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**ANNUAL
REPORT**

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Community Services League was established in 1916 by Bess Wallace Truman and her women's Bible study group. Today, CSL annually serves more than 20,000 individuals. Bess and her Bible study group's legacy of caring for our community continues at CSL, nearly 107 years later.



Our Mission

To partner with our neighbors by collaborating on strategies that foster community stability and individual wellbeing.

Our Vision

We envision communities where all people have equitable voice and choice to meet their basic needs and the resources to pursue their brightest future.

Our Core Values

- Creating a culture of diversity, equity, inclusion, and belonging for all
- Being present, leading with love and care while delivering on the promise 'nothing about me without me'
- Embracing and promoting the values of trauma-informed care
- Prioritizing people above process, encouraging all voices, and respecting all choices
- Accountability and transparency, acting with courage to build connections across communities, while finding new ways to grow ourselves and those we serve



Dear Friends of CSL,

For 13 years, I have written scores of articles and letters about the growth and expansion of CSL's programs and services. You might ask yourself, is CSL only about growing, expanding, and doing more? As we move in CSL's 107th year in 2023, here's how I would answer that question:

I am not content with the status quo, and I am not content with the number of impoverished families in our community. Poverty is one of the main causes of unrealized human potential, and it has been that case throughout human history. I refuse to accept that we should be comfortable with any person not living out their God-given talents and abilities.

Poverty is a very complex social issue, and CSL recognizes that families need mentors to coach them through meaningful change processes in their lives and they need that coaching for multiple years, they need a robust amount of supports along the way, and they need economic tools to vault them toward the American middle class.

So, as CSL grows and expands, we are working to bring more coaching opportunities for families, adding more supports that catalyze change processes, and we are bringing on tools that help put families on an upward economic trajectory.

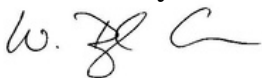
Your gifts directly help change lives in our community and help CSL be a constant safety net provider. As I said at the beginning, we will continue to pursue more opportunities to strengthen our community in 2023 and beyond.

While we are making great strides, I am not content. A friend challenged me one time by saying "we can't be content with one." Our communities can't be content with one suicide. We can't be content with one child living on the streets. We can't be content with one case of domestic violence. We can't be content with one family that is underemployed. We can't be content with one adult that is hungry.

If we are content with one, then we will be content with 10, 100, 1,000, or 10,000. We have to approach community challenges with the mindset that we can accept nothing less than making sure all people who need care, receive care.

We have a long way to go to be at zero, but with your continued support, we will strive for a community where all people are thriving.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "W. J. C.", written over a white background.

Doug Cowan

President & Chief Executive Officer

cowand@cslcares.org

816.912.4484

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Members as of January 31, 2023



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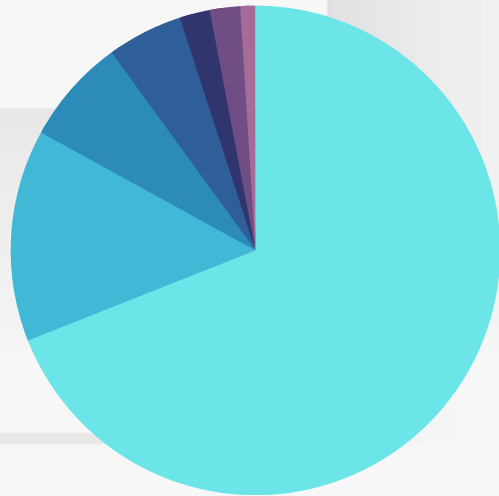


Doug Cowan

President & CEO
Community Services League
(Ex-officio)

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Audited Financial Statements will be made available upon completion at cslcares.org

