Goodwill: Resource Guide

Ongoing

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CA

Goodwill Southern California

Walk–in Resource · Open

Disaster Relief

342 San Fernando Road, Los Angeles, CA 90031

Phone Toll Free: (888) 4–GOODWILL or (888) 446–6394 Local: (323) 223–1211
Web www.goodwillsocal.org
Serves Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, CA
Eligibility Needy, Disaster Impacted Communities
Service Permanent

Aug. 31, 2009 — Goodwill is now accepting donations of used clothing and household items on behalf of Southern California wildfire victims who are being assisted by the American Red Cross of Greater Los Angeles. Donations will enable victims of the current wildfires to obtain free vouchers that can be redeemed at Goodwill's retail stores.

To donate items for individuals affected by the wildfires, please go to any one of the Goodwill Southern California's more than 100 locations located throughout Los Angeles (north of Rosecrans), Riverside and San Bernardino counties and specify that the donation is for Red Cross wildfire relief efforts. To locate the Goodwill drop–off location nearest to you, please call (888) 4–GOODWILL or visit http://www.goodwillsocal.org/. Goodwill cannot accept food or water.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Survivors, Violence; Donations, Drop–Off, Collection Site Location; Vouchers * (ANY/ALL Types); Vouchers, Clothing Vouchers; Vouchers, Household Item Vouchers; Warehouse, Warehouse Space
Campaigns: 2007 California Wildfires; 2008 Marek/Sesnon/Sayre – California Wildfires; 2009 Station Wildfire; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Goodwill

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CO

Goodwill Industries (COVOAD Member)

Walk–in Resource · Open

Admin. Offices: 6850 Federal Blvd., Denver, CO 80221

Phone 303–650–7700
Web www.goodwilldenver.org
Service Temporary

Commmunity Programs

Goodwill Industries of Denver has four major programs areas that combined, serve more than 30,000 people in our community each year. Through our programs the Good in You helps those in our community use their Will to Do to improve their situation and live a better life.

Program Highlights

* We provide career development programs to more than 20,000 teenagers annually
* We help 4,500 adults on government assistance get the training they need to get off welfare
* We provide meaningful retail employment for nearly 600 people throughout our community

Major Program Areas

* High school career development in community high schools
Goodwill employs teachers in 26 Denver public high schools who provide much needed career development assistance to teenagers. The goal of this program is to help teens formulate a career path of their choice and begin preparing for that career.

* Adult job training & placement in Adams and Arapahoe County
Goodwill serves over 4,500 adults annually through various programs that provide support for them and their families. This includes job training and placement and financial assistance to help those in need get off of welfare and get back on their feet.

* Work options for the disabled at Goodwill's corporate offices in Denver
Goodwill hires individuals with special challenges to work on contract projects with various organizations. This includes light assembly, sorting and packing projects. If you would like to learn more about hiring Goodwill to help with your special project – click here.

* Retail work & recycling programs throughout 18 stores and donation centers Goodwill's retail stores help provide funding for the programs listed above while providing affordable used goods to our community. They also provide great employment opportunities for those with barriers to work, as 75% of our 600 store employees are disadvantaged and/or disabled.

Services offered: Demographic Served: Special Needs; Jobs, Paying; Thrift Store; Training, Services, Employment / JobTraining ; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Youth Program
Campaigns: Goodwill; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
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VOAD – Colorado Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster (COVOAD)

Info/Hotline · Open

VOAD (State Level)
CO
Phone 303–935–7389 – Adventist Community Services
Web www.coloradovoad.org
Service Temporary

Members

Adventist Community Services Disaster Response (ACRDS) – ACS Disaster Response is a voluntary service provided by Adventist Community Services to assist individuals, families and communities victimized by natural disasters and unforeseen tragedies.

Amateur Radio Emergency Services
American Humane Association
American Red Cross
Catholic Charities of Denver
Christian Reformed World Relief Committee
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Church of the Brethren Disaster Services

Church World Service – Around the world, Church World Service supports sustainable grassroots development, disaster relief, and refugee assistance, and we educate and advocate on hunger–related issues. In the U.S., we help communities respond to disasters, resettle refugees, promote fair national and international policies, and provide educational resources.

