



2024 Volunteer Program Impact Report



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CCOB Mission

"Working in partnership with the community, the City and County of Broomfield provides excellent services in an efficient, respectful and courteous manner to enhance and protect the environment and quality of life of Broomfield residents."



As a Whole

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971 caring individuals
donated their time, talent and heart

achieving **43,527** hours of volunteer service

resulting in an in-kind value of **\$2.096** million





Recreation Impacts

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2,052 Youth Mentored/Coached

6,671 Hours of Service

194 Volunteer Coaches

A substantial body of research indicates that regular physical activity provides a wide range of benefits across physical, mental, social, emotional, cognitive and academic aspects demonstrating that "being in motion" positively impacts various facets of wellbeing.



Recreation volunteers coach youth sports and therapeutic recreation. Coaches lead multiple practices per week as well as coaching games during the season.

"The time I've dedicated has been an investment in joy and growth, not just for the athletes but for myself as well." - Betsy K., therapeutic recreation coach



Police Impacts

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13,504 Volunteer Hours

Across All Police Department Programs

By having the support of highly skilled volunteers the Broomfield Police Department can estimate the value to be nearly \$1.1 million.

Volunteer positions include: Victim Advocates (VA), Fingerprinting, Investigations, Chaplains, Office Support and multiple opportunities at the Detention Center.

Victim Advocates are on call 24/7/365 and recorded 10,056 volunteer hours in 2024. VAs provide support with crisis intervention, situation-appropriate information and guidance/access to community resources. Their unofficial motto is...“to be there for the victim on the worst day of their life”.



“When someone needs help, my inner boy scout emerges” - Scott C., victim advocate



Senior Services Impacts: MOW

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Meals on Wheels:

Home delivery of **37,084**
Nutritious Meals to **350** Clients

5,781 Hours of Service

84 Volunteers

Fun Fact: Volunteers use their own vehicle, insurance and gasoline allowing the program to operate as efficiently as possible without adding these costs to the budget.

"I am so grateful that the City and County of Broomfield has such practical assistance that lets me age in the same community that I have lived in my entire adult life."

- Meals on Wheels Client E.N.



Lakeshore Café:

21,972 Freshly Prepared Meals Served

4,445 Hours of Service

76 Volunteers



Lakeshore Café serves nutritious and delicious meals prepared by chefs and served at noon M-F. Volunteers opportunities include dining room servers and kitchen assistants.

“When I started as a volunteer at Lakeshore, I felt like I was serving meals to members of the community. Now I feel like I'm a member of that community.”

- Holly T., Lakeshore dining room server; Parks, Rec. and Senior Services board member



Broomfield Library:

3,646 Hours of Service at the Library

30+ Volunteer Opportunities



Volunteer opportunities include:

- shelving books
- circulation desk
- tech tutor
- book clubs
- language literacy
- children's programs
- and so much more!

* LAHE includes the Library and inventHQ, Arts, History and CSU Extension Programs



inventHQ Makerspace:

417 Hours of Service at inventHQ

Seven Volunteer Opportunities

Volunteer opportunities include:

- hobby electronics
- embroidery machine
- sewing
- general help and tour guides during open hours
- outreach and offsite presentations
- laser cutting
- teen opportunities



“Volunteering gives me a feeling of satisfaction and purpose.”

- Bill C., inventHQ Makerspace Assistant



LAHE Impacts CSE Extension

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CSU Extension:

4,469 Residents Served

2,458.5 Hours of Service

54 Master Gardeners and Demonstration Garden volunteers



Master gardeners assist with:

- answering residents questions at several locations
- responding to helpline phone calls
- designing and maintaining the xeriscape demonstration garden
- providing hands on workshops at the vegetable teaching garden



Open Space and Trails Impacts

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1,306 Hours of Service

126 Volunteers

including **40** New Volunteers

50 Community Events

27 Educational Classes and Programs for Children

Seven Different Programs



NEW in 2024: Trail Ambassadors and the Gardens, Relationships, Impact, Teamwork (G.R.I.T.) teen gardening program



Boards and Commissions

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1,961 Hours of Service

105 Volunteers

11 Boards/Commissions

“Volunteering has allowed me to be out in the community helping others in a way that benefits not only the recipient but also myself physically, emotionally, and spiritually.”

- Marti Burton



Heart of Gold Award

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Heart of Gold Award presented to Woodshop Supervisors at the Broomfield Community Center

In April 2024, The Woodshop Supervisors received the Heart of Gold Award sponsored by the Broomfield Community Foundation and the Broomfield Enterprise.



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 Hours of Service

"The Woodshop Volunteers, embodying the spirit of community service in its purest form, quietly enrich the lives of Broomfield's citizens, partner organizations and the city itself through their 'under the radar' acts of kindness and generosity. Their work has a profound and positive impact on our community for which we are deeply grateful."

- Stephanie A. Hass and Nikki Crouse, Sr. Services Mgr.



Other Noteworthy Volunteer Impacts

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- **Arts and History: 588 Hours of Service** at the Depot Museum, history collections and summer concerts
- **Broomfield Pals: 75 Residents** received snow removal to keep them safe and code compliant
- **Adopt a Street:** Relaunched in 2024 with **12 of 34 CCOB approved streets now adopted**
- **Days of Service:** CCOB partnered with Boy Scout troops, SERVE Weekend and other community groups to complete service projects across Broomfield
- **Broomfield PD:** Provided fingerprinting services to over **300 People** living or working in Broomfield County for non-criminal fingerprinting service
- **Broomfield PD:** Assisted with police investigations for **233 shifts** totaling **994.5 hours**, ensuring cases are successfully closed in a timely manner
- **77.6% of active volunteers** are Broomfield residents



Thank You!

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