WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION ORGANIZATION 1985-86 PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Washington County Community Action Organization is a private non-profit corporation concerned with poverty and the needs of the poor in Washington County. We operate a variety of human service programs to assist low income families as well as the elderly, youth, minorities and handicapped individuals. The following is a brief summary of our current programs.

HEAD START

Pre-school education, health care, social activities and parent involvement for four and five year old children and their families.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

Job placement and training services for low income youth in Washington County.

ENERGY DEPARTMENT

Assists low income people in the acquisition of affordable energy.

a. Weatherization

To save energy and lower the fuel costs of low income families in Washington County through application of materials to stop heat loss and consumer education.

b. Energy Access

- 1. Involves socially and economically disadvantaged people in activities that will lessen the impact of rising energy costs. (Energy Coalition)
- 2. Enables low and moderate income people to decrease their energy costs through training in conservation techniques and application of low/no cost weatherization materials to their homes. (Self Help Weatherization).
- c. Heating Assistance
 Financial assistance to low income households to help pay their heating costs (winter time only) as well as information and referral regarding energy conservation and utility policies.

VOLUNTEER CENTER

- a. Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
 Provides a variety of opportunities for retired persons age 60 and older to participate more fully in their community through significant volunteer services with non-profit organizations and the schools.
- b. <u>Tualatin Valley Food Center</u> (TVFC)
 Provides a county wide food distribution network which exists to coordinate the solicitation, storage and distribution of donated food to organizations serving hunger needs.
- c. Wood Co-Op
 Utilizes volunteers in the cutting and hauling of donated firewood to low income seniors and handicapped persons whose primary source of heat is wood.
- d. <u>Volunteers in Service to America</u> (VISTA)

 Places VISTA volunteers for one year to work full time on projects serving the needs of low income and disadvantaged persons.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Provides housing related emergency services, shelter and paralegal assistance while emphasizing and guiding toward self-sufficiency.

- a. Shelter Home
 Provides temporary housing for homeless low income persons and families, as well as general emergency needs assistance and counseling.
- b. <u>Housing Services</u>
 Provides housing related assistance to prevent homelessness for non shleter home residents.
- c. Paralegal Assistance
 Provides paralegal assistance to persons having questions or problems related to Welfare, Food Stamps or Social Security.

ELIGIBILITY

Each program has individual eligibility requirements. WCCAO programs are developed for persons who are low income, minority, handicapped or senior citizens. For further information about individual programs call WCCAO at 648-6646 or call directly to the program you are interested in.

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ENERGY DEPARTMENT 2575 N. E. Kathryn, #10 & #11 Hillsboro, OR 97123 640-8811

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Cornelius Center 262 S. 11th Cornelius, OR 97113 357-4964

Hillsboro Center 332 N. E. 6th Hillsboro, OR 97123 640-5750

Sherwood Center 480 N. W. Washington Sherwood, OR 97140 625-5105

Sunset Center 17652 N. W. Cornell Rd. Beaverton, OR 97005 645-5311 VOLUNTEER CENTER 20515 S. W. Blanton Aloha, OR 97007 642-3236

