



ANNUAL REPORT

2015

### **The Community Action Promise**

Community Action changes people's lives, embodies the spirit of hope, improves communities, and makes America a better place to live. We care about the entire community and we are dedicated to helping people help themselves and each other.

## FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

### Friends,

As I reflect on 2015, I can't help but think about the heartbreaking events we are seeing in our communities. It seems every day we hear about another tragedy in the world, further injustice, more hate, more violence. We can't turn on the news without sad and frightening images showing the rage and distrust in the world. Despite this turmoil, I believe it is important to step back and reflect on the positive work we are doing within our communities to make them better for us all. While the same core issues remain for those we serve, we continue to work diligently to address hunger, unsanitary and unsafe housing, the education of our children, unemployment, the lack of transportation, and emergency needs. Our staff and Board are dedicated and committed to this effort.

In the pages that follow, you will see highlights of the programs and services we provided in 2015. I ask you to please take a look through this report to see what we, together, have accomplished. It is with great pride that I reflect on these accomplishments, and yet, I know there is much more to be done.

We, at Community Action, will continue our efforts, but we can't do it alone. We need your support to help make a difference. Whether it is through donating your time, your talents, or your funds; you play a vital role in helping us make our neighborhoods better. I am sincerely thankful for your support and everything you do, and I promise we will never take that support for granted. I am humbled by your generosity to our cause and promise we will remain dedicated to the improvement of the lives of those we serve and each of our communities.

Thank you.

**Doug Stanley, Executive Director**

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## FOOD & NUTRITION

The Food & Nutrition Division is made up of the Southeast Ohio Foodbank & Kitchen and works diligently to fill the meal gap children, seniors, and families face in our community. The Foodbank is the only foodbank for ten counties in Southeast Ohio: Athens, Gallia, Hocking, Jackson, Lawrence, Meigs, Morgan, Perry, Vinton, and Washington. In addition to distributing government funded, donated, and purchased food items to over 60 member agencies (i.e. food pantries), the Foodbank also operates several direct client service programs.

The Rural Summer Feeding and ConAgra Hunger-Free Summer programs provided a weekly box of shelf-stable food items to children during the summer who otherwise would not have been able to access a summer meal site due to transportation/geographic barriers.



In addition to receiving hot, nutritious lunch time meals, kids were given weekend backpacks of shelf-stable meals to take home during the summer. These programs help fill the meal gap when school is not in session, replacing meals children would receive through the free/reduced lunch programs at school.

Through the Commodity Supplement Food Program, nearly 4,000 low-income seniors across our ten counties received a monthly supplemental box of food.

Thanks to a partnership with Ohio farmers and the Ohio Association of Foodbanks, the Ohio Agricultural Clearance Program provided fresh, Ohio-grown produce to families in need.

In addition to the Foodbank, we utilized our commercial production Kitchen to serve seniors and children in our community.

Our Kitchen operated the Meals on Wheels Program in Athens and Hocking Counties and provided hot, nutritious meals five days a week at Senior Congregate Dining Sites in Athens, Logan, and Glouster.

In effort to fight summer child hunger, the Kitchen, a Summer Food Service Program sponsor, prepared and distributed healthy, kid-friendly meals to 40 free meals sites throughout Athens, Hocking, Perry, Vinton, Gallia, and Lawrence Counties. At peak, over 1,000 meals per day were served to kids in our community.



Holiday wagons, toys, and food were distributed to families thanks to a partnership with Wagons Ho Ho and Smoke Rise Ranch. Paper plates were filled out by families receiving the items explaining what this program meant to them.



Homebound seniors are delivered meals three days a week in Athens and Hocking Counties, providing a well-being check for many who live alone. Fresh, Ohio-grown produce is distributed to Head Start families, increasing access to more nutritious foods.

## CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Child Development Programs exist to prepare children for school and life. Our services provide high quality individualized programming to address the unique needs of children and families and are designed to enhance the quality of life, dignity and self-worth of participants. Services include Early Head Start, Head Start, summer camp and food services. By preparing children for school and life we address school readiness, health, nutrition and family needs.

[Early Head Start](#) offers home visitation services to pregnant women, infants and toddlers through age three who meet income guidelines.