Colorado Association of Food Banks
Colorado Friendship
Colorado Emergency Managers
Cooperative Disaster Child Care
Food Bank of the Rockies
Goodwill Industries – Denver
Jewish Family Service
Life Bridge Church – Longmont
Lutheran Disaster Response
Lutheran Family Services of Colorado
Mennonite Disaster Services
Mental Health Association of Colorado
Metro Volunteers
Mile High United Way
Nazarene Disaster Response (Colorado)
Points of Light Foundation
State Victim Assistance and Law Enforcement (State VALE) Grant Program
The Salvation Army Intermountain Region
The Salvation Army Emergency Disaster Services
Society of St. Vincent de Paul
State Animal Response Team
United Methodist Committee on Relief UMCOR

Go to http://www.coloradovoad.org/members.html for links to sites listed above.

Services offered: Documentation, Disaster Planning; First Responder, Mountain States; Training Classes, Disaster * (Any & All Types)
Campaigns: 2010 Colorado, Fourmile Canyon Wildfire; 2012 Colorado – High Park Wildfire; Adventist Community Services Disaster Relief; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; Catholic Charities; Church of the Brethren Disaster Response; CWS ~ Church World Service; Goodwill; Government, EMA (Emergency Management Agency) State; Government, FEMA / Department of Homeland Security; Jewish Family Service; LDS ~ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter–day Saints; Lutheran Disaster Response; Mennonite Disaster Service; Points of Light Foundation; Salvation Army; Society of St. Vincent de Paul; UMCOR Relief Network; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member); World Renew (also known as CRWRC–DRS ~ Christian Reformed World Relief Committee–Disaster Response Services
Updated Sep 17, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/4817

Haiti

Eagles Wings Foundation (Logistics Cluster) –2010 Haiti Earthquake Response (DIST: FOOD / DISTRIBUTION SITE MAP)

Supply POD · Open

Non–Profit Disaster Relief

STATESIDE ADDRESS: 375 Possum Pass, Palm Beach, FL 33413, Port–au–Prince (Various Dist. Sites/Locations), 33413

Phone Tel. (561) 304–8509 | Tel. (202) 495–0422 (Washington, DC)
Web www.theeagleswingsfoundation.org
Serves Haiti, Caribbean
Service Temporary

See map link above to get to list/map of food distro sites.

See www.theeagleswingsfoundation.org for general info about the organization and updates.

UPDATE FROM THE FACEBOOK PAGE:

February 24,10

The Eagles Wings Foundation We have been able to do a large scale food distribution yesterday and gave out 27,200 meals. We also moved a 130 child orphanage to a more suitable building (a donated home) including all furniture and supplies. Additional targeted distributions to Orphanages and other needed locations continue. Additionally we are ass...isting in the construction of latrine facilities at some of the tent cities.

WEST PALM BEACH, FL, JANUARY 22, 2010: As part of continuing efforts to assist the people of Haiti, The Eagle's Wings Foundation's (EWF) "Pathfinders Task Force" has been asked by the United Nations World Food Programme (WPF) and the Haitian Government to assist in the distribution of food to the people of Haiti. On the first two days of this mission Eagle's Wings was able to provide over 20,000 meals to earthquake victims by distributing close to 100 metric tons of food in Port–au–Prince. Eagle's Wings accomplished this mission with an 8 person ground task force and by employing Haitian citizens to man the distribution point. By paying Haitian citizens, Eagle's Wings accomplished this goal and further helped this crumbling nation's economy.

The Eagle's Wings "Pathfinders" consists of small teams of volunteers with disaster management, fire–rescue, and military command level experience who help coordinate activities of unaffiliated volunteers and charities in a disaster area.

HAITI UPDATE FROM SCOTT LEWIS – 8:00 am Monday, January 18, 2010

We are working on establishing 10 Points of Distribution (PODs) to distribute food for The World Food Bank. As part of this mission, we have secured twenty 2–ton trucks with drivers, 60 local workers, 80 armed Haitian security guards and a POD manager.

The U.S. Embassy JMAT team has been very helpful to us.

Kings Wings is flying more volunteers and supplies to us on Wednesday. The contents of our plane will determine whether we can land in Port au Prince versus Santo Domingo.

A high priority for us today is to secure a warehouse facility.

A satellite communications team with two trucks, a satellite dish, portable HAM radio antenna, 3 cadaver dogs and 2 dog handlers are waiting to deploy.

New volunteers can assist with food distribution and mapping & tracking, using our 50 geocoded cell phones. We need to determine which roads are passable for food distribution throughout the country.

The humanitarian situation here is desperate.

