



HOMeward  
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the key to ending homelessness

Fiscal Year 2020-2021  
Annual Report

***WE SEE  
YOU***



## OUR MISSION

Preventing and ending homelessness in our community through permanent housing and support.

## OUR VISION

We envision an inclusive community where homelessness is rare and quickly resolved for all people.

## WE BELIEVE...

We believe in the absolute value and worth of every human being.

We believe that housing is a basic human right.

We believe that homelessness is a solvable problem.

### Year in Review

Ended homelessness for 169 individuals



Prevented homelessness for 23 individuals



Ended homelessness for 34 chronically homeless individuals



Homeward Bound uses the best practice Housing First model to end homelessness. Housing First is a homeless assistance approach that prioritizes providing permanent housing to people experiencing homelessness. This approach is guided by the belief that people need basic necessities like food and a place to live before attending to other needs such as getting a job, budgeting, or attending to mental health and substance use issues.

# A NOTE FROM OUR LEADERSHIP

We often hear it said that “seeing is believing.” But does that make it true? What does it mean to truly see? And what does it mean to believe?

With this report, we invite you to look closely at the challenges of homelessness in our community and Homeward Bound’s leadership in addressing those challenges head-on. What emotions do you see in the faces here? How do the stories and updates deepen your understanding of the possibilities? Mine the numbers and results to see what answers can be found. What do you believe about this work?



Cindy McMahon, Interim Executive Director

“Seeing is believing” is only half of the quote, which originally came from clergyman Thomas Fuller in the 17th century. He wrote, “Seeing is believing, but feeling is the truth.” It may feel easiest to look the other way when we see folks experiencing homelessness in our home town. Homeward Bound’s mission calls us to bring our full humanity to meet people where they are, look them in the eye, and walk alongside them as they find home.

Thank you for walking with us on this journey and taking the time to truly see.

A handwritten signature of Cindy McMahon in black ink.

Cindy McMahon, Interim Executive Director

A handwritten signature of Vann Vogel in black ink.

Vann Vogel, Board President

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Vann Vogel,  
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# “WHY CAN'T THEY SEE US?”

Our homeless community is visible; we see them in campsites, downtown, and on park benches, but we don't know who these individuals are, really. We don't know where they've been, or why they are here, or what struggles they've been through.

Do we really “see” them?

Homeward Bound's 2021 Virtual Event to End Homelessness focused on the invisibility of people experiencing homelessness and especially those living outdoors.

At Homeward Bound, the individuals we serve are not invisible. **SEEING** their humanity is who we are. We believe that housing is a basic human right – no exceptions – and the key to helping people achieve stability in housing is trained, compassionate, nonjudgmental staff who care about the people we serve.

## 2021 Virtual Event to End Homelessness:



Paula Hankey performing “Unseen”, the theme song for the movie “The Life Ahead.”



Tommy lived in the Woodfin Apartments for five years.



Former Executive Director Meredith Switzer at the COVID Shelter at Harrah's Cherokee Center.

“Can we all commit to seeing that which the world has rendered invisible?”  
--Nonnie Egbuna



Poet Nonnie Egbuna performing her spoken word poem “In-Visibility”

# VOLUNTEERING TO END HOMELESSNESS



Y-Corps applies a new coat of paint to a client's home at Key Commons



AmeriCorps member helps with a client move-in



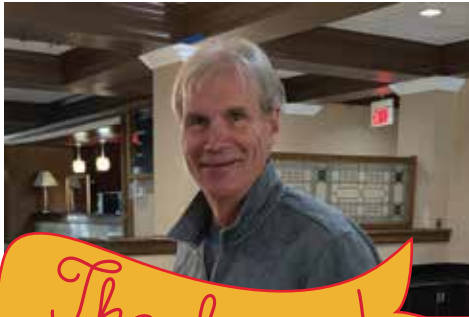
Adrienne Crowther volunteers at AHOPE

Volunteering during Fiscal Year 2020-2021 included many challenges and triumphs. Renovation of AHOPE and the COVID-19 pandemic halted most of our volunteer opportunities. Volunteers who were able to work throughout the pandemic and the renovation project share that conditions were challenging. However, these conditions and sacrifices allowed Homeward Bound to receive a remodeled AHOPE with ample room for our clients, volunteers, and staff to gather. Stations like the mailroom, kitchen, and basement now have more storage options and space in general for volunteers and staff to address client needs.

