**2019 REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY** 

# OPEN DOORS CHANGE LIVES



# **COMMUNITY SNAPSHOT**



#### A DAY IN BREVARD

On Monday, August 26 select United Way Partner Agencies reported the following service statistics.



**EARLY LEARNING COALITION** 3,896 Children Served **766 on Wait List** 



AGING MATTERS
910 Senior Meals Served
300 on Wait List



UNITED WAY HEALTHY FAMILIES BREVARD
20 Home Child Abuse Prevention Visits



SERENE HARBOR, THE WOMEN'S CENTER AND SALVATION ARMY

62 Women and Children Sheltered



CENTRAL BREVARD SHARING CENTER
308 Meals Served



**BREVARD ACHIEVEMENT CENTER** 934 Clients Helped

# 2019 UNITED WAY PARTNER AGENCIES

The needs of our community are great. With so many hardworking families who are just one emergency away from life spiraling out of control, our partner agency safety net is critical to strengthening our community. We invest in a broad range of programs that keep people from reaching crisis points. By addressing our community's most basic needs, we are helping individuals and families find a sense of stability.

211 Brevard

Aging Matters in Brevard

American Red Cross

**AMI Kids Space Coast** 

Big Brothers Big Sisters

Boy Scouts of Central Florida

Boys and Girls Clubs of Central Florida

Brevard Achievement Center

Brevard Alzheimer's Foundation

Brevard County Legal Aid

Brevard Rescue Mission

**Brevard Zoo** 

**Bridges** 

**Catholic Charities** 

Central Brevard Sharing Center

Children's Advocacy Center

The Children's Center

Children's Home Society

Children's Hunger Project

Club Esteem

Crosswinds Youth Services Early Learning Coalition

Girl Scouts
of Citrus Council

Grandparents Raising Grandchildren

**Junior Achievement** 

The Haven for Children

**Housing for Homeless** 

Links of Hope

Lifetime Counseling Center

My Community Cares

National Veterans Homeless Support

**Neighbor Up Brevard** 

North Brevard Charities Sharing Center

**Project Response** 

Rolling Readers Space Coast

The Salvation Army -North/Central Corps/ Domestic Violence Shelter

The Salvation Army - South Brevard Corps

Second Harvest Food Bank

Serene Harbor

STEPS - Specialized Treatment, Education and Prevention Services

The Women's Center

# WE ARE ENSURING YOUR DONATIONS ARE DOING THE MOST GOOD this year's highlights



# HEALTH FIRST MAYORS' FITNESS CHALLENGE

Local Mayors throughout Brevard challenged their citizens to get involved in a healthy competition, the Health First Mayors' Fitness Challenge. In total, 11 communities and 2,445 registered participants



logged 4.4 million minutes of exercise over 8 weeks. Congratulations to the winner of the 2019 Health First Mayors' Fitness Challenge "Most Fit City" Cocoa Beach!



#### **UNITED WAY OFFERS FREE TAX PREP!**

United Way offered free tax prep to help our community reduce debt, build savings and improve their finances. Volunteers prepared 1,991 tax returns in Brevard with an estimated community-wide impact of \$1.5M.

#### **FEBRUARY**



#### PUBLIX APPRECIATION DAY!

United Way staff across the entire southeast visit local Publix stores to personally thank associates for their generosity. Publix, with locations in only seven states, is ranked the third largest United Way contributor raising \$65.3M! For the fourth year in a row our local stores have raised over a million dollars, to become the second largest contributor in Brevard.



#### **ALLOCATIONS VOLUNTEERS HARD AT WORK**

Seventy-eight volunteers combined to donate over 1,000 hours visiting and reviewing 51 programs at 42 agencies ensuring your donation had the greatest impact possible. Additionally, the Finance and Governance Committee reviewed agency budgets, audits, and 990s and provided a report to the allocation volunteers regarding the financial health of each agency.



#### **WOMEN UNITED CAPITAL DAYS**

United Way's Women United participated in a statewide Women United Capital Days in Tallahassee. Our local Women United met with our Brevard Legislators to discuss the need for more affordable housing, continued support for income tax consulting and preparation assistance, quality early learning for our children, expanding access to healthcare, and supporting Florida's veterans.





#### **AWARDS CELEBRATION**

United Way of Brevard honored the outstanding achievements and the amazing community members who raised \$6,069,110 – a 3.4% increase over the \$5,867,000 raised last year. The 2018 United Way Campaign Chair Debbie Goode, Carr Riggs and Ingram, led the celebration of hundreds of organizations and thousands of individuals who came together to raise funds that will help our neighbors meet basic needs and build an even better life for themselves and their families.



