



# Campaign Pledge Form

## MY INFORMATION

Please print and sign firmly in blue or black ink.

Mr.  Ms.  MRS. FIRST NAME M.I. LAST NAME SUFFIX

HOME ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIPCODE

PREFERRED PHONE  Home  Work  Cell

**LOYALTY RECOGNITION**  
I have given to United Way since:  
(Insert year you began giving)

I/we wish our gift to be anonymous

**PREFERRED E-MAIL** When we keep in touch with you by e-mail, you'll stay informed and we'll save printing and paper costs, so more of your contribution goes directly to those who need it.

COMPANY NAME

## IT'S EASY TO GIVE

Please choose A, B, C or D. (See back for additional information)

**A.  Cash/check** (Make check payable to United Way of Erie County)

Amount: \$ Check number: Check date:

**C.  Stock or securities**

We'll contact you to coordinate the details. Please provide the best phone number to reach you. Or call us at (419) 625-4672.

(Please select one payment option)

**B.  EASY-PAY  credit/debit card  bill monthly**

\$ Monthly recurring charge \$ One-time charge

For your privacy and security, please give us your credit card information over the phone. What is the best phone number to reach you? We can also set up recurring gifts from your checking account.

We'll contact you soon. Or call us at (419) 625-4672.

**D.  KEEL CLUB LEADERSHIP GIVING**

With your gift of \$500 or more, United Way will recognize you as a Keel Club Leadership Giver.

Please combine my gift with my spouses's / partner's gift

SPOUSE'S/PARTNER'S FIRST & LAST NAME SPOUSE'S/PARTNER'S EMPLOYER

Ensign	\$500 - \$999	Captain	\$2500 - \$4999
Lieutenant	\$1000 - \$1499	Commodore	\$5000 - \$7400
Commander	\$1500 - \$2499	Admiral	\$7500 - \$9999
		Alexis de Tocqueville Society	\$10000 - Up

\$ **My Total Gift**

## PLEASE CHOOSE HOW YOU WANT TO INVEST IN YOUR COMMUNITY

<input type="text"/> %	<b>UNITED WAY FUND</b>	Investing your gift where it will have the greatest community impact
<input type="text"/> %	<b>EDUCATION</b>	Building stronger families, achieving potential through education
<input type="text"/> %	<b>HEALTH &amp; SAFETY</b>	Protecting seniors from harm, improving access to healthcare
<input type="text"/> %	<b>INCOME</b>	Reducing barriers to employment, supporting financial stability

% **DESIGNATED CONTRIBUTION**

AGENCY NAME AGENCY ADDRESS

You may direct a portion of your contribution to support a United Way partner agency, or 501(c)(3) nonprofit tax- exempt organizations that meet specific criteria (subject to verification at (419) 625-4672). Contributions may revert to the United Way of Erie County if the designated agency does not qualify or cannot be located.

MY SIGNATURE (REQUIRED) DATE

### Thank you for your contribution through United Way.

No goods or services were provided in exchange for this contribution. Please keep a copy of this form for your tax records, and a copy of your pay stub, W-2 or other employer document showing the amount withheld and paid to a charitable organization. United Way of Erie County is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. Tax ID 34-4443835

# LIVE UNITED THIS YEAR!

The vision: In our communities, everyone can achieve their full potential, live a healthy life and realize a positive future.

United Way provides solutions to communities' toughest problems. But we're not your grandfather's United Way. Today's United Way is bringing people, organizations and communities together around a common cause, a common vision, and a common path forward. In Erie County we're the nonprofit building up the cornerstones of education, financial stability and health—and the only nonprofit bringing people together from all walks of life to be a part of local solutions. We fund 23 programs provided by 19 social service agencies across Erie County, where people are powering big ideas and big action by donating, volunteering and speaking out through United Way. As we've grown up, we've become more than a fundraising organization. Rather than measuring our success in dollars raised, we measure our success in actual lives changed.

United Way of Erie County impacts over 20,000 lives every year. We can do this because we have spent 94 years developing deep roots and trust in the community we serve. That strong foundation provides us with the resources, reputation and relationships needed to bring people and organizations together around innovative solutions.

## Where does your money go?

### EDUCATION

Boy Scouts of America - Learning for Life Program  
Center for Cultural Awareness - Youth Enhancement - Empowerment Program (Y.E.P)  
Girl Scouts of Northeast Ohio - aMaze Program  
Community Youth Mentoring - School Based Mentoring Program  
The Volunteer Center of Erie County- Kids Care Clubs

### INCOME

Catholic Charities - Crisis Navigation  
The Salvation Army Sandusky - Pathways to Hope

### HEALTH

Bayshore Counseling Services - Wellness Initiative Program  
Erie County Senior Center - Meals On Wheels  
Goodwill Industries - Employee Wellness Program  
Catholic Charities - Adult Advocacy Program  
Sandusky Area YMCA - Membership Scholarship Program & Summer Camp  
Boys & Girls Club - Healthy Eating Program

### SAFETY NET

American Red Cross - Disaster Cycle Services Program  
The Salvation Army Huron/ Milan - Emergency Assistance  
Safe Harbour Domestic Violence Shelter - Shelter Outreach Services Program  
Erie County CASA Prog - Permancy for Abused, Neglected & Dependent Children  
The Salvation Army Sandusky - Mobile Ministries  
The Salvation Army Sandusky - Emergency Serv.  
Volunteers of America - Crossroads Shelter  
Kinship House - Supervised Visitation

## What does your money do?

### KNOWLEDGE + SKILLS

Building stronger families, achieving potential through education

#### BECAUSE

- 18% of Sandusky area students did not graduate last year.
- About 42% of Erie County school children are not proficient in reading by the 4th grade.

### A HEALTHY LIFE

Protecting from harm, improving access to healthcare, making healthy choices

#### BECAUSE

- 1,100 allegations of child abuse, neglect, or threat of harm in Erie County in 2015.
- In 2016, 14% of Erie County youth were classified as obese. 12% of Erie County youth were classified as overweight by Body Mass Index (BMI) calculations

### A POSITIVE FUTURE

Meeting basic needs, supporting financial stability

#### BECAUSE

- 22.1% of the population in Erie County lives in poverty
- Over 3400 Erie County individuals and families were given assistance as a result of a disaster/ emergency situation.

**Our Privacy Pledge:** The United Way will not sell, rent, or loan any donor information, and only publishes your name and company for recognition purposes. We will not publish your name if you check the box on your pledge form that says, "I/we wish to remain anonymous."