Below: Jim Anderson, mailroom volunteer



Below: David Bailey, longtime volunteer



Thank you!

## 20/21 VOLUNTEERS

NUMBER OF  
VOLUNTEER  
HOURS IN  
2020/21:  
1,944



Barbara Anderson  
Jim Anderson  
David Bailey  
Leila Beikmohamadi  
Carolyn Buchanan  
Steve Buchanan  
Holley Clark  
Adrienne Crowther  
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Lori Resnick  
William Sabo  
Ed Sacco

Sue Sheehan  
Joan Sigsworth  
Alan Steinberg  
Capuchina Taylor  
Irmelin Toftegaard  
Andrea Toren  
Joshua Truman  
Madeline Wadley  
Nancy Wallace  
Vic Wilfong



# FY 20/21 AHOPE Statistics and Assessments

## 157

Vulnerability assessments performed to determine the level of need for individuals experiencing homelessness

## 102

Individuals experiencing homelessness visited AHOPE day center daily (on average, with COVID capacity limits)

## 313

Diversions from homelessness accomplished through contacting friends and family in a client's social network

*The number of vulnerability assessments and diversions completed in FY 20-21 is lower than previous years due to limited capacity caused by the pandemic.*

## AHOPE Day Center Remodel

Homeward Bound's remodeled AHOPE Day Center opened in February 2021. AHOPE, built in 1998 to serve 50 folks a day, grew to serving an average of 176 people every day in early 2020. It was in desperate need of repairs. Homeward Bound engaged architect Carlton Collins and contractor Beverly-Grant, Inc. to lead the facility's design and construction. Generous funders for the renovation include The Cannon Foundation, Buncombe County, Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church, DEPCOM Power, Patricia Simms, Rick and Lynne Noble, and a donor who anonymously contributed \$725,000 to the project.



*AHOPE Day Center*



*AHOPE Ribbon Cutting*



*Molly Hitchcock works at the AHOPE Mailroom*



*Renovated Locker Room*

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# PERMANENT SUPPORTIVE HOUSING



*Zach and Alanna admiring Zach's window garden*

"People don't realize that life can change as quickly as putting your shoes on." That's what Zach expressed when asked how he became homeless. Zach was involved in a horrific car accident. He sustained a traumatic brain injury and remained hospitalized for months in tremendous pain. Because Zach was disabled and couldn't work, he lost his job, his home, and soon he was living on the streets. Zach met case manager Alanna, and she moved him into the Woodfin, Homeward Bound's Permanent Supportive Housing apartments, where he is thriving in a community of survivors who were formerly homeless. He will receive case management and supportive services for as long as he needs them. Zach has taken up art and gardening, and is healing from the trauma of being homeless.



*Scattered Site Team*

It is estimated the community annual cost per chronically homeless person is \$30,000 to \$50,000.



By contrast, the annual cost to provide housing and case management per person is \$13,000.

## Housing is Healthcare

When people are homeless their health deteriorates. In their own home, people shift from survival mode to being more proactive about their wellness. They eat better, sleep better, and their health improves.

## Dr. Brown's Housing is Healthcare Fund

Dr. Brown Crosby has been an advocate for marginalized members of the community for many years. Crosby was impressed with the work Homeward Bound is doing to end homelessness and made a \$250,000 gift to the organization. The funds support client utility payments, rental arrears, utility arrears, pest control services, prescriptions, keys, box fans and other miscellaneous expenses.



# HOME IS KEY



Homeward Bound purchased the Days Inn property on Tunnel Road. Renovations are projected to begin in March 2022, and will turn 127 hotel rooms into 85 efficiency apartments and offices for Homeward Bound administrative and program staff. The acquisition was made possible by funding from the City of Asheville and Buncombe County, Dogwood Health Trust, and an anonymous donor.

