

## Will My Donation To United Way Make A Difference?

### Absolutely! Your Pledge Can Change Your Community...

#### **\$1 a week ... (lottery ticket, soda or candy bar)**

**Provides:**

One night of shelter including a meal, clothing & counseling for a survivor of domestic violence *or*

One week of shelter for 5 people who are homeless *or*

Two weeks of job training for 14 individuals *or*

Eight meals delivered to older adults in their home



#### **\$3 a week ... (movie rental or magazine)**

**Provides:**

One week of day care for 24 children *or*

Twelve individuals with counseling after surviving sexual violence *or*

Fourteen hours of bereavement counseling for 3 people *or*

Nine weeks of adult day care for one person *or*

Three weeks of assistance for family caring for a disabled person



#### **\$5 a week ... (foot-long sub sandwich or coffee drink)**

**Provides:**

Buys four weeks of groceries for a struggling family of five *or*

Three weeks of after school care for 25 kids *or*

One hour of parenting classes for 45 people *or*

Eight days of foster care for a youth whose parents abused him or her



#### **\$10 / \$15 a week ... (one large pizza or a movie and popcorn)**

**Provides:**

Two nights of shelter for 10 homeless children *or*

Five nights of safe, secure shelter for a battered woman and her child *or*

One month of employment at a work activity center for 10 people with developmental disabilities *or*

Emergency food, clothing and basic needs for 335 individuals



#### **\$20 - \$25 a week ... (½ tank of gas or dinner at a restaurant)**

**Provides:**

Two days of treatment for 225 people with substance abuse problems *or*  
125 hours of literacy training for adults *or*

One month of transitional housing & support to a homeless family *or*

Financial literacy and budget training to 14 households



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