WINONA VOLUNTEER SERVICES CAPITAL CAMPAIGN



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OUR GOAL To Better Serve Our Community

Our goal is to create a new Winona Volunteer Services campus to better serve the community with dignity for the next 50 years.

Winona Volunteer Services has occupied the 60 year old building at 416 East Second Street since 1997 and the 52 year old building at 402 East Second Street since 2006. We have maintained these buildings and adapted them to suit our growing needs but we can't go any further. With the purchase of the 65 year old building at 77 Laird Street, we have the opportunity to design a space between Laird and Chestnut Streets that will offer our services under one roof to those seeking help with basic needs.





402 E 2nd St

416 E 2nd St



Laird Street



Location

Our location is an asset. It is within walking distance from the court house and Winona County Services. We have referral relationships with at least 8 nearby churches. It is two streets away from the bus stop and passengers can request a deviation to stop at our building. We are in a neighborhood setting near the east end yet private enough for folks not to feel exposed by coming here.

WHO WE ARE

VISION

MISSION

To respond compassionately to the needs of the community

To help people address life's challenges in a respectful and dignified manner

VALUES

Compassion | Serving with kindness, understanding and flexibility

Respect | Creating a safe and welcoming environment

Intentionality | Acting with purpose

Stewardship | Responsibly using our resources

Integrity | Valuing honesty in all we say and do

2022 Winona Volunteer Services Board of Directors

Peter Bagshaw - President Matt Esch - Vice President Kevin Mahoney - Treasurer

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Business Owner - Island City Properties Coldwell Banker River Valley Realtors

Community Development Specialist for the City of Winona

Business Owner - Equestrian Center

AVP, Retail Operations for Altra Federal Credit Union

Retired Banker

Staff

Sandra Burke, Executive Director (2001)
Kay Peterson, Client Services Coordinator (2005)
Bev Speltz, Volunteer Coordinator (2009)
Jen Breitlow, Nutrition Educator (2019)
Amanda Moldenhauer, Community Health Worker (2021)



WVS AT A GLANCE

1971

Home Delivered Meals is started by a public health nurse in the community

1973

WVS is incorporated and operates out of a house at 109 West Broadway

1982

Emergency food and a Senior Co-op is started

1983

1987

1988

1993

1997

2005

2006

First Minnesota FoodShare March Campaign

WVS purchases 71 East 2nd Street

First annual 10 Days of Giving

First National Letter Carrier food drive

Purchases 416 East 2nd Street

1998

WVS moves to 416 East 2nd Street

WVS hires a Volunteer Coordinator

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 WVS hires Client Services Coordinator and establishes the Coordinated Assistance Program

• Clothes Shop sales break \$100,000

Food shelf and offices move to 402 East 2nd Street

2007

WVS offers healthy eating and budgeting classes

2011

Food for Thought Backpack program begins

2013

WVS celebrates 40 years of service in the community

2015

WVS hires a Nutrition Educator

2017

Certified as a Service Enterprise organization

2019

WVS purchases 77 Laird Street

2020

- VITA occupies a portion of 77 Laird Street for free tax services
- Groceries on the Go implemented

2021

- WVS hires a Community Connector
- Home Delivered Meals celebrates 50 years of delivering meals

2023

Celebrating 50 Years of Service!

2024

WVS moves into their new facility on 2nd Street

OUR SERVICES



Supplemental Food Shelf Free food to income-eligible residents, open five days a week

- Average # of households served each month in 2021: 466
- Average # of pounds each household receives: 81
- Average # of volunteers it takes to open the food shelf per day: 6
- # of pounds of purchased in 2021: **220,487** (for \$76,098)
- # of pounds rescued from local stores in 2021: 107,919 (Kwik Trip, Target, Midtown, WalMart, HyVee, Aldi, and Bluff Country Co-op)

"Bless you guys for what you do" - 2022 Food Shelf shopper



Home Delivered Meals Lunchtime meals delivered by volunteers to qualifying residents

- Cost per meal for self-pay clients: \$6.25
- Average # of individuals served per month in 2021: 114
- Number of individual volunteers who delivered in 2021: 80
- Number of businesses/organizations that delivered in 2021: 16
- Number of congregations that delivered in 2021: 11

