



Shanna Paoli

1-30-2023

On behalf of all of us at Neighbors in need Food Bank I want to say how grateful we are for Peoples Bank recent generous donation.

We are seeing an increase in families, seniors and children that are using the food bank for the first time ever. We hear over and over again how they never thought they would need our services. This increase is largely due to the huge price increases for food due to inflation. At the same time food banks are seeing a decrease in food available from our traditional sources, in fact for the first time in our 50-year history we had to purchase food from grocery wholesalers in order to meet the needs of our clients.

Thank you again for joining with us to help make the lives of our neighbors in need a little less stressful.

Rudy Kerkvliet  
Board President



Lighthouse Mission Ministries  
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TheLighthouseMission.org  
Restoring People Through Christ

## Your Receipt

Date Received: 12/16/2022

For: Mission Food and Shelter

Thank you for your gift! ♥

Peoples Bank  
3100 Woburn St  
Bellingham, WA 98226-8678

Please keep this receipt for your records. Your gift is tax-deductible (Tax ID # 91-0659437). No goods or services were exchanged for this gift. Any gifts received above the current need will be used to care for people throughout the year.

December 29, 2022

Dear Friends,

Thank you for your recent gift to help our neighbors who are struggling this holiday season.


For men and women who are homeless, Christmas Day is often just another day without food or shelter. But thanks to you and other generous friends, hurting neighbors will enjoy the wonderful taste of a holiday dinner. And your generosity won't stop there...

The holiday meals you make possible will be served with care and compassion, helping these struggling friends experience dignity, no matter their situation.

"Warmth" is what one mom says she experienced when she first arrived at the Mission. "The staff fed us and gave me clothes for my kids," she said. "They were always checking on us, making sure we were okay. I felt safer than I had in a long time. The Mission has given me an understanding of what safe people—safe family—is supposed to look like," she said. "They've given me a glimpse of what my life could be if I give it a try."

Thank you, again, for your gift — and for offering a welcoming, warm environment for hurting people who come to the Mission.

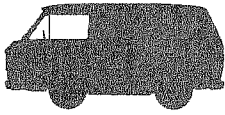
Have a blessed Christmas Season,

  
Loran Zenonian  
Chief Advancement Officer  
Lighthouse Mission Ministries

*Thank you for the generous gift that will make a difference in the lives of so many of our vulnerable and hurting!*

*Loran*

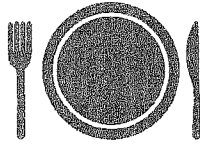
# In the past year, you've helped...



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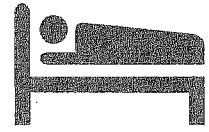
people  
each week



**Feed**

350

nutritious meals  
each day



**Shelter**

230

men, women, and children  
each night



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August 4, 2022

Peoples Bank  
Financial Center  
3100 Woburn St.  
Bellingham, WA 98226

Dear Shanna,

Our heartfelt thanks to you and the Peoples Bank Grant Committee for the donation! What a nice surprise to open an envelope with a donation in it rather than the daily pile of envelopes with bills inside. It has been a pleasure to work with Everett Lamers over the last year as one of our recent additions on the Columbia Valley Housing Association Board of Directors.

Our non-profit organization provides financial education, homeownership counseling and down payment assistance to low-income, very low-income, and disabled families who are trying to buy their first homes. Often our clients are single mothers with children, families raising disabled children, or hard-working agricultural families. They all work very hard but have serious difficulties in saving any extra money each month for the down payment and closing costs required to buy a home. With rent prices skyrocketing throughout our state, participants in our low-income programs often end up paying \$950-\$1500 for a mortgage on a modest home rather than \$2200 on rent.

Our affordable homeownership program is one of the very few across our state and nation that actually lift families up and out of poverty for good by helping them build wealth back slowly through homeownership. Emergency programs often end up churning our most vulnerable families from program to program without ever improving their financial situation for the long term. We work on a very lean annual budget to accomplish our important mission and really appreciate every single dollar that is donated to help our work.

Thank you for all the work you do at Peoples Bank to support great community projects and organizations like ours. You've been great partners to Columbia Valley Housing Association for many years now.

Sincerely,

Sherri Schneider  
Executive Director



**Habitat for Humanity®**  
of the Greater Wenatchee Area

*Help build it!*

June 29, 2022

Peoples Bank  
3100 Woburn St  
Bellingham, WA 98226-8678

Dear Peoples Bank,

On behalf of the staff and board of Habitat for Humanity of the Greater Wenatchee Area, thank you for your generous support of this organization. Your donation will help us continue our mission to build decent housing and eliminate poverty housing in our community. As a nonprofit organization, we depend on donations and volunteer assistance as we provide a “hand-up, not a hand-out” to our families. Please use this document as a tax receipt for your donation, which is described below.

If you have any questions about this receipt, please contact us at (509) 663-1889.

Sincerely,

Natalie Narby  
Executive Director

*Habitat for Humanity of the Greater Wenatchee Area is a 501 (c) 3 nonprofit organization,  
Federal Tax ID #91-1482879.*

*No goods or services were received in consideration of this gift.*

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## Our Mission:

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*"To enable all young people, especially those who need us most to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens."*

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*CEO*



March 21, 2022

Peoples Bank  
3100 Woburn Street  
Bellingham, WA 98226

Dear Shanna,

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the staff at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County, I would like to thank you for your very generous gift which was received today.

We will designate your donation to phase two of our Building Blocks for the Future capital campaign – the purchase of the property located at 2320 Yew Street, Bellingham. I so appreciate your willingness to commit at such a significant level to help us launch this phase of the campaign successfully.

In December 2019, Kids' World announced it would be closing its four locations, jeopardizing 532 affordable childcare places for kids from infant to age 12. With an already critical shortage of childcare in Whatcom County, we knew we needed to step up and serve our community in a new way. On March 1, 2020, we acquired all four early learning centers.

We have been operating the centers for two years and the continued sustainability of this expanded service to families, hinges on the strategic purchase of the leased locations as quickly as possible. Thanks to our generous community, we completed phase one of the capital campaign to purchase the Ferndale facility in October, 2021.

We are working toward completing the purchase of the Yew Street property by May 31, 2022 and your gift helps us reach that goal, thank you.

We appreciate you partnering with us and being part of the solution to the childcare crisis in our community.

With sincere appreciation,

*Sara L. Maloney*

Sara L. Maloney  
Chief Development Officer

Email: [smaloney@whatcomclubs.org](mailto:smaloney@whatcomclubs.org)

*The Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County is a non-profit 501c3 organization as classified by the Internal Revenue Service. Our tax identification number is 91-0836427.*