[Head Start](#) offers comprehensive preschool education for children 3-4 years of age either at one of our seven Head Start Centers or through the Home Base program.

[Ohio Buckles Program](#) provided car seats free of charge to Athens County residents who meet the income guidelines. Fifty-nine car seats were provided in 2015.

[Project Keep Warm](#) provided a winter coat, hat, gloves, and shoes or boots to children in Athens County. Funded by the Athens County Department of Job and Family Services, this project provided a benefit to 423 children in 2015!

[Perry County After-School Program](#) provided a safe after school environment in which youth in Perry County had the opportunity to work on homework, engage with their peers, and explore a broad range of enrichment activities.





## Becca's Story

*Thirty years ago my family enrolled me in Head Start as a child. I remember how much fun I had and remain close friends with a girl that once attended Head Start with me. I never realized how much of an impact Head Start would have on my life until recently.*

*Years later I found myself as a single mom and no income so I applied for assistance with Jobs and Family services. I was informed that I needed to work several hours in the community to be able to receive this help. I remembered how much fun I had so I decided to volunteer my hours in the Head Start Center. I enrolled my child and became an active parent in the parent policy council. Within two months I enrolled in college to obtain my degree in Early Childhood Education. **This would never have happened if it weren't for the support and encouragement of the HS staff.** I wanted to be a HS teacher and they helped me achieve my goal. I spent as much time as I could in the HS center, I felt welcomed there, a part of the HS family. Once I finished school, I was hired as a Bus Monitor and Janitor and was a sub in the classroom as a teacher. I continued to do this until I was hired as the Family Day Care Mentor and now as an Early Head Start Home Visitor. The Head Start staff pushed me and encouraged me and offered me so much support and I appreciate them more than they will ever know. I got my driver's license, obtained my degree, got a job and began supporting my children. **I am able to now give them the things in life that I didn't ever think they could have.***

*Head Start changed the cycle of life for me and hopefully my family. I am the only member in my family who has a college degree. Now with my personal achievement, I hope to have opened the doors for my children and my family to show them all things are possible. **You just need the encouragement and support of good people and good things can happen for you.***

*I personally want to be able to help other struggling families out there by sharing my experience and offering my support as the Head Start Staff did with me.*

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Looney, Russell and Ute	Merryman, Joyce	Nulf, Karen	Price, Marilyn S	Safran, Stephen and Joan	Skillman, Sharon	Taylor, Mel	Vince Keating	Wright, Karin M.
Loughridge, Susan	Messerly, Mary	OACAA	Prince, Bonnie	Sagan Household	Skinner, Donald	Taylor, Natsu	Vincent, Jennings	Writers Harvest
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Love, Cynthia	Meyer, Christopher and	Oches, Kathryn B	Prudich, Carolyn	Sakadales, Sue	Slater, Helen	Del Jay's Drive-Thru &	Vosler, Charles and Sandra	Yates, Jack and Judy
Love, George	Deborah	Oconnor, Walter	Pruitt, Anita	Salimbene, Ann M	Slavine, Rita	Delicatessen	Wade and Becky Wyatt	Yates, Philip and Susan
Lutz, Joann	Meyer, William	O'Dea, Moira	Pruitt, Peggy	Saltman, Adam	Smart, Sandra	Tennenbaum, Craig and	Wagner, George	Yost, Maxine
Lutz, Leeann and Roger	Michael and Cheryl O'Rourke	Ogg, Lethia	Puhl, Mark	Sam and Adele Hanson	Smith Lee, Frances	Nanette	Wagner, Mary	Young Adventurers 4-H Club
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Mahlberg, Patti	Mike Mercer Auto Sales	Ohio Children's Foundation	Rawlins, William	Sauber, Theodore	Smith, Mary	Tharp, Theresa	Walmart Foundation	Ziessler, Tammy
Mahle, Todd and Pamela	Miller, Alan and Mary	Ohio Civil Service Employee	Ray Calvert and Brenda Conkel	Saunders, Earl and Janice	Smith, Rose M	The Andrews Household	Walter, Christine	Ziliox, Debra
Mahon, Alan and Doris	Miller, Amy	Hocking County Chapter	Ray, Kathy Kelley	Saunders, Larry	Smith, Tim and Jodie	The Athens Foundation, Inc.	Ward, Michael and Barbara	Zink, Thomas
Maksimowski, Denise	Miller, Candace	Ohio Department Of	Reagan, John and Purcell, Sara	Sayre, Ruby	Smith, Todd	The Bridge Crew	Warner, Vernon	
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Malcom Household	Miller, Charles	Ohio State Eagles Charity Fund	Reed, Jessica	Scarberry, Rena	Smoke Rise Ranch	The Cleveland Foundation	Warren, Rose	
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Marchand, David E	Miller, Lynn	Business	Reinshell, Dana	Schatz, David	Snider, Mark and Rita	The Kidd Household	Watters, Arthur	
Margaret Nixon	Miller, Mark and Melinda	OhioHealth O'Brien	Remley, Dan	Scheck Charitable Foundation,	Snihur, Dennis	The Lubrizol Foundation	Waugh, Kenneth and Martha	
Maria Galanti and Debra	Miller, Sue	Olson, Carl T.	Remmert, Linda	Inc.	Snow Household	The Pizza Place	Waveline Reed	
Howdyshell	Miller, William F.	Onley, David	Repp, Theron K.	Scheich, Ken	South Central Power Company	The Tuten Household	Webb, Joanne	
Marietta Community	Millstone Southern Smoked	Oremus Household	Ressler, Tom	Schermerhorn, Ann	Spangler, Chip	The Woda Group, LLC	Webb, Rick	
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Marling, Cynthia	Moeller, Rick and Terry	Packer, Robert	Richard DeWitt	Schmidt, Robert	St Angelo, Philip	Thompson, Bill	Weldon, Cecelia	
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Marshall, Bonnie	Molihan, Judy	Palmer, Norma	Rickey, Carlyn	Schmitz, William R	Stace, Philip	Laurie	Welsh, Mary Ann	
	Montgomery, C L.	Parker, Kenneth and Juanita	Riddle, Marlene	Schrems, Margaret	Stack, Iva	Three Sisters Sunset Inn	Wes Banco	