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6 MONTH	year end projectim	WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION 1985-86 PROGRAM & FINANCIAL GOALS
		EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE To provide housing related emergency services, shelter and paralegal assistance to at least 5650 individuals while emphasizing and guiding toward self-sufficiency.
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864/	1,7128	Emergency Services Goal II: To provide housing related emergency assistance to 600 home- less families, representing 1500 homeless individuals, unable to be housed at the shelter.
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	in Feb.	Goal IV: To prevent the eviction of 600 families or 1500 low income individuals by dispursing FERMA rent assistance funds while providing support counseling.
- Shared - Monta	Hot line Housing	Goal V: To assure that general emergency needs are met by actively supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems. Here is Assistance that general emergency needs are met by actively supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems. Here is a supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems. Here is a supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems. Here is a supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems. Here is a supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems.
385/1009	770/	Goal VI: Provide paralegal assistance to at least 1500 low income households having questions or problems related to Welfare, Food Stamps, or SSI (3500 individuals).
Transfer of 10-1-	ed as	Goal VII: To transfer this service to the Hillsboro Legal Service's Office for technical assistance and supervision.
	7184,838	Cost: \$188,990 Other Potential Revenue:
	54,000 × 8,000 × 14,000 × 1000	Hillsboro Beaverton Forest Grove Sherwood Hillsboro Beaverton 12,000 Homeless Fund Increase Total: 500 1500
iv v	3000 3000 750 28,240 7,500 11,638	Portland Client Fees / Donations 400 State Homeless Fund 5,000 Emergency Fund 5,000 CDBG Portland 2,000 115 FTE Conselor/Fringe \$2,324 250 FTE Counselor/Fringe 7,747 250 FTE Paralegal Support Costs 975 5,000 Nº450 FTE Paralegal/Fringe 7,747 Total: \$18,793
CASH Co.	32,013 1,399 2,500 20,000	Sub-Total: \$170,911 Fundraising Goal: \$18,079
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WASHINGTON COUNTY HEAD START To serve four and five year old low income children and their families in a learning experience that includes pre-school Overall Goal: education, health care and social activities. To provide comprehensive preschool services to 144 low Objective: income and handicap children. 152 152 The Objective: To provide social services and parent involvement Parent Group Activities opportunities to the parents of Head Start children. 44% 3290 7810 To ensure that all children enrolled receive a physical Objective: and dental exam, update immunizations and receive 100% 89% treatment for identified problems. 1009, 5090 To provide for 1/3 of the daily nutritional requirements 10090 7890 Objective: of the children each day they attend school. 50% 10090 \$455,600 Cost: 4021159 Revenue: Health & Human Services: \$371,953 Primary Grant NE 23,666 Handicap Funds 6,540 Training Funds 18,500 USDA Reimbursements 32,202 CSBG-WCCAO Close the Center Contingency: Program chyprovement Sub Total: \$452,861 1556 3 days early. 2,739 Fundraising Goal: Total: \$3,000 \$455,600 Total Revenue: 454,417 YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM To serve approximately 800 low income youth in Washington County 31. with job placement and training needs, while emphasizing efforts Overall Goal: that will break the cycle of poverty through greater selfsufficiency. Year Round Program To enroll approximately 300 low income youth in employment and 259 153 to place approximately 160 of these youth in unsubsidized 131 131 -may indeversall & overplace 22 employment. Summer Youth Employment Program Goal II: To enroll 502 youth in employment and training activities and to place approximately 150 of these youth in unsubsidized employment. 9396 411 Approximately 225 of the youth served through the summer program will have 75% Approximately 225 of the youth served through the Approximately 225 of the youth served through the special needs to be addressed to assure their employability.

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YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (continuation)

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Goal III: To maintain an active Washington County Youth Employment & Training Coalition by establishing memorandum of understandings, meeting regularly and involving their participation in long range program planning and development.

Cost: \$1,056,171

Revenue:

Multnomah Washington Private Industry Council-Job Training Partnership Act Funds.

Core Program 85-86 Year Round

128,628 \$500,000-(estimated) 545,660

1985 Summer

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WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER

Overall Goal: To strengthen and enhance volunteer involvement in Center self-help projects, as well as promote individual, family and community involvement in service to those in need, while increasing visibility, obtaining needed resources, improving co-ordination and increasing services.

R.S.V.P. Program Goal I: RSVP is designed to provide a variety of opportunities for retired people age 60 and older to participate more fully in the life of their community through significant volunteer services with non-profit organizations and school systems in the community.

> Objective I: Increase the variety and number of volunteer opportunities by establishing at least 24 new Volunteer Stations, with an emphasis on service to youth (literacy) and crime prevention.

Objective II: Increase the number of active RSVP volunteers to 350 to provide (at an average of 172 volunteer hours per 51,643 service hours: volunteer per year)

Objective III: To develop a participatory well informed Advisory Council by establishing at least six permanent subcommittees to help support the program achieve its goals in areas of program need.

Cost: \$69,236

Revenue:

Contingencies:

\$34,963 ACTION-RSVP \$14,374 Required Match \$9,167 CSBG-WCCAO \$2,000 Cedar Chest \$60,504 Sub-Total: \$8,732 Fundraising Goal: \$69,236

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WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER (continuation)

Goal II: VISTA Program

To place up to 15 VISTA volunteers for one year to work full time on the following projects serving the needs of low income and disadvantaged persons in Washington County.

