

—CREATING CHANGE THAT LASTS—  
**IN THE MERRIMACK VALLEY**



**PARTNERING  
FOR IMPACT**

**\$970,500**

to 21 Merrimack Valley partners including



**Lawrence Financial Stability Center**



**\$320,000**

**TO ADDRESS INCOME INEQUALITY** with a multi-year commitment to operate the Lawrence Financial Stability Center in partnership with Lawrence CommunityWorks.

**\$355,200**

distributed in partnership with the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care to 63 high quality early childhood programs in the Merrimack Valley, increasing school readiness.



**ENSURING  
SCHOOL SUCCESS**

**800**

**STUDENTS FROM  
LAWRENCE AND LOWELL**

participated in our 2015 Summer Learning Collaborative, which improves literacy skills.



**\$100,000**

to provide 2,000 youth with enrichment programs and employment opportunities through Summer Experiences in Greater Lowell.



**\$120,000**

**IN SCHOLARSHIPS** awarded to 12 Merrimack Valley students, often the first in their families to attend college.



**STRENGTHENING  
FAMILIES**

**\$3.3 MILLION**

returned to low-income families in the Merrimack Valley via free tax preparation services focused on filing for the Earned Income Tax Credit, Child Care and Education Tax Credits.



**\$111,000**

in emergency financial assistance to Merrimack Valley families through Community Teamwork Inc., Greater Lawrence Community Action Council and Merrimack Valley Food Bank.

**500 FAMILIES**

received Thanksgiving meal packages.



**United Way of Massachusetts Bay  
and Merrimack Valley**

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# We're partnering with these community-based organizations to create change that lasts in the Merrimack Valley:

Boys and Girls Club of Greater Lowell  
Boys and Girls Club of Lawrence  
Boys and Girls Club of Lower Merrimack Valley  
Boys and Girls Club of Greater Haverhill  
Community Action, Inc,  
Community Teamwork, Inc.  
Emmaus, Inc  
Family Services of the Merrimack Valley  
Girls Inc. of Haverhill  
Girls Incorporated of Greater Lowell  
Greater Lawrence Community Action Council  
Lawrence CommunityWorks  
Mental Health Association of Greater Lowell, Inc.  
Merrimack Valley YMCA  
St. Ann's Home and School  
The Community Group  
United Teen Equality Center  
YouthBuild Lawrence  
YWCA Haverhill  
YWCA of Greater Lawrence  
YWCA of Lowell

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