When the facility opens, extensive supportive services will be available including on site case management tailored to each resident's needs, 24/7 support staff, behavioral health services, social and educational activities, meals provided by community partners, job training, and a medical clinic.



*Peer Support Room*



*Dining Room*

## Campaign Planning Committee

Melissa Duong, Chair  
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Rick Noble

Kelly Pierce  
Meredith Switzer

Vann Vogel  
Barbara Wright

*Thank you!*



# RAPID REHOUSING

Homeward Bound's Rapid Rehousing Program is designed to quickly house people facing homelessness.



Mae moved into the Red Roof Inn when the pandemic hit and stayed there for four months. She kept to herself and mostly stayed in her room. She and her case manager, Flint, submitted applications to five or six different places before she got her current apartment. Mae hopes she never has to move again because her new place feels like home to her. She's enjoying having a place for all of her things, and is hoping to purchase items for donations that will benefit other folks who have or are experiencing homelessness.

"It's very hard to live on the street. I'm a borderline diabetic--I could die out there. If I'm gonna die, I wanna die in my own bed" – Mae

## Preventing Homelessness

We served 12 civilian households and 20 veteran households in our Homeless Prevention Programs by providing financial support, budgeting and household maintenance training, and referrals to mental health support and other community resources.



*Rapid Rehousing Team*

## LANDLORD PARTNERSHIPS



Homeward Bound's landlord partner at Pisgah Knoll, LLC built a ramp for a client struggling to enter her home due to mobility issues. Because of this landlord's initiative, the tenant now feels safe in her long-term home.

Our landlord partners are critically important to Homeward Bound's mission of preventing and ending homelessness. In 2020/21, we ramped up the supportive services we offer to provide landlords support with tenant and property management.

In 20/21, we coordinated 75 leases with private landlords and partnered with more than 50 to provide stable housing to those in our community.



*Housing Placement Manager Jessie Figueiroa and landlord partner*

# HELPING UNHOUSED VETERANS

Our Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) program provides rapid rehousing services (rental assistance and housing case management that ranges from six months to two years) to veteran households. SSVF also provides prevention services with rental assistance and housing case management to veteran households to prevent eviction. The program incorporated a healthcare navigator into the program this year to specifically work with veterans in navigating their healthcare needs and benefits. This program works in close partnership with the local Veterans Administration and other community service providers.

## VETERAN SHELTER

Our Supportive Services for Veteran Families emergency shelters, which took place in various motels around Asheville, started in March 2020 and served 118 veteran households. 74 of them were moved to permanent housing.

Many of these veterans and their families would have been living unsheltered without this resource during the pandemic, making it difficult for us to find them, meet with them, and complete paperwork with them to begin the process towards housing. Having various motels for sheltering clients during COVID allowed us to keep veterans safe while working to end their homelessness more quickly.

David, a veteran who experienced homelessness for 20 years, was in Homeward Bound's Veteran Shelter Program for five months before he was moved into his own home right as the Coronavirus began to spread.

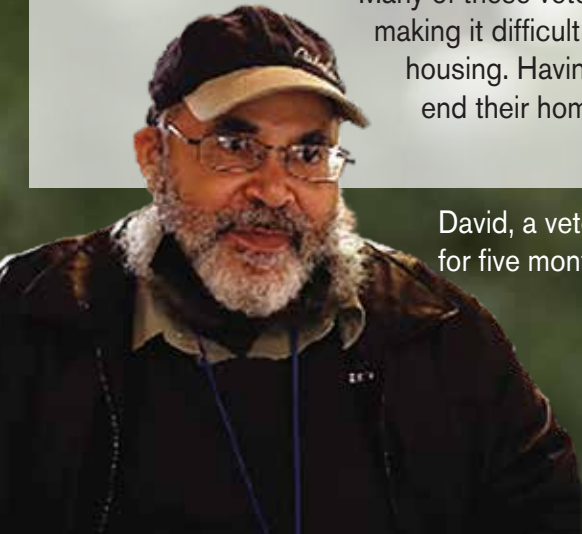
"Even though I haven't had alcohol or drug issues, there was always something holding me back. To this day, I can't put my finger on it. Something in my head, my thoughts, perhaps the way I viewed the world. But having a home is the solution."  
– David



In 20/21, Homeward Bound's various veteran shelters dramatically decreased the spread of COVID throughout local homeless communities.