Wood CoOp:

To mobilize existing resources in Washington County to cooperatively and effectively meet the needs of 200 senior and handicapped persons requesting emergency wood as a primary heating source.

Volunteer Center:

To develop a cooperative economic development plan that will generate 25,000 the first year and create stable funding base for programs housed in the Volunteer Center, that are serving the basic human needs of over 50,000 low income persons.

Foster Parent's United Support Group:

To provide coordinated support services needed to improve the quality of life and opportunities of 280 Washington County Foster Children.

Housing Services of Oregon:

To provide emergency temporary shelter and independent living skills to 200 displaced youth in Washington County.

Community Housing Resource Board:

To promote better and increased housing for low income families in Washington County.

Energy Program:

To provide at least 4, 000 low income households in Washington County with the opportunity to acquire skills, knowledge or resources needed to assure their access to affordable energy.

Petra Perez Senior Center:

- To establish an ongoing Senior Media Project that will train four senior workers, provide Petra Perez funding stability and increase 500 senior and low income households and resources available in Washington County.
- B. To provide a meaningful program of activities to serve at least 178 hispanic and non-hispanic seniors who visit the Center.
- C. To coordinate a volunteer run transportation program which will meet the basic needs of at least 100 seniors by delivering meals to the homebound and transporting seniors to health care providers, shopping and senior activities.

Centro Cultural:

To provide better services addressing basic human needs of food, housing, employment and literacy to 5,000 low income and Hispanics in Washington County by conducting a culturally oriented needs assessment.

Cost: \$26,255 86 to 75

Revenue:

ACTION-VISTA CSBG-WCCAO

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4. WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER (continuation)

Goal III: Tualatin Valley Food Center (TVFC)

To provide a County wide food distribution network which exists to coordinate the solicitation, storage, and distribution of donated usable food to organizations serving hunger needs.

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Objective III: To obtain at least 5,500 volunteer hours in the operation of TVFC activities.

Cost: -\$99,208 93,146

Revenue:

3660

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Contingencies:

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3750 United Presbystery Grant 14,000 FEMA 27,05 USDA 15,438 Food Handling 43,990 CSBG-WCCA0 Sub Total:	\$4,500 \$10,000 \$15,494 \$12,000 \$43,990 \$85,984	.50 FTE Special Projects Coordinator & Fringe Volunteer Mileage Sell Fork Lift	\$7,747 \$1,400 \$5,000 \$14,147
Fundraising Goal : Total Revenue:	\$13,224 \$99,208 //	7,183	

Goal IV: Washington County Wood Cooperative
To utilize volunteers in the cutting and hauling of donated

firewood to low-income seniors and handicapped people living in Washington County whose primary source of heat is wood.

Other Potential Revenue:

\$2,700

\$1,311 \$4,011

Objective I: To increase membership to at least 300 families.

Objective II: To cut and distribute at least 875 cords of wood.

Objective III: To obtain at least 4,000 volunteer hours for program operation.

Cost: \$20,001 /8,411/

Cost: \$20,001 / 6/1/2/

Revenue:

	CSBG-WCCAO Savings Account Council on Aging	\$13,990 1,000 1,000	Use funds from sale of Wood Truck
3925	Sub-Total: Fundraising Goal:	\$15,990 \$4,011	Allocate from corporate Fund balance
,	Total Revenue:	\$20,001	

ENERGY PROGRAM To assist low-income people in the acquisition of Overall Goal: affordable energy.

Energy Assistance To provide energy assistance funding and/or emergency aid 4000 funding to at least 4,000 low-income households in Washington County.

> To provide information and referral regarding energy conservation Goal II: and utility policies to at least 4,000 low-income households in Washington County.

Energy Access To involve at least 20 socially and economically disadvantaged Goal I: people in activities that will lessen the impact of rising energy costs.

Goal_II: To enable at least 20 socially and economically disadvantaged people to advocate on their own behalf for more affordable energy through training and networking.

