

Butler County United Way

2022-2023 ANNUAL REPORT









SERVING ALL COMMUNITIES IN BUTLER COUNTY, OHIO



EDUCATION. HEALTH. FINANCIAL STABILITY.

Butler County United Way is proud to be part of a network of nearly 1,100 United Ways in more than 37 countries and territories worldwide. As the largest privately-funded nonprofit in the world, we focus on our three pillars of education, financial stability, and healthy lives – the building blocks for a good life and a strong community.









BUTIER COUNTY UNITED WAY VISION

We will be the trusted community partner leading impactful change for human service needs in Butler County.



BUTLER COUNTY UNITED WAY MISSION

To unite our community and maximize resources to build a stronger Butler County.

BUTLER COUNTY UNITED WAY VALUES

<u>Community:</u> Being involved and connected in the community - as advocates addressing social needs - enables us to work united in knowing and understanding the passions and needs of Butler County.

Leadership: Being a stable leader means we're in it for the long haul; we're always transparent and accountable which helps us stay focused on continually making progress to a brighter future. **Honest and Trustworthy:** Being honest and trustworthy impacts everything we do and we are working to accomplish.

<u>Passion:</u> Being passionate about our mission and the work we do on a daily basis helps unite our community and maximize resources to build a stronger Butler County.

UNITED WAY WORLDWIDE VISION

United Way envisions a world where all individuals and families achieve their human potential through education, financial stability, and healthy lives.

Imagine a world that fosters hope and opportunity for everyone. A world where...

- All children receive a quality education that offers a pathway to a brighter tomorrow.
- The cycle of poverty and financial dependence ends, and productive livelihoods begin for even the most disadvantaged.
- Everyone receives effective health care that improves quality of life.
- Communities not only set significant and measurable goals to advance these fundamental elements of human development, but achieve them.

UNITED WAY WORLDWIDE MISSION

To improve lives by mobilizing the caring power of communities around the world to advance the common good.

To do this we will...

- Fight for the Health, Education and Financial Stability of every person in every community.
- Win by Living United, by forging unlikely partnerships, by finding new solutions to old problems, by mobilizing the best resources, and by inspiring individuals to join the fight against their community's most daunting social crises.

GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER.

LETTER FROM OUR PRESIDENT AND CEO, PAM COTTLE

Reflecting on this past year, we are excited to share with you the impact that our initiatives and community partner support have had throughout Butler County. We hope you will take some time to review these accomplishments, knowing that they were only made possible through strong partnerships, dedicated volunteers, and generous donors.

This past year has certainly had its challenges, but with those challenges came new insights, opportunities, and solutions that will transform the important work that is being performed throughout Butler County. It's how we grow our community; it's how we come together to find those life-altering moments that will put a person's life on a new and more positive path. We all benefit when even one person finds their way to a more productive and contributing life.

I have a framed poster in my office from a Community Chest campaign conducted in the early 1950s bearing the slogan 'lest you forget." Perhaps the circumstances are different now than then, but what holds true is that devastation comes in all forms, and it can happen to any of us. Knowing there are people and programming available to help regain our footing makes all the difference, and with your help, that safety net will always be in place.

Thank you for caring about your neighbors and your community. You are the piece that completes the puzzle.

Pamela R. Cottle President and CEO

FROM OUR BOARD CHAIR, LARRY MULLIGAN

This past year has been one of change and growth for Butler County United Way, and as we enter a new chapter in the new year, we hope to see that continue, thanks to the dedication and vision of the board and staff of this organization.

Adding both Oxford and Middletown service areas under our organization's umbrella has been a welcomed change by community members and partner agencies alike, as we work to broaden and deepen the spirit of collaboration across our communities.



We look forward to what the future brings, and hope to continue to grow and deepen relationships across all areas of Butler County.

We appreciate your continued support.

