

# OUR MISSION IS SIMPLE: TO PROMOTE VOLUNTEERISM ACROSS THE STATE.

2019 IMPACT REPORT



VOLUNTEER WEST VIRGINIA,  
the state's Commission for National and  
Community Service, challenges West Virginians  
to strengthen their communities through  
service and volunteerism. We identify and  
mobilize resources, promote an ethic of service,  
and empower communities to solve problems  
and improve the quality of life for individuals  
and families.



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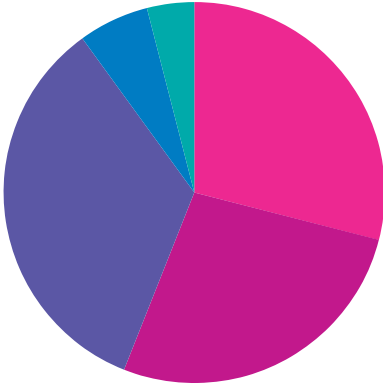
# WE BELIEVE IN GIVING TAXPAYERS THEIR MONEY'S WORTH.



In 2019, for every state dollar invested in Volunteer West Virginia, the state received an additional \$19.60 from federal, local, and private sources.

2019  
OPERATIONAL & TRAINING  
FUNDING SOURCES

TOTAL  
**\$1,354,889**



STATE LOTTERY FUNDS  
\$374,980

FEDERAL OPERATING FUNDS  
\$377,295

FEDERAL TRAINING FUNDS  
\$449,899

DISASTER SERVICES FUNDS  
\$72,500

PRIVATE / OTHER  
\$80,215

2019  
GRANTS TO COMMUNITIES

TOTAL  
**\$7,824,178**



STRENGTHENING VOLUNTEERISM  
& NONPROFITS  
\$916,866

HEALTHY FUTURES  
\$2,006,991

EDUCATION  
\$2,770,420

VETERANS & MILITARY FAMILIES  
\$845,304

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT  
& PUBLIC LANDS  
\$1,284,597

# OUR GOALS

1.

MAKE IT EASIER  
FOR WEST  
VIRGINIANS  
TO VOLUNTEER.

2.

PROVIDE FUNDING  
AND SUPPORT TO  
AMERICORPS  
PROGRAMS.

3.

SUPPORT AND  
STRENGTHEN  
WEST VIRGINIA'S  
NONPROFITS  
& VOLUNTEER  
PROGRAMS.



## 2019 AMERICORPS PROGRAMS



# THIS YEAR MARKED THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF AMERICORPS IN WEST VIRGINIA

Over the past 25 years, more than 13,000 West Virginia residents have served in AmeriCorps, earning more than \$32.4 million in Education Awards.



AmeriCorps volunteers:



**TUTOR AND MENTOR YOUTH**



**PROVIDE CHILDREN WITH NUTRITIOUS MEALS**



**GROW LOCAL FOOD**



**PRESERVE HISTORIC TOWNS**



**RECRUIT AND MANAGE VOLUNTEERS**

And so much more!

Many AmeriCorps volunteers serve in their hometowns, while others come from across the country to make West Virginia their home for the year.

In exchange for a year of service, AmeriCorps members receive valuable career experience, a living allowance, and an Education Award.





# OUR 2019 IMPACT

## VOLUNTEER WEST VIRGINIA

**OVER 10,000 VOLUNTEERS**  
recruited and managed.

**600 SERVICE PROJECTS**  
coordinated.

**OVER 15,000  
VOLUNTEER HOURS**  
leveraged, valued at \$3.3 Million.

**53 COUNTIES**  
reached by Volunteer West Virginia  
programming.

**6 VOLUNTEER CENTERS**  
supported.

## WEST VIRGINIA AMERICORPS

**WEST VIRGINIA  
RANKED 2ND NATIONALLY**  
for enrolling AmeriCorps members.

**OVER 1,000**  
AmeriCorps positions filled.

**OVER \$2.3 MILLION**  
earned by AmeriCorps members in  
Segal Education Scholarships.

**FOR A LIST  
OF 2019 GRANT  
RECIPIENTS VISIT  
[VOLUNTEERWV.ORG](http://VOLUNTEERWV.ORG)**

## AMERICORPS VOLUNTEERS

**238,000 HEALTHY MEALS**  
provided.

**48,449 YOUTH**  
served.

**790 ACRES**  
of public land improved.

**OVER 1,300 VETERANS**  
and military families helped.

**359 EDUCATION SITES**  
served.

**436 STUDENTS HELPED**  
graduate through high-school  
credit recovery.

## Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Volunteers DISASTER SERVICES

**2,237 HOURS**  
invested in the community.

**112 PREPAREDNESS EVENTS**  
hosted throughout the state.

**5,400 PEOPLE REACHED**  
through preparedness events.