Our base camp is great. We have a safe place to sleep, hot food, good water, wi fi communications.

All donations will help us with the mission described above. When we have to hire people we are trying to hire locals. They are in desperate need of jobs, food and water. Donations can be made via our website or checks can be mailed to "The Eagles Wings Foundation" and mailed to 375 Possum Pass, West Palm Beach, FL 33413.

http://www.cbs12.com/news/relief–4723615–effort–coordinate.html

Local group heads to Haiti to coordinate relief

January 14, 2010 6:59 PM
Chuck Weber

Call it a relief effort to coordinate the relief effort. Thursday Scott Lewis, owner of a West Palm Beach landscaping business, showed up at North County Airport, west of Jupiter. There Lewis and a group of four others, boarded a plane bound for Haiti.

Lewis founded The Eagles Wings Foundation, an organization that helps governments and charities coordinate disaster relief. The aim of Eagles Wings: making sure donations really reach those in need.

Lewis has been responding to disasters since Hurricane Floyd hit the Bahamas in 1999. The White House even recognized Lewis for his efforts after Hurricane Katrina. Still Lewis acknowledges the situation in Haiti presents an incredible challenge.

"I think it's the worst disaster in the Western Hemisphere, in modern history," remarked Lewis. "There's a lot of tremendous suffering that nobody can imagine. I can't imagine. I've never been in something this bad."

Joining Lewis on the trip is one of his employees, Felix Jean–Baptiste. Just before dawn Thursday, Jean–Baptiste said he finally heard from his children in Haiti. All of them are okay, but two nieces and a nephew lost their lives. And Jean–Baptiste's house in Haiti collapsed.

"They lose everything," said Jean–Baptiste. "Everybody outside. You don't get shower, you don't get food. No water."

And no medical care. Just a glimpse of what lies ahead for Lewis and his group.

The Eagles Wings Foundation is looking for donations, so it can send more volunteers to Haiti to help coordinate relief efforts. If you'd like to help the group, you can call 689–6283, or 313–0226, or contact by email at carol @theeagleswingsfoundation.org.

Services offered: Communications, Equipment * (ANY/ALL Types); Demographic Served: Survivors, Natural Disaster Impacted Communities; Disaster Damage Assessments for Disaster Managers; Disaster Relief System Development Guidance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; First Responder, Carribean Region; Food Distribution, Emergency/Disaster Food Distribution; Information Resource * (ANY/ALL Types); Information Resource, Map; Information Resource, Online Networking, Facebook Page/Group; Management, Supply Chain Management Advice; Medical, Equipment, Assistive Device, Crutches; Services, Disaster Relief; Services, Logistics Support; Transportation, Transportation By Air, Delivery, Disaster Supplies; Volunteer Opportunities, International; Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Water, Potable Water
Campaigns: 2010 Haiti Earthquake; Aidmatrix; American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; CAN (Coordinated Assistance Network.); Goodwill; United Way; VOAD – Voluntary Organizations Active In Disaster (this Org is a State Level Member)
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IA

Johnson County Crisis Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Food Bank
1121 Gilbert Court, Iowa City, IA 52240
Phone 319–351–0140
Web www.jccrisiscenter.org/index.php
Hours Monday – Friday 12:00–4:30pm
Serves Johnson Co., IA
Service Temporary

If you are in need of immediate assistance, you may call (319) 351–0140.

If you are in need of food assistance, volunteers are available from 12–4:30p.m. Monday through Friday. No appointment is necessary and all Johnson County residents in need are eligible for ongoing food assistance. In an emergency, food bank services may be accessed through the Crisis Line (319) 351–0140.

The Johnson County Crisis Center is currently being supported by the following donors that have food donation collection sites:

St. Mary's Catholic Church: http://www.icstmary.org/ (See CAT Facility Record entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/edit/3245)

Coral Ridge Mall: http://www.2008flood.org/index.php (See CAT Facility Record entry at: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3244)

St. Raphael of Brooklyn: http://www.straphaelorthodoxchurch.org/ (See CAT facility record: https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3243)

Top 10 Suggested Donations to Food Bank

1. Canned Fruit
2. Canned Vegetables
3. Canned Meat
4. Canned Soup
5. Pasta
6. Jam or Jelly
7. Toilet Paper
8. Rice
9. Potato Products
10. Juice

We also happily accept Perishable Food items such as Fresh Fruit, Vegetables, and Meats due to our Walk–In Refrigerator and Freezer. We are happy to accommodate large amounts of food donations, just call ahead at 319.351.0128 to ensure adequate volunteer support.