Lawrence P. Mulligan Board Chair

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2022-2023 TOP 25 CORPORATE CAMPAIGNS

CORPORATE SUPPORTER	TOTAL GIFT
The Cincinnati Insurance Companies	\$192,896
General Electric Evendale Employee Community Services Fund	\$180,000
Cleveland Cliffs, Inc.	\$179,842
Altafiber	\$52,362
The Procter & Gamble Company	\$49,403
United Performance Metals - Hamilton	\$48,786
Fifth Third Bank	\$39,385
Barnes Aerospace	\$31,049
Akers Packaging Service, Inc.	\$30,168
Shepherd Color Company	\$22,906
First Financial Bank - Pictoria Building	\$22,813
Hamilton Caster & Manufacturing Company	\$19,127
Meijer, Inc.	\$18,265
Frost Brown Todd, LLC - West Chester	\$16,670
McGraw/Kokosing	\$14,409
Liberty Mutual	\$16,006
TriHealth, Inc.	\$ 15,891
Enterprise Holdings	\$15,787
US Bank	\$13,392
Johnson & Johnson	\$10,550
City of Fairfield	\$9,337
Nationwide Insurance	\$9,257
City of Hamilton	\$9,025
Children's Hospital Liberty Campus	\$8,440
Western States Machine Company	\$7,270

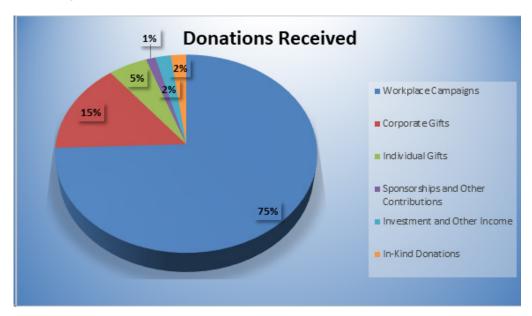
Thank you to these companies for their continued support and willingness to provide charitable giving opportunities to their employees.



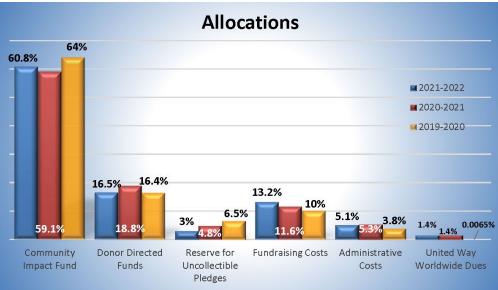
HOW MY DONATION WAS USED

July 1, 2021- June 30, 2022

Where donations originated...



How donations were used...



The donations received from our generous donors are used to fund programs supporting Education, Health, and Financial Stability throughout all communities of Butler County, Ohio.

For a complete list of our funded programs, please visit our website at https://bc-unitedway.org/funded-programs

Butler County strives to be a trusted community partner leading impactful change for human service needs in Butler County. Our mission is to unite our community and maximize resources to build a stronger Butler County.

EDUCATION

Below is a listing of education-related programs funded by Butler County United Way during the 2022-2023 cycle.

OFFERED THROUGH	AWARD
4C for Children	\$19,000
Axis Teen Center, EDGE Teen Center	\$10,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Butler County	\$45,000
Boys & Girls Club of Hamilton	\$37,000
Boys & Girls Club of West Chester/Liberty	\$10,000
Envision Partnerships	\$30,000
Fairfield Prevention Coalition	\$9,000
Hamilton Living Water Ministry	\$19,000
<u>LifeSpan, Inc.,</u> a Community First Solutions company	\$12,000
PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA	\$37,000
Shared Harvest Foodbank	\$25,000
	Axis Teen Center, EDGE Teen Center Big Brothers Big Sisters of Butler County Boys & Girls Club of Hamilton Boys & Girls Club of West Chester/Liberty Envision Partnerships Fairfield Prevention Coalition Hamilton Living Water Ministry LifeSpan, Inc., a Community First Solutions company PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA



Children enrolled in Dolly Parton's Imagination Library of Ohio



Total Allocations

Youth increased their social competencies, life skills, and commitment to learning

\$247,000

FINANCIAL STABILITY

Below is a listing of income-related programs funded by Butler County United Way during the 2022-2023 cycle.

