



Homeless & ReEntry Helpers, Inc.

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Information Sheet for Funding HRH thru Grants, Donations & Contributions

14 May 2009

To whom it may concern:

If you are looking to help fund or further a project that not only helps people in need, it also helps those who help those in need. If you are already in the “Helping Others” business you know that the homeless and those in and out of our prison system are having a hard time finding people and organizations that can help them find jobs, housing, food, medical care, etc. And, I’m sure you know of existing Service Providers that can and do help, but they don’t always know where to find the people that need their help. HRH is interesting in filling this major communications and networking void. We have found that the old adage, “The left hand does not know what the right hand is doing” applies in the Homeless & ReEntry industry.

We believe that HRH’s All-in-One Web Site, HRH’s Weekly Newsletter, along with our present and proposed future services will help “bring it all together” by being able to refer those people in need to the appropriate (existing) service providers for any goods and services they may need in a more expedient and professional manner.

We believe this is a project that’s long overdue, a project that will enhance the capability of existing Service Organizations that are already helping to solve many of today’s problems in the Homeless and the ReEntry Industry, and we hope you do too.

Phase I of our project is complete (self-funded). Please visit our web site at: www.IndianaHelpers.com. We consider our Web Site part of our Information Sheet.

The below information is being submitted for your review.

1. Name of our Organization:

Homeless & ReEntry Helpers, Inc.

a/k/a Homeless Helpers

a/k/a ReEntry Helpers

a/k/a Indy Helpers

a/k/a HRH

2. Address of our Organization:

3936 Pendleton Way

Indianapolis, IN 46226 USA

3. Our Contact Information:

317-547-0500 *voice*

317-547-0700 *fax*

317-777-3151 *Don's cell*

Hawkins@IndianaHelpers.com *email address*

4. Our Legal Information:

Homeless & ReEntry Helpers will be formed as a non-profit Indiana corporation

Our legal purpose is an: Information & Referral Service Organization

Our Federal ID # is: 26-2548161

Our State ID # is: 0133925595

Our DUN's ID # is: 828277835

Our 501 (c) (3) was received on the 19th of November 2008

5. Our Board of Directors:

1. [Rhiannon Williams](#), Executive Director, [PACE/OAR, Inc.](#)

2. [Bill Vernon](#), President, [Omega Design Studio, Inc.](#)

3. [Gregg Keesling](#), President & CEO, [WorkForce, Inc.](#)

4. [Carlette Duffy](#), Community Coordinator, [AfterCare for IN thru Mentoring \(A.I.M.\)](#)

5. [Maxine Bryant](#), President, [Bryant Educational Seminars & Training, Inc.](#)

6. [Bob Cole](#), as an individual and an ExOffender

7. [Eric Arnold](#), as an individual and an ExOffender

8. [Charlie Yant](#) - President, [Hands of Hope Ministries, Inc.](#)

9. [Joyce Yant](#) - Vice-President, [Hands of Hope Ministries, Inc.](#)

10. [Don Hawkins](#) - Chairman & CEO, [Other Peoples Properties, Inc.](#)

6. Our Internet Information:

Hawkins@IndianaHelpers.com Our Email Address

www.IndianaHelpers.com Our Web Address

(Currently, all of the below names point to the above web site)

www.HomelessReEntryHelpers.com

www.HomelessHelpers.com

www.ReEntryHelpers.com

www.IndianaReEntry.com

www.IndianaHelpers.com

www.IndyHelpers.com

www.HRHinfo.com

7. Our Problem:

We know that most people in need of help obtaining a meaningful job, housing, transportation, food, clothing, medical care, etc. usually don't have the tools necessary to find that help. We also know there are multiple service providers out there that have the ability to help people but they don't know where all of those people are. There are many helpful web sites and other informational sources readily available to offer help, but where are they? Someone needs to tie all this information together into a central information data base, that everyone can have access to, from a single source, that is easy to use.

8. **Our Solution:**

Utilizing today's best information retrieval technology - "*the internet*", HRH is providing a web site for those who work with the homeless and those either in or out of the prison system with an information data base they can use as a "Community Bulletin Board" that lists both "Faith Based" and "Community Based" service providers/organizations, and businesses that offer various goods and services to those in need. This is a FREE resource tool intended to Help our Helpers and those persons reaching out for a better way of life for themselves and their families.

