# CONGRATULATIONS

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You just started a great new job with a company that cares about our community.





## A SHARED PURPOSE

### PASSIONATE ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY

Not only are you starting a great new job, you are starting it with a company that wants to do good.

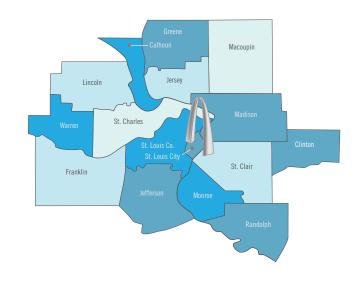
In great communities, people come together to care for one another and invest in the resources the community needs.

By partnering with **United Way**, your new place of work is showing the community and its employees that helping people and helping here matters.

By pledging to make our community stronger through **United Way**, you, too, help build a stronger, healthier place for all of us.

Your support of **United Way** will make a difference in the lives of one in every three people in our region. Thank you for being a part of it.

#### **UNITED WAY'S 16-COUNTY REGION**



We support a network of 160+ partner nonprofits who provide a safety net of services that help local people live their best possible lives. This, in turn, helps make our entire community stronger, healthier and more equitable for us all to live, play and work. Scan the QR code to see these partner agencies making our lives better:



# UNITED FOR OUR REGION

Through United Way, you can make an incredible impact on the St. Louis region. We provide an expansive and flexible safety net to serve our entire community. With more than 160 member agencies and innumerable other community partners, we help local people through five key impact areas — foster learning, provide food and shelter, improve health, strengthen communities, and establish financial security. Listed are just a fraction of the thousands of ways you make life better for everyone within our 16-county region.

#### **YOUTH SUCCESS**

We believe access to quality education is the foundation for success for children and youth. We help support the student, teachers, parents, and organizations who support our youth, including early education, college access, out-of-school time programs, etc.

#### **ESSENTIAL NEEDS**

For many, basic needs aren't so basic. We strive to ensure that people have the critical items and wraparound services to move them from crisis to stability, by providing food, shelter, clothing, transportation, etc.



#### **HEALTH AND WELLNESS**

Access to services, education, and healthy lifestyles is critical for health and happiness. This includes access to healthcare coverage, substance abuse treatments, disability services, etc.



#### **COMMUNITY AND CRISIS RESPONSE**

We are all affected by our surroundings and emergencies and disasters we can't control. These can adversely affect how we establish a secure foundation for our future. We help with disaster recovery, legal assistance, senior support, resource connections, etc.

#### JOBS AND FINANCIAL STABILITY

The best way to move an individual or family to selfsufficiency is to help them increase income, build savings, and grow assets. This creates stability that is crucial for future success. We help with job training and placement, savings accounts, financial education, etc.

### BY THE NUMBERS



- EXAMPLE OF WHAT YOUR GIFT MEANS
  - 144 nutritious meals delivered to a homebound senior
  - 24 nights of shelter for someone who is homeless

 250 hearing screenings for school-aged children

# GET HELP

### CALL 2-1-1

One call to 2-1-1, or visit 211Helps.org, and you can quickly and efficiently locate the services you need. With caring, trained representatives available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, United Way 2-1-1 connects you with local agencies that can help. Find help for:

- Food, clothing, rent and utility assistance
- Physical and mental health resources
- Job programs
- Disabilities support
- Support for children, youth, seniors and families

# GIVE HELP

### STLVOLUNTEER.ORG

There are many ways to make a difference. Lend your time and make your voice even louder. With thousands of volunteer opportunities every year, you'll be sure to find a project that inspires you to help others. You can also learn how to join a board and get specific leadership volunteer opportunities.

#### Search by:

- Your passion
- Group projects
- Family or youth projects
- Specific dates or times
- Recurring opportunities
- Skill-based projects
- Location

# GET STARTED HELPING

Looking forward, know that you, with your company, will be making a difference for our entire community. Speak with your HR team to find out the best way for you to contribute to helping people in the greater St. Louis region. **Congratulations.**  Discover more about the best way to help your community:

- HelpingPeople.org
- STLVolunteer.org
- 211Helps.org

