

# See What Your Money Can Do

Here are a few examples of what your money can do for Greater Cleveland in each payroll deduction period:



**\$1** allows **Greater Cleveland Habitat for Humanity** to buy a box of nails and hammer to help build a house and empower a local family



**\$2** provides a coat, boots, a hygiene kit and other warm winter items to a person facing homelessness at the annual Homeless Stand Down through



**HandsOn  
Northeast Ohio**



**\$4** purchases meals for a month for a disabled adult at **Cogswell Hall**

**\$15** supplies **Bike Cleveland** with a bike helmet for a student who rides their bike to school making them safer on their journey



**\$10** provides a family in need of food assistance with fresh, healthy, locally and sustainably grown produce for 20 weeks during the growing season through **New Agrarian Center**



**\$40** provides job readiness training for a consumer to enter the work force through **Linking Employment, Abilities, and Potential (LEAP)**

**\$30** provides **Domestic Violence & Child Advocacy Center** with gas for the shelter van to take clients to important meetings such as doctor appointments



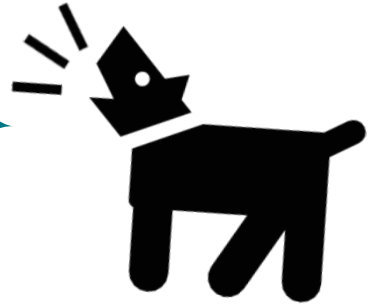
**\$50** allows the **Housing Research & Advocacy Center** to contract a tester to investigate a complaint of housing discrimination at a rental property



# SUCCESS STORIES: *Your Donation Counts!*

## Cleveland Animal Protective League

Shalimar (Shali), a 7-year-old Shepherd mix, was transferred to the Cleveland APL from another shelter. When she was transferred in December 2015, she only weighed 37 pounds; a healthy weight for a dog her size is 55 pounds. Shalimar needed to gain some weight before she could be adopted, so she spent time in several APL foster homes. After several weeks in foster care, her size had not changed. After extensive testing, it was determined that Shalimar has Exocrine Pancreatic Insufficiency, which made her unable to keep on the weight. After several months without finding an adopter, Shali was prepared to go to a German Shepherd rescue group, which stirred one of her fosters into joining the "foster failure" club by adopting Shali. Now, with the right medication and attention, she has put on 25 pounds!



## Providence House

Tiffany came to Providence House for help caring for her two young boys after escaping a domestic violence situation with the children's father. She had lost her housing and her job while in the process of filing the domestic violence charges. While she had a protection order for herself, she did not have coverage for her children and was nervous about him finding them. With no space in the shelter system, Tiffany turned to Providence House for support. While the two boys stayed in our emergency shelter, she was able to find a new job as an STNA and enroll her children in daycare. Tiffany was able to maintain her sons' services with Help Me Grow, participate in her own counseling services, and address the legal needs of her domestic violence case. After 60 days Tiffany moved with the boys to a family shelter while they waited for more permanent housing. Tiffany is now in her own apartment with her children and active in the Providence House Aftercare program.