9. **Our Tools & Our Purpose (Mission) are Six-Fold:**

Provide Our Participating Service Providers in the Homeless and ReEntry Industry and the people they serve with the below services.

1. An All-in-One Web Site - thru the Internet.
Compile an information data base of existing service providers that serve our community;
2. A Weekly Newsletter - thru Emails.
Keep our service providers, case workers, volunteers/helpers, etc. informed of the services, current and future events in our industry;
3. An Information Directory - thru Services Providers, Jails, Prisons & Shelters
Provide a directory to the Homeless and those in and out of the prison system;
4. A Network of Volunteers/Helpers - thru the Weekly Newsletter.
Build a network of teachers, tutors, mentors, pastors, case workers, specialists, etc. to be volunteers/helpers that can help our service providers and those in need;
5. A Network of Housing & Job Providers - thru ongoing advertising & telemarketing.
Build a network of business owners/managers/workers that can supply our service providers with new and existing housing & job opportunities to those in need;
6. A What to Do, Who to Call, When You Need Help Training Center - thru neighborhood Community Centers, Service Providers, and Prisons. HRH will provide 'On site & Away' training for those organizations who want to learn more about HRH's information and referral services for those in need and just out of prison.

10. **Our Web Site:**

The Homeless & ReEntry Helpers Web Site was designed for businesses, teachers, tutors, mentors, case workers, specialists & HELPERS of all kinds. It is meant to be "An All-In-One" Information & Referral Web Site that HELPERS Can Use to Help Those in Need!

When Phase II of our web site is complete (automated data base), you will be able to search for over 300 topics in 36 categories from 92 Counties in Indiana. The 36 categories below are those that we have selected to service the Homeless and ReEntry industry.

- Addiction & Substance Abuse Services
- Advocacy Organizations & Services
- Clothing & Household Services
- Community Based Organizations
- Correctional Services
- Disaster Relief Services
- Domestic Abuse Services
- Entertainment & Publications

- Faith Based Organizations
- Family Support Services
- Financial Services
- Food, Meals & Kitchen Services
- Government Services
- Grants & Not-for-Profit Services
- Hispanic Outreach Services
- Homeless Outreach Services
- Housing - 1 Short Term – shelters/missions
- Housing - 2 Mid Term – for rent - transitional
- Housing - 3 Long Term – for sale
- Information & Referral Services
- Jobs & Employment Services
- Legal Services
- Life Skills Services
- Medical & Healthcare Services
- Miscellaneous Businesses
- Miscellaneous Services
- Muslim Outreach Services
- ReEntry & ExOffender Programs
- Reference & Research Information
- Schools & Educational Services
- Seniors & Disabilities Services
- Transportation Services
- Veterans Services
- Volunteers & Mentoring Programs
- Women & Children Only Services
- Youth & Child Care Services

Our Web Site States: “If You Need Help, Please Note”

HRH is only an information gathering and referral service organization. HRH is not a provider of any monies, goods, or services other than providing information on how to get those monies, goods, or services - via the internet, newsletters, and directories. HRH is not qualified nor equipped to help most people in need, or in and out of jail/prison. For those who call our offices, and don't have access to the Internet, we refer them to Service Providers (Our Helpers) listed on our web site that we believe are equipped and qualified to HELP them.

11. Our Weekly Newsletter (currently going out to over 2,240 people weekly):

Our Newsletter is designed to be emailed to members of the Homeless & ReEntry industry each weekend. Our Helpers are teachers, tutors, mentors, case workers, specialists, pastors, business leaders/managers, church leaders, etc.

Our Weekly Newsletter includes information on:

- Our Helpers Events Calendar
- Our Helpers Job Fairs Calendar
- Our Helpers News
- Our Helpers Needs

- Our Helpers Press Releases
- Our Helpers Calendars
- Our Helpers Meetings
- Our Volunteers/Helpers Info

Deadline for our Weekly Newsletter:

The deadline for HRH’s next Newsletter is the end of the day each Friday.