*SSVF Team*

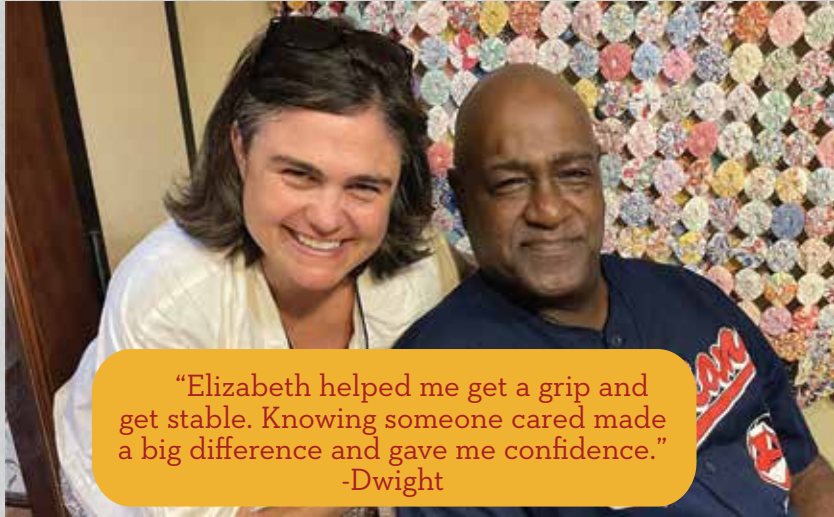




# SHELTERING DURING THE PANDEMIC



From April 2020 to June 2021, Homeward Bound sheltered 166 individuals (beginning at Harrah's Cherokee Center and then transitioning to the Red Roof Inn in May of 2020) and moved 42 of these people into permanent housing. Only one client contracted COVID-19 during that time.



"Elizabeth helped me get a grip and get stable. Knowing someone cared made a big difference and gave me confidence."  
-Dwight

## WARMING CENTERS PROVIDED RELIEF

It was a bitter winter for people living unhoused. When you don't have a home, your life often revolves around finding places to be during the day—to come in from the cold, to sit and rest, and to use the restroom. Places such as libraries, grocery stores, and shops couldn't allow people to assemble because of COVID-19. Our own AHOPE day center was being renovated, which limited the number of people who could come inside.

Jubilee! Community Church and Central United Methodist Church ran warming centers where people experiencing homelessness could warm up, have a snack, a cup of coffee and socially distanced fellowship.

When Dwight was 17, his mother took his father's life by shooting him. Because of this trauma, Dwight moved around a lot and lived outside for more than six years. He eventually came to AHOPE where the staff enrolled him at the Red Roof Inn to shelter during the pandemic. That's when Dwight met Homeward Bound Case Manager Elizabeth Bowers, who helped him move into a home in December.



Thank you to donors, faith communities, civic groups, and businesses that made financial contributions, provided meals, services, and volunteer hours.