"I really appreciate them. I could not make a meal like that. I would need too many oxygen breaks." -Home Delivered Meals recipient in 2022



Coordinated Assistance Program Centralized assistance and referral resource for struggling community members

- Number of church partners: 30+
- Number of vouchers issued in 2021: 552
- Number of intentional referrals made in 2021: 531
- Number of homeless 'households' we interacted with in July 2022: 32
- Primary source of funding for vouchers: Winona Community Foundation
- Average # of volunteers it takes per day to support program: 6

"I'm thankful for the assistance you provided to get me back on my feet!" – Coordinated Assistance recipient who received rent help in 2022



OUR SERVICES



Pathways Community Hub New Community Connector support for critical or chronic cases

- Number of pathways closed (clients' goals met) in first 12 months: 225
- Average # of individuals receiving one-on-one help each month: 20

"You've helped me start putting my life back together, and I couldn't have managed it without you." -2022 Community Connector client



Nutrition Education Helping improve the nutritional wellbeing of Food Shelf shoppers

- Average # of different recipes shared each month in the Food Shelf: 18
- Average # of monthly informal nutritional conversations in the Food Shelf: 60
- Number of Food-Shelf specific cooking videos made by WVS for the public: 7



Groceries on the Go Delivering groceries to eligible Winona residents who cannot get to the Food Shelf

- Number of households who received delivered groceries in 2021: 108
- Number of volunteers it takes each month to make this happen: 4

"Thank you, to all of you guys. Your help is a godsend." - 2022 Groceries on the Go recipient



Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors (NAPS) Federally-funded boxes of basic nutritious food for qualifying seniors

- Number of boxes distributed in 2021: 391
- Average # of volunteers it takes to distribute these boxes each month: 21



Holiday Projects Easter Dinner for the community & Christmas Ham Bags for Food Shelf shoppers

- Number of years Chartwells has provided the Easter meal: 18
- Number of volunteers WVS provides for Easter delivery in 2021: 25
- Number of meals delivered by volunteers in 2021: 263
- Number of years the Lions Club has supported the Ham Bags: 30



OUR SERVICES



The Clothes Shop

Low-cost, high quality clothing for bargain hunters, the eco-friendly, & those in crisis

- Amount of revenue in 2021: \$110,763
- Average price of an item in 2021: \$1.99
- Number of clothing donations made in 2021: 7,277
- Average # of daily volunteers to operate the store: 6
- Amount of free clothing given to struggling residents in 2021: \$1,433
- Number of times we filled our recycling partner's truck in 2021 with unsold clothing: 5

"The store is well-organized and the volunteers are friendly and helpful"- Clothes Shop shopper in 2021



Volunteer Management

Recruit, track, engage and retain a strong volunteer work force to support our mission

- Number of volunteers engaged in our mission through September 2022: 400+
- Number of new volunteers in 2022 (through September): 38
- Total # of volunteer hours given in 2021: 14,641
- Value of these volunteer hours: \$407,170

"We love volunteering (at WVS), donors appreciate and thank us for our dedication and commitment to the organization." – Clothes Shop volunteer in 2022

"I was newly retired, and I believe in 'feeding the hungry!" - Food Shelf volunteer 2021



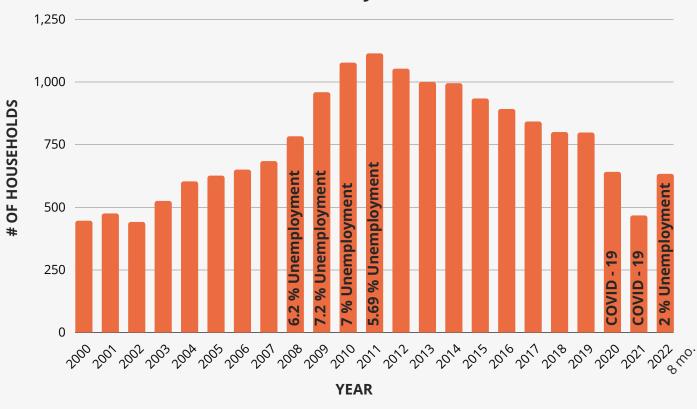
VITA (Catholic Charities' Volunteer Income Tax Assistance) IRS-Certified free tax prep & filing help for low-income, disabled, or limited English-speaking