# 2019 UNITED WAY CHAIRMAN'S AWARD GOES TO SPACE COAST CREDIT UNION

United Way's most prestigious annual recognition, the 2019 Chairman's Award, went to Space Coast Credit Union. This honor is presented annually to an organization that has displayed excellence in corporate citizenship, far beyond support of our annual fundraising drive. Space Coast Credit Union is a tremendous example of corporate social responsibility in our community.

# MILLION DOLLAR CIRCLE AWARDS L3HARRIS AND PUBLIX SUPER MARKET

L3Harris and its employees were the largest contributors, raising \$1,568,107. Publix Super Markets and its associates joined L3Harris again in the million dollar circle this year by raising \$1,180,000, making it the second largest campaign.





Publix.

L3HARRIS

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#### **UNITED WAY ANNUAL MEETING**

United Way of Brevard held its Annual Meeting, voting in new Board members and thanking those that have served in a leadership capacity. Therrin Protze was also recognized for his leadership over the past year as the United Way Board Chair.





#### EMERGING LEADERS' PEANUT BUTTER AND JELLY

United Way's leadership group for early to mid-career professionals was busy this year volunteering and making a difference in our community. The Emerging Leaders hosted a PB&J Drive, collecting 8,611 jars of PB&J. Thanks to all the community partners for your support.

..... JUNE .....



#### 25 YEARS OF SERVICE

June 1 marked 25 years of service to our community for United Way President Rob Rains. His leadership and commitment has driven our United Way to build a more caring community. Thank you and congratulations!



# STEM HEATS UP THIS SUMMER

United Way celebrated the longest day of the year with a Day of Action! Thanks to Kennedy Space Center Contractors, L3Harris employees, our United Way VISTAs and other community volunteers, kids were busy with SNAP Circuit activity kits.





#### **DEFEATING THE SUMMER SLIDE**

Over the summer United Way led an initiative with Brevard Public Schools to promote the importance of reading over the summer to 35,000 local elementary students. Those that read 8 to 10 books participated in an ice cream party sponsored by United Way (3,471 elementary school students read as part of a summer reading contest). Congrats to Manatee Elementary who had the most student participation with 275 students.

#### AUGUST

#### FEED AND READ

United Way's Feed and Read Program addressed summer hunger, reading loss, nutrition, fitness and dental care. We served 4,000 children, distributed more than 30,000 free, brand-new books and 15,000 take-home food packs.



#### .....SEPTEMBER .....



#### CAMPAIGN KICKOFF

United Way of Brevard campaign kicked off with a moving appearance by Patrick Fuller, an autistic young man who, through training at Brevard Achievement Center, is now working at Lotane & Associates law firm. Fuller and his father spoke to the crowd about his being hired full time, and what the job means to him. The 2019 campaign was chaired by Laura Chiesman, FirstWave Financial.



#### **RUN UNITED**

United Way, in partnership with Brevard Public Schools, teamed up to develop Run United after viewing impressive results from existing models at other schools. Run United is a Community Service of United Way of Brevard, which funds up to \$2,000 per school, to help implement a 20/30 minute before-school walking/running program. The goal of the funding is to increase a child's readiness to learn throughout the school day and instill good physical fitness habits.

#### ..... NOVEMBER .....

#### **NEW BUSINESS EVENT**

Our Board Chair Debbie Goode and Campaign Chair Laura Chiesman invited local business leaders to attend a special event at Hell 'N Blazes. They encouraged attendees to become more involved and run United Way campaigns in their organizations.



#### ..... DECEMBER .....



#### HONORING OUR PAST LEADERSHIP

We honored those who have served as United Way Board Chairs. We thank them for their service and continued support of United Way.

Back row: Therrin Protze 2018, Tony Catanese 2008, Adrian Laffitte 2014, Bill Potter (United Way's pro bono attorney), David Brock 2004, Bunny Finney 2001, current UW Board Chair Debbie Goode and UW President Rob Rains.

Front row: Ray Nau 1985, Nick Heldreth 1996, Ernie Briel 1999 and Bill Brennan 1994-95.