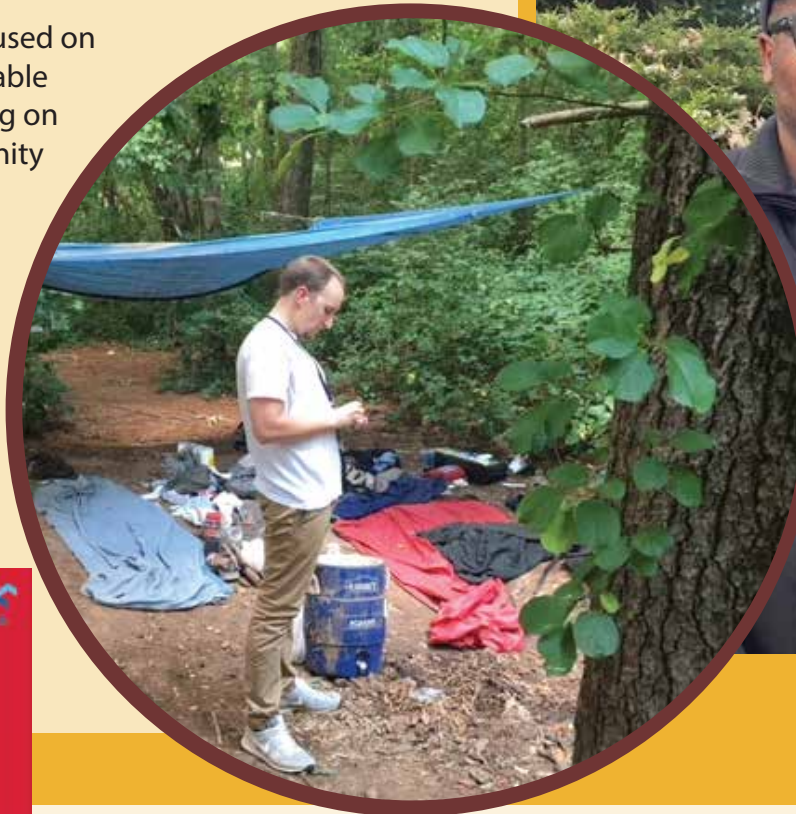


Zachary Russow and his dog Jesus



# OUTREACH

The Outreach Team is focused on reaching the most vulnerable homeless individuals living on the streets of our community to connect them with permanent supportive housing, healthcare, disability income, and community mental health services. We meet people where they are: in the woods, under bridges, and on the street.



*Christian Chambers and Hillary Jones,  
Outreach Case Managers*

*Robert Stevenson, Outreach Manager*



## DWELLING Podcast



Homeward Bound is proud to present Dwelling, a new podcast series where staff, volunteers, and community partners discuss current events affecting homelessness, homelessness solutions, and more. Homeward Bound clients share their experiences moving from homelessness to having a home. Listen wherever you find your favorite podcasts. Dwelling is generously sponsored by HomeTrust Bank.

# REACH - Real Estate Agents Combatting Homelessness

Since the inception of REACH three years ago, 76 Realtors and allied professionals, along with 159 REACH supporters, have raised close to \$156,000. REACH members have been instrumental in providing 155 comfortably furnished homes where residents have achieved housing stability.

Brokers giving a portion of each commission receive commemorative cards to use at closing, recognizing that a gift has been given in honor of the buyer.



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# WELCOME HOME DONATION CENTER

The Welcome Home Donation Center is Homeward Bound's facility where furniture and household goods are collected from the community and distributed to individuals and families who are moving out of homelessness and into housing. Our goal is for every client to move into a comfortably furnished home. Creating a home is key to Homeward Bound's 92% housing retention rate.



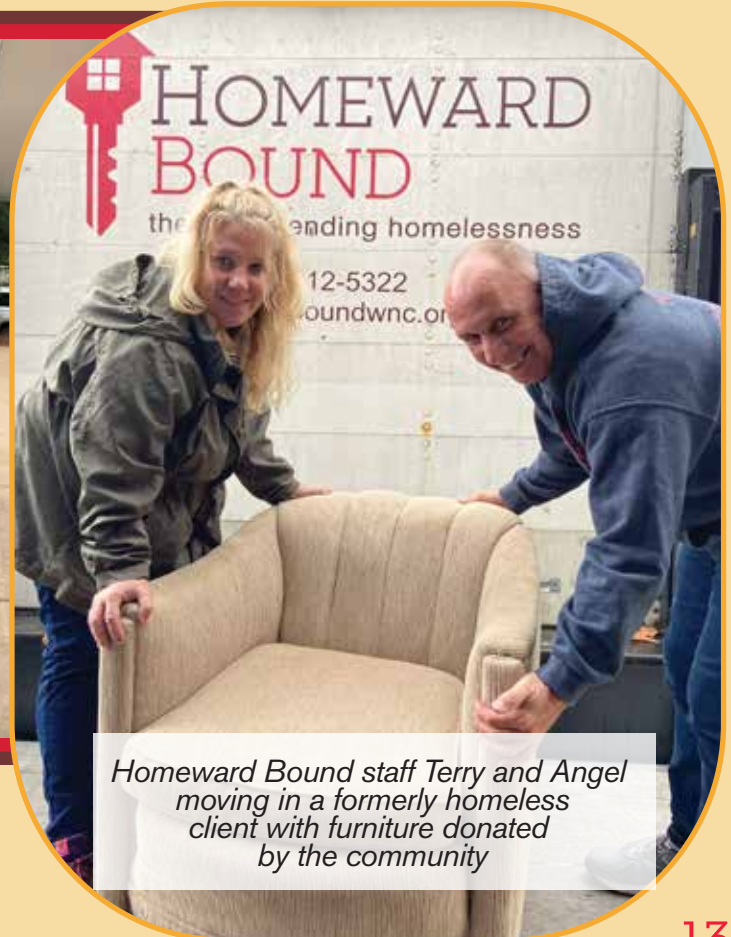
*Patsy McNatt,  
11-year volunteer  
at Welcome Home*



