

#### A NOTE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Dear Friends,

YWCA of Central Virginia is delighted to present to you the 2018 - 2019 Annual Report for the past fiscal year. The mission of the YWCA to call for the elimination of racism, the empowerment of women, and the promotion of peace, justice, freedom, and dignity for all.

This organization is focused on creating safe and secure places for members of our community. The Domestic Violence Prevention Program continues to thrive in our community and provide key resources for the women, children, and men who are survivors of domestic violence in Central Virginia. The Sexual Assault Response Program (SARP) furthers our work in health and safety by providing critical resources for Central Virginians who are victims of sexual assault. Finally, our Town Center Women's Residential Housing Program is the only housing created for low-income single women, and we have been continuously housing members of our community since 1918!

As we look back on the last year, we are overwhelmed with thankfulness for the excellent staff who work day in and day out to provide direct services to our community, but we are also overwhelmed with gratitude for our donors and supporters whose generosity allows us to do this needed work. On behalf of our clients, staff, and volunteers, thank you for making the YWCA of Central Virginia one of your priorities. You are helping to eliminate racism and empower women each and every day.

STEPHANIE ANDREWS, PRESIDENT, BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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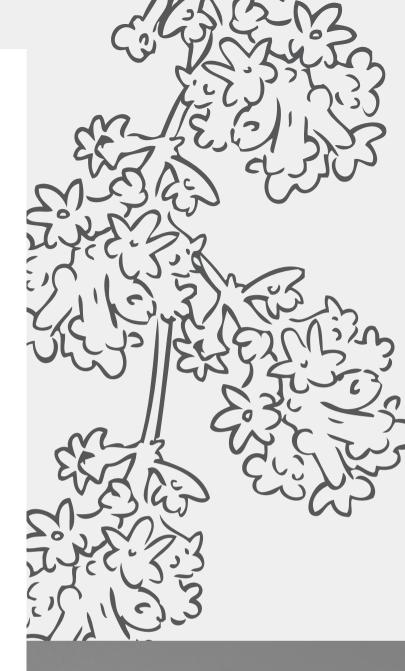
**YWCA IS ON A MISSION** 

#### WHO WE ARE

The YWCA is the oldest and largest multicultural women's organization in the world.

YWCA of Central Virginia was founded in 1912 by an amazing group of women. These same women went on to raise the funds to erect a building that would provide safe and affordable housing for women and would support the mission of the YW throughout the community. In 1918, our Town Center building in the City of Lynchburg opened its doors and we have been opening doors for the women, children, and families of Central Virginia ever since. In fact, the YWCA has never closed; not one day in over 105 years!

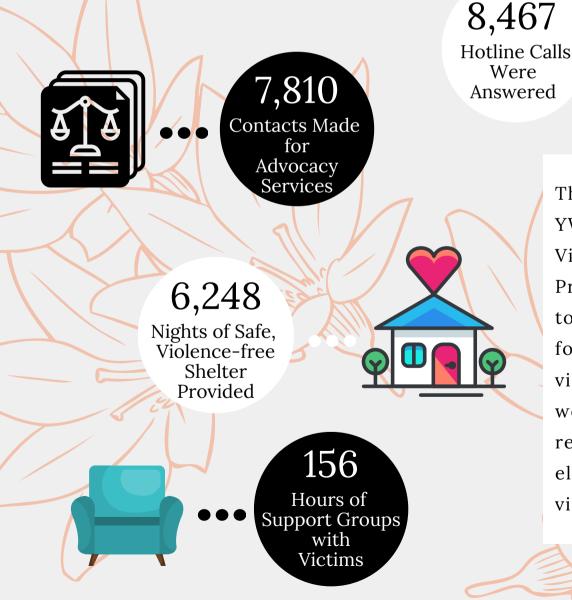
Since 1912 the YWCA has grown and adapted to meet the needs of our community. Today we serve thousands of women, girls, men, boys, and families each year through our programs, opening doors every day. Our service area encompasses seven counties and two cities; an area of 4,440 square miles with a population of over 410,000 community members.





# DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAM

#### JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019



The mission of the YWCA Domestic Violence Prevention Program (DVPP) is to provide support for domestic violence victims and work toward the reduction and elimination of family violence.

On average, nearly 20 people per minute are physically abused by an intimate partner in the United States. - National Coalition Against Domestic Violence

# SEXUAL ASSAULT RESPONSE PROGRAM

#### JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019

6 Deduplicated Survivors Served in Central VA

> The mission of the YWCA Sexual Assault Response Program (SARP) is to ensure that survivors of sexual violence are provided the opportunity and means with which to recover from physical and psychological trauma.

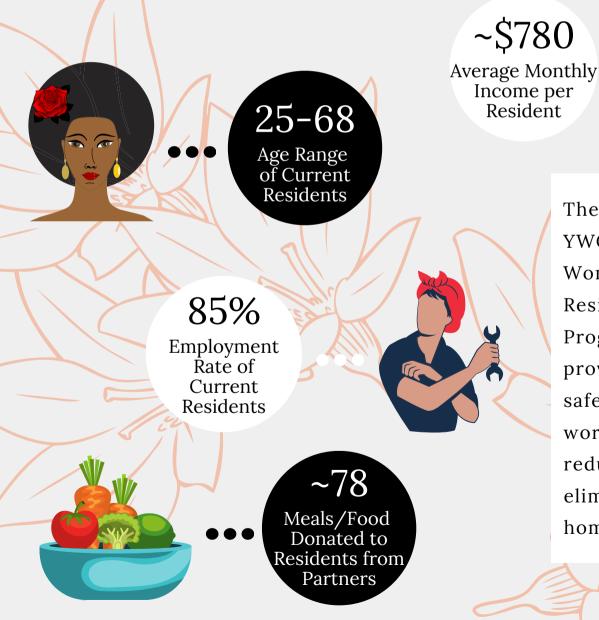
Provide Crisis Services Hotline Calls Answered Provide Crisis Services 115 Hours of Support Groups with Victims

1,069

Every 98 seconds, an American is sexually assaulted. And every 11 minutes, that victim is a child.- RAINN

### TOWN CENTER RESIDENTIAL HOUSING PROGRAM

JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019



The mission of the YWCA Town Center Women's Residential Housing Program is to provide affordable, safe housing and work towards the reduction and elimination of homelessness.

