

Cause An Effect - Top 100 Causes



Cause Name	Nonprofit	City	State	Brief Mission
A Place to Start	Certain Hope Ministries	Greenville	NC	Save the world, one person at a time.
A Safe Place to Play	Town of Islip	Bay Shore	NY	To redo a local park that was once used by the neighborhood kids but is now unsafe and rundown
Access to Food Program	Community Enhancement Foundation of Plains, KS	Plains	KS	Provide local access to health and nutritious food products at reasonable prices.
Area Community Center	A Step Up, Inc.	Neillsville	WI	To offer children and families of the Neillsville area a safe and stable environment in which to grow and develop to their fullest potential
Back To our Lakota Roots	Volunteers of America, Dakotas	Rapid City	SD	Lakota Homes Is on the outskirts of the city. it is not close to parks, swimming pools, and other areas for youth.
Belwood Gym Renovation	Extension & Community Association	Belwood	NC	The old Belwood Sch cafeteria serves the community for voting, events & scouts. A park was added but the gym is in dire need of renovation.
Biomedical High School	Mount Carmel High School	Mount Carmel	IL	Promote student interest in careers in the biomedical field, specifically biopharmaceutical research involving new generation biotechnology
Bluegrass Rape Crisis	Bluegrass Rape Crisis Center	Lexington	KY	Empower all people Advocate for victims Educate the community. We advance this mission through crisis intervention, therapy, advocacy & edu.
Book It!	Friends of the Antlers Public Library	Antlers	OK	To assist our local library in getting much needs shelves and new books.
Boosters Are For Big Kids	SafetyBeltSafe U.S.A.	Pasadena	CA	To reduce the deaths and injuries of children 15 and under and their families through the correct, consistent use of safety seats and belts.
Braille Literacy	Blind Children's Learning Center of Orange County	Santa Ana	CA	Provide early intervention, education and services for blind and visually impaired children and families to empower independence.
Bullying: a Fatal Epidemic	Academy Charter School	Denver	CO	To help stop the epidemic of teen deaths related to school bullying.

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Business through History	Family Survival Inc.	Philadelphia	PA	To share cultural business history and practical knowledge that inspires inner city youth to go into business and create their own markets.
Camp Ability	Special Kids	Murfreesboro	TN	To provide a safe and appropriate environment for children with special needs in our community.
Chase Autism Away	One World Center for Autism	Hyattsville	MD	To create early intervention, effective treatments, and to raise awareness on the growing staggering numbers of new cases of Autism.
Check for Life	American Heart Association of Greater Phoenix	Phoenix	AZ	Helping to reduce health disparities and educating underserved communities about heart disease & stroke, the # 1 & #4 causes of death.
Cherokee Senior Citizens	Cherokee County Aging Council Inc.	Canton	GA	We raise funds and awareness of programs and events that benefit seniors, their families and the community.
Child Empowerment Goal	Child Abuse Prevention Center	Poughkeepsie	NY	To end child abuse in Dutchess County.
Clark Jail Education Plan	Volunteers for Literacy in Clark County	Neillsville	WI	Computer equipment is needed for inmate students to earn the G.E.D. diploma; then use computer skills to seek employment in the community.
Cleaning Our Water Basin	Catawba Riverkeeper Foundation	Charlotte	NC	To educate others about the need to keep the Catawba River basin clean
CMC Smart Snacks	Conway Hospital Inc.	Conway	SC	To provide nutritious snacks to elementary aged school children who are identified as undernourished by their teachers and counselors
Coffee County CERT	Recovery Organization of Coffee County	Enterprise	AL	To recruit and train citizen volunteers who will help provide the best possible response to the community during times of need or disaster.
Community Storm Shelter	Town of Louisville, IN	Louisville	TN	After last Aprils storms our mobile home community received tremendous hail damage. Most of us were trapped with no safe place to go.
Create a soup kitchen	Manna Meals	El Campo	TX	Where all are family and all are fed physically, spiritually, and emotionally. Free meals are offered to anyone who enters.
Creating Unity with Art	Youth Service Project	Chicago	IL	To bring unity and build youth leadership among different cultures in the Humboldt Park neighborhood through arts, music, and dance programs
Cyber Student Engagement	Net Literacy	Indianapolis	IN	Provide 1000-1500 computers to students on free lunch programs by having students learn leadership and job skills as they refurbish the PCs
Earn-a-Bike Education	Neighborhood Bike Works	Philadelphia	PA	To increase educational, recreational and career-building opportunities for youth through bicycling.
ED! Challenge	The Village Ecosystem	Vancouver	WA	The mission is to enable youth to develop a driver education program that rewards positive behavior and is fun and will save lives.
Empowering Atlanta Youth	Atlanta, IL Park District	Atlanta	IL	To empower passionate young leaders by giving them a safe place to raise money for their causes and providing a non-toxic place to play.

