



# IDENTIFYING NEEDS MOBILIZING RESOURCES BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS IMPROVING LIVES 2018 ANNUAL REPORT



UNITED WAY OF LINCOLN COUNTY





# MOBILIZING RESOURCES | CREATING PARTNERSHIPS



## UNITED WAY DAY OF ACTION 2018

100 volunteers from over 30 businesses and organizations participated in our 2018 Day of Action in the Oaklawn Community. Volunteers created a community library, improved the soccer field and basketball court, and built a pavilion and two picnic tables.



## STUFF THE BUS CAMPAIGN

The United Way's annual Stuff the Bus campaign, stocked the Teacher Resource Center with supplies to support all teachers and students in Lincoln County.



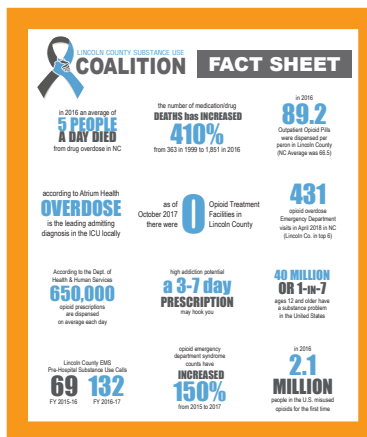
## PROM DRESS GIVEAWAY

The United Way Teen Board coordinated a prom dress giveaway open to all students in Lincoln County.



## CHRISTMAS GALA

Our 2nd annual Christmas Gala raised over \$10,000 to support local agencies and programs in Lincoln Co.



## OPIOID EPIDEMIC

United Way led the charge for creating the Lincoln Co. Substance Use Coalition addressing drug issues in our community.



## OAKLAWN EVENTS

The United Way Teen Board partnered with Communities in Schools to host monthly events for children in Oaklawn.



## FREE 2-1-1 RESOURCE

Your United Way dollars allow Lincoln County residents to find 18,000 health and human resources throughout NC by calling 2-1-1 or going to [www.nc211.org](http://www.nc211.org)!



## EMERGENCY EFSP PROGRAM

United Way administers EFSP (Emergency Food & Shelter Program) funding working with community leaders to secure funding for Hesus House of Hope & the Lincoln Co. Coalition Against Domestic Violence.



## FOOD INSECURITY TASK FORCE

United Way partnered with the Department of Social Services to address food insecurity issues facing Lincoln County. Community forums were held to educate citizens on resources available.

# 2018-2019 CAMPAIGN

*Thank you!*

\$435,000  
GOAL

**CAMPAIGN  
TOTAL  
\$449,988.38**

**166**

people (including children and teenagers) received shelter and food at Hesed House of Hope, Lincoln County's only emergency homeless shelter

**85**

Children were provided financial assistance so they could participate in YMCA Day Camp, YReaders, swimming lessons, and sports

**201**

Children in Lincoln County were seen in the Child Advocacy Center, a safe place for children who have been abused to begin their journey toward healing

**33**

Individuals impacted by 12 disasters in Lincoln County were provided with Client Assistance Cards (CAC) loaded with funds to use for necessities including food, clothing & shelter

**HOW DID YOUR  
DOLLARS MAKE  
A DIFFERENCE IN  
LINCOLN  
COUNTY?**

**475+**

Special Olympic athletes received financial assistance to attend summer camps, as well as spring, summer and fall local and state games

**44**

Adults with adults with emotional, mental and/or physical challenges have participated in programs at Salem Industries focused on socialization and independent living skills

**107**

Clients received shelter to escape domestic violence.

**509**

Patients who are uninsured or underinsured received medication assistance through GFHS Lincolnton Family Medicine's MAP (Medication Assistance Program)

## UNITED WAY PARTNER AGENCIES

A PLACE TO GROW

AMERICAN RED CROSS  
(Lincoln Co. Chapter)

COMMUNITIES IN  
SCHOOLS OF  
LINCOLN COUNTY

HELPING HANDS  
HEALTH CLINIC

HESED HOUSE OF HOPE

HOSPICE AND PALLIATIVE  
CARE OF LINCOLN CO.

