

# 2008-2009 Community Impact Activities



Community Impact is an expansive model for improving the community that employs a variety of strategies. In addition to funding programs that deliver the results the community has prioritized, community impact advances the common good by piloting programs, contributing or leading major initiatives, providing organizational support to agencies that deliver programs, and securing or administering grants or contracts that also focus on community improvement. To follow is a comprehensive statement of UWM's 2008-2009 community improvement work. Most of the projects listed below represent UWM program investments. Footnotes are provided for initiatives, grants, contracts and other strategies. The programs listed below do not include the Emerging/Emergency Issues fund in which is \$100,000 set aside for unanticipated community issues. This statement also excludes Edisto Council directed funds to Orangeburg and Calhoun counties.

## Basic Needs

AGENCY	PROGRAM NAME	AMOUNT
Alston Wilkes Society	Expanded Shelter and Services	\$50,000
American Red Cross	Expanded Shelter and Services	\$75,000
Capital Senior Center	Expanded Transportation for Seniors and Special Needs Populations	\$32,500
Community Mediation Center	Eviction/Foreclosure Intervention and Prevention	\$34,030
Cooperative Ministry	Expanded Bus Tickets	\$15,000
Family Shelter	Expanded Shelter and Services	\$80,000
Growing Home Southeast	Expanded Shelter and Services	\$24,000
Harvest Hope	Access to Food	\$50,000
Harvest Hope	Expanded Food Options for Youth and Children	\$50,000
Trinity Housing Corporation	Expanded Shelter and Services	\$38,500
Newberry County Council on Aging	Home Delivered Meals for Fairfield and Newberry Counties	\$70,000
Senior Resources	Meals on Wheels	\$70,000
SisterCare	Lexington County Family & Inmate Partner Violence Reduction	\$90,000
United Way of the Midlands	2-1-1	\$426,361
United Way of the Midlands	Emergency Food & Shelter Program <sup>i</sup>	\$424,970

**Basic Needs Total: \$1,530,361**

## Education

Big Brothers/Big Sisters	Helping Youth Succeed	\$32,600
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	Mentoring Program	\$50,000
Big Brothers/Big Sisters	Mentoring / Increasing Student Success	\$40,767
Boys and Girls Clubs	Helping Youth Succeed	\$60,000
Boys and Girls Clubs	Mentoring / Increasing Student Success	\$90,000
Boys and Girls Clubs	Youth Development Program	\$125,000
Boy Scouts – Indian Waters	Helping Youth Succeed	\$105,578
City Year Columbia	Youth Tutoring	\$75,000
Capitol Senior Center	Health Literacy	\$35,000
Communities in Schools of the Midlands	Student Support & Youth Development - Project Success	\$125,000
Newberry County Literacy Council	Adult and Family Literacy	\$50,000
Nurturing Center	Effective Parenting	\$70,000
Volunteers of America	Turning Pages – Adult and Family Literacy	\$50,000
Vital Connection	Reaching for the STARS	\$133,331
Volunteers of America	Adult and Family Literacy	\$30,000
Volunteers of America	Reaching for the STARS	\$66,667
United Way of the Midlands	Child Care Resource and Referral <sup>ii</sup>	\$166,548
United Way of the Midlands	Vital Connections of the Midlands <sup>iii</sup>	\$61,552

**Education Total: \$1,367,043**

