

2023 COMMUNITY IMPACT REPORT



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Pictured is vibrant produce from the SCIO farmers market in Sheboygan. A new program in 2023, our vendors donated 2,778 pounds of produce to the Food Bank of Sheboygan County to help support neighbors experiencing food insecurity. The value of this donation is \$3,445.

Letter from the Executive Director:

As we reflect on the milestones and challenges of the past year, I am compelled to share with you our renewed commitment to re-centering our organization's mission and vision. In our pursuit of excellence, it is imperative that we continually assess our direction, ensuring that we remain aligned with our core values and objectives.

Re-centering is not merely about recalibrating our strategies; it is about reaffirming our purpose and realigning our efforts to meet the evolving needs of our stakeholders. It is a deliberate process of introspection and adaptation, guided by the understanding that staying true to our mission requires constant vigilance and adaptability.

Throughout this journey, we have sought to engage with our stakeholders in meaningful dialogue, listening intently to their perspectives and aspirations. This collaborative approach has provided invaluable insights, allowing us to better understand the challenges and opportunities that lie ahead.

As we look to the future, re-centering will serve as our guiding principle, guiding us as we navigate the complexities of our ever-changing landscape. It will inspire us to challenge the status quo, embrace innovation, and pursue excellence in all that we do.

I am immensely proud of the dedication and resilience demonstrated by our team during this transformative period. Together, we will continue to uphold the values that define us, empowering us to realize our shared vision of a brighter, more sustainable future.

Thank you for your unwavering support as we embark on this journey of re-centering and renewal, and look forward to celebrating 35 years of community impact in 2024.



2023: A YEAR OF RE-CENTERING



BRIDGEWAY & BEYOND TRANSITIONAL LIVING PROGRAM:

For homeless women with children

4,775

Individual
nights of
shelter



100%

Secured counseling
while in the
Bridgeway Program



264
Clients

Served through
aftercare and
outreach case
management



88%

Residents employed
or working on career
preparedness



“Bridgeway taught me that sometimes you have to take things a week at a time, and if you can’t, do it one day at a time or an hour at a time if necessary”.

— Kelly, former resident who passed away from medical complications in early 2024. Loved and missed.

**28 Moms
& Kids**

Called Bridgeway
“home”



FARMERS MARKET:



3 Markets: Fountain Park Sheboygan

Downtown Plymouth

First Congregational Church UCC (Winter)

**Over
67,000
attendees**



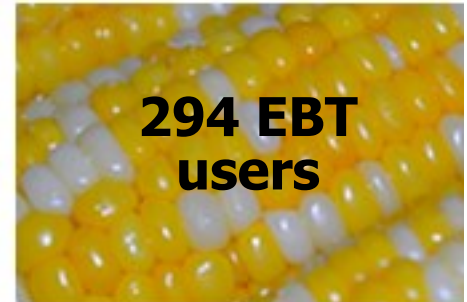
**593
low-income
families
served**



**Vendor sales
reported over
\$200,000**



**294 EBT
users**



**711 food share
transactions**



**Over
\$20,000 in
food share
sales**



FAMILY PATHWAYS: Supervised Visitation



306
completed visits

"I really appreciate the kindness and hospitality of the staff. Thank you for allowing the half-siblings to be present—that has been helpful for my daughter".

—Custodial parent

17 + 29 = 459

Visiting
Parents

Children

Hours of
Making
Memories



**75% of 2023
program participants
moved to less
restrictive visits**

OUR 2023 FINANCIALS:

9,263.00 Giving Tuesday Donations + **\$7,000** Anonymous Matches = **\$16,263** Total 1 Day Event

\$59,901

Individual Donations

\$26,284

Spring Gala & Auction
Net Income

\$4,624

Fall Fundraiser
Net Income

Profit & Loss Summary

01/01/2023—12/31/2023

Total Income	\$382,122
Total Expenses	<u>\$349,496</u>
Net Ordinary Income	\$32,626

Assets

Operating Cash	\$92,961
Restricted Cash	\$25,937
Permanent Savings	\$11,036
Restricted Savings	\$25,554
Accounts Receivable	\$2,205
Other Current Assets	\$51,494
Fixed Assets	<u>\$309,409</u>
Total Assets	\$518,600

