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More Than \$15.3 Million Approved for Supportive Housing Efforts in Ohio

Columbus – Ohio organizations working to provide supportive housing for those Ohioans in need are getting assistance from the state to continue those efforts. Today, 75 organizations operating emergency shelters and supportive housing facilities will receive grants totaling more than \$15.1 million through the Ohio Housing Trust Fund Homeless Assistance Grant Program, administered by the Ohio Department of Development's Office of Community Development.

In addition, Habitat for Humanity of Ohio will receive \$200,000 from the Ohio Housing Trust Fund Discretionary Grant Program for its efforts to construct homes for Ohio families. Habitat will distribute \$180,000 of the grant award to 16 of its local affiliates around Ohio to construct or rehabilitate 20 single-family homes, which will assist 60 people.

"These investments will support local community efforts to provide shelter and housing for our most vulnerable citizens," said Michael Hiler, Deputy Chief for the Office of Community Development. "We are ensuring that housing organizations have the funding needed to continue making a difference in the lives of Ohioans."

Organizations receiving FY 2011 Homeless Assistance Grant awards include:

County	Award Recipient	Amount
Adams	Adams County Shelter	\$147,800.00
Ashtabula	Ashtabula County Community Housing Development Organization	\$120,000.00
Ashtabula	Ashtabula Homeless Shelter, Inc	\$92,800.00
Athens	Good Works, Inc.	\$128,100.00
Athens	Integrated Services of Appalachian Ohio	\$147,300.00
Belmont	Salvation Army- Belmont	\$282,500.00
Butler	Serve City	\$288,700.00
Champaign	Caring Kitchen Inc.	\$96,800.00
Clermont	Clermont Counseling Center	\$243,800.00
Clermont	Clermont County Community Services, Inc.	\$231,000.00
Columbiana	Columbiana County- Community Action Agency	\$127,400.00
Columbiana	Columbiana County Mental Health Clinic	\$215,700.00
Cuyahoga	Cleveland Housing Network	\$100,000.00
Cuyahoga	Joseph's Home	\$50,300.00
Cuyahoga	Mental Health Services for Homeless Persons, Inc.	\$480,000.00
Cuyahoga	Transitional Housing, Inc.	\$299,100.00
Cuyahoga	University Settlement	\$250,100.00
Cuyahoga	YMCA of Greater Cleveland	\$183,800.00
Defiance	Northwestern Ohio Community Action Commission, Inc.	\$150,100.00

Delaware	Delaware Family Promise	\$54,000.00
Fayette	Fayette County- Community Action Commission	\$124,400.00
Franklin	Homeless Families Foundation	\$245,000.00
Franklin	Lutheran Social Services of Central Ohio	\$385,100.00
Franklin	Maryhaven	\$231,000.00
Franklin	Volunteers of America of Greater Ohio	\$484,000.00
Franklin	YWCA of Columbus	\$242,900.00
Gallia	Serenity House	\$77,500.00
Geauga	Womensafe	\$58,400.00
Greene	Greene Metropolitan Housing Authority	\$186,200.00
Hamilton	Caracole, Inc.	\$203,400.00
Hamilton	Center for Respite Care	\$57,200.00
Hamilton	Lighthouse Youth Services	\$100,000.00
Hamilton	Over-the-Rhine Community Housing	\$250,000.00
Hamilton	YWCA of Cincinnati	\$278,600.00
Hancock	Findlay Hope House for the Homeless, Inc.	\$440,000.00
Highland	Highland County Homeless Shelter	\$145,200.00
Jefferson	Urban Mission Ministries, Inc.	\$270,700.00
Lake	Ecumenical Shelter Network of Lake County Inc.	\$88,000.00
Lake	Extended Housing, Inc.	\$145,000.00
Licking	Community Mental Health and Recovery Board of Licking and Knox Counties	\$85,200.00
Licking	Licking County Coalition for Housing	\$174,500.00
Licking	The Main Place	\$210,500.00
Lorain	H. M. Housing Development Corp.	\$123,000.00
Lorain	YWCA of Elyria	\$159,900.00
Lucas	Beach House, Inc.	\$171,100.00
Lucas	Catholic Charities, Diocese of Toledo	\$201,900.00
Lucas	Harbor House/300 Beds, Inc	\$82,900.00
Lucas	Neighborhood Properties Inc.	\$275,000.00
Lucas	Toledo Community Service Center	\$352,000.00
Madison	Community Action Organization of Delaware, Madison, and Union Counties, Inc.	\$195,100.00
Mahoning	Beatitude House	\$403,300.00
Mahoning	Meridian Services	\$34,000.00
Marion	Marion Shelter Program, Inc.	\$239,000.00
Medina	Medina County ADAMH Board	\$10,700.00
Miami	Family Abuse Shelter of Miami County, Inc.	\$270,600.00
Montgomery	American Red Cross	\$220,400.00
Montgomery	Homefull	\$48,000.00
Montgomery	St. Vincent Hotel Inc.	\$603,000.00
Montgomery	YWCA of Dayton	\$132,000.00

Muskingum	Salvation Army- Zanesville	\$171,600.00
Ottawa	Ottawa County Transitional Housing	\$121,000.00
Pickaway	Pickaway County Community Action Organization, Inc.	\$96,000.00
Portage	Family and Community Services, Inc.	\$646,000.00
Preble	Home is the Foundation	\$78,000.00
Sandusky	Liberty Center of Sandusky County	\$173,200.00
Scioto	Scioto Christian Ministry	\$157,700.00
Stark	YWCA of Canton	\$269,900.00
Summit	Battered Women's Shelter	\$108,000.00
Trumbull	Trumbull County Mental Health and Recovery Board	\$187,000.00
Tuscarawas	Personal and Family Counseling Services of Tuscarawas Valley	\$64,600.00
Van Wert	YWCA of Van Wert	\$179,700.00
Warren	New Housing Ohio, Inc.	\$516,200.00
Warren	Warren Metropolitan Housing Authority	\$226,800.00
Washington	Eve, Inc.	\$150,000.00
Wayne	Liberty Center Connections, Inc.	\$314,600.00
Total Awarded		\$15,154,300.00

*The **Office of Community Development**, located within the Ohio Department of Development's Community Services Division, provides financial and technical assistance to units of local government and nonprofit organizations in Ohio for project activities which benefit low- and moderate-income citizens.*

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