Goal III: To enable at least 100 low and moderate income people to decrease their energy costs through 16, skills training workshops in energy conservation techniques and application of low cost weatherization materials to their homes.

Weatherization To save energy and lower the fuel costs of at least 175 low-income households in Washington County through application of materials to stop heat loss and consumer education.

Cost: \$389,500-388,843

Other Potential Revenue: \$9,775 Supplementary SCSP Funds State Community Services-Low Fred Meyer Charitable Trust\$11,704 Income Heating Assistance \$5,000 Church Contributions \$69,670 Funds \$26,479 Community Development Block \$40,000 Grant Funds \$92,693 Department of Energy Contingencies: SCSP-LIEAP Weatherization \$136,945 \$5,000 SHOW \$9,775 LIEAP Staff Reductions \$20,000 PGE Eliminate Energy Access \$364,308 Sub Total: \$11,704 Goals I & II \$25,192 Fundraising Goal: Reduce Weatherization \$389,500 Total: \$3,713 Staff/Material Costs \$25,192

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Revenue:

390,827



WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION ORGANIZATION

245 SE Second, Hillsboro Oregon 97123

January 6, 1986

TO:

WCCAO Board of Directors

FROM:

Pam Banks, Energy Program Director PSD

RE:

Revision of Weatherization Program Goal for FY '85-'86

Central Office

245 S.E. 2nd Hillsboro, OR 97123

- *Administration 648-6646
- *Head Start 648-6646
- *LIEAP Fuel Assistance 640-8951
- *Energy Coalition 640-8951

Weatherization

2575 N.E. Kathryn #10 & #11 Hillsboro, OR 97123 640-8811

Emergency Shelter House

210 S.E. 12th Hillsboro, OR 97123

- *Emergency Services & Shelter
- 648-0820 & 648-0829
- *Welfare Hotline 648-0514
- *Employment Access
- *648-0514

Washington County Volunteer Center

20515 S.W. Blanton Aloha, OR 97007

- *Retired Senior Volunteer Program
- *Wood Co-op
- *Crop Gleaners
- *Tualatin Valley Food Center
- *VISTA Project **642-3236**

NARRATIVE:

The goal for weatherization approved by the WCCAO Board as part of the 1985-86 Program & Financial Plan was to weatherize at least 175 low-income households in Washington County. That goal needs to be changed to 105 for the following reasons:

- 1. This goal was developed in January/February 1985 during the initial stage of program planning; changes since that time were not taken into account in terms of their effect on the annual goal.
- 2. New regulations from DOE (effective 4/1/85) allowed expenditures per home to increase from \$1200 to \$1600.
- 3. We were mandated by our funding source, SCS, to add wall insulation as another measure that we should complete on each home.
- 4. We were strongly encouraged in new contract language from SCS to complete the maximum weatherization on each home as was possible, in order to maximize energy savings; in order to accomplish this end, we were also strongly encouraged to "piggy-back" LIEAP Weatherization funds with DOE funds on homes that needed more weatherization than one funding source by itself could complete.

Our original goal of 175 did not take into account factors 2,3 or 4 stated above. Because of these changes, we are unable to weatherize as many homes, but each home we do weatherize is receiving more complete weatherization and, therefore, will realize greater energy savings.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Revise Weatherization Program goals for FY '85-'86 to read:

"To save energy and lower the fuel costs of at least 105 low-income households in Washington County through application of materials to stop heat loss and consumer education."

WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION 1985-86 PROGRAM & FINANCIAL GOALS

1. WCCAO EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE
Overall Goal: To provide housing related emergency services, shelter and paralegal assistance to at least 5650 individuals while emphasizing and guiding toward self-sufficiency.

Emergency Shelter
Goal I: To provide emergency shelter to at least 350 family units, representing 650 low income individuals and a total number of 4,730 bed days.

Emergency Services
Goal II: To provide housing related emergency assistance to 600 homeless families, representing 1500 homeless individuals, unable to be housed at the shelter.

Goal III: To provide at least \$5,000 in emergency financial assistance to 200 homeless and/or sheltered families (500 individuals) to reduce crisis and meet emergency needs, while emphasizing self-sufficiency.

