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# **NorCAN Members**



### **Access Humboldt**

Access Humboldt is a non-profit, community media organization serving the residents of Humboldt County. They provide air time free of charge on the local cable TV channels and online, and offer media production training, facilities and equipment. They promote free speech and community media - by the people; for the people. Programming is accepted on a fair and nondiscriminatory basis, and will be aired without editorial control.

## <u>Affordable Homeless Housing Alternatives</u>

How they work together is as important as what they create together. They are striving to develop collaborative individuals and communities as they build affordable homeless housing alternatives. All are welcome to join us. AHHA is made up of a Board of Directors, Working Groups/Committees who work with each other and the larger Humboldt community on selecting sites, outreach, fundraising, media and reaching our goals, whether longer term or more short term, like creating sanctuary camps and micro housing villages.

#### **Alcohol Drug Care Services, Inc.**

Alcohol Drug Care Services, Inc. is a drug treatment center providing substance abuse treatment and a halfway house or sober living home with outpatient care. No special groups or programs are supported for this California drug rehab center. Self payment is accepted with sliding fee scales.

## **American Cancer Society- Eureka Unit Office**

At the American Cancer Society, we're on a mission to free the world from cancer. Until they do, we'll be funding and conducting research, sharing expert information, supporting patients, and spreading the word about prevention. All so you can live longer — and better.

#### **Arcata Chamber of Commerce**

The Arcata Chamber of Commerce is a diverse, nonpolitical organization celebrating the eclectic charm of Arcata and its environs by promoting a strong culture of entrepreneurship, innovation and sense of community for businesses and visitors.

## **Arcata Economic Development Corporation**

AEDC was created in 1978 by a group of Arcata business and community leaders to help grow the city's economy through assistance to local businesses and homeowners. Today, AEDC is a 501c3 non-profit organization and a Community Development Financial Institution (CDFI). AEDC's mission is to provide loans and support to entrepreneurial, innovative business and community endeavors. AEDC provides financing for business opportunities in Del Norte, Humboldt, Mendocino, Lake, Siskiyou and Trinity Counties, and sometimes Shasta County, in Northern California.

## **Arcata House Partnership**

We believe that housing is a human right. They support people experiencing homelessness while they build a more stable life. This may include a full continuum of services from engagement to permanent housing. They seek to educate the community about housing issues and advocate on behalf of our homeless neighbors.

#### **Arcata Main Street**

Arcata Main Street is a non-profit organization that works to create a vibrant downtown Arcata. They believe that a healthy downtown is the key to a prosperous city. They do this by fostering business vitality, providing opportunities for community events, and organizing projects and initiatives that respond to community needs.

# **Area 1 Agency on Aging**

Area 1 Agency on Aging will provide leadership and services that support older persons and those with disabilities through education, programs, advocacy and volunteerism

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## **Big Brothers Big Sisters of the North Coast**

Our vision is that all children achieve success in life. Our mission is to provide children facing adversity with strong and enduring, professionally supported 1-to-1 relationships that change their lives for the better, forever.

## **Bird Ally X**

Bird Ally X is a nonprofit organization of wildlife caregivers dedicated to wildlife rescue, rehabilitation, education and advocacy. The organization was formed by experienced rehabilitators seeing a need to share quality information as well as provide direct aid to individual wild animals in trouble.

## **Boys & Girls Club of the Redwoods**

The Boys & Girls Clubs of the Redwoods is a youth development program for youth ages 6 to 18. All of our sites offer a safe place for these children to learn, play and develop citizenship and leadership skills. Club programs and services promote and enhance the development of our members by instilling a sense of competence, usefulness, belonging and a power of influence, which is the Youth Development Strategy of the Boys & Girls Clubs.

## **Breast & GYN Health Project**

The Breast and GYN Health Project (formerly Humboldt Community Breast Health Project) is a community resource of support and education for those facing a breast or gynecologic cancer concern. They are a client-centered, grassroots organization with services provided by cancer survivors and their support persons. They promote healthy survivorship through education, healing support and hope, enabling each person to become their own best medical advocate. They support and challenge our community to address breast health concerns responsibly and holistically. As survivors they heal through service and by bearing witness to others.

## **Bridgeville Community Center**

The Bridgeville Community Center began in 1991 with a Healthy Start Grant. This funding allowed the community to plan and build a Community Center that would provide services to the school children, their families and the community-at-large.

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# **California Center for Rural Policy**

The California Center for Rural Policy conducts research to inform policy, build community, and promote the health and well-being of rural people and environments. CCRP accomplishes this by using innovative research methods tailored to the study of rural people, environments, and their interactions.

#### **California Conservation Corps**

The California Conservation Corps is a state agency that puts together young people and the environment, to the benefit of both. Corpsmembers -- young men and women between the ages of 18 and 25 -- sign up for a year of working outdoors to improve California's natural resources. They also assist with emergency response: fighting fires, floods, earthquakes and pest infestations. The CCC, modeled after the original Civilian Conservation Corps of the 1930s, is the oldest and largest conservation corps now in operation. Created by Governor Edmund G. Brown Jr. in 1976, more than 120,000 young people have been a part of the CCC since that time.