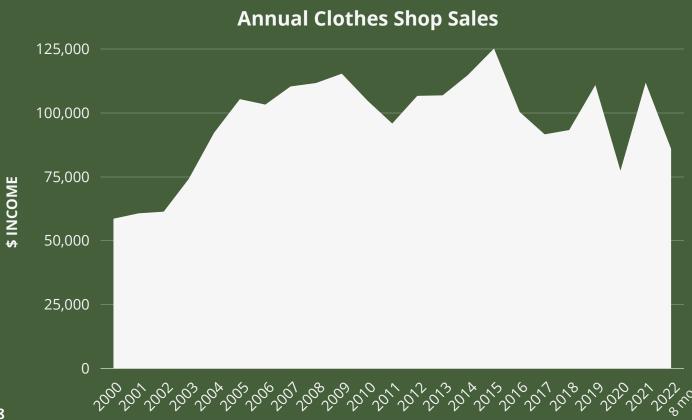
- Number of years Catholic Charities has rented 77 Laird Street for this program: 3
- Single person income limit in 2021 to receive free tax prep: \$38,000
- Number of Clients Served in the 2021 tax season: 1,077
- Total Dollars Refunded: \$1,912,207



In the first nine months of 2022, there were 7,137 food shelf, nutrition education and coordinated assistance interactions benefitting 14,590 individuals.