Goal IV: To prevent the eviction of 600 families or 1500 low income individuals by dispursing FERMA rent assistance funds while providing support counseling.

Goal V: To assure that general emergency needs are met by actively supporting the expansion of existing community resources and the development of new delivery systems.

Emergency Para-Legal Assistance Goal VI: Provide paralegal assistance to at least 1500 low income households having questions or problems related to Welfare, Food Stamps, or SSI (3500 individuals).

Goal VII: To transfer this service to the Hillsboro Legal Service's Office for technical assistance and supervision.

Cost: \$188,990

Other Potential Revenue:

Homeless Fund Increase

Washington County

Catholic Charieits

Revenue:	United Way	\$54,000
	Hillsboro	8,000
	Beaverton	12,000
	Forest Grove	4,000
	Sherwood	500
	Tualatin	1,500
	Portland	2,000
	Client Fees	400
	State Homeless Fund	38,190
	Emergency Fund	5,000
	CDBG	12,528
	CSBG-WCCAO	32,793
	Sub-Total:	

G-WCCAO 32,793
Sub-Total: \$170,911
Fundraising Goal: \$18,079
Total Revenue : \$188,990

Contingencies:
1. .15 FTE Conselor/Fringe \$2,324
2. .50 FTE Counselor/Fringe 7,747
3. Paralegal Support Costs 975
4. .50 FTE Paralegal/Fringe 7,747
Total: \$18,793

\$20,000

3,000

10,000

WASHINGTON COUNTY HEAD START 2.

To serve four and five year old low income children and their Overall Goal: families in a learning experience that includes pre-school education, health care and social activities.

Objective: To provide comprehensive preschool services to 144 low

income and handicap children.

To provide social services and parent involvement Objective:

opportunities to the parents of Head Start children.

To ensure that all children enrolled receive a physical Objective:

and dental exam, update immunizations and receive

treatment for identified problems.

To provide for 1/3 of the daily nutritional requirements Objective:

of the children each day they attend school.

Cost: \$455,600

Revenue:

Health & Human Services:

\$371,953 Primary Grant 23,666 Handicap Funds 6,540 Training Funds 18,500 USDA Reimbursements 32,202 CSBG-WCCAO

\$452,861 Sub Total:

2,739 Fundraising Goal:

\$455,600 Total Revenue:

Contingency: Close the Center

3 days early.

Total: \$3,000

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM 3.

To serve approximately 800 low income youth in Washington County Overall Goal: with job placement and training needs, while emphasizing efforts that will break the cycle of poverty through greater selfsufficiency.

Year Round Program

To enroll approximately 300 low income youth in employment and to place approximately 160 of these youth in unsubsidized employment.

Summer Youth Employment Program Goal II: To enroll 502 youth in employment and training activities and to place approximately 150 of these youth in unsubsidized employment. Approximately 225 of the youth served through the summer program will have special needs to be addressed to assure their employability.

3. YOUTH EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM (continuation)

Goal III: To maintain an active Washington County Youth Employment & Training Coalition by establishing memorandum of understandings, meeting regularly and involving their participation in long range program planning and development.

Cost: \$1,056,171

Revenue:

Multnomah Washington Private Industry Council-Job Training Partnership Act Funds.

85-86 Year Round

\$500,000 (estimated)

1985 Summer

\$556,171 \$1,056,171

4. WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER

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Objective III: To develop a participatory well informed Advisory Council by establishing at least six permanent subcommittees to help support the program achieve its goals in areas of program need.

Contingencies:

Cost: \$69,236

Fundraising Goal:

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ACTION-RSVP Required Match CSBG-WCCAO Cedar Chest Sub-Total:	\$34,963 \$14,374 \$9,167 \$2,000 \$60,504	Sell Van .50 FTE Secretary	\$2,000 \$6,527 \$8,527
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4. WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER (continuation)

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To mobilize existing resources in Washington County to cooperatively and effectively meet the needs of 200 senior and handicapped persons requesting emergency wood as a primary heating source.

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To develop a cooperative economic development plan that will generate 25,000 the first year and create stable funding base for programs housed in the Volunteer Center, that are serving the basic human needs of over 50,000 low income persons.

