

ALLEGANY COUNTY UNITED WAY

STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES

IMPROVING LIVES



**Allegany County
United Way**

2019-20 ANNUAL REPORT

Letter from the Director



Dear friends,

What a year! When I started this journey, I knew that my first year as Director would be a year of both listening and learning. Listening to the concerns and plight of community members and our nonprofit partners. And, learning what it means to be a community, and what it takes to FIGHT for the education, health, and well-being of everyone that calls Allegany County home.

With so much uncertainty in the world and in our corner of it, I was unsure what to expect when it came to the final months of our 2020 Campaign. It took all of us rallying together, but we did it. YOU did it. We were able to end our campaign on a high note. And even better, we were able to help additional community members through our Community Response Fund collaboration with The Allegany County Area Foundation. I have never been more proud or more grateful to be a part of such a giving community.

Your generous gifts to Allegany County United Way are an investment that benefits the entire community, not just one program, issue, or population. Whether it's through your workplace, or a personal donation, your gifts matter and help change the lives of so many families, right here in Allegany County. Thank you for joining us in the fight for a better life for all.

Thank you for Living United.

Sincerely,
Amanda Joyce-Phelps, Director

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YOUR DOLLARS AT WORK

*This is a snapshot of a few of the outcomes of our funded programs.

Income

\$36,000 Invested.

46

Allegany County residents received High School equivalency test prep, and work-readiness training.

11

ALICE families received daycare tuition assistance allowing both parents to remain working.

Education

\$31,400 Invested.

58

Allegany County at-risk youths received mentoring services.

41

Pre-school aged children developed a greater enjoyment of books through a early literacy program at their daycare center.

Health

\$55,420 Invested.

1,304

Meals were home-delivered to elderly Allegany County residents, helping them to remain independent and in their homes.

168

At-risk youth's in need of extra support due to emotional stressors, and family issues received mentoring services through a Youth Compeer Program.

Critical Needs

\$77,000 Invested.

26

Allegany County families received emergency shelter assistance, preventing them from becoming homelessness.

2,520

Local individuals received healthy food from two local funded food pantries.

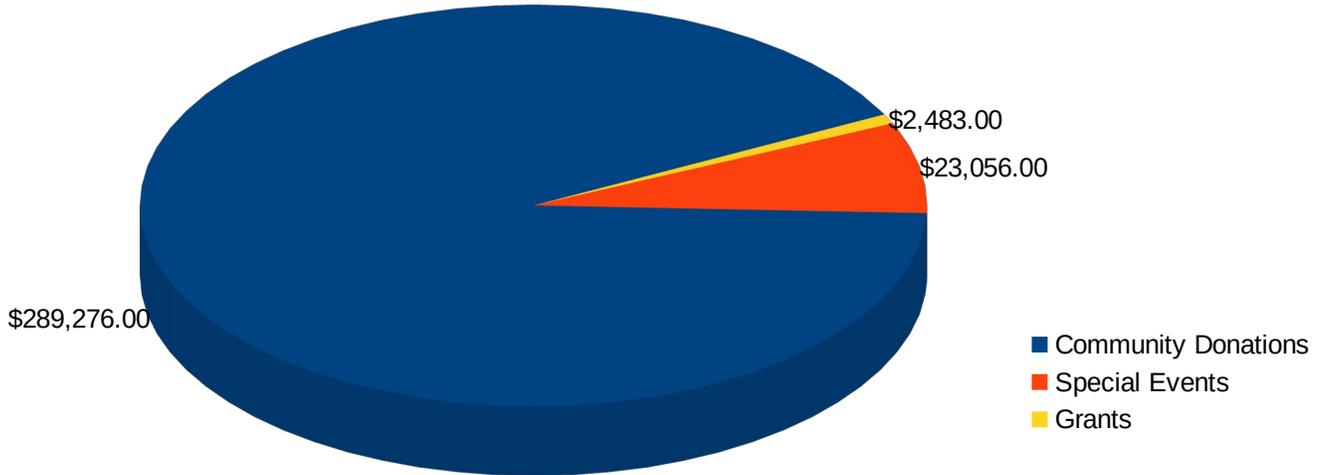


**THANK YOU FOR
LIVING UNITED.**

2019-20 FUNDED PARTNERS

- ACCORD Corporation – *Access Center Food Pantry*
- Allegany County Mental Health – *Youth Compeer Program*
- Allegany County Senior Foundation – *Mercyline Program, Meals on Wheels Program*
- American Red Cross – *Disaster Response*
- Association for the Blind – *Vision Wellness Program*
- Catholic Charities – *Joyce Family Food Pantry*
- Cuba Cultural Society – *Backpack Program*
- HomeCare and Hospice – *Hospice Program*
- Family Service Society – *Youth Mentoring Programs – Genesee Valley/Whitesville*
- Fillmore Powerhouse – *Summer Rec Program, After School Program*
- Literacy West – *A View from Within Program*
- Royal Family Kids Camp – *Summer Camp*
- Salvation Army of Wellsville – *Food Pantry, Emergency Shelter Program*
- Southern Tier Traveling Teachers – *HSE Prep Program*
- Trinity Daycare – *ALICE Program, Boosting Books Program*
- Youth Court – *Youth Court Program*

TOTAL FUNDS RAISED FROM UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN



JOIN THE FIGHT >

UNITED WE
LIFT UP OUR
COMMUNITIES.



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Auditors Report



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors
Allegany County United Way, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of *Allegany County United Way, Inc.* (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of March 31, 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of *Allegany County United Way, Inc.* as of March 31, 2020, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the period then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Report on Summarized Comparative Information

We have previously audited *Allegany County United Way, Inc.'s* 2019 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those financial statements in our report dated May 21, 2019. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented as of and for the year ended March 31, 2019 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

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MAY 1, 2020
OLEAN, NY 14760



Allegany County COVID-19 RESPONSE FUND

An Allegany County Community Foundation and
Allegany County United Way collaborative effort.

Thanks to the generosity of our
community, we were able to raise and
award over \$22,000 in grants for
partner agencies responding to the
COVID-19 crisis.

VITA

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

While our VITA season was
cut short, we were able to help
186 files prepare their income taxes
at no cost to them, returning over
\$281,000 of tax return dollars
back into the county and
surrounding area.



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VOLUNTEER.**

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