All services are free and confidential. Most services are available 24 hours every day of the year.

Crisis Intervention Counseling is available 24 hours a day, every day of the year to anyone needing support and assistance. Just call 351–0140 to talk with our caring volunteers. Face–to–face counseling is available from 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. We receive about 7,000 Crisis Intervention contacts each year from area residents.

Information and Referral are provided for almost any need, issue, or question. We make referrals to other agencies and services. Call 351–0140. See also this list with links to frequently referred local services.

Suicide Prevention, Intervention, and Postvention services are available. Counseling and support are available by telephone 24 hours a day at 351–0140 for persons contemplating suicide, those who have attempted suicide, and concerned friends and family members.

Food Bank services are available to residents of Johnson County needing emergency and supplemental food assistance. Food is distributed on Monday through Friday from noon to 4:30 p.m. About 650 households receive food and other material support from the Center each week. More than 4,100 local families request assistance each year.

Free Clothing is provided through agreements with Goodwill Industries and the Crowded Closet. This service is made possible through the donation of usable clothing at the Crowded Closet and area Goodwill stores.

Project Holiday food baskets are distributed to more than 1,000 local families each December. The food baskets contain items, including a turkey or a ham, to help provide a special holiday meal.

Transient Services are provided to people who are stranded in our community. Information and referrals are provided, as well as transportation assistance with gasoline, a bus ticket, or minor car repair.

Services offered: Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, How to Find, Emergency Food Assistance; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Supplies, Local Distribution of Supplies; Donations, Coordination, Large Donation Coordination; First Responder, MidWest Region; Food, Canned ** (ANY/ALL Types) ; Food Distribution, Emergency/ Disaster Food Distribution; Food Distribution, Food Bank (Public Distribution Available); Food, Fresh, Fruit * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Fresh, Meat * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Fresh, Vegetables * (ANY/ALL Types); Food, Non–Perishable Food * (ANY/ALL Types of Canned, Dry, Drinks, Snacks); Paper, Paper Goods * (ANY/ALL Types) (paper towels, plates, napkins, etc); Paper, Toilet Paper; Services, Disaster Relief; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Volunteer Orientation & Training; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers)
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Goodwill; United Way
Updated Jun 28, 2010 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3242

LA

Baronne Street Transitional Housing

Shelter · Open

Non–Profit Faith–based Homeless Shelter
2407 BARONNE ST, New Orleans, LA 70113

Phone 504–269–9311 ext.108 Fax (504) 269–4986
Web www.ccano.org
Serves Greater New Orleans Area
Eligibility Working families, single and with children
Bring Homeless documentation, ie. eviction notice
Service Permanent

Serving families with children, working at least 30 hours per week (unless disabled).

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals * General Information & Referral; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, For Homeless Residents; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Homeless Shelter
Campaigns: Catholic Charities; Goodwill; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated Sep 15, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2844

Beyond Shelter

Shelter · Open

Non–Profit Faith–based Homeless Shelter
1000 Howard Ave Suite 800, New Orleans, LA

Phone 504–310–8738
Web www.ccano.org/homeless.htm
Hours 9–5 M–Fri
Service Permanent

Beyond Shelter is a transitional housing program in Orleans Parish for homeless women and children.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, For Homeless Residents; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Homeless Shelter; Shelter, Women's Shelter
Campaigns: Catholic Charities; Goodwill; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 5, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2853

Lindy's Place

Shelter · Open

Non–Profit Faith–based Homeless Shelter
2407 Baronne St, New Orleans, LA 70113

Phone 504–269–0184
Web www.lindysplace.org
Serves Greater New Orleans Area
Eligibility Women without children
Service Permanent

This facility provides shelter and transitional housing for women with out children.

Serving – homeless unaccompanied women drug and alcohol free for a minimum 6 mos.