#### **United Way of Brevard**

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

# 2019 -2020 Executive Committee/Officers

*Board Chair* Debbie Goode

2019 Campaign Chair Laura Chiesman

Vice Chair, Community Impact Susan Hann

Vice Chair, Grant-Contract Oversight Johnette Gindling

*Treasurer* Heather McDonough, CPA

Past Board Chair Therrin Protze

Members-at-Large Moses Harvin, II Karin Jamison Corey Lancaster Alex Rudloff Mike Williams Louis D. Wilson

President United Way of Brevard Rob Rains

#### 2019 - 2020 Board Members

Frank Abbate **Henry Andersson Tim Antonition** Michael Ayers Mara Bellaby Dana Blickley Pascal Budge Laurie Cappelli Kristin Colacchio Randy Coleman Del Cragin Frank DiBello Jason Fleischman **Bob Gabordi** Marcia Gaedcke **Bart Gaetiens** Michele Goodwin Roger (Chip) Greek Malak Hammad Sandy Handfield **Eric Johns** 

Dr. Summerpal S. Kahlon Sandi Lee **Shannon Lewis** Mark Malek Dr. Dwayne McCay **Peter Montgomery** Lisa Morrell **Robb Morrison** Dr. Mark Mullins Regina Oenbrink **David Ott** Robert Perers L. Jo Powell **Summit Shah Todd Starkey** Jennifer Sugarman Tony Taliancich John Titkanich Al Wassel Lynda Weatherman

During 2018-2019

# **COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION**

**263** 

**Workplaces** 

8

17,317
Donors

45
Local Philanthropists

gave at the prestigious Tocqueville Society level of \$10,000 or more.

2,230 Individuals

gave at the leadership level.



\$6,069,110

was collected plus



\$510,608
Gifts In Kind

distributed much needed supplies to our community like diapers, toothbrushes, books and so much more.



7 grants add \$1,629,887



2,400 volunteers contributed more than 32,537 HOURS

# UNITED WAY OF BREVARD CREATES LEVERAGE

through additional channels to augment the 2018-2019 total revenue

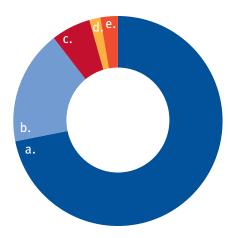


Every **ONE** dollar donated brings an average of **THREE** matching dollars into our community - that's a

\$21,000,000 IMPACT!

# WE CAN FIGHT FOR SO MUCH BECAUSE OF YOUR GENEROSITY IN GIVING

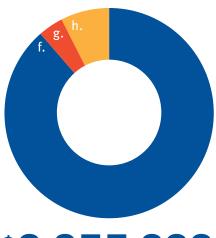
**2018-2019 Financials** 



\$9,249,221

#### **Total Revenue**

a.	Contributions	\$6	,653,272
b.	Grants	\$1	,629,887
С.	Gifts In Kind	\$	566,343
d.	Investment	\$	151,619
e.	Other	\$	248,100



\$8,855,909

#### **Total Expenditures**

f. Program Expenditures	\$7,928,960
g. Management and General	\$ 314,373
h. Fundraising	\$ 612,576

Our current overhead is 10.0% based on the current 990.

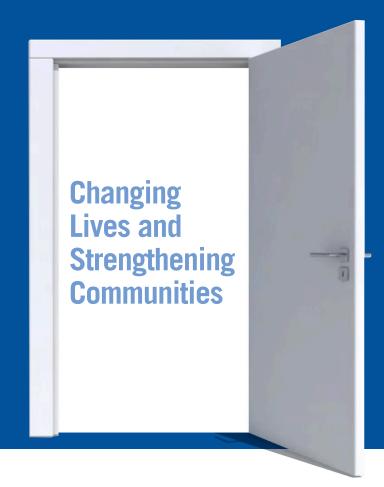
### Visit uwbrevard.org for the full 990 and audit.

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Behind all our work, there are people like you who get involved in big and small ways to ensure a better future for their family and their community.

THANK YOU.



# TOP 25 WORKPLACE CAMPAIGNS

- 1. L3 Harris
- 2. Publix Super Markets
- 3. Brevard Public Schools
- 4. Health First
- 5. Collins Aerospace
- 6. Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex
- 7. Florida Tech
- 8. Space Coast Credit Union
- 9. United Launch Alliance
- 10. Brevard Board of County Commissioners
- 11. Jacobs Space Operations Group
- 12. Florida Power & Light Company

- 13. Lockheed Martin
- 14. Renesas Electronics America
- 15. Ron Jon Surf Shop
- 16. Wells Fargo
- 17. Parrish Medical Center
- 18. Brevard County Sheriff's Office
- 19. IAP Ingenuity and Purpose
- 20. United Parcel Service
- 21. AECOM ISC, LASSO & KPLSS Contracts
- 22. Zilber Ltd. / Resorts By Towne
- 23. ELVIS 3
- 24. FLORIDA TODAY
- 25. Space Florida