*Kelly Pierce,  
board member  
and volunteer  
at Welcome Home*



*Rexel USA Electrical Supplies  
coordinated a donation drive*



*Homeward Bound staff Terry and Angel  
moving in a formerly homeless  
client with furniture donated  
by the community*



# THIRD ANNUAL OPEN YOUR HEART FOR WOMEN AND HOMELESSNESS

Nearly 60% of women experiencing homelessness cite domestic violence as the direct cause of their homelessness, and we know that number is low because intimate partner violence is not always reported.

On February 12, Homeward Bound hosted its *Third Annual Valentine's Open Your Heart for Women and Homelessness Lunch and Learn* exploring the intersection between domestic violence and homelessness. A panel of experts included Helpmate and Homeward Bound staff.

"Don't give up on people who are homeless," advises Bronya. "Just because you're homeless doesn't mean you're not somebody. You just fell on hard times. There's more to a person's story than just that." - Bronya



Country music stars Joe Lasher and Kaitlyn Baker performed during the Open Your Heart event.



Panel of Experts: Homeward Bound Program Administrators Alanna Kinsella, Liz Sanford, and Nicole Brown were joined by Helpmate Counselor and Case Manager Dori English

Bronya finally escaped the cruelty and violence of the man she was involved with for more than a decade. She suffered constant beatings and verbal abuse, and her self-esteem was destroyed. Bronya's life was never easy but being homeless was the worst. It was lonely and scary. When she lived outside, she had to watch out for copperheads and other wild animals. Coyotes came so close to her tent that she could hear them breathe. Listening to the eerie growl of bobcats was terrifying. Homeward Bound moved Bronya into housing in October and she graduated the program in March 2021.

**Women make up 25% of the homeless population in Asheville and Buncombe County. 23% are chronically homeless.**

# COMMUNITY is the KEY to Ending Homelessness

Wicked Weed Brewery, a partner sponsor, raised money to move people into homes.



Homeward Bound board member Angie Cullen and Nest Realty support the mission to prevent and end homelessness in our community.



Ingles has provided delicious meals for all of Homeward Bound's events for years.



iHeart Radio was our media sponsor for 2020/21.



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## YOU are the key to ending homelessness



*A volunteer team from Fellowship Asheville completed a massive leaf raking project at Key Commons*



*Elevation Church volunteered several times during 2020/21*



*First Horizon Bank donated to permanent supportive housing*

## Grants of \$10,000 or more

### Foundations

Community Foundation of WNC  
The Leon Levine Foundation  
NC Coalition to End Homelessness  
Sisters of Mercy of NC Foundation  
The Beattie Foundation  
United Way of Asheville and Buncombe County  
WNC Bridge Foundation

### Local and State Grants

Asheville Alcoholic Beverage Control Board  
Buncombe County  
City of Asheville  
NC Department of Health and Human Services  
Vaya Health  
U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs -  
Supportive Services for Veterans and Families  
U.S. Department of Homeland Security -  
Emergency Food and Shelter Program (FEMA)  
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