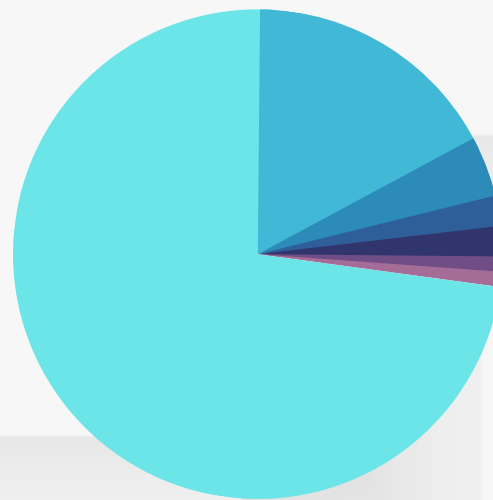


CSL Funding 2022

- 69% Emergency Rental Assistance Program
- 14% Federal and Federal Pass Through
- 7% Foundation Grants
- 5% Contracts for Service
- 2% Direct Public Support
- 2% Development Events
- 1% Business Ventures

Use of Funds

- 73% ERAP - Client Assist
- 17% Salaries and Wages
- 4% Contract Services
- 2% Physical Plant
- 2% Operations
- 1% Technology
- 1% Development



Year Ending December 31, 2022

Cash on Hand	\$2,801,912
Accounts Receivable	\$1,689,923
Fixed Assets	\$3,433,641

Total Liabilities	\$1,251,227
Restricted Income	\$6,290,196
Total Equity	\$6,992,896

Income	\$27,839,481
Expenses	\$27,834,046
Net Income	\$5,432

Reflecting on 2022

Your Gifts Making A Difference

- CSL's Board of Directors endorsed and advocated for the development of the Eastgate Commerce Center on Little Blue Parkway in eastern Independence. We did this to help bring 5,000 jobs to Eastern Jackson County in the next decade.
- We enrolled 200 adults in tuition-paid (through philanthropy) career trainings in healthcare, skilled trades, and transportation/logistics. We have graduated more than 80% of those 200 enrollees (we're still working to push others across the finish line) and many have doubled their household earnings as a result.
- For five years, we have been operating the Family Self Sufficiency (FSS) Program at Hawthorne Place Apartments in Independence (a HUD-supported community). FSS enrollees, by way of improving their job situation, escrow money into a savings account. The cumulative savings hit more than \$750,000 at the end of 2022 with 23 graduates using their savings account as a down payment for their first home. We have built on this success by securing \$875,000 in grant funding to pilot asset development in Northwest Independence.
- In 2022, CSL continued to administer federal Emergency Rental Assistance dollars, and invested more than \$10 million to stop eviction and/or utility shut-off. We launched an initiative with the 16th Circuit Court to have intervention staff in the courthouses to help mediate tenant-landlord cases.
- CSL raised our voice on behalf of children in our community, and asked Jackson Countians to renew the Children's Services Fund at the November election. With more than 157,000 yes votes, 75% of Jackson County voters said this tax renewal was important to our community's wellbeing. This will provide more than \$30 million annually to help support children's mental health and wellbeing.
- We celebrated stories and successes, encapsulated in our Cultural Connections programming, within our community from Black Americans, women, LGBTQ+, LatinX, and Asian American/Pacific Islanders.
- CSL maintained and supported a network of 13 locations that provide a wide array of resources and support. Most importantly, beyond all the food, clothing, shelter, and other basic needs we have provided for a century, we are simply there. Your giving allows us to be there for your community.
- To help address the rising amount of homelessness in our area, we have pursued more federal, state, and local funding, along with philanthropy dollars. In 2023, we will have nearly 80 leases on apartment units that house formerly-homeless individuals and families.
- In 2022, we helped our 500th community member with a disability achieve an employment milestone through Vocational Rehabilitation. In 2023, we will expand our work to be an authorized Traumatic Brain Injury provider, and we will also offer a summer work experience for young people with disabilities.



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2023 SIGNATURE EVENTS

Ooh! Outpouring of Hope
May 12, 2023

Fashion for Compassion
August 19, 2023

Golf Classic
October 2, 2023

Luminous Gala
November 4, 2023





CSL established the 1916 Club in 2014 to recognize donors who make a monthly commitment to support our friends, neighbors, and families all year long. Their contributions create a sustainable stream of revenue that ensures our neighbors receive services critical to making meaningful and lasting change in their lives.