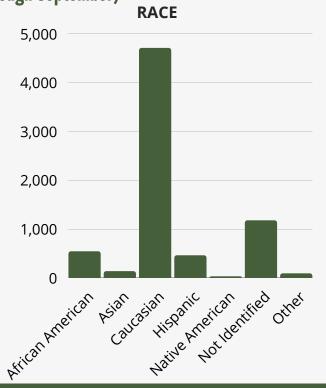
Number of Monthly Food Shelf Visits

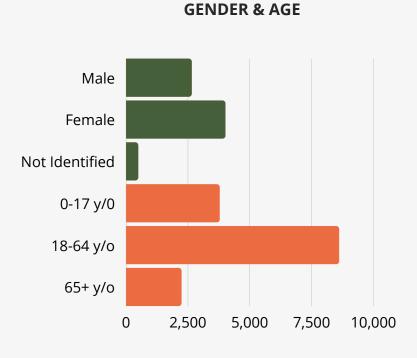


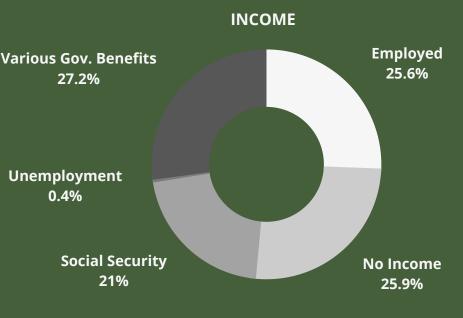


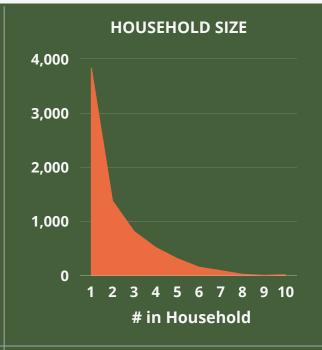
2022 CLIENT DEMOGRAPHICS











% OF HOUSEHOLDS RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM BENEFITS



Benefit Range: \$3-\$1,500

CLIENT ADDRESSES

5984 Winona County 1058 Not Identified

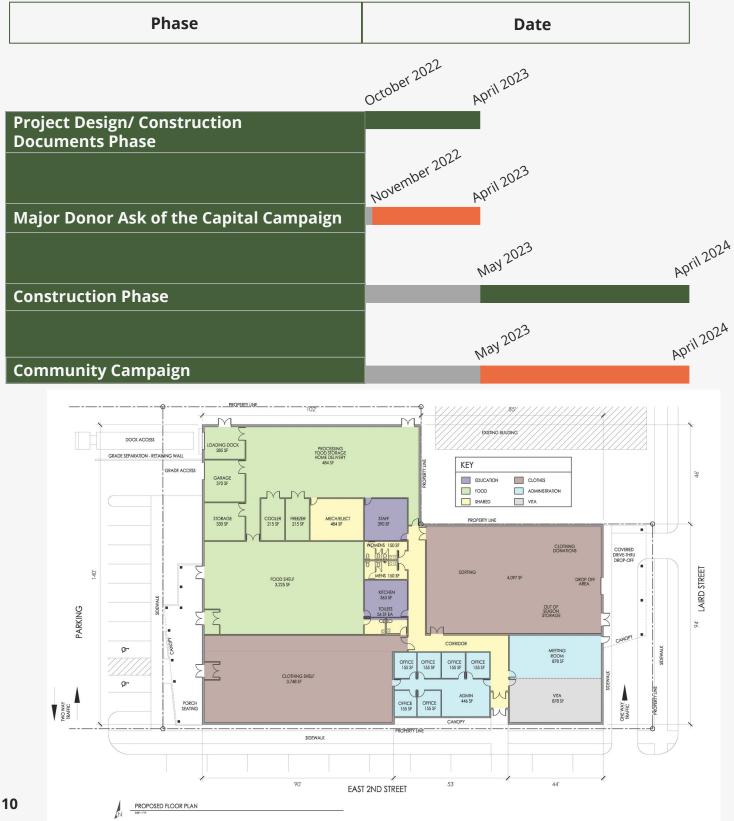
61 Other MN Counties

33 Wisconsin

1 Louisiana

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CONSTRUCTION & FUNDING TIMELINE



FUNDING NEEDED

We need to raise \$4.75 million to cover the building costs based on our conversations with Wieser Brothers General Contractor, who we have partnered with on the project. Our plan is to raise \$4 million between now and May 2023 and the remaining \$725,000 will be fundraised during the public phase of this campaign.

Today, I am asking you to become a champion for this building project. Your major investment is a commitment to help those who face life's challenges and who need our help. You are the key that opens the doors to this new facility, a crucial cornerstone for Winona County. This revitalization effort ensures our services are around for the next 50 years.

WVS has grown its operating revenue from a budget of \$283,660 in 2001 to \$1,330,036 in 2022. We have accomplished this because many individuals believe in and value our strong commitment to serving others. We have nurtured diversified funding sources, including a strong individual donor base, which has been essential for supporting our annual operations. Your commitment as a major donor will allow us to keep our annual donors supporting our ongoing operations while you help us in this once in a lifetime capital campaign.

This certainly is an exciting time for WVS as we peer into the future and visualize how to best serve our community. Please come along on this journey with WVS.

Major Gift Amount	Needed Gifts	# Secured	Goal			
\$1,000,000	1		\$1,000,000			
\$500,000	4		\$2,000,000			
\$250,000	4		\$1,000,000			
\$25,000	1	1	\$25,000			
TOTAL	10		\$4,025,000			
Community Phase	Multiple		\$725,000			

NEW FACILITY SCHEMATIC DESIGN

Wieser Brothers General Contractor Inc. is an industry leader in design/build services. A full-service general contractor, located in La Crescent, MN and established in 1994, Wieser Brothers partners closely with clients to meet current and future building needs. Trust, Partnership, and Excellence are the cornerstones of all Wieser Brothers projects.











WINONA VOLUNTEER SERVICES, INC. STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021 AND 2020