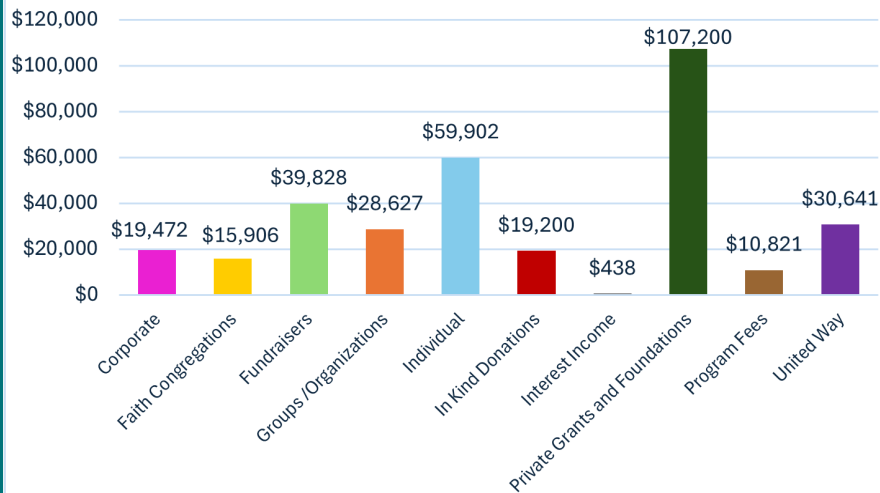
Liabilities

Accounts Payable	\$7,000
Other Current Liabilities	\$22,624
Mortgage	\$13,363
Other Long Term & Equity	\$475,613
Total Liabilities	\$518,600

GREEN BAY PACKERS FOUNDATION

Grant awarded to support Bridgeway operations

SCIO 2023 Donation Summary



November 1st and 2nd, 2023

SCIO opened its doors to the public for our coat drive.
We helped over 50 neighbors with coats, hats, scarves, and socks!



OUR FINANCIAL PARTNERS:

\$10,001 +

Acuity
Anonymous
Julie & Brian French
Otto Bremer Trust
United Way

\$5,001-10,000

Anonymous
Frank G. & Frieda K.
Brotz Family Foundation
First United Lutheran
ELCA
HSHS St Nicholas
Hospital
WM Collins Kohler
Foundation

\$1,001—5,000

Anonymous
Archdiocese of
Milwaukee
Tom & Diane Belot
Blessed Trinity
Congregation
Catch-22 Creative Inc
Church World
Service Inc.
Martin & Jill Crneckiy
First Congregational
UCC
Garton Family
Foundation
Lou & Michele Gentine
Greater Random Lake
Adell United Fund
Green Bay Packers
Foundation
Keith & Karen Grupe
Seth & Heidi
Gudmundson
Hayssen Family
Foundation
Immaculate Conception
Emily & Zach Kaiser
Kohler Foundation Inc.

Redeemer Lutheran
Church
St. Peter Lutheran-ELCA
St. Thomas Aquinas
Parish
Sargento Foods Inc.
Thrivent
Paula Van Akkeren
Wally & Tracy Waldhart
Wisconsin Public Service

\$251—1,000

Advocate Aurora Health
Alliant Energy
Foundation
Harold Anderson
Kelly Aschenbach
Karen Christopherson
Donna Dezwarde
Elks Club Lodge #299
Debra Fale
Ross Fale
Kristine Feggestad
Dennis & Tracy Gohlke
Grace United Church of
Christ
Emily Grzesiak
Regan & Eileen Haulotte
Barbara Henning
Becky Huberty
Joel & Wendy Kaeppler
Lisa Knitt
Jennifer Koehler
Leslie Kohler
Nina & David Kohler
Family Trust Foundation
Jade Littlefield
Kyanne Littlefield
Julie Leonhard
Local 833 UAW-Emil
Mazey Hall
Timothy and Sandra
Lorenz
Cole & Cynthia Northup
Sherri Obermiller
Ralph & Lynn Oppeneer

Paul Pickhardt
Jenny Pothast
Rockline Industries
LuAnn Roman
Carla Ross
Janet Ross
Greg & Rachel Ryan
David Sachse
St. Johns UCC Women
of the Church
Salem United Church of
Christ
Elaine Sapp
Sartori Company
The Sartori Foundation
Shoreline Woman's Club
Matt & Lisa Stephan
Timothy & Caol Stielow
Union Asian Market
Tim Waack
Kat Weber
Scott Weber
Karl Wuesthoff & Leslie
Hauser
Zion United Methodist
Church

\$1—250

Anonymous
Harold & Sherry Arpke
April Arvan
Michael Bachar
Jensen Bartels
Bay-Lake Regional
Planning Commission
Beauty Within - Shuana
Kretchman
Kurt & Kristi Bell
Richard & Margaret
Bemis
John & Linda Binder
Kristin Blanchard-
Stearns
Sharon Boldt Nytes
Marty & Kay Bonk
Bernie Borkenhagen