CSL recognizes 1916 Club members with a handsome lapel pin and invitations to special receptions throughout the year. A special thank you to the members below whose monthly gift makes sure CSL is available every day of the year for the families we serve.

Alexander Barajas
 Roy and Betty Beck
 Jeff Benson
 John and Wendy Biggerstaff
 Mark and Sonci Bleckinger
 Brian and Kelly Bolger
 Rob and Aimee Bolt
 Laurel Bondi
 Glenn and Donna Bradford
 Ken and Jean Brookens
 Thomas Browne
 Patricia Calef
 Pat and Cindy Campbell
 Mark and Beth Carrick
 Marty and Cindy Cavanah
 Richard and Lura Cayton
 Dorinda Chamberlin
 Brian and Melodie Chrisman
 Lee and Cathi Christina
 Doug and Katie Cowan
 Ed and Sandy Cusick
 Anthony and Amber Dahl
 Tyrel Dawson
 Diana Eakright
 Jeffrey Edson
 Adelaide Elam
 Bennie and Paulette Eubanks
 Ann Falkenberg
 Dave Filliben
 Carl and Chris Francka
 Dana Freberg
 Gary and Teresa Freeland
 Noel and Carolyn Fulkerson
 Kelsey Gish

Bob Glaser
 Mark and Becky Graber
 Merlyn and Eleanor Grubb
 Chelesy Hanes
 David Hazy Rental Property
 Geoff and Pat Henshaw
 Kat and Alex Hnatyshyn
 Jack and Kendra Howard
 Debbra Hubbard
 Dave and Cindy Isabel
 Brandon Jackson
 Anita Jonas
 Cliff and Diane Jones
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 Paul Kinder
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 Cindy Marler
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 Judy McCandless
 Joseph McPeek
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 Randy and Becky Messer
 Donna Milstead
 Cliff and Patty Mohn
 Phyllis Moore
 Ross and Dena Morrison
 Jim and Sharon Parcel
 Amanda Pascoe
 Jim and Barbara Prine
 Sarah Rendo
 J.P. and Janea Roberts

Jeff and Cindi Rogers
 Bill Rogers
 Lynn and Rusty Rose
 Merideth and Michael Rose
 Francis and Lori Ross
 John and Stephanie Roush
 Rory and Tedi Rowland
 Kate Schmidtke
 John and Karen Schuler
 Jeff and Lindy Sheets
 Arlene Sheffield
 Terry and Betty Snapp
 Johnna Snead
 Jonathan and Dana Soper
 Mark Stowell
 Montie and Marge Tripp
 Fern Truschke Stuart
 Steve and Kathy Tucker
 Steve and Cathi Veazey
 Jerry and Laura Vernon
 Jim and Jana Waits
 Martha Waits
 Paul and Sherry Walters
 Melisa Webb
 Linda Weber
 Nancy Willis
 Mark and Sharon Wingate
 Greg and Joyce Wolfe
 Tom and Melissa Woodward
 Lauren Worley
 Susan Wray
 Richard Wyatt
 Kurt and Sara Zorich

Bess W. Truman

BESS WALLACE TRUMAN LEGACY SOCIETY



The Bess Wallace Truman Legacy Society was established in 2014 to honor the generosity of donors who, through thoughtful planning, have made provisions in their estates to endow the future of Community Services League. Established in the name of our famous founder, members of the Bess Wallace Truman Legacy Society have included CSL in their will or estate plan to ensure our important work will continue for centuries to come.

