MEDIA FACT SHEET

UNITED WAY AND ROCHESTER AREA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION COMMUNITY CRISIS FUND

Total Raised: Nearly $4.4 million
- More than 600 individuals have donated more than $122k online at www.uwarochester.org/crisisresponse

Grants were made to the following agencies in Phase 1 of funding (as of 8am on 5/8) totaling $1,545,153

**THIS WEEK’S GRANTS HIGHLIGHTED**
- Asbury First United Methodist Church (Monroe County)
- Foodlink (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Golisano Autism Center (Genesee, Livingston, Monroe and Ontario Counties)
- Rochester ChildFirst Network (Monroe County)
- Action for a Better Community (Monroe County)
- Alzheimer’s Association, Rochester & Finger Lakes Region Chapter (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- ARC of Livingston-Wyoming (Livingston County)
- ARC of Wayne (Wayne County)
- Baden Street Settlement (Monroe County)
• Beyond the Sanctuary (Monroe County)
• BluePrint Geneva, Inc. (Ontario County)
• Boys and Girls Club of Geneva (Ontario County)
• Boys & Girls Clubs of Rochester (Monroe County)
• Bridges for Brain Injury (Ontario County)
• Care Net Pregnancy Center (Ontario County)
• Catholic Charities Community Services (Livingston, Monroe, Ontario, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
• Catholic Charities of Buffalo (Orleans and Genesee Counties)
• Catholic Charities of Livingston County (Livingston County)
• Catholic Family Center (Monroe County)
• Celebrate! Family Church (Livingston County)
• Center for Employment Opportunities (CEO) (Monroe County)
• Center for Youth Services (Monroe County)
• Charles Settlement House (Monroe County)
• Charlotte House, Inc. (Genesee, Livingston and Orleans County)
• Child Advocacy Center of the Finger Lakes (Ontario, Seneca and Yates Counties)
• Community Action for Wyoming County (Wyoming County)
• Community Hygiene Bank of Concordia Lutheran Church (Monroe County)
• Community Place of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
• DePaul (Genesee, Monroe and Orleans County)
• Empire Justice Center (Monroe County)
• Epilepsy-Pralid (Monroe and Ontario Counties)
• Finger Lakes Community Schools/Linked to Family Counseling Service of the Finger Lakes (Wayne County)
• Finger Lakes Counseling & Referral Agency (Ontario, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
• Goodwill of the Finger Lakes (Monroe County)
• Healthy Baby Network (Monroe County)
• Heritage Christian Services (Monroe County)
• House of Mercy (Monroe County)
• Jewish Home of Rochester (Monroe County)
• Jewish Family Services of Rochester (Monroe County)
• Joint Heirs Kingdom Ministries (Monroe, Ontario and Way Counties)
• Judicial Process Commission (Monroe County)
• Keeping our Promise Rochester (Monroe County)
• Ibero-American-Action League (Monroe County)
• Independent Living of the Genesee Region (Genesee and Orleans Counties)
• Lifespan (Monroe County)
• Living Well Mission (Yates County)
• Livingston County (Livingston County)
• Mary Cariola Children’s Center (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
• Meals on Wheels (Monroe County)
• Newark Food Closet (Wayne County)
• Pro Action of Steuben and Yates (Yates County)
• Project URGE, Inc. (Monroe County)
• REACH Advocacy (Monroe County)
• Refugees Helping Refugees (Monroe County)
• Rochester Refugee Resettlement (Monroe County)
- Rural & Migrant Ministry, Inc. (Wayne County)
- St. Joseph’s Neighborhood Center (Monroe County)
- St. Peter’s Kitchen (Monroe County)
- Salvation Army (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Sent By Ravens Food Pantry (Livingston County)
- Springwater Community Food Pantry (Livingston County)
- Suzanne’s Comfort Care Home, Inc. (Wyoming County)
- Trillium Health (Monroe County)
- Urban League of Rochester (Monroe County)
- Veteran’s Outreach Center (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Villa of Hope (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates Counties)
- Volunteers Of America Upstate New York (Monroe County)
- Wayne County Action Program (Wayne County)
- Wolcott Council of Churches (Wayne County)
- Worker Justice Center of NY (Monroe, Genesee, Livingston, Ontario, Orleans, Seneca, Wayne and Yates counties)
- YWCA of Greater Rochester (Monroe County)
- Funds used for the purchase of personal protection equipment (PPE) for nonprofit staff

**MASKMAKERS**

*We anticipate that more than 50,000 homemade masks are needed for nonprofit staff and clients*—and we need the community’s help to keep their staff and clients safe and healthy during the COVID-19 pandemic. *We have received nearly 9,000 homemade masks to provide to local nonprofits.* Community members can visit www.uwrochester.org/covidmasks to learn how they can donate homemade masks to be a United Way #MaskMaker.

**VOLUNTEER UNITED**

- Number of volunteers: 3,000+ volunteer slots filled
- Agency spotlight:
  - **Jewish Family Service** is in need of volunteer shoppers to help those who are unable to leave their homes get the necessary items they need.  
    [https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=512551](https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=512551)
  - **Charles Settlement House** in urgent need of bulk cleaning supplies. Items needed include but are not limited to:  
    - Clorox wipes  
    - Hand Sanitizer  
    - Disinfectant spray  
    - Bleach  
    - Alcohol Wipes  
    [https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=507844](https://uwrochester.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=507844)
- See all volunteer opportunities at [www.uwrochester.org/covidvolunteer](http://www.uwrochester.org/covidvolunteer).