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End Food Injustice	Sheboygan Falls School Foundation	Sheboygan	WI	Inspire youth to live in a way that creates a sustainable future through producing and distributing healthy food to impoverished families.
Esperanza para el Futuro	Garden Pathways	Bakersfield	CA	Enhance reading skills in elementary age students to inspire the pursuit of higher education and to break the generational cycle of poverty
Everyday Heroes Speak Out	Union County Children's Center	Maynardville	TN	Reduce trauma of child abuse victims by providing a multi-disciplinary team approach to detection, investigation, prosecution, & treatment.
Everyone Reads	International Reading Association Inc.	Salisbury	MD	To promote literacy on the Eastern Shore of Maryland and to get books in the hands of people. To promote life-long lovers of reading!
Fair Food Access	LISC - Duluth Office	Duluth	MN	Lincoln Park Food Access Project aims to create healthy equity - addressing social determinants of health and strengthening the neighborhood.
Fitness For Kids	Roseland School District	Santa Rosa	CA	We want to promote healthy lifestyles and choices at our Roseland Leadership Academy.
Flip the Switch for Hope	American Red Cross of Licking County	Newark	OH	To provide safe haven to victims of disasters when the power is lost.
Give the Gift of Music	Charity Music Inc.	Detroit	MI	Provide musical instruments and music education at no charge to at risk and disadvantaged youth wishing to explore their hidden talents
Good Neighbor, Good Shade	The Buggy Bunch	Vero Beach	FL	To protect children from the risk of skin cancer and promote sun safety at neighborhood parks
Harvesting Futures	Center for Human Services	Modesto	CA	To reduce waste of a valuable food source and increase access of nutritious foods to the hungry by engaging youth in their community.
Hawaii Childhood OBCD	Kahoomiki	Honolulu	HI	To actively support and encourage lifelong healthy lifestyles, through physical activity and good nutrition.
Healthy Kids & Community	Kids' Breakfast Club	Hayward	CA	To improve quality of life for children and families through proper nutrition, education, positive experiences, and supportive role models
Help Heal our Schools	Magoffin County Schools	Salyersville	KY	To help teachers replace technology in temporary classrooms after losing their schools to a tornado.
Helping Foster Youth TWR	Together We Rise Corporation	Chino	CA	To provide foster children with bicycles in order to help fight child obesity and give a child a symbol of being a kid.
Helping Hand Expansion	Helping Hand Developmental Center	Hendersonville	NC	To provide quality child development services to all children in Henderson County with a unique commitment to serve those who are challenged
Hillsboro Food Pantry	Hillsboro Food Pantry	Hillsboro	MO	To send help to the Food Pantry. There is so many that need help, and not enough food or money to help.
HIV Disease	Coalition on AIDS in Passaic County, Inc.	Paterson	NJ	To improve the lives of people infected and affected by HIV Disease in Bergen and Passaic Counties in NJ.
Homeless in High School	Neighborhood Services Organization	Oklahoma City	OK	To create a home for students 18 or older that have left or been kicked out of their homes.