A sample of HRH’s Weekly Newsletter is attached after the signature on this Grant Application

12. Our Volunteer/Helper Program:

It’s a proven fact, “Together, We Can Make a Difference”

While researching successful, and not so successful, Homeless and ReEntry programs around the country we found that the most successful programs (both faith based and community based), were those that had an active base of community volunteers working with the local government agencies, prisons, and existing service organizations. Proving that, “Working Together is Better”. One of HRH’s goals is to help build a successful community volunteer/helper program that will better serve its individuals and their families in need.

Homeless & ReEntry Helpers, Inc. Who We Serve	
Our Web Site, Our Weekly Newsletters, and Our Telemarketers are focused; first & foremost on the people that are homeless and those in and out of the prison system, and second, on those people and organizations that help those and other people in need.	
Types of Organizations that Serve the Homeless & the ReEntry Industry Our “Helpers” can be found on HRH’s Web Site (Over 1,240 Organizations - 300 Topics - 36 Categories - 92 Counties)	
Government Agencies Federal, State, City, County, Townships	Notes: Presently HRH is focused on the ReEntry clients and service providers that help ReEntry clients. HRH will focus on the Homeless clients within 120 days after the web site data base is completed. At present most of the types of organizations listed on this list are working independently of each other. Most do work with others at times but not to the point that they are solving the overall problems for the majority of people needing their services. HRH is hoping to bring them all together via Our Web Site, Our Weekly Newsletter and Our Telemarketing Services, allowing them to better serve the community.
Prisons & Jails Case Workers & Specialists	
Probation & Parole Officers Case Workers	
Churches & Religious Groups Chaplains, Pastors & Priests, etc.	
Other Groups Latinos & Muslims	
Universities & Technical Schools Teachers, Tutors, Mentors & Advocates	
Service Providers of Goods & Services Case Workers & Counselors	
Addiction Centers Case Workers & Counselors	
The Private Sector Business Owners & Managers	
Hospitals & Clinics Care Givers, Psychologists, Therapists	
Volunteers & Helpers Mentors, Advocates & Neighborhood Groups	
Family & Friends Moms, dads, sisters, brothers, aunts, uncles, etc.	
Themselves It is also their responsibility to try to help themselves	

13. Our Current Funding:

As of to date everything has been self funded by Don Hawkins, Founder & Executive Director. HRH is currently housed in shared office space with Other Peoples Properties, LLC with offices at 3936 Pendleton Way in Indianapolis. It is a 2,500 square foot warehouse; with 1,800 being office space and 700 being warehouse space.

Based on the warm reception and positive response that we have received just from HRH’s web site and Weekly Newsletter, we would like to expand the area (territory) we cover and the functionality of the data base, as well as add the services to find housing and jobs for our Service Providers. Adding these services will require additional and/or outside funding.

The web development team that I have selected to complete Phase II and III is:

Omega Design Studio
2611 West Michigan Street, Indianapolis, IN 46222
317-423-3568 voice | 317-423-3569 fax
www.omegadesignstudio.com

It is estimated that the Phase II web site design costs will be approximately \$12,000, and Phase III (confidential section) approximately \$8,000.

14. Amount of Monies Requested from Grants:

HRH plans to be in operation 12 months a year with an estimated annual budget of \$200,000. We plan to grow at the same rate that the funding becomes available.

15. Additional Funding:

We are in the process of seeking additional funding thru some small grants and donations and Sponsors for our Information Directory. We are also seeking gifts from foundations and additional larger grants.

16. The Supervisor of the Project and the Person Accountable for the Project is Don Hawkins.

Below is Mr. Hawkins last resume that he compiled after he left the Indiana Department of Correction in January of 2001.

Don E. Hawkins

Mailing Address: P.O. Box 1724, Indianapolis, IN 46206 USA

Date: 28 May 2001
From: Don E. Hawkins (Old Don)
To: Whom it may concern
Subject: My Bio



Born in Indianapolis, Indiana. Graduated from Harry E. Wood High School in Indianapolis. For three summers, worked as a Page in the United States Senate for Lyndon B. Johnson and Senator Vance Hartke in Washington D.C.

For three years I worked in the offices of Senator Birch Bayh in Washington D.C. For one and a half years, attended Ben Franklin University in Washington D.C. Served in the United States Marine Corps for three years. Served in Vietnam for 21 months.

