Why UWGRR

Our Mission

Uniting people and resources to build a stronger community.

Our Vision

UWGRR will be champions of our community, empowering individuals and improving lives, while striving for **IDEALS** that facilitate lasting, positive change.

Our Values

Integrity ~ We practice care, compassion and honesty in the stewardship of resources and relationships entrusted to us by our community.

Diversity ~ We value each person's unique gifts that strengthen our community through individual experiences, skills and resources.

Excellence ~ We focus on achieving the highest standards of organizational excellence and are committed to achieving our mission and vision.

Accountability ~ We ensure effective, responsible, equitable and ethical management of the resources given to us by our community.

Leadership ~ We present a strong, united voice that inspires people to build a better, more self-sufficient community.

Solutions ~ We work collaboratively, effectively and strategically to improve local health and human service needs, while creating a caring and responsive community.







AmeriCorps Seniors, formerly RSVP, is a volunteer program that provides service opportunities for people 55 and older who want to remain active and involved in their communities.

AmeriCorps Seniors volunteers are making a difference in the lives of the individuals they serve, while also strengthening their communities.

Literacy & Education Tutor and Mentor Students of all ages to help them be successful and productive members of the community. Join the Reading Program.

Healthy Futures Deliver meals to home-bound elderly, grocery shop for those who are ill or disabled, work in the Food Pantry and make a difference in someone's life.

Over 20 Volunteer Opportunities

- Food Pantry
- Long Term Care
- Library Aide
- Facality
- Art Center Attendant So much more...

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United Way of the **Great River Region** Serving Clark, Hancock, & Lee Counties



Three Counties. Three Priorities. One Common Goal.

EDUCATION

HELPING CHILDREN AND YOUTH ACHIEVE THEIR POTENTIAL THROUGH EDUCATION

- » Improving access to quality, affordable child care and early learning opportunities
- » Partnering with schools to implement literacy programs using community volunteers
- » Providing after-school and mentoring programs for atrisk youth

HEALTH

IMPROVING PEOPLE'S HEALTH

- » Increasing access to critical mental health and health care services
- » Reducing substance abuse, child abuse and domestic violence
- » Increasing health education and preventive care
- » Preparing our community to respond to crisis and disasters

INCOME

HELPING FAMILIES BECOME FINANCIALLY STABLE AND INDEPENDENT

- » Providing food, rent and utility assistance for families in crisis
- » Providing free tax preparation and Earned Income Tax Credit information through the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program
- » Increasing available services for seniors and families

GIVE.

The I stands for investment and impact. Give where you live.

- Workplace campaigns are an easy, powerful way to invest in your community
- Every gift, large or small, makes a difference

ADVOCATE.

United Way needs people who are passionate about education, financial stability, and health.

- Get informed
- Tell your friends
- Support local causes

VOLUNTEER.

United Way encourages volunteering in your community.

- Use your time and talents
- Be involved in your favorite cause or local organization
- Make connections