



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

**Mission:** The Volunteer Center is committed to providing individuals with opportunities for meaningful volunteer experiences that benefit the community.

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**2021 Annual Report**

**SIGNATURE PROGRAMS**

COATS FOR KIDS

7,092 children's winter coats, hats & gloves distributed at over 93 local schools and nonprofit agencies.

INCOME TAX PREPARATION—VITA PROGRAM

- 1,944 Income tax returns prepared in Allen County /Over \$2.4 million in tax refunds to local low to moderate income families in our community.

SECOND CHANCE LEGAL INITIATIVE

- 78 low to moderate income Individuals assisted with Expungement of criminal records, a major barrier to better housing, employment and education.

**VOLUNTEER ACTIVITY**

<b>Volunteers:</b>	<b>1,822</b>
<b>Volunteer Hours Served in 2021:</b>	<b>74,955</b>
<b>Dollar value of volunteer service:</b>	<b>\$2,139,215</b>
<b>Number of community partner agencies that received volunteer services:</b>	<b>114</b>

**By the Numbers**

**End of fiscal year net assets: \$221,598**