Employed with Eli Lilly & Company for three years. Self employed under own name for 20 years as a business, marketing and telemarketing consultant helping various individuals and companies in Indiana get started.

In 1984, formed Hawkins International Systems & Services Corp. to build and market a computerized information directory that was installed in various supermarkets in Indiana and New York.

In 1984, started importing tanning, health and fitness equipment from Europe. Because of a chain of events: the market becoming saturated, one of our suppliers filing bankruptcy, I was left with a telemarketing operation, selling only tanning equipment, parts and supplies from New York City to health clubs, tanning salons and beauty shops across the country.

In 1990, that telemarketing room expanded into a marketing and telemarketing operation for telecommunications services. At its peak, we had over 40 people calling on businesses that generated leads for several of our clients, including: moving companies, mortgage companies, real estate companies, attorneys, credit card verification equipment, local and long distance telecommunications services in New York City and the Tri-State area.

In the fall of 1992, I was first introduced to the "Plasma Waste Destruction" concept. In researching the project, I was introduced to several businesses and individuals that have spent several years and several hundreds of thousands of dollars researching plasma energy technology for waste destruction. I found that each group was heading in different directions, but still, wanting to accomplish the same goals.

I realized a project of this magnitude was going to require a tremendous team effort, from different parts of the country, if this project was going to get past the research and development stages, and put in use in the waste management industry. I was unsuccessful in finding a location to build the first facility in several states on the East Coast and Texas.

In the summer of 1995, I returned to Indianapolis. In December 1995 I formed Hawkins Industries, Inc. and introduced this technology to Indianapolis. I have spent the last five years searching for all the right businesses and the right individuals that could be brought together, to build a new and unique business opportunity that would enable these businesses and individuals to put their talents and knowledge together to actually build the first commercial facility for the destruction of man's waste products using plasma energy technology. Information on this technology can be viewed at www.hicompanies.com. Late in 1998 we obtained unanimous approval from the Pike Township Homeowners Association and all the necessary permits from the City of Indianapolis (air) and the State of Indiana (solid waste), including the rezoning of the property. Unfortunately we could never secure the required \$17 million necessary to build the facility. The project has been put on an indefinite hold.

If you think I have any of the qualifications can be used by you or your company, please give me a call.

Sincerely,

Don E. Hawkins

17. Executive Summary:

Since introducing HRH's Web Site, we have had several people in our industry ask us who we are, and why are we offering this web site. To make a long story short, my name is Don Hawkins and I own a business called Other Peoples Properties, LLC of which we offer another web site that helps investors buy and sell their investment properties. I also formed Other Peoples Construction, Inc. of which I am a General Contractor that works on low-end investment properties. I was a member of The H.O.P.E. Team for several years which I left on the 8th of March of this year.

For the last two plus years, I have been part of a Bible study group Hands of Hope Ministries, Inc. at the Plainfield Correctional Facility (PCF), and I have been one of Judy Helms' mentors since just after the Plainfield ReEntry Educational Facility (PREF) opened. After Ms. Boyd asked me to sit in for her at one of the Plainfield Community Advisory Board Meetings, Superintendent Mike Lloyd (then Acting Superintendent) asked me to serve on the Community Advisory Board as an individual, I accepted. Since then, Superintendent Brett Mize of the Pendleton Correctional Facility has asked me to serve on their Community Advisory Board and help them expand their volunteer program which I am looking forward to helping out. And last month Khadijah Muhammad, the new Director of ReEntry, asked me to serve on Mayor Ballard's new Task Force for ReEntry, of which I am looking forward to working with her and Olgen Williams, the new Deputy Mayor. Why we are offering our web site is outlined on the front of our web site and in our brochures (Our Problem - Our Solution - Our Purpose & Goals).

Plan of Attack:

Phase I - is completed - It consisted of researching the industry and finding out if an All-in-One web site was actually needed in our industry. The answer is a resounding yes! There are a few web sites out there that list a small number of organizations for their own purposes, and there are several organizations that also have their own list of preferred providers, suppliers, etc. but they don't share that information. There is a 2-1-1 program called Connect 2 Help that is put together by the Indiana Public Library but it caters to all of the human and social services industry. It is much too big, too cumbersome, and not user friendly enough for most people to take advantage of, and the way they compile and display their data is not geared to our industry. The bottom line is that no one has catered to just the homeless and those in and out of the prison industry until we put together HRH's web site. And judging from the initial response that I have been getting, the sooner we finish it, the better. It is being greatly appreciated and we are just getting started.