## Expenses

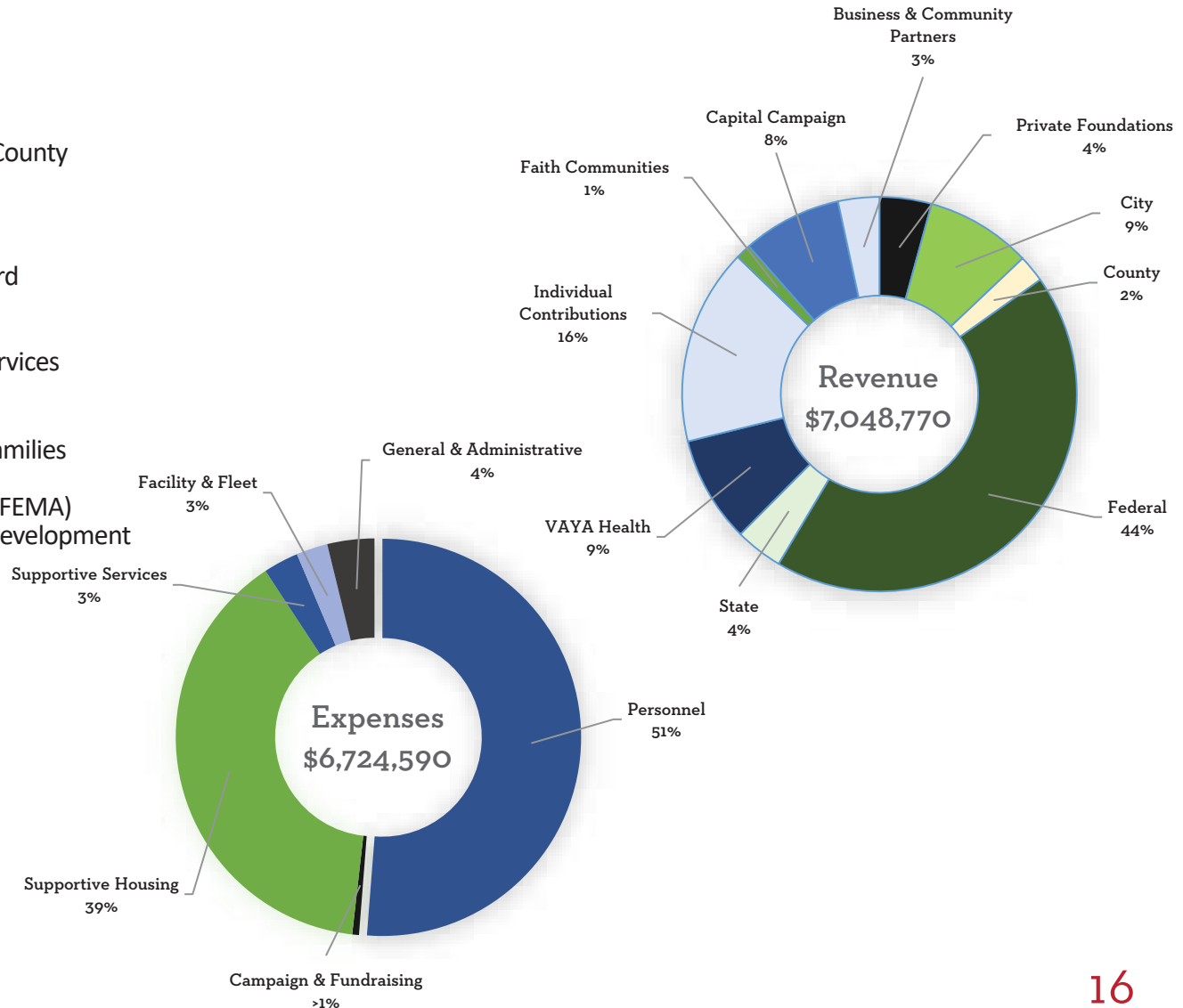
### Program Expenses

Supportive Housing Client Costs  
Professional and Insurance Fees  
Personnel costs including salaries  
and benefits

### Administration Expenses

Overhead costs  
Administrative and Resource  
Development salaries and benefits  
Fundraising costs

# 2020-2021 FINANCIAL REPORT





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