Services offered: Advocacy, * (ANY/ALL Types); Assistance * (ANY Type of: Referrals or "How to" Assistance); Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Housing, Housing Resource Referrals; Housing * (ANY/ALL Types); Housing, Transitional Housing; Meals * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Meals, For Homeless Residents; Medical, Services, Medical Care * (ANY/ALL Types); Mental Health Services; Services *0* (Choose this if You Provide or Need ANY Type of Social Services); Services, Homeless, Services for the Homeless; Shelter * (ANY/ALL Types); Shelter, Women's Shelter
Campaigns: Catholic Charities; Goodwill; Homelessness Relief Services
Updated May 4, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/2850

MA

Goodwill Industries & Morgan Memorial

Warehouse · Open

Non–Profit
1010 Harrison Ave, Boston, MA

Phone (617) 541–1270, 1–888–828–GIVE (toll free), (617) 445–1010
Contact press contact James Harder, the only email address on their website
Email jharder@goodwillmass.org
Web goodwillmass.org/donation_clothing.html
Eligibility needs based & developmentally disabled
Service Permanent

See below for "What" and "How" to donate.

Services (from the website):

Programs & Services: Job Training

Goodwill's job training programs provide training and support services developed around an individual's skill level, life situation and career aspirations. Job training programs are also designed to meet the needs of various industry sectors, including retail, hospitality and tourism and general business.

Job training program participants typically pursue one of three paths:

– Individuals with developmental and other disabilities who require structured supports to work typically are trained and work at Goodwill. Over time, many transition to work in the community.
– Individuals with limited or no work history, low educational attainment and/or language barriers typically complete a work–readiness program as the first step to entering the workforce.
– Individuals with some work experience often enroll in programs that provide them with the basic financial, literacy and computer skills needed for entry–level administrative jobs.

Once program graduates enter the workforce, Goodwill provides ongoing support to help them keep their jobs and advance in them. Job Training programs fall into four main categories:

– Rehabilitation and Vocational Services
– Workforce Development
– Skills Training
– Clothing Collaborative for Job Trainees

Programs & Services: Youth Services

Goodwill has a long tradition of working with Boston–area youth. The agency offers academic, recreational and career–oriented programs and activities throughout the year for local children with limited opportunities, but great potential.

The Goodwill Fresh Air Camp is located on 500 acres of woodlands, fields, and ponds in South Athol, Massachusetts. Founded in 1906, the Fresh Air Camp offers an overnight camp experience during the summer months for children from 8 to16 years of age. In addition to participating in traditional camping activities such as boating, swimming, and arts and crafts, young people participate in educational and technology programs and workshops on conflict resolution, violence prevention and peer leadership training. Led by a multicultural staff of caring counselors, the Fresh Air Camp experience fosters personal growth and a sense of community. Goodwill offers a sliding fee scale for payment.

Mellon Academy for Girls is an after–school academic enrichment program that is available to girls every Monday through Friday during the academic year. Mellon Academy serves girls ages 10 to17 who are from Boston neighborhoods. Funded by Mellon New England, this program receives volunteer support from various organizations in the Boston area. Mellon Academy focuses on career and leadership development and provides specific skills training in math, computers, sciences and the humanities. Through these programs, girls also participate in community service, sports, and cultural enrichment activities.

For more information about youth programs, please contact the Department of Youth Services at (617) 541–1408.

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Donation Drop Off Locations / Hours:

http://goodwillmass.org/retail_locations.html

Boston, MA
1010 Harrison Avenue
Tel: (617) 541–1270
Fax: (617) 541–1470
Hours: Mon.–Sat. 9:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon–6:00 p.m.

Boston Outlet Store
1010 Harrison Avenue
Tel: 617–541–1225
Fax: 617–541–1486
Hours: Mon.–Sat. 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.

Boston, MA
965 Commonwealth Avenue
Brighton, MA 02135
Tel: 617–254–0112
Fax: 617–254–0117
Hours: Mon–Sat 10:00 am–8:00 pm
Sun 12 noon–6:00 pm

Cambridge, MA
520 Massachusetts Avenue
(Central Square)
Tel: (617) 868–6330
Fax: (617) 864–8936
Hours: Mon.–Sat. 10:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon–6:00 p.m.

Hyannis, MA
141 Corporation Plaza
(behind Cape Cod Mall)
Tel: (508) 790–0046
Fax: (508) 790–2671
Hours: Mon.–Sat. 10:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

Quincy, MA
625 Southern Artery
Tel: (617) 745–4144
Fax: (617) 745–0066
Hours: Mon.–Sat. 9:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon–6:00 p.m.
Donations Door:
Mon.–Sat. 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon–4:00 p.m.

Somerville, MA
Tel: (617) 628-3618
Fax: (617) 623-9080
230 Elm Street
Hours: Mon.-Sat.10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon-6:00 p.m.

