



**HOUSING ADVOCATE NETWORK • FAMILY PROMISE • MISSOULA WORKS •  
COMMON GOOD MISSOULA**

## **Happy New Year from MIC!**

Thank you for your support of MIC's programs throughout 2022. Together, through Family Promise, Housing Advocate Network, Missoula Works, and Common Good Missoula we helped impact the lives of many individuals and families in our great community. We look forward to another wonderful year!



# Missoula Interfaith Collaborative

## 2022 SNAPSHOT

**400**

COMMON GOOD

showed up to the founding of Common Good Missoula in May 2021!



HOUSING ADVOCATE NETWORK

**87**

individuals and families experiencing homelessness were supported by a Housing Advocate since July!



**10,000**

FAMILY PROMISE

meals served a year with 365 days of continuous service. Every night this year families were welcomed with "radical hospitality" - community, friendship, a delicious meal, and a safe space for their family.



MISSOULA WORKS

**80**

people with barriers to employment were employed this year!



### ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR WORK

Visit [www.micmt.org](http://www.micmt.org) or email [mic@micmt.org](mailto:mic@micmt.org) to learn more, inquire about volunteering, and donate!

## HAN and Missoula Food Bank & Community Center Partnership

MIC's Housing Advocate Network is thrilled to be partnering with Missoula Food Bank & Community Center! Starting January 17th, HAN will offer weekly housing supports at the MFB&CC for individuals and families experiencing – or at risk of experiencing – homelessness.

**FREE Drop-In  
Housing Support**



**TUESDAYS: 2-4pm (beginning Jan 17th)  
At the Missoula Food Bank & Community Center**



Work with trained volunteers to help you  
move toward your housing goals!

- Search for rental listings and fill out applications.
- Get on waitlists for subsidized and affordable housing.
- Access resources and rental supports.
- Navigate housing barriers.



Matt Harris-Shears and Zeke Campfield setting  
up the mobile computer lab at MFB&CC!

For question, contact Zeke at [zeke@micmt.org](mailto:zeke@micmt.org).

## **Missoula Works Chosen for the Redf 2023 Growth Portfolio**

We are proud to announce that Missoula Works was chosen to be part of the [Redf](#) 2023 Growth Portfolio cohort. Thirteen high-impact employment social enterprises were selected, and each ESE will receive three years of unrestricted grant funding totaling \$300,000, along with three years of customized capacity-building support and advisory services designed to increase their reach, sustainability, and impact as vital centers for equitable workforce development. Read the full report [here!](#)

# 2023 REDF Growth Portfolio



## CONBODY



## "Our Missoula" Community Kickoff

On December 13th, the City of Missoula and Common Good Missoula hosted a community kickoff event, launching the "Our Missoula" project. "Our Missoula" is a multi-year project that seeks to refresh Missoula's vision for future growth, and to modernize and make critical changes to the zoning and development code, which is one of the city's greatest tools for achieving that vision.



It's Time to Update Our Vision and Take Action!

To learn more visit the [Our Missoula](#) page  
OR  
watch a video of the event [here!](#)

For questions email Lisa Davey at [lisa@commongoodmissoula.org](mailto:lisa@commongoodmissoula.org)

## MIC Program Tours- Join us!

Come learn more about Missoula Interfaith Collaborative and our programs during one of our monthly tours. They will take place the **third Wednesday** of every month at the Family Housing Center (1800 S. 3rd St. W)

During the tours, program directors will provide an overview of how their programs are operating in Missoula, share stories and offer opportunities to get more involved.

**November TOUR DATE:** January 18th, 10am-11am

[Sign up HERE!](#)

## Gas Cards and Gift Cards Needed for Family Promise

Family Promise is in short supply of gas cards and gift cards to help support the families that they work with. Donations can be dropped off at the MIC offices (2205 34th St) Monday-Thursday between 9 -5pm.



## Host Families Needed for the Montana International Choral Festival

Every three years, the Montana International Choral Festival brings hundreds of outstanding singers from all over the world to Missoula. The next Festival will take place from July 19 - 22, 2023. Please consider opening your home to some of the visiting artists. It is a wonderful opportunity to meet and engage with folks from different parts of the world and introduce them to the



beauty of Missoula and Montana. Many host families develop lifelong relationships with singers!

If you can host an international singer, sign up through this website:  
<https://www.choralfestival.org/host-family-application/>

**Thank you for your continuous support of MIC and our programs! Learn more and donate to our programs at [www.micmt.org](http://www.micmt.org)**

MIC's Mission is: "To draw people together across civic, economic, political and religious divides to affect social change and develop public leaders. We exist to strengthen community organizations, generate leaders, and foster meaningful relationships as we act together for the common good."



*Every act of your generosity helps us to further our mission. Thank you for making the world a better place. Love from Family Promise, Housing Advocate Network, MIC's organizing with Common Good Missoula, & Missoula Works.*

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