Phase II – will consist of us finishing the web site that will include building the data base of almost 1,000 service providers in and around the Indianapolis and METRO area that service Central Indiana. This data base will allow the members of the general public, case workers, specialists, probation and parole officers, pastors, etc. to search for goods and services for those in need. When completed, HRH's web site will be the most complete, easy to use, up to date data base available anywhere.

When Phase II has been completed, HRH's Web Site will be able to be linked from the Mayor's web site, and the Indiana Department of Correction web site. Several service providers have also asked if they could add a link from our web site to their web site. I am having everyone hold off on the links until Phase II is completed. Phase II will also consist of

HRH calling on all service providers that will be listed on our web site and verifying all of their information. It is anticipated that Phase II will be completed within 60 days of funding.

When Phase II has been completed, we will complete “HRH’s Information Directory” that will be distributed, free of charge, to everyone coming out of Indiana’s prison system, and our city and county jail system. This directory will consist of limited information that is in our web site data base directing them to goods and services they will need to start getting back on their feet.

Phase III – will consist of us adding a confidential section to the web site allowing only case workers, specialists, probation and parole officers, service providers, etc. to access the additional information that is not accessible to the general public that we have compiled on jobs and housing for those in need. It will be login & password protected. Phase III will also consist of HRH calling on all churches and business organizations to expand our data base to build a bigger volunteer and contact information base for our Weekly Newsletter. It is anticipated that Phase III will be completed within 60 days from the time that Phase II is completed.

When Phase III has been completed, we will start setting up affiliate offices (at no overhead cost to HRH) utilizing existing neighborhood community centers that will be used to direct the homeless and those getting out of the prison system on “A What to Do, Who to Call, When You Need Help - Training Center - thru neighborhood Community Centers, Service Providers, and Prisons. HRH will provide 'On site & Away" training for those organizations who want to learn more about HRH's information and referral services for those in need and just out of prison.

Phase IV – will consist of us calling on potential businesses & business persons that can offer our service providers housing and jobs for their Homeless and ReEntry clients. We want to keep at least three people on the phone all year round securing jobs and housing for those in need.

Phase V – will consist of us marketing HRH’s services to other communities around the country as outlined above. We believe that there should be this type of combined web site and services available to all communities (metro areas) of 200,000 or more people.

18. Budget of Proposed Expenses:

See Excel Spread Sheet after our Weekly Newsletter below

Any questions concerning our Business Plan / Grant Application should be directed to:

Don Hawkins

Founder & Executive Director

Hawkins@IndianaHelpers.com | 317-777-3151 cell

If you cannot view the contents of this email, please [click here](#)

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HRH's Weekly Newsletter from www.IndianaHelpers.com - 23 February '09

Please pass this Newsletter on to others in Our Industry - This information is meant to be SHARED. Thank You.

Emailed to 1,850 email addresses in Our Industry. The deadline for our next Newsletter is the end of the day each Friday.

[Sign Up for Our Newsletter](#)

[HRH's Brochure](#)

[Submit Events & Suggestions](#)

[Sign Up Your Organization](#)

Editor's Notes

We have added over 700 organizations to our web site so far - with at least 150 more still to be added. If you don't want to wait until we call your organization for verification, please give us a call and we will assign you a log-in and password, and tell you how to add and/or change the information on your organizations file.

HRH Logo's are now available - We have had several service providers, government agencies, and church's ask if they could add a link from their web site to ours so persons going to their web site could find services available to help their members and clients. The answer of course is yes. If you want to use one of our logos, just copy it from the ["About HRH"](#) link.

HRH's Bulletin Boards - Sometime next week HRH will be introducing its new "Bulletin Board" section on our web site. Service Providers will be able to post jobs, housing, and other services they have available for those in need - Organizations can post items they may need for their clients, such as prisons may need cloths, or musical instruments, or an organization may need volunteers for an upcoming project - check back later for more details.