South Boston, MA
470 West Broadway
Tel: (617) 307-6367
Fax: (617) 307-6368
Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 9:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m
Fri.-Sat. 9:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Sun. 12:00 noon-6:00 p.m.

Worcester, MA
25 Park Avenue
Tel: (508) 752-4042
Fax: (508) 752-4291
Hours: Mon.-Sat. 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.
Sun. 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
Donations Door:
Mon.-Sat. 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
Sun. 11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Instructions on the website for what to donate:

Clothing and Goods

Donations of clothing or household items are sold through the Goodwill Store, providing tremendous value to the community and helping Goodwill fulfill its mission of helping people with barriers to self-sufficiency achieve independence and dignity through work. Each year, Goodwill collects more than 20 million pounds of donations at its 32 donation centers, seven retail stores and at ZOOTS dry cleaners in eastern and central Massachusetts.

In addition:

Donations generate money through the Goodwill Stores in support of Goodwill's many job training, youth, and community programs, serving thousands of people in eastern and central Massachusetts.

Tax-deductible donations of clothing and household goods are handled, sorted, packaged, shipped and sold by hundreds of job trainees with disabilities and other barriers to self-sufficiency who earn a paycheck while being trained for other meaningful jobs.

Donations provide the Goodwill Stores with low-cost, quality clothing and merchandise that allows people in the community to stretch their dollars.

Donations of clothing, household goods, supplies, and books are distributed to dozens of community-based organizations, such as the Pine Street Inn, to help them achieve their missions.

What to donate:
http://goodwillmass.org/donation_what.html
The above link has list of what NOT to bring.

or see "needs list" below

Antiques, collectibles
Appliances (small)
Artwork
Bedspreads, blankets, curtains, tablecloths, decorative pillows
Bicycles
Books, records, tapes, CDs, DVDs
Clothing, belts, scarves, ties, pocketbooks
Cookware, dishes, pots and pans
Games and toys
House wares and decorative items
Jewelry
Sporting goods

Services offered: Advocacy, Services, Youth Services; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Advocacy, Special Needs Folks, Seniors/Elders; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Camping, Camp Sites * (ANY/ALL Types of Camping Services/Sites); Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Community, Recreation, Recreational Programs; Facility: Camping Site (For Kids/Youth Only); Facility: Job Center; Household Goods (big) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Household Items

(small) * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Linens, Bath, Towels, New or Clean/Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Blankets * (ANY/ALL Types); Linens, Bedding, Sheets * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Services, Employment, Developmentally Delayed/Special Needs folks; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Summer Camp; Services, Special Needs, Recreational Activities, for Special Needs Folks; Services, Special Needs, Services for People with Special Needs; Services, Youth Services, Crime Prevention Programs; Training * (ANY/ALL Types of Instruction) ; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Trade Skills, Training; Training Classes, Vocational

Campaigns: Goodwill; Goodwill Industries International, Inc.

Updated Dec 3, 2008 · https://reliefdb.org/shelters/3905

Goodwill Industries Job Training Center

Walk–in Resource · Open

Job Training

45 Congress Street, Salem, MA 01970

Phone (978) 825–5000, (617) 541–1242
Web goodwillmass.org/programs_job.html
Eligibility needs based, developmentally delayed
Service Permanent

From the website:

Programs & Services: Job Training

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Individuals with limited or no work history, low educational attainment and/or language barriers typically complete a work–readiness program as the first step to entering the workforce.
Individuals with some work experience often enroll in programs that provide them with the basic financial, literacy and computer skills needed for entry–level administrative jobs.
Once program graduates enter the workforce, Goodwill provides ongoing support to help them keep their jobs and advance in them. Job Training programs fall into four main categories:

Rehabilitation and Vocational Services

Goodwill offers a variety of short– and long–term rehabilitation and vocational programs designed for individuals with disabilities. Programs are available to a broad array of individuals with varying needs and abilities. Through many of these programs, we assist participants in achieving these goals through a paid work experience that simulates competitive expectations. Job development and job placement activities are provided to ensure positive employment outcomes. Once a position has been secured, job coaching provides support to the individual in achieving and maintaining the employer's standards.

Long–Term Rehabilitation Programs

Day Habilitation Program offers a broad variety of active treatments that are planned and designed to increase participants' levels of functioning. This program can lead participants to a possible transition into a work preparation or supported employment program. The program aims to support individuals in reaching their optimal level of physical, intellectual, social, and vocational capability.