Each member is presented with a beautiful print painting of the Truman Home created by John Roush, and is permanently recognized at the CSL office on Noland Road. Our deepest appreciation to the following individuals who have made this commitment to support an even brighter future for CSL:

Anonymous

Bill and Irene Baltrusaitis II

Ross and Nata Beaudoin

Matt and Kate Beem

Ken and Jean Brookens

Brian and Melodie Chrisman

Doug and Katie Cowan

Doug and Helen Hatridge

Chris Henning

Mary Lou Jennings*

Cliff and Diane Jones

Bill and Pam Landrum

Nancy Mayhall

Melanie Moentmann

Cliff and Patty Mohn

Jim and Sharon Parcel

Gloria Parsons*

Jeff and Marita Ray

John and Stephanie Roush

John and Karen Schuler

Terry and Betty Snapp

Steve and Kathy Tucker

Steve and Cathi Veazey

Martha Waits

**Indicates gift has matured and been received.*

If you have included CSL in your will or estate plan and would like to be recognized as a new member of the Bess Wallace Truman Legacy Society, please contact Cindy Isabel at 816.491.2011.

Tribute Gifts

In memory of...

Becca Alexander

Bruce and Tami Akin
 Steven and Danie Alexander
 Tracey Allen-Ehrhart
 Jessica Andrade
 Cory and Lauren Atkins
 Elizabeth Baker
 M.T. Baker
 Sarah Baum
 Ben and Rachel Bressman
 Jason Bush
 Brenda Cianciolo
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 Michael and Lisa Cline
 Doug and Katie Cowan
 Don and Mary Cowan
 Barbara and Bruce Darrington
 Cory and Elisabeth Davison
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 Brian and Frances Dunleavy
 Greg and Joan Eischen
 Ann Falkenberg
 Jim and Becky Farrow
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 Dustin Waldron
 Karen Weno

Carl and Kay Mesle

Ann Mesle

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 William and Jennifer Kim
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 Lea Waugh

Greg Vance

Carla Griffin

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Cynthia Vittetoe

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 Post 499-Fike Baseball
 Craig and Tammy Warson

Karen Dessent Guerra

Kathleen Jackson

Kay Kliethermes

Mike and Sharon Alexander
 Brenda Allen
 Anonymous
 Jim and Linda Arend
 Janice Backes
 Gerald Baxter
 Elaine Bescheinen
 Rich and Mary Bidding
 Judy Bogener
 Craig and Debbie Bolger
 Daniel and Rebecca Bounds
 Diane Bunger
 Scott and Linda Burgess

Tribute Gifts

In memory of...

Dan, Nadine and Lauren Cathey
 Jim and Gail Cianciolo
 Michele Clevenger
 Community Bank of Pleasant Hill
 Doug and Katie Cowan
 Thomas and Bonnie Cowherd
 Nina Crowe
 John and Ellen Davidson
 Arthur Donley
 Steve and Judith Doss
 Betsie Falke
 Ann Falkenberg
 Billy and Ann Fields
 Robert and Kara Finkbiner
 Mic and Patti Finn
 Jon and Gabby Fish
 Dave and Becky Turner
 Dick and Ann Franklin
 James Goodknight
 Doug and Beth Hammer
 Warren Haslag
 Dave and Cindy Isabel
 Cliff and Diane Jones
 Jim and Elizabeth Kendall
 Denise Kerner
 Shelley King
 Adam and Lisa Kliethermes
 Tom and Lori Kliethermes
 Gene and Janice Kliethermes
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 Kathleen Lewis
 Corey and Cara Long
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 Mary Susan Mason
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 Michael and Teresa Moeller
 Louis and Benecia Monaco II
 Charles Morton

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 Mary Patik
 Brian and Cindy Petrie
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Cory and Lauren Atkins

Sharon Keeler

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Shaun Crocker

Sharla Ashmore

Stuart Scott

Jack and Kendra Howard
 Alice Scott

Thomas Dessent

Kathleen Jackson

William Jackson, Sr.

Wanda Bigler

Tribute Gifts

In honor of...

Bess Wallace Truman

Jennifer Hayes

BlendWell Senior Coffee Club

Bill Rogers

Blue Ridge

Kelvin Gunn

Blue Springs Board of Education

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Lisa Freberg

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Insperty

Michael Rose

Merideth Rose

My Fourth Grade Students

Stephanie Myers

Paula and Ray Melton

Lisa Felzien-Melton

William "Bill" Lee Butler

Dr. Bradford

Kurt Zorich

Sara Zorich

WHY Give to CSL?

