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**2025 Total Economic Impact:** 

\$178K+

**Annual Grants to Community** 

\$75K

Matching Grants from Indiana United Ways

\$53K+

Stride Center Capital Projects Grant

\$50K

Our 10-year investment in Wayne and Union Counties:

Over \$2.7 million

UWWV is committed to addressing complex challenges through community collaboration and mobilization of resources, specifically in the areas of:

### **HEALTHY COMMUNITY**

Enabling health and wellbeing for all

### COMMUNITY RESILIENCE

Building networks of support

## FINANCIAL STABILITY

Breaking down barriers for all

### YOUTH OPPORTUNITY

Helping young people realize their potential

### **Addressing Essential Needs**

Nearly 1 in 2 households in Wayne and Union Counties struggle to meet essential needs for housing, healthcare, childcare, transportation, food, and communications (13,420 families)

- 52% of households age 65+
- 70% of single-male-led families with kids
- 86% of single-female-led families with kids

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# Your United Way is a:

# **CONVENER**

Through quarterly Lunch & Learn gatherings, non-profits and community organizations are equipped to better serve the Whitewater Valley.

## **LEADER**

By facilitating trainings for teachers, non-profit leaders and community members in Trust Based Relational Interventions®, trauma-informed care can be delivered to thousands of youth every day.

## **FUNDER**

The United Way of Whitewater Valley matches generous donors with programs and initiatives of greatest need for maximum impact in the lives of our friends and neighbors.



#### Kory George, Wayne County Probation

The United Way of Whitewater Valley demonstrated remarkable foresight by funding Trust-Based Relational Intervention (TBRI) training throughout the Wayne County school districts. By equipping every school in the county with this training, they laid a strong and unified foundation of trauma-informed knowledge among the adults who work with our youth.

This investment by the United Way of Whitewater Valley will have a lasting and far-reaching impact, shaping the well-being of our community for years to come. It also sets a powerful example—one we hope inspires broader adoption of trauma-informed practices across Wayne County and beyond.



#### Amy Dillon, Board Member

I joined the United Way of Whitewater Valley Board of Directors because I am deeply committed to serving my community and making a difference in the lives of others. I believe in the importance of addressing critical social issues such as community health and resilience, financial stability, and youth opportunities. Being part of this board provides a valuable opportunity to collaborate with dedicated community leaders, nonprofit professionals, and stakeholders who share a common goal of strengthening our community and creating lasting impact.



### Stasia Veramallay, United Way Donor

United Way is an overarching organization that cherishes our area's needs, like me. It's rewarding to know that my time, treasure, and talent are working in concert to edify several other groups that share our collective goal to improve our community.



#### Misty Hollis, YMCA

I'm not sure how we could reach the families we do without United Way's support. The United Way has been a partner for nearly 40 years, and it has been a key to helping our families.