Employment Supports Program serves people with mental retardation and developmental disabilities and empowers them to become competitively employed and participating members of their communities. Services include vocational and situational assessment, individual vocational counseling, skills training, computer training classes, as well as social interaction, pre–employment, job development, job placement, and post placement supports.

For more information, please call (617) 541–1242.

Short–Term Rehabilitation Programs

Employment Services is designed to increase employment opportunities for people with disabilities through greater choice and flexibility of services. All services are individualized and designed in response to a participant's preferences, skills, and needs.

Community–Based Employment Services is designed to increase employment opportunities for people with disabilities in the community through a wide range and flexibility of services, including assessment, placement, and employment supports to ensure long–term stability in employment.

Vocational Services offers a broad range of innovative and comprehensive services that address rehabilitation, employment, and career development needs for individuals with disabilities.

Vocational Evaluation assists individuals in identifying appropriate job and training options based on their strengths and interests, along with factors that may be obstacles to job placement and maintenance.

School–to–Work Program provides job exploration and hands–on experiences to high school students who wish to investigate vocational opportunities in their community. This program is available through a cooperative effort with the City of Salem, the Salem Public Schools, and the Lynn Public Schools.

For more information, please call (617) 541–1242.

Workforce Development Programs

Workforce Development Programs are targeted to low income men and women with significant barriers to self–sufficiency, including lack of basic skills, chronic unemployment, welfare dependency, and lack of English fluency. Building on its job training expertise in working with individuals with disabilities, Goodwill introduced First Step, its first workforce development program for individuals transitioning from welfare to work, in the fall of 1996. The First Step program has become the prototype for similar programs in six metropolitan areas and has been recognized by The White House as a model for serving individuals with barriers to employment.

Since that time, Goodwill has expanded the scope and number of our Workforce Development training programs to include the following:

First Step: Retail Training

First Step is a three–week retail–training program developed in collaboration with The TJX Companies. Program participants receive training in customer service, basic computer skills, and resume writing. The program guarantees job placement for individuals who successfully complete the program.

Step Up: Office and Computer Skills Training

Step Up is a 16–week program that prepares program participants for work in a professional office setting through office and computer skills training as well as resume writing and Internet skills. Post–placement support is also provided to ensure job retention.

Career Focus: Job Retention and Career Advancement

Career Focus provides post–placement supports to help individuals retain their jobs, advance in their careers and achieve economic self–sufficiency and, when necessary, find re–employment. The program offers case management, referrals for training, seminars on computer training, education, housing and childcare, and clothing assistance for job interviews. Childcare is available for evening workshops.

For more information about Workforce Development programs and eligibility, please contact Programs & Services at (617) 445–1010.

Skills Training

Goodwill skills training program participants have an opportunity to enhance their skills training, gain real work experience, and earn a paycheck by working in one of the following Goodwill's business enterprises:

Retail Training today continues a tradition that began with Reverend Helms at the turn of the twentieth century. Through work at Goodwill's processing plant and retail stores, participants gain skills in both the back and front ends of a retail operation. Some participants sort, inspect and tag newly donated clothing and goods, while others work as sales associates in the Goodwill Stores.

Food Services Training provides a training experience in which participants learn at their own pace. Each component, such as dishwashing, salad preparation, grill cooking or deli preparation builds upon the others giving participants a solid background for employment in restaurants and cafeterias in the community.

The Outsource Resource Training consists of closely supervised and structured work for people with disabilities in light assembly, packaging and mailing services under contract to local industry. This work is performed in our modern job training center. Participants learn job skills and gain experience with real work at a competitive wage.

Building and Property Maintenance Services Training is designed to provide on–the–job training and instruction in basic techniques such as daily and periodic cleaning, floor and carpet care, meeting/banquet set–up, and grounds maintenance.

For more information, please contact Maureen Hudd, Manager of In–House Instruction at (617) 541–1229.

Clothing Collaborative for Job Trainees

Launched in 1999, the Clothing Collaborative for Job trainees makes available "professional" clothing to male and female job seekers who participate in Boston–based job training and placement programs to assist them in their efforts to obtain and retain meaningful employment. Clothing is provided free of charge.

The Clothing Collaborative creates an opportunity, through wardrobe seminars scheduled throughout the year, for job training graduates to learn the basics of dressing appropriately for work. Graduates are also able to choose career attire for job interviews or work. Work–appropriate clothing—displayed at clothing seminars—is supplied through clothing drives hosted by local corporations and organizations throughout the year.