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To provide coordinated support services needed to improve the quality of life and opportunities of 280 Washington County Foster Children.

Housing Services of Oregon:

To provide emergency temporary shelter and independent living skills to 200 displaced youth in Washington County.

Community Housing Resource Board:

To promote better and increased housing for low income families in Washington County.

Energy Program:

To provide at least 4, 000 low income households in Washington County with the opportunity to acquire skills, knowledge or resources needed to assure their access to affordable energy.

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- A. To establish an ongoing Senior Media Project that will train four senior workers, provide Petra Perez funding stability and increase 500 senior and low income households and resources available in Washington County.
- B. To provide a meaningful program of activities to serve at least 178 hispanic and non-hispanic seniors who visit the Center.
- C. To coordinate a volunteer run transportation program which will meet the basic needs of at least 100 seniors by delivering meals to the homebound and transporting seniors to health care providers, shopping and senior activities.

Centro Cultural:

To provide better services addressing basic human needs of food, housing, employment and literacy to 5,000 low income and Hispanics in Washington County by conducting a culturally oriented needs assessment.

Cost: \$26,255

Revenue:

ACTION-VISTA \$10,000 CSBG-WCCAO \$16,255

4. WASHINGTON COUNTY VOLUNTEER CENTER (continuation)

Goal III: Tualatin Valley Food Center (TVFC)

To provide a County wide food distribution network which exists to coordinate the solicitation, storage, and distribution of donated usable food to organizations serving hunger needs.

Objective I: To obtain and distribute at least 663,670 pounds of salvageable food to 47 participating members who will provide emergency food boxes to meet the needs of at least 50,000 low income people.

Objective II: To provide at least 2,000 Christmas baskets to families in need.

Objective III: To obtain at least 5,500 volunteer hours in the operation of TVFC activities.

Cost: \$99,208

Revenue:

Contingencies:

United Presbystery Grant FEMA USDA Food Handling CSBG-WCCAO Sub Total:	\$4,500 \$10,000 \$15,494 \$12,000 \$43,990 \$85,984	.50 FTE Special Projects Coordinator & Fringe Volunteer Mileage Sell Fork Lift	\$7,747 \$1,400 \$5,000 \$14,147
Fundraising Goal : Total Revenue:	\$13,224 \$99,208		

Goal IV: Washington County Wood Cooperative
To utilize volunteers in the cutting and hauling of donated firewood to low-income seniors and handicapped people living in Washington County whose primary source of heat is wood.

Objective I: To increase membership to at least 300 families.

Objective II: To cut and distribute at least 875 cords of wood.

Objective III: To obtain at least 4,000 volunteer hours for program operation.

Cost: \$20,001

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Revenue:		Other Potential Revenue:	
CSBG-WCCAO	\$13,990	Use funds from sale of	87
Savings Account Council on Aging	1,000 1,000	Wood Truck	\$2,700
Sub-Total: Fundraising Goal: Total Revenue:	\$15,990 \$4,011 \$20,001	Allocate from corporate Fund balance	\$1,311 \$4,011

5. ENERGY PROGRAM

Overall Goal: To assist low-income people in the acquisition of affordable energy.

Energy Assistance

Goal I: To provide energy assistance funding and/or emergency aid funding to at least 4,000 low-income households in Washington County.

Goal II: To provide information and referral regarding energy conservation and utility policies to at least 4,000 low-income households in Washington County.

Energy Access

Goal I: To involve at least 20 socially and economically disadvantaged people in activities that will lessen the impact of rising energy costs.

Goal II: To enable at least 20 socially and economically disadvantaged people to advocate on their own behalf for more affordable energy through training and networking.

Goal III: To enable at least 100 low and moderate income people to decrease their energy costs through 16 skills training workshops in energy conservation techniques and application of low cost weatherization materials to their homes.

Weatherization

Goal: To save energy and lower the fuel costs of at least 175 low-income households in Washington County through application of materials to stop heat loss and consumer education.