Housing is absolutely essential to human flourishing. Without stable shelter, it all falls apart. - Matthew Desmond

## RACIAL EQUITY & SOCIAL JUSTICE

#### JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019



RACIAL JUSTICE AND HARMONY WALK



#### 21ST ANNUAL WALK

YWCA of Central Virginia celebrated its 21st Annual Side By Side for Racial Justice and Harmony Walk in April of 2018! This walk is an important way to bring attention to racial justice while bringing the community together.



### CHURCH STREET BRIDAL

#### JULY 1, 2018 - JUNE 30, 2019

285 Gowns Sold

> ~400 Brides Helped



HOURS OF OPERATION Monday CLOSED Tuesday: 3:00-6:00pm Wednesday: 3:00-6:00pm Thursday: 3:00-6:00pm Friday: 3:00-6:00pm Saturday: 10:00-4:00pm Sunday: CLOSED

#### THANK YOU TO OUR GOWN DONORS

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### **PURSE & PASSION** DINNER & SILENT AUCTION

#### OCTOBER 25, 2018 | 6PM OAKWOOD COUNTRY CLUB

\$8.5k Funds Raised for YWCA Programs

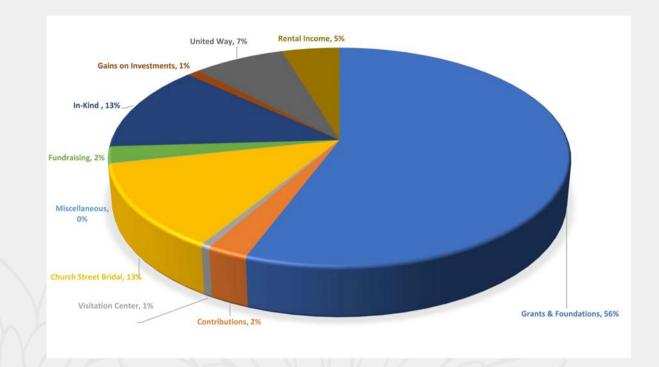
Purse and Passion is a fun and fabulous event to support YWCA of Central Virginia and its programs that contribute to the community. Guests enjoy an exciting time out with community, family, and new friends while bidding to purchase unique or designer purses & more!

Dollars raised will enable YWCA to continue its mission and work right here in the community. YWCA is a501(c)3 organization, so your sponsorship is tax deductible. ~30 Sponsors & In-kind donors



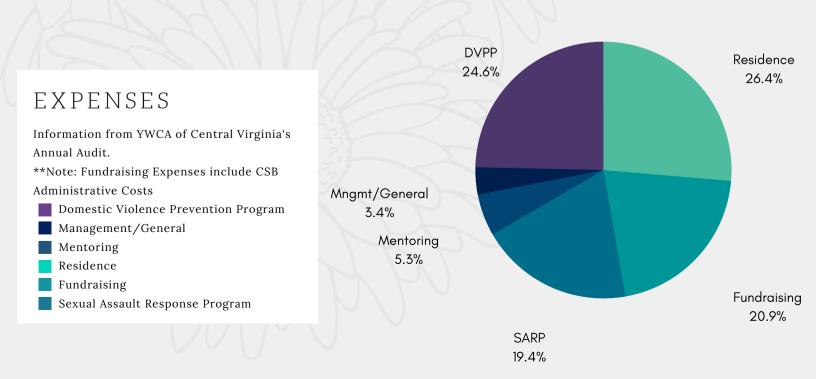
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#### FINANCIAL OVERVIEW



#### REVENUE

Total Revenues including Public Support. \*\* Information from YWCA of Central Virginia's Annual Audit. Grants & Foundations | 56% United Way | 7% Contributions | 2% Rental Income | 5% Visitation Center | 1% Church Street Bridal | 13% Miscellaneous | 0.01% Fundraising | 2% In-Kind Rent & Donations | 13% Gains on Investments | 1%





#### COMMUNITY SUPPORT

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CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

YWCA of Central Virginia would like to sincerely thank the following community partners who allow us to serve in this community:

Amherst County Commonwealth Attorney Amherst County Victim Witness Assistance Program Amherst County Sheriff's Office Amherst Department of Social Services Appomattox County Commonwealth Attorney Appomattox County Victim Witness Assistance Program Appomattox County Sheriff's Office Appomattox Department of Social Services Bedford County Commonwealth Attorney Bedford Victim Witness Assistance Program Bedford County Sheriff's Office Bedford Department of Social Services Campbell County Commonwealth Attorney Campbell County Victim Witness Assistance Program Campbell County Sheriff's Department Campbell County Department of Social Services Central Virginia Community College Court Services Unit of the 24th Judicial District Danville City Commonwealth Attorney Danville City Victim Witness Assistance Program Danville City Police Department Danville City Department of Social Services Danville Community College Halifax County Commonwealth's Attorney Halifax County Sheriff's Department