PROGRAM	OFFERED THROUGH	AWARD
Disaster Emergency Services and Preparedness Programs	American Red Cross Greater Cincinnati Tri-State Chapter	\$15,000
Home Delivered Meals	Central Connections	\$37,000
Cradle to Career Continuum	Community Building Institute - Middletown	\$70,000
Maintaining Housing Stability	Family Promise of Butler County, Inc.	\$9,000
Program in Food Insecurity and Education	Family Service of Middletown	\$37,000
Emergency Shelter to Eliminate Homelessness	Hope House Rescue Mission, Inc.	\$21,000
Emergency Financial Assistance	Oxford Family Resource Center	\$9,000
Emergency Assistance	Salvation Army Middletown	\$19,000
Build Up Academy	SELF (Supports to Encourage Low-Income Families)	\$9,000
Dove House	YWCA Hamilton	\$37,000
	Total Allocations	\$263,000



27,867

Nights provided to individuals who received emergency supplies and shelter



24,358

Meals provided by partner agencies each month

HEALTH

Below is a listing of health-related programs funded by Butler County United Way during the 2022-2023 cycle.

PROGRAM	OFFERED THROUGH	AWARD
Children Services	Abilities First	\$45,000
Special Olympics	Butler County Special Olympics	\$12,000
Center for Individual and Family Counseling	Cancer Family Care	\$9,000
Vision Rehabilitation Services	Cincinnati Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired	\$9,000
Free Clinic Medication and Testing	Oxford College Corner Clinic	\$5,000
Senior and Medical Transportation	Oxford Senior Citizens, Inc.	\$9,000
Low and Affordable Housing	Serve City	\$20,000
Perinatal Services	Sojourner Recovery Services	\$10,000
Butler County Rape Crisis and Prevention Services	Women Helping Women	\$20,000

Total Health Allocations \$139,000

\$2,834,219

Saved on prescription medication by a total of 33,007 people through our partnership with Singlecare









COLLABORATIONS

Below is a listing of funded programs where our partner agencies and other community organizations have joined forces during the 2022-2023 funding cycle. Collaborations are encouraged among our agencies as it offers not only economies of scale but a broader range of service offering in our communities.

COLLABORATION	OFFERED THROUGH	AWARD
Booker T. Washington Community Center	Great Miami Valley YMCA* in conjunction with Boys & Girls Club of Hamilton, City of Hamilton, Fitton Center for Creative Arts, and Miami University (Hamilton and Oxford)	\$38,000
Home Visitation	Every Child Succeeds* in conjunction with Butler County Educational Service Center and Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center	\$30,000
Parent Project	Catholic Charities of Southwestern Ohio* in conjunction with Butler County Family and Children's First Council, Butler County Juvenile Justice Center/Juvenile Court, various school districts including Fairfield, Hamilton, Madison, Middletown, and Talawanda, along with Miami University	\$27,000
Comprehensive Hunger Relief	Shared Harvest Foodbank* in collaboration with Butler County area food pantries	\$45,000
Building a Healtier Community	Talawanda School District* in conjunction with The Coalition for a Healthy Community - Oxford Area	\$1,000
Youth Wellbeing and Resilience	Fairfield City School District* in conjuction with Fairfield Prevention Coalition	\$9,000
	Total Collaboration Funding	\$150,000







*indicates lead agency

Butler County United Way

VOLUNTEER COMMITTEES

Butler County United Way thrives on community members who believe in our mission and vision. Below are some of the volunteer teams that drive our organization and help us accomplish our goals.

IMPACT COMMITTEES

Purpose: To identify and support strategies and solutions that move us toward a desired vision for our community as charged by the Butler County United Way Board of Trustees. Each Impact Committee focuses on research, the experiences of other communities, best practices, and other tolls to identify the best solution in addressing the root causes of our communities' greatest issues.

Education Impact Committee

Brian Chamberlain Cincinnati Financial

Sana Shahwan
Butler County Educational Service Center

Kim WhittonButler County United Way

Health Impact Committee

Oasha Hightower Behavior Analyst

Kim McKinney Community Volunteer

Christina Namakydoost Mercy Health - Fairfield Hospital

Samina Sohail
West Side Adult & Pediatric

Lakota City Schools (Retired)

Kim WhittonButler County United Way

Financial Stability Impact Committee

Jami Bella

Telhio Federal Credit Union

Flora Butler

Butler County Board of Commissioners

Sandi Carter

First Financial Bank

Kim Whitton

Butler County United Way



VOLUNTEER COMMITTEES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Purpose: The Finance Committee advises the President/CEO and Director of Finance about financial matters such as the budget and investments.