# TRANSPORTATION

Our transportation division is dedicated to ensuring that our friends, families, neighbors, and clients have access to medical appointments, education opportunities, and other critical services. Athens Public Transit offers a fixed-route bus system for the city of Athens, Chauncey, and The Plains. Athens On Demand Transit and Logan Public Transit provide door-to-door transportation for Athens County and the City of Logan and surrounding areas respectively. GoBus, our intercity bus route, connects Southeast Ohio with larger metropolitan areas throughout the state.

Many of our programs had record ridership, implemented innovative ideas, deepened partnerships and laid the foundation for continued growth in 2015. Even as we continue to expand and increase service, the need has continued to grow.

## GoBus

GoBus expanded to five routes throughout the state of Ohio including trips to Columbus, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Van Wert, Wooster, and Athens.

*“Awesome drivers, super cheap, extremely clean buses with Wi-Fi and power outlets. So much better than any other bus I’ve ever ridden.” – GoBus rider*

## Athens Public Transit (APT)

In 2015, APT public ridership was up 26.5%! APT spent 2015 working hard preparing for the partnership with Ohio University that will allow OU students, faculty and staff to ride for free.

*“Thanks for always being there when I need you. Your ready smiles, helping hands and checking to make sure I’m home, mean more to me than you know” – LPT rider*

## Logan Public Transit (LPT)

LPT had their best year ever, a 9% increase in ridership over 2014. LPT has also announced a pilot expansion of the program to serve the communities of Carbon Hill and Union Furnace.

## Athens on Demand Transit (AODT)

AODT continues to provide accessible and affordable, door-to-door transportation services to and from anywhere in Athens County for persons with disabilities and the elderly.

*“For me, AODT is the liberator. I no longer have to rely on friends or neighbors to get me where I need to go whenever they might be available. AODT gives me a freedom I never had, since I don’t drive, and enables me to have a service that is extremely affordable and timely” – AODT rider*



## HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

The Housing and Community Development Division offers a wide array of private and publicly funded energy conservation and home weatherization services to our three-county region. Additionally, it also serves as the administrating agency for our three county's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG). All of these programs serve low income populations ranging from 200% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines to as low as 35% of Area Median Income households.