Participants from other training programs in the Boston area are invited to participate.

For more information, please call Programs & Services at (617) 445–1010.

Services offered: Advocacy, Special Needs Folks; Assistance, Referrals, Employment & Job Resources; Assistance, Referrals, Job Placement; Hotline, Job Hotline; Jobs, Paying; School, Adult Education/Adult School; Services, Employment, Internship Program; Services, Employment, Job Assistance, for "at–risk" Job Applicants; Services, Employment, Paid Gigs, Paying Jobs; Services, Employment, Paid Professionals; Training Classes, Business Skills; Training Classes, Employment, On the Job, Training; Training Classes, Life Skills (Special Needs); Training, Services, Employment /JobTraining
Campaigns: Goodwill; Goodwill Industries International, Inc.
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High Plains Food Bank

Warehouse · Open

Non–Profit Food Bank
815 Ross St, Amarillo, TX 79102
Phone (806) 374–8562
Web www.hpfb.org
Service Temporary

THE HIGH PLAINS FOOD BANK is a non–profit organization that collects and distributes donated, surplus food to agencies in the Texas Panhandle. In 2006, they distributed 4.9 million pounds of food (over 3.8 million meals!). Their mission is to Alleviate Hunger in the Panhandle.

Approximately 205,000 meals are served each month through their onsite agencies. An average of 7,600 families are provided with 10 days of meals each month through their pantry agencies.

To Become an Agency of the High Plains Food Bank you must be:

–A non–profit organization as defined by section 501(c)(3) of the IRS tax code for tax–exempt organizations
–Sponsored by a 501(c)(3) organization
–The organization must meet the IRS requirements for classification of a church
–Church sponsored
–The agency must use the food exclusively to serve the ill, needy, or infants
–The organization must not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

The High Plains Food Bank currently serves over 163 private, non–profit organizations, churches, senior citizens centers, child care facilities, halfway houses, soup kitchens, and shelters.

To find out more about becoming a member agency, please contact Lesley Hanson by calling (806) 374–8562 or send an email to:

lesley@hpfb.org

Services offered: Food Distribution, Food Bank ONLY (No Walk–In Service); Food Distribution, Food Bank (This Site Supplies Food Pantries/Agencies); Services, Family, Children, Recreation, Kid's Cafe Program (Youth); Support for "All" Disasters; Volunteer Opportunities, In General * (ANY/ALL Types); Volunteers, Groups of Volunteers (This facility accomodates Groups of Volunteers); Volunteers, Individual Volunteers (This facility accomodates Individuals Volunteers); Volunteers, Teen Volunteers (This facility accomodates Teen Volunteers)
Campaigns: American Red Cross / Int'l Federation of RC / ICRC / IFRC; America's Second Harvest; Goodwill; Meals on Wheels; Salvation Army; YMCA/YWCA
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Goodwill, Wisconsin

Donor · Open

Donation Collection Site
WI

Phone 608-246-3140
Service Temporary

Hours of operation can be found at: goodwillscwi.org/retail

Madison East – 2127 East Springs Drive
Phone: 608-246-3147

Madison West – 4530 Verona Road
Phone: 608-271-4687

Monona – 2501 Royal Avenue
Phone: 608-224-0781

Portage – 2902 American Legion Drive
Phone: 608-745-0616

Fort Atkinson – 1520 Madison Avenue
Phone 920-563-8950

Richland Center – 2496 US HWY 14 East
Phone 920-563-8950

This site is collecting clothing, per Red Cross:
http://arcbadger.org/index.php?pr=Flood_June_08

Unfortunately, the Red Cross is not set up to sort and distribute clothing or other small in-kind donations, including donations of non-perishable food. If you would like to donate clothing, please contact Goodwill (608-246-3140) or St. Vincent De Paul (608-278-2920), as these organizations are prepared to accept this type of donation. If you would like to donate non-perishable food, please contact a local food bank, such as Second Harvest Foodbank (608-223-9121).

However, the Red Cross does accept large donations of bulk supplies, such as bottled water and food. If you would like to make a donation of bulk goods, call 227-1289.

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Services offered: Clothing, All Sizes, New or Gently Used * (ANY/ALL Types) ; Distribution * (ANY/ALL Types); Distribution, Clothing, For Disaster Survivors; Donations, Drop-Off, Collection Site Location
Campaigns: 2008 MidWest Floods; Goodwill
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