Way approached me about giving back. Columbia has always been good to me and I have a duty to return the favor by giving back to the community. Over the last four months, we will enable our community to achieve a minimum wage increase of $15,000 for nonprofit organizations. We will work with local businesses to create a more inclusive economy, reducing income inequality and increasing access to economic opportunities for all. We will focus on increasing educational outcomes and opportunities for young people. We will also work to reduce poverty rates in Boone County by 25%. This type of support has already demonstrated results in other communities. We will continue to invest in evidence-based solutions that have a proven track record of success. We are committed to solving the root causes of poverty in our community and to creating a more equitable future for all. Thank you for your support of Heart of Missouri United Way and in Heart of Missouri United Way!

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Making a lasting impact

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For the Heart of Missouri United Way’s Board of Directors.

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United to improve economic mobility

I would be hard pressed to find a single organization whose allocations process is so critical and as rigorous as that of Heart of Missouri United Way. From February to April, the council meets for all six allocations process, guiding the community to a total of 462 hours of help to ensure that social equity is preserved throughout the allocations process, guided by the board of directors, which had the opportunity to sit in on the meetings and vote on the decisions. The council also has a primary focus on the needs of children born into poverty in Harris County, where low-income families are all struggling to recover from Hurricane Harvey, are still twice as likely to eventually climb the economic ladder than they were a generation ago.

Rigorous allocations process guides funding decision

The advisory council meets every quarter to discuss the needs of those served and help those who are necessary for employment opportunities and quality, and sustain employment, by building skills that lead to income increases and financial security. Security by the low unemployment rate, we are currently seeing is positive. The issues presented with this increased mobility continue and there are concerns that we will improve them when we are talking about the community. Now is the perfect time to support this workforce because they are already positioned to live up to your expectations.

We can provide you with a list of events that we have hosted supported by United Way. We are working on gathering knowledge and expertise to improve our collective effort and United Way stronger. I’m so pleased to see that with the support of United Way will remain an ever-evolving process.

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Community Impact: Education - Health - Financial Stability - Basic Needs

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ALZHEIMERS ASSOCIATION OF GREATER MISSOURI
AMERICAN RED CROSS EASTERN MISSOURI REGION
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF CENTRAL MISSOURI*
BOONSLICK HEARTLAND YMCA — COOPER COUNTY*
BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS OF THE COLUMBIA AREA*
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA - GREAT RIVERS COUNCIL
CENTRAL MISSOURI AREA AGENCY ON AGING
CENTRAL MISSOURI COMMUNITY ACTION
CENTRAL MISSOURI FOSTER CARE AND ADOPTION ASSOCIATION*
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COLUMBIA HOUSING AUTHORITY LOW-INCOME SERVICES*
COMO YOUTH WORKS
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EASTERSEALS MIDWEST
FAMILY COUNSELING CENTER OF MISSOURI INC.*
FAMILY HEALTH CENTER*
FIRST CHANCE FOR CHILDREN*
FUN CITY YOUTH ACADEMY*
GIRLS ON THE RUN
GIRLS SCOUTS OF THE MISSOURI HEARTLAND
GRADE A PLUS, INC.*
GREAT CIRCLE*
HARRISBURG EARLY LEARNING CENTER*
HARVEST HOUSE — COOPER COUNTY*
HEART OF MISSOURI CASA*
INZACTION
JABBERWOCKY STUDIOS*
JOB POINT*
LIFE NETWORK OF CENTRAL MISSOURI
LOVE INC*
LUTHERAN FAMILY & CHILDREN'S SERVICES*
MARY LEE JOHNSTON COMMUNITY LEARNING CENTER*
MEALS ON WHEELS
MID-MISSOURI LEGAL SERVICES CORP.*
NORA STEWART EARLY LEARNING CENTER*
PEDNET COALITION, INC.
PHOENIX HEALTH PROGRAMS*
RAINBOW HOUSE*
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SOUTHERN BOONE AREA YMCA
ST. RAYMOND’S SOCIETY
THE BLUFFS
THE FOOD BANK FOR CENTRAL & NORTHEAST MISSOURI*
THE SALVATION ARMY*
TRUE NORTH*
TURNING POINT*
UNITED CEREBRAL PALSY HEARTLAND CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER
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UPCOMING EVENT DATES

June 13, 2019 5-7pm Rock Paper Scissors Tournament Logboat Brewery
July 25, 2019 5-7pm United Way Stakeholders Networking Event ADULT DAY CONNECTION • OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
September 6, 2019 Campaign Kick-off and Day of Caring
October 19, 2019 United Way Party at the Station OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
October 23, 2019 Community Summit OPEN TO THE PUBLIC
November 21, 2019 LIVE UNITED Day