By supporting our work at Community Services League, you're helping our neighbors meet their basic needs in times of struggle. More than that, you're helping to build relationships through coaching and connection to resources so they can take positive steps to build stability and self-sufficiency.



WAYS to Give to CSL



Make a donation to support our everyday work to connect our neighbors with resources to meet basic needs and build a stronger future.



Learn more about our initiatives and how you can make an ongoing investment in our impact programs that make meaningful and lasting change.



Volunteer your time to help; from our events to providing ongoing support or expertise to advance our efforts.

THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS!

CSL aspires to list all funding sources received to promote transparency. Some government or foundation grants may be part of multi-year grants, or may reflect the aggregate sum of multiple gifts. If your listing is incorrect, please contact Cindy Isabel at 816.491.2011.

\$19 Million and Above

Jackson County -
Emergency Rental Assistance

\$400,000 - \$600,000

Ewing Marion Kauffman
Foundation

\$200,000 - \$399,999

Hall Family Foundation
Truman Heartland Community
Foundation

\$150,000 - \$199,999

Sunderland Foundation
T-Mobile

\$100,000 - \$149,999

Greater Kansas City Community
Foundation
Francis and Lori Ross

\$50,000 - \$99,999

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 Nancy Gross
 Fred and Marge Hahn
 Chelesy Hanes
 Dona Hankins
 Kevin and Lucinda Case Harmon

HCA MidAmerica Divison
 Dwight and Doris Heath
 Greg and Holly Henson
 HiBoy Drive-In #3
 Jack and Kendra Howard
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 Independence Power & Light
 Independence School District
 Insperity
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 Senior Benefit Services
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 Brian and Sharon Snyder
 Mike and Ann Soper



Evie St. John

Evie lived in Hawthorne Place Apartments with her three kids for five and a half years. She connected with CSL when she learned about the Family Self Sufficiency (FSS) program and was in disbelief of how much it was going to help her family.

Before enrolling in the FSS program, Evie was making minimum wage at part-time jobs to barely make ends meet to support her family. Through the FSS program, Evie was able to set her own personal goals.

Her biggest dream was to become a homeowner. She focused on budgeting, paying bills on time, and using the resources given by CSL to help her be successful. After four and a half years, Evie graduated from the FSS program and purchased her first home!

She is thankful CSL was there to help her achieve her dreams and goals and support her through her difficult times. For anyone going through a difficult time, Evie says: "Stay consistent and positive with yourself and your finances and you will get through your difficult times. Use the hard times as motivation to persevere and continue to work towards achieving your goals and dreams."

St. Luke's United Church of Christ
 St. Mark's Catholic Church -
 St. Vincent De Paul
 Starbucks Foundation -
 Neighborhood Grants Fund
 Susan Stasi
 Jeremy and Dori Stayton
 Terry and Kim Storey
 Mark Stowell
 Susquehanna Restoration Group
 Mary Ellen Svoboda
 Thrift Holdings, LLC
 TJX dba TJ Maxx
 TNT Manufacturing
 Montie and Marge Tripp
 TruckMovers, Inc.
 Fern Truschke Stuart
 Nathan Twombly
 Eric and Beth Vernon
 Dan and Alice Waite
 Walmart
 Walmart Market - #6500
 Paul and Sherry Walters
 Nathan and Penny Watson
 Melisa Webb
 Bob and Carolyn Weir
 C.O. and Kristen West
 Pam Workman
 Bill and Pam Wrisinger

\$500 - \$999

4220 Burger LLC
 A Little BBQ Joint
 Steven and Danie Alexander
 Sharon Alexander
 Ashlar Homes LLC
 Judith Austin
 Greg and Tanya Bausback
 James and Susan Beanland
 Blake Roberson State Farm
 John and Diane Blanck
 Blue Cross Blue Shield of KC
 Craig and Debbie Bolger
 Laurel Bondi
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Susana Pinon

Susana lives at Hawthorne Place Apartments with her three children. In March 2022, she enrolled in CSL's Family Stability Program and Financial Self Sufficiency Program. Susana has been working with an integrated financial coach to improve her credit, debt, and overall financial position. She also works with a career development coach and digital skills coach to learn the necessary skills for obtaining and maintaining a job.

