

REASONS TO GIVE: TOGETHER, WE CAN STRIVE FOR EVERYONE'S BASIC NEEDS TO BE MET IN OUR COMMUNITY. WE BELIEVE EVERYONE SHOULD HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO SUCCEED.



BUILDING A BETTER, KINDER COMMUNITY.

85

families received assistance for winter storm damage



138

children in foster care found their forever home



3,241

patients received assistance with doctor appointments and health screenings



450K

given to help solving childcare needs



DONATE NOW!



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2025 CAMPAIGN CHAIRS

JAY AND LINDSAY HARDAWAY
LUCY, CLAIRE, NELLIE AND HENRY

Co-Chairs **Jay and Lindsay Hardaway** support and live the goals of this year's campaign for United Way of Abilene. Along with their children **Lucy, Claire, Nellie, and Henry**, the Hardaway family is part of a longtime West Texas tradition of service and generosity. Jay and Lindsay's leadership for the 2024 United Way of Abilene Campaign will be an invaluable contribution to the community we serve.

United Way of Abilene is all about building a community where kindness shines through. In doing that we bring people together through heartfelt initiatives that support education, health, and financial stability throughout our city. By rallying volunteers and partnering with local organizations, a network of care is created that touches lives and builds a better community for all. United Way's commitment to compassion and collaboration fosters a community where everyone can feel valued and supported.

Your generosity, combined with that of others, has a powerful impact on our community's toughest issues like homelessness and school readiness. Together, we can strive for everyone's basic needs to be met in our community. We believe everyone should have the opportunity to succeed. By uniting efforts, we can create a safety net for those who need it most, support children in their education journey, promote healthy living, and strengthen financial security for families.

FOR A FEW DOLLARS A MONTH, YOU CAN HELP IN BUILDING A BETTER, KINDER COMMUNITY IN ABILENE.

\$10
/MONTH

- Sixteen nights of emergency shelter for families experiencing homelessness
- School supplies and clothes for one student

- Year-round case management and support for 3 students
- A driver's license for 12 job seekers

\$25
/MONTH

\$50
/MONTH

- 2 copays to assist in helping those who need dental services
- a safe space for youth ages 13-18 who are experiencing housing instability

- 15 well woman exams a year or 30 weeks of trauma counseling for a victim of a violent crime
- scholarships for families needing childcare to be able to work

\$100
/MONTH

UNITED WAY OF ABILENE IS DEDICATED TO HELPING OUR NEIGHBORS THROUGH CHALLENGING ECONOMIC TIMES OR NATURAL DISASTERS.

For 68 years, United Way Abilene has served the Big Country, assisting our most vulnerable neighbors in their time of need. We encourage collaboration of programs and resources in the community to effectively and efficiently address those needs. We collaborate with community partners to improve outcomes and make lasting changes for a better, kinder community.



OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS:

- Abilene Hope Haven
- Alliance for Women and Children
- Alzheimer's Association
- American Red Cross
- Betty Hardwick Center
- Big Brothers Big Sisters
- Big Country CASA
- Boys and Girls Club
- Cancer Services Network
- Center for Contemporary Arts
- Christian Service Center
- Communities in Schools
- Day Nursery of Abilene
- Dyess Youth Program
- FaithWorks
- Girl Scouts of Texas Oklahoma Plains
- New Beginnings
- Noah Project
- Presbyterian Medical Care Mission
- Regional Victims Crisis Center
- ResourceCare
- Texas Trails Council, BSA
- Salvation Army
- YouthVoice