LINCOLN CO. COALITION  
AGAINST CHILD ABUSE

LINCOLN CO. COALITION  
AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

LINCOLN CO. FAMILY YMCA

LINCOLN COUNTY  
SENIOR SERVICES

BOY SCOUTS  
OF AMERICA  
(Piedmont Council)

SALLY'S YMCA

SALEM  
INDUSTRIES  
(Division of Gaston Skills)

SPECIAL OLYMPICS  
OF LINCOLN COUNTY



# THANK YOU 2018 SUPPORTERS!

## LEADERSHIP CIRCLE:

### TOCQUEVILLE LEADER (\$10,000 +)

Brew & Jacqueline Barron  
Steven Capps  
Regis Repko  
Wayne & Kathy Vinzant

### PLATINUM LEADER (\$5,000 - \$9,999)

Chuck Morris  
  
**GOLD LEADER (\$2,000 - \$4,999)**  
Danny Manning  
Dave Renner  
Jim & Teresa Watson

### SILVER LEADER (\$1,000 - \$1,999)

Brian Anderson	Alexander Freer	Dr. Elaine Jenkins	Alan Saine
Brad Bertle	John O. Gilleland Jr.	Edwin Laws	Charlie Sigmon
Jennifer Bulingame	Justin Griffin	Corinna Luat-Jackson	Berman K. Sipe
John Cavallone	R. Kendrick Guerrin	Francisco Mendez	Rita Sipe
Steven Cutler	Elaine S. Haynes	Karina Paige	Kristine Wallace
John Davis	Rita A. Heath	Rex Parker	Brian Watson
David Doss	Wayne Hoyle	Rick Rhodes	Veronica Williams
Karl Echstenhamper	Octevia Ingram	Thomas Brad Rivers	Shane Wolford
Regis Eger	Marsha Ivey	Katie Saine	Joseph Worth

### BRONZE LEADER (\$750 - \$999)

Peter W. Acker	Treva Carey	Rhonda K. Hager	Dr. Lory Morrow
Bruton Allen	Earl Chatto	Jeannine Hedspeth	Paul Rehkow
Anonymous Donor	Kim Cooke	Linsley B. Huffman	Kristen Yost
Austin E. Bailey	Stacy C. Cox	Kevin M. Johnson	
James A. Brescia	Janet L. Edwards	Jason B. Moore	

## CORPORATE SPONSORS:

### PLATINUM LEVEL (\$25,000 +)

Duke Energy  
Timken Corporation  
Publix of Denver  
Lincoln County School System  
Carolina Trust Bank

### GOLD LEVEL (\$10,000 - \$24,999)

Atrium Health - Lincoln  
  
**SILVER LEVEL (\$5,000 - \$9,999)**  
Wells Fargo  
First Federal Savings Bank  
VT LeeBoy  
Pfizer Foundation  
Fifth Third Bank

### BRONZE LEVEL (\$1,000 - \$4,999)

CommScope	Lincoln County Government	BB&T	AT&T
Bank of America	Concrete Supply Co., LLC	Walmart	Aptar
United Parcel Services	Hobbs Westport Marina		

Our volunteer board brings together people from all across the community – government, businesses, faith groups, non-profits & ordinary citizens to address the issues relevant to our community.

## OFFICERS

**John Somers**, Chair  
Peoples Bank

**Lindsey Huffman**, Finance Chair  
Carolina Trust Bank

**Jordan Frye**, Allocations Chair  
Atrium Health

**Treva Carey**, Personnel Chair  
Carolina Trust Bank

**Katie Saine**, Governance  
& Nominations Chair  
Duke Energy

**James Bagnola**, Campaign Chair  
The Timken Co.

## MEMBER AT LARGE

**Cliff Brumfield**, LEDA  
**Fred Jarrett**, Retired

## STAFF

**Kathy Vinzant**, Executive Director  
**Tammy Dotson**, Finance Manager

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

**Jo Clark** - Community Leader  
**Brad Rivers** - Gaston College  
**Steven Capps** - Duke Energy  
**Marsha Ivey** - Owner Magic Cleaners  
**Mike Collins** - Emmanuel Lutheran Church  
**Heath Belcher** - Lincoln County Schools  
**Regis H. Eger** - The Timken Company  
**Neal Alexander** - Gardner Webb (Retired)  
**Cassie Hansley** - Fifth Third Bank  
**Clarissa Hill** - Gaston College  
**Danny Hipps** - Duke Energy  
**Franky Mendez** - Publix of Denver  
**Anthony Simpson** - Workforce Solutions  
**Rick Thompson** - Carolinas Healthcare (Retired)

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