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Hope Center for Autism	Urban Support Agency	Ruston	LA	To enrich the lives and experiences of individuals with autism through support, advocacy, education, and recreation.
House of Hope	Community Hope Center	Cottage Hills	IL	Guiding homeless women and their children to a stable place in society using God's principles
ICT S.O.S.	Maude Carpenter Children's Home	Wichita	KS	To end the commercial sexual exploitation of children and adults.
Into Their Fathers' Arms	Family and Youth Roundtable of San Diego County	San Diego	CA	POPS envisions a world in which parental absence is a rarity and children are nurtured by both their biological parents as equal partners...
It takes a Bakery	San Luis Obispo County Office of Education	San Luis Obispo	CA	Changing a teen's life one baked good at a time; providing job and life skills development by employing at risk youth in a local bakery.
Joplin Park	Joplin Parks & Recreation Department	Joplin	MO	To build a new park in north Joplin to accommodate our new neighborhoods made up of storm victors and their families.
Kids Against Hunger	Kids Against Hunger - Lincoln	Lincoln	NE	To provide food to not only local organizations, but distribute statewide, nationally and to over 30 countries around the world
Let's Get Ready NYC	Let's Get Ready, Inc.	New York City	NY	To expand college access for motivated, low-income high school students by providing free SAT preparation and college admissions guidance.
Lynwood Park Playground	Park Pride of Atlanta	Atlanta	GA	Make Lynwood Park a beneficial part of the neighborhood by improving the local playground to make it safer and more enjoyable.
Mind Body Medicine 4 Kids	Ernest Everett Just Foundation	Milwaukee	WI	To show youth the importance of modifying their cognitive and physical behavior before excelling in academic pursuits
Miracle League Brooklyn	Miracle League	Brooklyn	NY	To bring the sport of baseball to all children with disabilities
Miracle League of JC	Miracle League of Johnston County	Smithfield	NC	To give special needs children a chance to play baseball on an organized team. To play in a safe environment free from typical obstacles.
Mothers Against Crimes	Town of Lumberton, NC	Lumberton	NC	To eliminate crimes of violence in inner city
New Creation	New Creations Ministries	Scottsburg	IN	Discipline men with life-controlling problems such as drug and alcoholism.
Ocean Safety in Oxnard	Oxnard Fire Department	Oxnard	CA	To reduce the number of drownings at Oxnard beaches each year and increase participation in swim lessons.
P.R.E.T.T.Y. Misses	P.R.E.T.T.Y Misses	Bloomington	IL	To offer services teaching young girls and women, self-worth, positive self-esteem & how to be an asset to their communities.
PACEM Shelter	PACEM Emergency Cold Weather Homeless Shelter	Charlottesville	VA	To engage the community of the greater Charlottesville area in providing shelter, compassionate support, and access to services.

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Park Avenue Community Cen	inCOMMON Community Development	OMAHA	NE	inCOMMON is a community-based nonprofit that alleviates poverty at a grassroots• level by uniting and strengthening vulnerable neighborhoods.
Partners for Parks!	The Rotary Club of Spring Hill	Spring Hill	TN	To enhance the quality of life for the children of our small town.
Petal To The Rescue	Petal School District Education Foundation	Petal	MS	Make Petal a safer city by increasing citizen-initiated bystander CPR that will dramatically improve the survival rate from cardiac arrests.
Plant Trees in Colorado	Arbor Day Foundation (national)	Colorado Springs	CO	Replanting trees lost to forest fires in Pike National Forest, Colorado
Play With No Boundaries	Independence Parks & Recreation	Independence	MO	To give children of all abilities and ages the opportunity to play together with their brothers, sisters and friends with no boundaries.
Playground Face Lift	Midland Elementary School	Lacon	IL	Our mission is to provide a safe and appealing place for our children to play and families to enjoy all year long.
Positive Education Impact	Mount Turnbull Academy	Bylas	AZ	Help put a stop to the growing dropout rate and failing test scores.
Project Food for Thought!	Urban League of Middle Tennessee	Nashville	TN	Educate urban communities about the environmental and nutritional value of community gardening harvesting practices in designated food deserts.
Protect Our Volunteers	Steelville Fire Department	Steelville	MO	To Protect Our Volunteers
Reading for Life	National Hook-Up of Black Women, Inc.	Camden	NJ	To establish literacy centers that provide free access to books to create family literacy centers in homes throughout the community.
Ready, Set, Tech!	Skinner West Fine Arts and Technology School,	Chicago	IL	To provide all students a technology background necessary to become highly-educated and technologically savvy in a competitive market.
Real Men Read_CA	100 Black Men of Sacramento	Sacramento	CA	To share cultural business history and practical knowledge that inspires inner city youth to go into business and create their own markets.
Real Men Read_FL	Institute of Life and Learning Inc.	Tampa	FL	To Shape Today's Youth into Tomorrow's Leaders
Remove the DANGER	Town of Straughn, IN	Straughn	IN	Remove an unsafe collapsing moldy building and make a community garden and green space.
Replace our "Pawsmobile"	Paws Place Dog Rescue	Wilmington	NC	We save pets. We nurse them back to health. All animals are spayed or neutered. We provide a sanctuary for all until they are adopted.
Rescue Kids First	Ronald McDonald House of Dallas	Dallas	TX	To protect women and children who are in danger of being left without basic and essential provisions to live a healthy, active life.

