

**The Caring Place**  
 Helping neighbors in need since 1985  
 PO Box 1215  
 Georgetown, TX 78627  
 512-943-0700  
 caringplacetx.org

2024  
 Annual Report  
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**Programs & Services**  
 2001 Railroad Avenue, Georgetown  
 Mon-Fri, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
 caringplacetx.org/gethelp

**Food Programs**  
 2000 Railroad Avenue, Georgetown  
 Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
 caringplacetx.org/getfood

**Donations**  
 2000 Railroad Avenue, Georgetown  
 \*Mon-Sat, 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.  
 \*Temporary hours during construction  
 Please view our website for current hours.  
 Schedule Furniture Pick-Ups at 512-943-0711.  
 caringplacetx.org/donatemystuff

**The Shops at The Caring Place**  
 Thrift Store  
 2000 Railroad Avenue, Georgetown  
 Mon-Sat, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Second Helping**  
 Thrift Store  
 3700 Williams Drive, Georgetown  
 Tues-Sat, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
 512-987-2998  
 caringplacetx.org/shop



**2024 HONORS:**

Platinum  
 Transparency  
 2024  
**Candid.**

Charity  
 Navigator  
 + FOUR-STAR +

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**2024 REPORT  
 TO THE  
 COMMUNITY**



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**Annual Report - 2024**



**Our Mission**

To provide for the basic human needs of all people in our community in a welcoming, respectful and caring way.

**What We Do**

- Help families in crisis by providing assistance with...
- Food
  - Clothing & Other Necessities
  - Rent & Mortgage
  - Housing Deposits
  - Prescriptions
  - Utilities
  - Limited Medical, Optical & Dental
  - Case Management
  - Emergency Temporary Shelter
  - Transportation
  - Resources & Referrals
  - Alternative Loan Program
  - Laundry

**Who We Serve**

We assist residents of Georgetown, Andice, Bartlett, Florence, Granger, Jarrell, Jonah, Schwertner, Walburg, Weir and the portion of Hutto within the Georgetown Independent School District.

**Thank you for all the ways you support the work of The Caring Place!**

Refer a Neighbor ♥ Shop at Our Stores ♥ Volunteer ♥ Donate Your Stuff ♥ Give Financially

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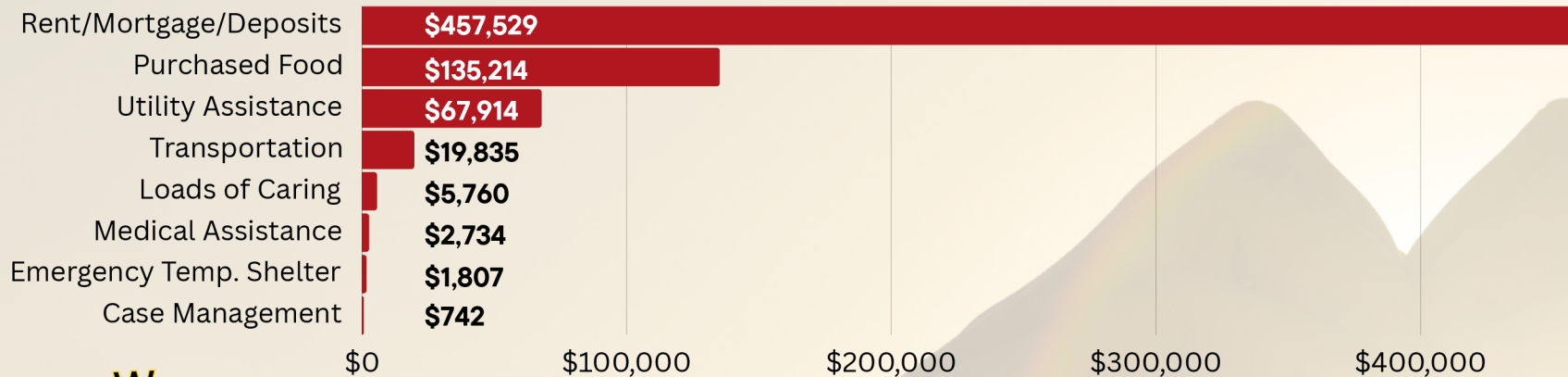
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# Here's What The Caring Place Did With Your Support In 2024:



## How Funds Were Utilized



Direct Financial Support: \$691,535



The Caring Place served

**11,391**  
**Unique Neighbors**

in 2024 with  
multiple services.