Other Potential Revenue:

Cost: \$389,500

Revenue:

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State Community Services-Lo Income Heating Assistance Funds Community Development Block	\$69,670	Supplementary SCSP Funds Fred Meyer Charitable Tru Church Contributions	\$9,775 st\$11,704 \$5,000 \$26,479
Grant Funds	\$40,000		
Department of Energy SCSP-LIEAP Weatherization	\$92,693 \$136,945	<u>Contingencies</u> :	
SHOW PGE	\$5,000 \$20,000	LIEAP Staff Reductions Eliminate Energy Access	\$9,775
Sub Total: Fundraising Goal:	\$364,308 \$25,192	Goals I & II	\$11,704
Total:	\$389,500	Reduce Weatherization	\$3,713
		Staff/Material Costs	\$25,192

WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION HOUSING RESOURCES AND SHELTER PROGRAM

"You cannot help men by doing for them what they could and should do for themselves."

Abraham Lincoln

The philosophy of the Housing Resources and Shelter Program is to help people help themselves. Support Counselors provide information and referrals, advocacy, counseling and direct assistance aimed at enhancing their clients' self-sufficiency and sense of self-worth. They assist families and individuals with job and housing search, in setting long-and short-term goals, prioritizing objectives and deciding on a plan of action. Problem-solving techniques, communication skills and job search strategies are taught in weekly workshops.

<u>Direct services</u> are offered to shelter residents and to those who are homeless.

- * Shelter
- * Food-food boxes are available to shelter residents who don't have other food resources.
- * Small loans for rent, transportation, medical expenses, clothing, and employment access needs can be obtained from an Emergency Fund provided by local donors. Availability depends on donations and eligibility guidelines.

<u>Support services</u> are offered to shelter residents, homeless individuals and those having housing-related problems.

- * Information and Referral
- * Counseling
- * Advocacy
- * Life Planning Workshops

A Washington County resident who has a housing-related problem or needs housing information may call between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. M-F.

ABOUT THE EMERGENCY SHELTER.....

Temporary emergency housing for homeless, low-income or no-income families and individuals is provided in a family atmosphere at Washington County Community Action Organization's (WCCAO's) Emergency Shelter House. Located near downtown Hillsboro, the Shelter serves those who have no other housing resources.

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To be eligible, applicants must be at least 18 years of age (unless court emancipated or accompanied by a legal guardian), must be in good mental and emotional health without current drug or alcohol problems, and must demonstrate willingness to become self-sufficient through setting goals, deciding a plan of action, and following through on the objectives they set for themselves.

Length of stay varies with individual situations.

Residents are required to follow house rules and help with upkeep.
Referring agencies are asked to call before sending clients over. A
personal interview at the Shelter is necessary before eligibility can be
determined.

The facility is open seven days a week with staff on duty 24 hours a day.

For Shelter information/referral call: 648-0829 or 648-0820.

* Tours and slide show presentations of our program are offered on request. Monetary donations for the Emergency Fund and volunteer services are always needed and are tax-deductible.

Emergency Para-legal assistance is sponsored by the Housing Resources & Shelter Program, but will be located at the Hillsboro Legal Services Office, 230 N. E. 2nd, Hillsboro, OR 97123-648-0513.

HOUSING RESOURCES AND SHELTER PROGRAM 210 S. E. 12TH HILLSBORO, OREGON 97123

648-0829 & 648-0820



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Washington County Community Action Org. Inc. 245 S. E. 2nd Street
Hillsboro, OR 97123
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WASHINGTON COUNTY COMMUNITY ACTION ORGANIZATION

245 SE Second, Hillsboro Oregon 97123

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Central Office

245 S.E. 2nd Hillsboro, OR 97123

- *Administration 648-6646
- *Head Start 648-6646
- *LIEAP Fuel Assistance 640-8951
- *Energy Coalition 640-8951

Weatherization

2575 N.E. Kathryn #10 & #11 Hillsboro, OR 97123

Emergency Shelter House

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- *Emergency Services & Shelter
- -5-0820 & 648-0829
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Vashington County Volunteer Center

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- Noha, OR 97007
- *Retired Senior Volunteer Program
- *Wood Co-op
- *Crop Gleaners
- *Tualatin Valley Food Center
- *VISTA Project 642-3236

Dear Friends,

Washington County Community Action Organization regretfully announces the closure of its general Emergency Services Program, effective July 1, 1985. Unfortunately, the lack of sufficient funds to meet the continued high demand for services have necessitated this action. We are contacting you to describe the restructuring of our program and what services we plan to continue. We appreciate the support your agency has lent us in the past and value the close network we have formed in serving the emergency needs of Washington County's low income population.