	YEAR	DED DECEMBER 3	021	YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020							
	Without Donor Restrictions		With Donor Restrictions		Total		thout Donor Restrictions		Vith Donor estrictions		Total
REVENUE, GAINS, AND OTHER SUPPORT					_				_		_
Contributions	\$ 277,234	. \$	373,616	\$	650,850	\$	362,613	\$	703,907	\$	1,066,520
Winona County contract	24,786		-		24,786		24,786		-		24,786
United Way grant	1,997		-		1,997		2,023		-		2,023
Donated clothing and food	110,784		416,468		527,252		74,666		347,854		422,520
Clothes Shop - donated clothing sales	110,784		-		110,784		74,829		-		74,829
Home delivered meals	132,541		-		132,541		129,474		-		129,474
Special events, net	83,380)	-		83,380		81,735		-		81,735
Investment income, net	134,968		-		134,968		150,014		-		150,014
Interest income	410		-		410		804		-		804
Release of restrictions	556,894		(556,894)		-		762,784		(762,784)		-
TOTAL REVENUE, GAINS,					_				_		
AND OTHER SUPPORT	1,433,778	3_	233,190	_	1,666,968	_	1,663,728		288,977		1,952,705
EXPENSES											
Program services:											
Special projects	4,884		-		4,884		4,293		-		4,293
Home delivered meals	171,120)	-		171,120		151,496		-		151,496
Nutrition education	8,806		-		8,806		6,970		-		6,970
Coordinated assistance	135,995	,	-		135,995		315,918		-		315,918
Clothes Shop	196,656)	-		196,656		134,826		-		134,826
Food programs	622,074		-		622,074		591,766		-		591,766
Total program services	1,139,534		-		1,139,534		1,205,269		-		1,205,269
Management and general	117,753		-		117,753		103,968		-		103,968
Fundraising	26,951		-		26,951		25,364		-		25,364
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,284,238	3	-	_	1,284,238		1,334,601		-		1,334,601
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	149,540)	2 33,190)	3 82,730		3 29,127		2 88,977		6 18,104
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	2,437,020)	310,625	, <u> </u>	2,747,645	-	2,107,893		21,648		2,129,541
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 2,586,560	\$	543,815	\$	3,130,375	\$	2,437,020	\$	310,625	\$	2,747,645

YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

		Home Special Delivered Nutrition Projects Meals Educatio			Coordinated Assistance	Clothes Shop		Food Programs	Total Program Services	Management and General	Fundraising	Total Expenses		
Personnel costs	\$	3 ,343	\$	4 3,644	\$	4,392	\$ 54,078	\$ 44	,851	\$ 103,266	\$ 253,574	\$ 35,338	\$ 19,102	\$ 308,014
Conferences		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	99	-	99
Dues and publications		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	1,571	-	1,571
Staff travel and training		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	8 68	-	8 68
Supplies and technology		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	2 0,208	-	2 0,208
Telephone, cable, and internet		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	3,981	-	3,981
Postage		5 80		63		-	-		-	-	6 43	1,183	-	1,826
Printing		-		-		-	-		176	-	176	-	-	176
Professional fees		-		-		-	-		-	-	-	3 7,125	-	3 7,125
Bank and credit card fees		-		-		-	-		-	3 44	3 44	3 ,545	-	3 ,889
Miscellaneous		-		-		1,578	60		5 38	-	2 ,176	7 86	7 ,142	10,104
Depreciation		182		3 63		7 27	7 27	11	,559	1 4,659	2 8,217	1,733	182	3 0,132
Utilities		-		-		-	-	6	,557	6,608	1 3,165	9 ,152	-	2 2,317
Insurance		1 48		2 99		5 96	5 96	3	,377	4,768	9 ,784	2 ,164	1 47	1 2,095
Maintenance		3 78		7 56		1,513	1,513	8	,571	1 2,100	2 4,831	-	3 78	2 5,209
Volunteer recognition and expenses		2 53		2 ,027		-	-	2	,027	2,027	6 ,333	-	-	6 ,333
Advertising		-		-		-	1,403	6	,838	6,294	1 4,535	-	-	1 4,535
Program supplies		-		5 68		-	3 70	2	,028	1 4,038	17,004	-	-	17,004
Background screening		-		2 74		-	-		23	-	2 97	-	-	2 97
Dental assistance		-		-		-	2 5,860		-	-	2 5,860	-	-	2 5,860
Coordinated assistance		-		-		-	5 1,333		-	-	5 1,333	-	-	5 1,333
Food purchased and donated Clothing donated		-		1 23,126		-	5 5 -	110	- 0,111	4 57,970 -	5 81,151 1 10,111	-		5 81,151 1 10,111
TOTALS	\$	4 ,884	\$	1 71,120	\$	8 ,806	\$ 135,995	\$ 196,	556	\$ 6 22,074	1 ,139,534	\$ 117,753	\$ 26,951	\$ 1 ,284,238