### **Weatherization**

We provide comprehensive weatherization services including heating unit inspection, repairs/replacement, insulation retrofits, and air leakage reduction through the Home Weatherization Assistance Program (HWAP), Warm Choice, AEP Community Assistance Program and State Electric Partnership Program.



### **Community Development**

We prepare and administer funds designated for community projects, Downtown Revitalization, Neighborhood Revitalization, and Critical Infrastructure Improvements such as park improvements, sidewalks, and street improvements.



### **Affordable Housing**

We partner in the development of numerous affordable housing projects. We own two affordable housing projects, Creekside Apartments in Chauncey and Kimberly Meadows in Nelsonville, providing affordable housing to 76 families.



### **Home Improvements**

We provide home improvements through the Community Housing Impact and Preservation program and Housing Assistance Grant program to include home repair assistance and comprehensive home rehabilitation services.

## COMMUNITY SERVICES/EMPLOYMENT TRAINING

Drawing on Community Action's ability to respond quickly to both emerging and ongoing community needs, the Community Services division of HAPCAP houses short-term and long-term programs designed to improve the quality of life for low-income individuals in Hocking, Athens, and Perry counties.

The **Hocking County WIOA Youth Program** serves eligible Hocking County youth between the ages of 14-24 who face barriers to employment and/or educational goals. The main objective of the Hocking County WIOA Youth Program is to provide comprehensive services that enrich the potential for young adults to succeed by earning their high school diploma or GED, preparing them for self-sufficiency through employment, helping them to become a contributing member of their family and community, and providing them with the tools needed to succeed in adulthood.

The **Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP)**, including the **Winter Crisis Program**, **Summer Crisis Program**, and **Percentage of Income Payment Plan Plus Program (PIPP Plus)** helps families who are struggling to pay their utility bills and purchase bulk fuels. All of these programs are available in Hocking, Athens, and Perry Counties.

The **Learn & Work Program** is a Work Experience Program for individuals and families receiving Ohio Works First cash assistance in Athens County. Learn & Work Program staff provides ongoing case management, job search assistance, trainings including soft skill development, and comprehensive wrap around services to help participants secure employment and achieve self-sufficiency.

We partnered with the Perry County Department of Job & Family Services to implement an **Adult Protective Services (APS)** project that helped to build relationships and support in rural, Appalachian Ohio counties around the issue of APS service delivery. We helped to create the Perry County APS Interdisciplinary Team that works to increase awareness of elder abuse and neglect and improve communication and the coordination of service delivery for seniors living in Perry County.

What are your short and long-term career goals?

*Short – to get a job. Long – wasn't sure other than maybe go back to school and get a good paying job.*

Is this program helping you achieve these goals?

*They made both happen.*

- Learn & Work Participant



*In 2015, HAPCAP operated the **TANF Summer Youth Employment Program** for Hocking, Athens, and Perry Counties. We hired over 200 youth and young adults ages 16-24 to work in businesses, nonprofit organizations, and public works departments throughout our 3-county service area. They learned new skills and helped improve their communities while earning a paycheck and gaining valuable work experience throughout the summer months. Participants earned \$423,911 in wages in 2015.*

# 2015 FINANCIAL STATEMENT

\*\*unaudited figures

## Funding By Activity

Housing & Comm. Develop.	\$2,571,128.82
Child Development	\$3,952,860.08
Food & Nutrition	\$2,514,423.58
Community Services Program	\$3,273,470.41
Transportation	\$4,349,856.92
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>\$16,661,739.81</b>
General & Administrative	\$325,313.55
Fundraising	\$74,611.28
<b>Sub-total</b>	<b>\$399,924.83</b>
<b>Overall Total</b>	<b>\$17,061,664.64</b>

## Revenues

Federal and State Funding	\$15,429,348.48
Program Income	\$2,692,659.07
Donations	\$155,670.77
Earned Interest	\$564.78
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$18,278,243.10</b>

## Expenses

Personnel	\$6,123,818.96
Equipment Leases & Cost	\$522,364.55
Contractual Services	\$4,129,922.15
Consumable Supplies	\$2,249,564.58
Space & Utilities	\$958,178.75
Travel	\$403,150.50
Indirect Costs	\$759,225.25
Other Costs	\$516,294.16
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$17,061,664.64</b>



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