Our News You Can Use

The Indianapolis D.M.D. EXTENDS DEADLINE TO SUBMIT REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS - RFQS TO HELP DETERMINE HOW TO SPEND NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION FUNDS - Due to very high interest in the use of \$29 million in Neighborhood Stabilization Plan funds, The Department of Metropolitan Development (DMD) for the City of Indianapolis is extending the deadline for submitting responses to DMD's Requests for Qualifications (RFQ). The original deadline was March 2nd. The new deadline is March 16th, 2009. From the submissions the city will choose teams to partner with neighborhoods and other stakeholders to develop and implement specific projects. The City encourages partnerships with minority, women, and veteran-owned businesses. RFQs are available at the City's website www.Indy.gov, go to the DMD home page, click on community development and scroll down for the plan and RFQ.

Our Events Calendar

23Feb09 - The Hospitality Certification Program - is a 10-week class that teaches homeless or formerly-homeless participants a variety of skills, ranging from soft skills like customer service to more technical ones. The program begins the week of February 23rd. At the end, graduates will receive a certificate verifying they have the training needed to land a job. | For more information, contact: Sarah Cleveland, Care Coordinator, Hospitality Certification Program | 317-931-3055 # 1762
sarah.cleveland@clarian.org

20Mar09 - Indy Homeless Connect presented by C.H.I.P. - Indiana Convention Center between 9: AM & 4: PM | For more information visit [CHIP's Web Site](#).

30Mar09 thru 5Apr09 - Spring College Tour 2009 - YMCA Urban Mission Branch is sponsoring this years Spring College Tour. | For additional information, contact: Nicole Rowan, 615 North Alabama Street, #400, Indianapolis, IN 46204 | 317-713-8574 voice, 317-269-6068 fax nrowan@indymca.org | [Download a Flyer](#)

1-3Apr09 - Peace in the Streets, Citywide Crime Prevention Youth Conference - Sponsored by Christamore House Family and Community Center | George Washington Community School | Youth in 5th thru 10th grade |

For more information, please contact Jimmie Harrington at 317-635-7111 #230 | [Download additional information](#)

26Apr09 - HVAF of Indiana, Inc.'s 3rd Annual Walk/Jog-a-Thon - to Benefit Homeless Veterans and Families will be held on Sunday, at 964 N. Pennsylvania St. Registration will begin at 9:00 am. For more information please contact Tina Shelley at 951-0688 # 227, or by email at tshelley@hvaf.org.

[Our Job Fairs Calendar & Classified Ads for Jobs](#)

4Mar09 - Workshops to find jobs - Adults are invited to a hands-on library workshop on using the Internet to find a job. Included will be instruction on the best websites and library resources for resumes, cover letters, interviewing, and job openings. This program will be held in the Computer Training Lab at Central Library, 40 E. St. Clair St., during the following dates from 9:30 to 11:30 AM: Wednesday, March 4th - Wednesday, April 1st - Wednesday, May 6th - Wednesday, June 3rd.

22Apr09 - Operation: Hire A Hoosier Vet career fair - will be held at Stout Field, Building #9 in Indianapolis on Wednesday the 22nd of April from 0900 hours - 1500 hours | For more details, please contact 317-988-2415 | [Download a flyer](#)

For Jobs & Employment (Careers), click here: [WorkOne's IndianaCareerConnect.com](#) | [IN DOC Job Fairs](#) | [State of IN Jobs](#) | [City of Indy & M/C Jobs](#) | [Indy Star \(CareerBuilder\) - Jobs in Indy](#) | [NUVO - Jobs in Indy](#) | [American Classified - Jobs in Indy](#) | [Kijiji - Jobs in Indy](#) | [Indianapolis Recorder - Jobs in Indy](#) | [Indy Employment Guide - Jobs in Indy](#) | [Indiana Job Fairs](#) | [Other Jobs Web Sites](#) | [Monster - Jobs Nationwide](#) | [Connect2Help Job Search Suggestions](#) | **Remember, Temporary & Part-Time Jobs can lead to Gainful and Full-Time Employment.**

[Our Quick Topics Page](#)

Our [Quick Topics - Print Out Page](#) is a list of Topics that can be printed out for easy reference. This "Single Source" information page contains information from Adoption, Aids/HIV to Victim Assistance & Voters Registration. **You can print it and carry it with you for easy reference.**

[Our State Legislators & Government Officials Web Sites](#)

Do you want or need to contact one of your elected officials? Click on the link to their web site.