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Rusk Geodesic Eco-Dome	The Rusk School of Science & Technology Magnet	Houston	TX	Our mission is to build a geodesic solar-powered greenhouse where we will grow organic food to donate to our local homeless shelter.
Safe Swimming Saves Lives	American Red Cross of Northwest California	Santa Rosa	CA	Empower youth & parents to learn to swim: save lives in times of crisis with bilingual education in water safety, swimming & rescue.
Sensory Playground	Socastee Heritage Foundation	Myrtle Beach	SC	To build a Sensory Playground for profound Special Needs students that will provide physical and calming activities to support student goals
Sherman Playground	Sherman Elementary school	Nampa	ID	The playground makeover will be a community build project where students, families, staff and surrounding businesses plan & labor together.
Skate for Change	Victory Ride Skate Park	Lincoln	NE	To empower skateboarders in any city to give back to their community.
Skills for the Community	Christ Central Ministries, Inc.	Chester	SC	To meet the needs of the socially discarded people of Chester County. To give job skills, GEDs, and housing to those in need.
Small library needs space	Caney City Library	Caney	KS	Using a 1600Sq Ft. library but needing a 6200 Sq. Ft Library for more computers and more programs for the young and the old.
Spread Your Wings	Families Helping Families of Iowa	Cedar Rapids	IA	Caring for Iowa's Children in foster care. FHF is a one-of-a-kind organization that provides foster care children services & programs.
Star Bodies	Harvard Community Services Center	Cleveland	OH	Educating children and their families about obesity and diabetes who have poor eating habits and no physical activity.
Stony Kill Foundation	Stony Kill Foundation	Beacon	NY	Our mission is to develop and provide environmental, educational, and historical interpretive programs and events.
Student Led Greenhouse	TrueNorth Community Services	Hart	MI	To teach students about Math, Business, Science, and Carpentry through building, working and maintaining their own greenhouse in the community.
Swish Dreams	Swish Dreams Sports and Educational Foundation	Chicago	IL	We work with several schools in the Chicago-land area.
Text Your Tips To Police	Brooklyn Park Crime Prevention Association	Brooklyn Park	MN	We are a group of concerned residents working together to help reduce crime in our city by educating, fundraising, and working with Police.
The Phoenix Scholars	Silicon Valley Community Foundation	Los Angeles	CA	The Phoenix Scholars ensure that disadvantaged high-school seniors can access the mentors and resources needed to enroll into college
Tornado Relief	Henryville Jr/Sr High School	Henryville	IN	To help rebuild the communities devastated by the tornadoes on March 2, 2012
Tornado Siren Project	Shiloh Volunteer Fire Dept.	Louisville	MS	Due to all the storms that have hit in and around our state, i would love to see our community receive this grant to put up a tornado siren.

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TriCity Volunteers	Tri City Volunteers, Inc.	Fremont	CA	To feed low income and homeless people and families
TROTR	Therapeutic Riding and Off Track Rehabilitation.	Davis	CA	To provide therapeutic horseback riding to handicapped children and adults using horses rescued from tracks and slaughter houses
Urban Kids Lead & Succeed	Frontline Outreach	Orlando	FL	To help kids to learn, be competitive at grade level and lead in their own community's through service learning
West Philly Tool Library	Urban Affairs Coalition	Philadelphia	PA	We loan tools to our community so neighbors can perform home maintenance, tend their gardens, clean their block & more -safely & affordably

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