Susana has received food pantry assistance from CSL and attended the Back to School Fair to ensure her family was fed and her children had the supplies they needed to start the school year. "CSL has provided me the support I have been looking for in the community. They have been there for me every step of the way and make me comfortable to express my needs. CSL is my home away from home and I have been given more support than I could have ever imagined."

In June 2022, Susana joined the Circles USA program as a leader to work with allies in the program that will help her work towards her goals and provide full support along the way. "I look forward to my Circles meetings each week where I get to connect with all the leaders and allies. Everyone is so encouraging, compassionate, and makes it feel like one big family. I look forward to reaching my goals that I have set and can't wait to see what the future holds."

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Kimberly Brake

Kimberly came to CSL to pursue a new career in a field she had always been interested in - healthcare. She enrolled in the tuition-paid Phlebotomy course through CSL's WorkLife Center. When she was not in class, she was working part-time as a Certified Nursing Assistant and managing her own crafting business at home. Kimberly is currently working in her dream career field at St. Joseph Medical Center. "CSL is always there to help and makes sure their students/clients have a successful future and treat you as family."

Kimberly took a chance on a new career path and was successful from her hard work and the support from CSL and her family. "I have always taught my kids to never quit excelling in life. There is always someone watching you and you can do anything you put your mind to."

For anyone hesitant about changing careers, Kimberly's advice is: "If you are not being pushed or challenged in your career, it is time to take a new step. Life is too short to be simple in life. Prove to yourself you can accomplish your goals and the help is there for you to succeed!"

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Amanda Hill

Amanda was first introduced to CSL through her aunt for the tuition-paid NewSkills phlebotomy program CSL offers through its WorkLife Center. Amanda was without a job and so stressed out that it was causing her health issues. She always had a passion for helping others, so she connected with CSL to enroll in the phlebotomy program. The training coupled with CSL's Career Services team's coaching, helped Amanda take a breath, and look forward to a bright future.

During the program, Amanda worked a part-time job at McDonald's to maintain income until she completed the program. In May 2022, Amanda graduated from Phlebotomy training and earned her phlebotomy certificate. She is currently working part-time in the Amazon warehouse and at Bath and Body Works while she and the CSL team search for a position close to her home. "I love a fast-paced environment and love to help others," said Amanda of her phlebotomy training. "Being able to help people when they are in need brings me so much joy" says Amanda.

"Everyone I encountered at CSL has been so supportive and encouraging. Knowing that there is a team of people that not only will be there for me but are eager to lend a hand or even a listening ear, makes going through the tough times a little easier," commented Amanda. "They make me feel like I am never alone."

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 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm
 816.229.0033

Farview
18109 E 12th St N
 Wednesday
 11am-2pm

Independence (39th Street)
Christ United Methodist
14506 E 39th Street
 Wednesday
 9am-1pm
 816.254.8209

Oak Grove
1408 SE Austin St
 Tuesday & Thursday
 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm
 816.690.8213

BlendWell Community Cafe
10725 E US Hwy 24
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 816.642.2204

Grain Valley
First Baptist Church
513 Gregg St
 Wednesday
 9am-12pm & 1pm-4pm
 816.355.0328