[Indiana Governor Mitch Daniels](#) | [Indianapolis Mayor Gregory Ballard](#) | [Senator Richard Lugar](#) | [Senator Evan Bayh](#) | [Congressman Dan Burton, Indiana's 5th District](#) | [Congressman Andre Carson, Indiana's 7th District](#) | [Congressman Mike Pence, Indiana's 6th District](#) |

[Our Helpers Press Releases - They would like for you to read..](#)

[Office of the Mayor](#) | [City County Council](#)

[Our Helpers Calendars & Newsletters - They would like for you to read.](#)

[WorkOne - East](#) | [WorkOne - West](#) | [Wayne Township Schools - Adult Basic Education 3Sep08 thru 31Jan09](#) | [Warren Township's latest Newsletter](#) | [Business Ownership Initiative - Upcoming Schedule of Work Shops](#) | [CHIP's 3rd Quarter Newsletter](#) | [Charitable Advisors - latest Not-for-Profit E-Newsletter](#) | [McCoy - latest Newsletter](#) | [Justice Center, ReEntry Policy Council - latest Newsletter](#) | [HVAF of Indiana](#) |

[Our Helpers Regularly Scheduled Meetings - They would like for you to attend](#)

Meets Weekly - [M.O.V.E.](#) |

Meets Monthly - | [C.H.I.P.](#) - [C.H.I.P.'s Calendar](#) |

[Our Research & Reference Info - The more you know, the more you can help.](#)

Need information on the Homeless and/or ReEntry Industry? Click out: [Our Research & Reference Page](#)

[Our Needs - Our Helpers need Help Too!](#)

IWP CHAPEL NEEDS A LARGER TV, SCREEN, PROJECTOR AND CHOIR ROBES - Indiana Women's Prison - could use a newer larger screen television for the PLUS unit. The PLUS Program is held in the chapel and they use DVD's for training classes and their existing TV is much too small. The chapel

is also looking for screen dividers and a projector for PowerPoint. They also need new choir robes. | If you can help IWP with any of these items please contact Catherine Bowie at 317- 317-639-2671 #256, or email her at CBowie@idoc.IN.gov.

ARTS & CRAFTS TEACHERS / INSTRUCTORS -

Plainfield Correctional Facility (PCF or IYC) - 1) Arts and Craft Leader/Teacher Needed - to help our PLUS program with Community Service Projects. 2) Volunteers & Mentors - to help our PLUS Program participants. | Please contact Tracey Ridge, Program Director | tridge@idoc.in.gov, or call 317-839-2513 # 1371 or # 1501.

FEED THE HOMELESS -

Meet Me Under The Bridge - On Sunday afternoons a group of volunteers team up to feed the homeless at Willard Park in the downtown area. They start feeding at 3:00 pm. All the food is hot and homemade by their group. After they are done there they move to Washington and Rural to the parking lot at the library. They are currently feeding between 150 & 200 people every Sunday. If you are interested in helping out, and you want more information please don't hesitate to contact Kim at 317-222-8741, or email her at: always_pray@comcast.net.

MUSIC TEACHER & Blue Jeans (sizes 32 thru 38) -

The Pendleton Correctional Facility - Volunteers that can teach musical instruments, especially give guitar lessons, and *any kind of musical Instruments* you may have that are still in good working order that you may want to donate to the prison - they are also looking for all types of arts and crafts supplies for their Arts and Crafts classes. | Please contact Wayne Scaife, Community Services Director at WScaife@idoc.IN.gov.

To Find Out Who Else Needs: VOLUNTEERS - NURSERY ITEMS - CANDY - HYGIENE ITEMS - MEN'S CLOTHES - TEACHERS, TUTORS, MENTORS & INSTRUCTORS - [Please Visit Our Needs Page.](#)

Volunteers & Helpers Always Needed - WE NEED YOUR HELP!

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