Both financial and non-financial support are offered in numerous cases.

## Financial Overview

- Revenue**
- Store Sales: 52%
  - Your Donations: 38%
  - Grants: 10%
- Expenses**
- Programs & Services: 87%
  - Administration: 9%
  - Fundraising: 4%

Value of Non-Financial Support: \$3,742,677

Non-financial support includes the quantifiable value of food, clothing, housewares and other necessities provided to our neighbors.

These items are given through Food Pantry and Thrift Store vouchers.

Here's what our Food Programs (the largest support program) saw in 2024:

**49,244 people assisted** through the Food Pantry;

**63,291 pounds** of fresh produce distributed during the Fresh Food for Families program;

By using the Food Pantry, families can realize an estimated **\$207** per month in cost savings so they can allocate funds toward other critical expenses.

**Total Value of Support to our Neighbors in Need: \$4,434,212**

Direct financial support plus the value of quantifiable non-financial support illustrates total community financial impact.

## Who Are We Serving?

- 42%** were new to all services
- 34%** were under 18 years old
- 32%** were uninsured
- 17%** were over 55 years old
- 8%** were unhoused

Since the launch of our new free laundry program, "Loads of Caring," in August 2024

**1,256**  
Loads of Laundry

**1,066 neighbors participated in HOPE** (Healthy Options Program for the Elderly);

**1,237,690 pounds of food** distributed across all Food Programs; that's **1,031,408 meals!**

## How Did You Help In 2024?

### 1. You Shopped



The **2024 combined store sales** of The Shops at The Caring Place, Second Helping and eBay were **\$1,908,526**

Revenue from our stores supports The Caring Place's operating costs so donated dollars can help neighbors in crisis. That's why it's called **"Shopping for Good."**

Camille, our Retail Manager at Second Helping, is ready to greet you at the store!

Learn more about shopping at [caringplacetx.org/shop](http://caringplacetx.org/shop)

### 2. You Volunteered

In 2024, **366 volunteers contributed 59,689 hours of time, an in-kind gift of \$1,998,985**

This is equivalent to 29 full-time employees. What a gift!

Visit our website at:

[caringplacetx.org/volunteer](http://caringplacetx.org/volunteer)

to learn more about volunteering at The Caring Place.



Volunteers in our Food Pantry, Julie, Betty and Kim

### 3. You Donated

The Donations drive through saw **28,817 cars**, an average of **101 drop-offs per day** in 2024! These new and gently used items that our community donates are a critical part of supporting our mission.

Learn how to donate your stuff and discover our furniture pick up area on our website at:

[caringplacetx.org/donatemystuff](http://caringplacetx.org/donatemystuff)



A warm welcome awaits you at donation drop-off! Justin and Thomas are here with smiles and gratitude.

### 4. You Gave

Your monetary donations directly support neighbors in need.

You can make a one-time donation or a monthly recurring donation at

[caringplacetx.org/donate](http://caringplacetx.org/donate)



## 2024-2025: Board of Directors



The Caring Place Board of Directors guides TCP's mission.

From top to bottom, left to right:

Glenn Schwab (Vice-President), Chuck Collins, Paul Partlow, John Stock, Dayne M. Carlson, John Sullivan (Secretary), Royce Lindsey, Lindsay Harris (Treasurer), Alexis Michael, Harriett Jones (President), Jan Love, Michelle Betts, Jen Mauldin, John Burton