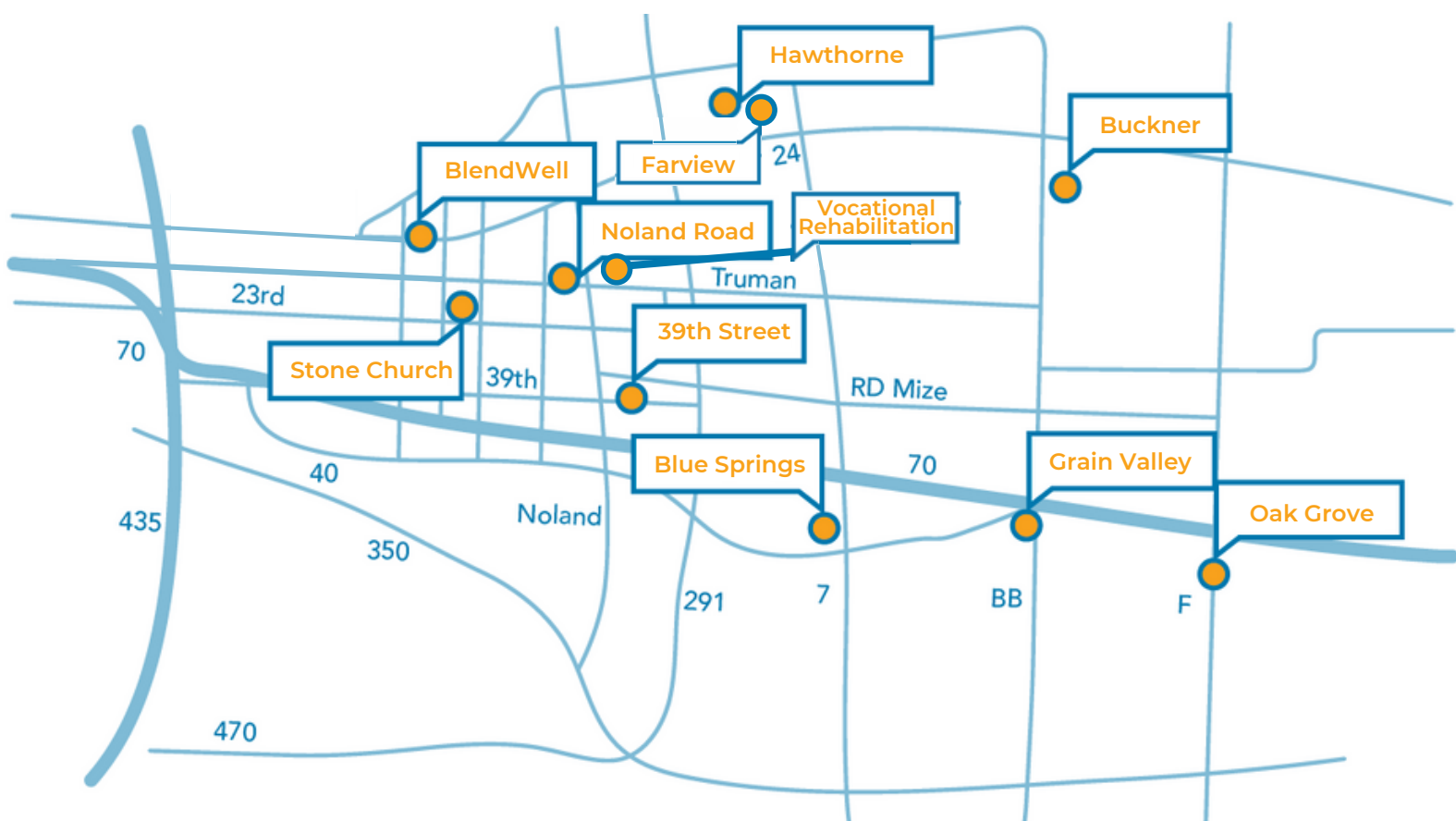
Independence (Main)
404 N Noland Rd
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 8am-4pm
 816.254.4100

Vocational Rehabilitation
Hiram Young School
505 N Dodgion Ave
 Monday-Friday
 8am-5pm
 816.912.4492

Buckner
Community of Christ
1001 S Sibley Street
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 8am-12pm
 816.249.5820

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US Department of Agriculture - Emergency Food Assistance Program (food products)

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City of Independence - I-Share Utility Assistance Program

Missouri Housing Development Commission - Missouri Housing Trust Fund

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Missouri Housing Development Commission - Missouri Housing Innovation Program

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City of Independence - Cold Weather Shelter

*Jackson County - Emergency Rental Assistance, listed on page 16 of the Annual Report, was listed incorrectly. The total amount should be \$21 million and above.