 2025: Participating Businesses

ADP
American Red Cross North Central Ohio Chapter
Arcadia Local Schools
Arlington Local Schools
Ball Corp.
Bigelow Glass
Blanchard River Broadcasting Co.
Blanchard Valley Health System
Blanchard Valley Medical Associates
Burlwick & Co.
Cancer Patient Services
Challenged Champions Equestrian Center
Children's Mentoring Connection of Hancock County
Christian Clearing House
Citizens National Bank
City Apparel + Merch
City of Findlay
CliftonLarsenAllen LLC
Cooper Tire & Rubber Co./Goodyear
Cory-Rawson Schools
Culvers of Findlay
Danberry Realtors
Delta Airlines
Domino's
Eastman & Smith
Edward Jones - Eric Morman
Family Medical Associates of Findlay
Fifth Third Bank
Findlay City Schools
Findlay Country Club
Findlay Dental Group
Findlay Publishing Co.
Findlay-Hancock County Alliance
First National Bank
Fitzgerald & Mihalik, LLC
Freudenberg-NOK
Garlock Brothers Construction
Gilbane National Group
Greek Garden
GSW Manufacturing, Inc.
Hancock County Educational Service Center
Hancock County Employees
Hancock County Home Builders Association
Hancock County Job & Family Services
Hancock Federal Credit Union

Heck Rentals
HHWP Community Action Commission
Hixon Zuercher Capital Management
Hope House for the Homeless
Huntington Bank
Jersey Mike's
Jim Baker Real Estate
Jonny Burritos
Journey Salon & Day Spa
K & L Ready Mix, Inc.
Keller Alge Insurance
Kneeven, Schroeder & Co.
Kramer Enterprises, Inc
LaRiche Chevrolet/Cadillac
Legacy Farmers Cooperative
Liberty-Benton Schools
Lighthouse Counseling Services
Marathon Petroleum Corp.
Marshall & Melhorn, LLC
McComb Family Dentistry
McComb Schools
Meijer, Inc.
Midwest Financial Planning Group
National Lime & Stone Co.
Nationwide Children's Hospital
Ohio Logistics
Old Fort Banking Co.
Open Arms Domestic Violence & Rape Crisis Services
Pull Up & Grill
RCM Architects
Resolute Wealth Advisor
river + road
Rowmark, LLC
Salvation Army, Findlay Corps
Scouting America, Black Swamp Area Council
Simona-PMC
Slippin Sammies
Solomon Cloud Solutions
State Bank
State Farm Insurance – Putman
Tall Timbers Industrial Park
TH Plastics
The Center for Safe & Healthy Children
The Union Bank Co.
The Wailing Onion
UIS Insurance & Investments
United Way of Hancock County
University of Findlay
Van Buren Schools

Van Buren United Methodist Church
Vanlue Local Schools
WesBanco
West Ohio Food Bank
Whirlpool Corp.
Wingate Body Shop

Thank you for your in-kind donations and special support:

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Field of Dreams Whiskey Co.
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Findlay-Hancock County Public Library
Flag City Sluggers
Flyin' Brian Pizza/Dominos
Hancock Hotel
Jim Wilkins
Jim's Gym
Journey Salon & Day Spa
KanDu Studios
MOJO53 Barrel Creations
Ohio Logistics
Papillon Boutique
Riehm Produce Farm, LLC
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RooBarb Studios
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Smarty Pants Toys & Gifts
SOAR Adventure Park
State Bank
The Bourbon Affair
The Lavendar Hour
Truly Natural Therapies
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West Ohio Food Bank
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