Kevin McKinney, Chair Park National Bank

Peter Abner Kirsch CPA Group, LLC

Brian ChamberlainCincinnati Insurance Companies

Pam Cottle
Butler County United Way

Mary Pat Essman
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Steve Lippert
Hamilton Caster & Manufacturing Company

Larry Mulligan LCNB National Bank

Kathy SwinneyButler County United Way

Nick Ziepfel Shareholder, Roetzel

GOVERNANCE AND NOMINATING COMMITEE

Purpose: The Governance and Nominating Committee monitors the operations of the Board of Trustees as well as identifies potential new Board members.

Peter Abner, Chair Kirsch CPA Group, LLC

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Jeff EberleinBrand It For Good

Kevin McKinney Park National Bank

Larry Mulligan LCNB National Bank

"How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world."

-Anne Frank



TOTAL VOLUNTEER HOURS

CATEGORY	HOURS LOGGED
Board of Trustees	880
Building Block Events	470
Campaign Volunteers	2,560
Impact Hours	45
Total Volunteer Hours	3.955 Hours

LEADERSHIP GIVING

ALEXIS DE TOCQUEVILLE SOCIETY \$10,000 +

Butler County United Way's Alexis De Tocqueville Society recognizes our community's largest philanthropic leaders. The support of these leadership givers is a key component in powering our work to create innovative solutions that get to the core of the most pressing issues in our community.

Brian Brickner Ronald Beerman

PLATINUM CIRCLE \$7,500-\$9,999

Ray Bressler Steve and Joan Lippert

GOLD CIRCLE \$5,000-\$7,499

Andrew and Kathy Brossart David Burgio Kevin Cooney Theresa Hanlon Jeffrey Liesch David Meyer Scott Phillips Michael Wagner

SILVER CIRCLE \$2,500-\$4,999

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LEADERSHIP GIVING

BRONZE CIRCLE \$1,000-\$2,499

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Trustees Butler County United Way

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Butler County United Way (a "not-for-profit corporation"), which comprise the statements of financial position as of June 30, 2023 and 2022, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Butler County United Way, as of June 30, 2023 and 2022, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Butler County United Way, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

2022 Financial Statements Restated

As discussed in Note P to the financial statements, the 2022 financial statements have been restated to correct a misstatement. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Butler County United Way's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date that the financial statements are issued.

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Independent Auditor's Report (Continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness Butler County United Way's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Butler County United Way's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

Cincinnati, Ohio October 30, 2023

MCM CPAS & ADVISORS UP



Butler County United Way Statements of Financial Position June 30, 2023 and 2022

	2023	2022 (as restated)
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 453,427	\$ 518,398
Pledges receivable, net	578,590	522,012
Total current assets	1,032,017	1,040,410
Property and equipment, net	3,096	6,623
Noncurrent assets		
Investments, at fair value	604,412	518,723
Beneficial interest in assets held by others	846,747	820,407
Restricted cash - fiscal agent	-	27,500
Board designated investments	216,102	213,238
Total noncurrent assets	1,667,261	1,579,868
Total assets	\$ 2,702,374	\$ 2,626,901
Liabilities and net assets		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 15,482	\$ 15,187
Allocations and designations payable	1,004,858	988,826
Designations payable to other United Way organizations	89,729	80,924
Total current liabilities	1,110,069	1,084,937
Due to others - fiscal agent	<u> </u>	27,500
Total long-term liabilities	-	27,500
Net assets		
Board designated - required operating reserve	216,102	213,238
Undesignated	586,770	509,206
Total without donor restrictions	802,872	722,444
With donor restrictions	789,433	792,020
Total net assets	1,592,305	1,514,464
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 2,702,374	\$ 2,626,901

See accompanying notes.



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