Over the past 12 years our Comprehensive Emergency Service program has provided information, referral, advocacy, advice, and direct assistance through three services: the Shelter Home (temporary emergency shelter), the Welfare Hotline (emergency paralegal services for public assistance problems) and the Emergency Services Program (direct assistance, advocacy, and information and referral for basic needs).

Our newly reorganized program services will be as follows:

- 1. Emergency Shelter We will continue to provide temporary shelter to eligible families and individuals.
- 2. Housing Services -
 - A. For shelter residents or the homeless we will provide information and referral, counseling, advocacy, as well as loans, bus tickets and food boxes when available.
 - B. For non-shelter residents having housing related problems we will provide information and referral, emergency housing vouchers, rent assistance, and housing counseling.
- 3. Welfare Hotline We will continue to provide emergency paralegal assistance for persons having problems with food stamps, welfare, SSI and/or Medicaid. The phone number will remain the same (648-0513) but the service will be located at the Hillsboro Legal Services Office, 230 N.E. 2nd, Hillsboro.

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The major program change is the ellimination of our general emergency services to low income families who do not have housing related problems. We realize that this cutback in our services may directly impact your organization. We are concerned about this impact and remain committed to providing the assistance you may require in order to prepare for any increased request for help. Toward this end, we have enclosed information which we hope will be useful to you.

The following is a list of organizations to which you might wish to make referrals:

- Adult and Family Services 648-0711
 (public assistance programs: food stamps, welfare, medicaid)
- Centro Cultural of Washington County 648-4815 or 357-9939
 (information, referral, advice, translations, hot meals program. Bilingual staff available.)
- United Way Information and Referral 222-5555
 (comprehensive information, referral and advice for Washington County needs)
- 4. <u>Salvation Army</u> 640-4311 (information, referral, advice, clothing, foodboxes)
- St. Vincent de Paul (central number) 235-8431
 (primarily assists with food boxes. Other services vary depending on individual local chapters)
- 6. Your local FISH organizations: (primarily assist with food)

Forest Grove 648-7104
Beaverton 646-1141
Tigard 639-2012

7. West Tuality Childcare Services, Inc. - 648-0838

(information and referral regarding county child care services available)

8. Oregon Legal Services - 648-7163

(legal advocacy and advice for civil problems)

9. Senior Centers:

Hillsboro Beaverton Forest Grove North Plains Cornelius	648-3823 643-9434 357-2021 647-5666 648-6420
Sherwood	625-5644
Tigard	620-4613
Tualatin/Durham	692-6767

For crisis situations, or after hour emergencies in lease were to the phone numbers on the attached "Life Line" cards. Also, employed is a handout concerning utility rights. Many utility weblens can be resolved by providing an individual with this valuable information. Although we will no longer be responding directly to general emergency needs (unless they are housing or public assistance related) our staff will be available to assist your organization with any other information or technical assistance you might require. Please refer to the phone numbers listed on our stationary for assistance in other MCCAO program areas.

There has been a great deal of interest by area churches and businesses to join together in coordinating and providing emergency services. A group has already formed in Beaverton to address the needs of east county. This group is called Care to Share. The point of contact for that project is Pat Zandanotti of Holy Trinity Church at 641-1842. Groups or individuals interested in forming a network for the western end of the county may contact Donna Butler at the WCCAO Shelter Home at 648-0820.

We regret any inconvenience or stress this cutback of our services may cause your organization and truly wish to work with you and other interested community members to develop alternative service delivery systems.

It is our hope that by concentrating on preventing homelessness and providing advocacy assistance that we can help to break the cycle of poverty for some. We deeply regret the cut backs in our services but accept the challenge to focus our efforts on long range solutions to the problems of the homeless and others who are economically disadvantaged.

Again, thank you for your continued support of our programs. We will keep in touch about future developments.

Sincerely, que Parker

Jackie Hanes, Director

Comprehensive Emergency Services Program

Washington County Community Action Organization

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