Jere & Diane Bremer
Daven & Sandy
Claerbout
Julie Conard
Coram Deo Association
of Churches
Nancy Devaney
Lori Dielentheis
Mary Lynne Donohue
Andy Duchow
Nancy Engberg
Pamela Engebretson
Dee Ann Erdmann
Maritheresa Falk
Gary Feider
Jean & Richard Felker
First Congregational
UCC—Plymouth
Mary Fontanazza
David Gallianetti
GBU Life
Ann Grittinger
Rachel Grupe
Rosalie Hartmann
Stacy Harriott
Daniel Hartsough
Kim Havlinek
James & Sandee
Heidner
Michele Hemb
Julia Hollister
John & Anna Horzen
Miranda Jindra
Karen Karste
Kiwanis Club Of Greater
Sheboygan
Kiwanis Club of
Sheboygan Falls
Claude & Judith Kent
Anita Knaub
Gerry & Aundra
Kohlbeck
Chris & Kay Krier
William & Tammy
Kuehlmann
Patrick & Maureen Lacey
Nick Lardinois
Phyllis Lardinois
Shirley Hoye Larsen

Sara Larson
George Longo
Kristin Luginbill
Jim & Teresa Mahler
Koke Mailo-Podewils
Nancy & Steve
Mannchen
Julie Mavity-Maddalena
Mary Jo McBrearty
Kathleen McGinley
LuAnn Merten
Rhonda Mesanovic
Gerald & Marilyn Meyer
Josh Miller
Cheri Nennig
Network for Good
Susan & Steven
Neumeyer
Brian & Michelle
Nordhagen
Cletus & Gayle Plate
Anjenette Pond
Sam Poullette
Progressive Spiritual
Gatherings - Sheboygan
Maggie Quinn
Lee Anne Raleigh
Mary Raml
Jeffrey Rammer-Freye
Evonne Ravenscraft
Patricia Reiss
Jennifer Reuteman
Donna Mae Ringel
Gina Roose
St. Luke Lutheran ELCA
Theresa Sanchez-
Grzesiak
Dr. Charles Schleevogt &
Linda Adams
Mary Schmidt

Lee & Linda Schneider
Drs. George Schroeder &
Mary Arenberg
James Schwarten
Rob & Andrea Sellinger
Sheboygan Loyal Order
of Moose #438
Kathleen Skipper
Jennifer Smith
Margaret Stanskas
Steven & Elizabeth
Stauber
Stephen & Judy Straus
Carson Teske
Konrad C III & Mary Jo
Testwuide
LeAnn Tevsh
Ronald & Emma Tipple
Richard & Charlene
Travis
United Way of Greater
Lorain
United Way of Greater
Waterbury
Karen Vandello
Lee & Linda Vandewall
Yvonne Vander Vorst
Michael Venn
Emily Vredevel
Zachary Vredevel
Adrian Wagner
Susan Wagner
Gertrude Walsh
Kenneth & Alice Walter
Melissa Weber
Tom & Suzy Wegner
Robert & Kathleen
Western
Kevin & Carol Witt



Engaging with the Community to *Transform Lives, One Family at a Time*

Board of Directors 2023

Karen Grupe
Thrivent Financial
President

Emily Grzesiak
Kohler Company
Treasurer

Emily Kaiser
Sargento Foods
Fundraising Chair

Kelly Schramm
Community Member
Member at Large

Andy Duchow
Green Bay Publishing
Member at Large

Koke Mailo-Podewils
The Positivity Booth
Member at Large

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Lakeland University
Vice President

Kristine Feggstad
Lakeshore Community Healthcare
Secretary

Julie Mavity-Maddalena
Lakeland University
Member at Large

Zac Vredevel
Vista Care
Member at Large

Kat Weber
Kohler Company
Member at Large

Employees 2023

Lisa Stephan, Executive Director
Joua Lee / Kathleen Skipper, Office Administrator
Abby Dahmer / Claudette Brandell/Lorrie Ruiz
Bridgeway Case Managers
Rhie Lorenz, Bridgeway House Manager
Michele Fortino/Danielle Movrich, Client Advocate
Maria Camara, Farmers Market Coordinator
Jessica Shircel, Farmers Market Assistant
Stenisha Bowen, Program Assistant
Alex Klitzman, Program Assistant
Jessica Walters, Program Assistant
Tara O'Malley, Program Assistant
Lillian Kinch, Program Assistant

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