Funds Distribution Report

CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

8802 27th Ave NE Tulalip, WA 98271

TulalipCares.org

Recipient Organization:

Multi-Service Center

Address:

1200 S 336th St Federal Way, WA 98003

Contact:

(253) 838-6810

https://www.mschelps.org

Organization's General Goals:

Multi-Service Center is building a future without poverty by creating pathways to help, hope, and dignity for our neighbors.

Date of Award: Level:

2022 Q4 \$500 to \$2,500

For more information, please read the attached report from Multi-Service Center.



December 1, 2023

Marilyn Sheldon, Director Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions 8802 27th Avenue NE Tulalip WA 98271-9694 msheldon@tulaliptribes-nsn.gov

RE: Multi-Service Center Q4 2022 14.2 URL: https://mschelps.org/

Dear Marilyn,

Multi-Service Center (MSC) appreciates your support of our work in the community to provide critical financial assistance to families staying at our shelter in ways that were not possible through other funding sources.

Some of the things we were able to do with the funding provided included:

- Funding from Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions provided new bedding (because this space had enough beds for everyone in the family) and cleaning supplies for a family as they entered the shelter. Incidentally, our case manager at the shelter negotiated with this family's former landlord to decrease the overall amount of their rent arrears and assisted them with the resources they needed to decrease their overall debt, which will aid in their ability to secure housing on their own when they are ready.
- Nadira is a new mother who didn't have the internet access or knowledge of the system to be able to obtain the birth certificate and social security card for her new baby. Case management staff scheduled an in-person meeting with her at the community center space, keyed in all the information on the Dept of Health's website and paid the fees to obtain a certified birth certificate and social security card for the new baby. Taking this step not only provided necessary documentation for the new baby, but secured Nadira's place in the federal Housing Choice Voucher program and opened up other local services available for babies and new mothers.

From January 2023 through November 2023, MSC provided 3,982 bed nights for families in 15 units comprising our family shelter. MSC served 55 individual people during this time, some families staying a number of months, others ready to move to permanent housing in one or two months, depending on their individual situation. MSC's case manager provided 220 hours of case management hours to these families during this time.

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We initiated a craft project with some of the children at the shelter to show our appreciation. Attached is a photo of some of the artwork the children created in thanks for your support.

Thanks again for your continued partnership. Please contact us if you need anything further.

Sincerely,

Anne Anderson Grants Manager Multi-Service Center annea@mschelps.org (253) 838-6810

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