#### **CASA of Del Norte**

CASA of Del Norte will support and assist children in the juvenile dependency program by providing well-trained volunteers to advocate objectively in the child's best interest.

## **CASA of Humboldt**

CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocate) speaks for children in court because all children have a right to live in a safe, healthy, and secure environment.

## **Cascadia Center for Leadership**

Each of us has an important role to play in making our organizations and communities all they can be. Cascadia offers you the knowledge, skills and tools to help you be as effective as possible in working with others to create the future together.

## **Center Activities**

Center Activities is a non-profit organization providing fitness, leisure, outdoor and aquatic activities to Humboldt State University Students and the community at large. Center Activities encompass the Outdoor Program, the Student Recreation Center and the Humboldt Bay Aquatic Center.

## **Center for Community Based Learning**

Every year Humboldt State University students engage in community programs and services through Service Learning and Academic Internship courses, as they apply their classroom studies to real community experiences and issues. The Center for Community Based Learning at Cal Poly Humboldt supports students and faculty involved in these courses, while coordinating hundreds of approved community learning sites, many of which are located right here in Humboldt County. Whether you are a student, a community member, or faculty on campus, we invite you to join the exciting work of these partnerships.

## **Changing Tides Family Services**

Changing Tides Family Services increases the health and success of children, youth, families, and individuals.

#### **Community Cornerstone, Inc.**

Founded in 1985 by Ken Vallotton, Community Cornerstone was established to provide training and opportunities for adults with disabilities who live in Northern Mendocino and Southern Humboldt Counties.

## **Companion Animal Foundation**

Companion Animal Foundation's mission is to raise the status of animals by decreasing pet overpopulation through spay/neuter assistance as well as public education. Companion Animal Foundation provides meaningful programs for both children and adults which help increase awareness of the unique relationship we share with our animal friends. Companion Animal Foundation works cooperatively with all rescue groups and the community to find good homes for adoptable animals.

## **Creative Management Services**

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## **Del Norte Assoc. for Cultural Awareness (DNACA)**

The Del Norte Association for Cultural Awareness is a nonprofit, public benefit corporation founded in 1981 to serve Del Norte County, the northernmost county on the coast of California.

Our mission as a not-for-profit local arts agency is to provide support and excitement for all the creative arts in our County, to inspire community vitality and harmony.

### **Del Norte Child Care Council**

Supporting services for Del Norte County by bringing families and professional resources in, child care subsidy, family child care referrals, food program for family child care providers, toy lending library, parent education, supervised visitation, school readiness, child abuse prevention, car seat lending, childcare centers for preschool, after school care and more.

#### **Dell'Arte International**

The Dell'Arte Company is an internationally touring ensemble of actor-creators performing and creating in different constellations since the company was founded in 1976.

## **Discovery Museum**

The Discovery Museum is a non-profit children's museum that offers interactive exhibits and thematic programs. Discovery Museum exhibits and programs promote hands-on, open-ended discovery in the areas of science, art, culture, technology, and healthy living. Our goal is to help youth expand their horizons and prepare for the future by fostering a passion for exploration and learning.

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#### **E** Center

E Center is a private non-profit agency that builds healthy communities through education, employment and environmental awareness. They are an agency that envisions strong, healthy communities that are inclusive of all.

## **Eel River Recovery Project**

The Eel River Recovery Project mission is to empower communities to collaborate in monitoring the ecological conditions of the Eel River and to share information about the health of the watershed and to work together to formulate and implement a restoration strategy

## **Environmental Protection and Information Center (EPIC)**

The Environmental Protection Information Center (EPIC) is a community based, non-profit organization that advocates for science-based protection and restoration of Northwest California's Forests. EPIC was founded in 1977 when local residents came together to successfully end aerial applications of herbicides by industrial logging companies in Humboldt County.

## **Equinoss Consulting**

Heather Equinoss brings 15 years of project management, meeting design and graphic facilitation, and community engagement experience in public, nonprofit, private and community settings. She finds purpose in supporting people and organizations to bring about the positive change they envision in their communities.

# **Eureka Chamber of Commerce**

The Greater Eureka Chamber of Commerce is an organization made up of businesses and individuals concerned about the economic well-being and quality of life in our area. Membership is an investment that assures the business community will have a voice when critical issues occur. Founded in 1891, the Chamber is one of the oldest business organizations in the state. Your membership makes it one of the strongest in the state.

## **Eureka Woman's Club**

The Eureka Woman's Club is a non-profit organization that is a member of international, national and California Federations of Women's Clubs. Programs and projects are generated on all levels. As part of California's Area A, our Redwood district meets four times a year and consists of six clubs: EWC, Crescent City Women's Club, Garberville Civic Club, McKinleyville Federated Women's Club, Trinidad Civic Club and Wha-Nika Club of Blue Lake. EWC members are welcome and encouraged to attend these gatherings.

## **EVOLVE Youth Services**

All of the Evolve Youth Services providers, practitioners, and recreational coaches participate in clinical training and supervision by our three Co-Directors on an on-going basis to ensure quality service and care to the clients we serve.

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#### **Fern Cottage Foundation**

In the fall of 1852 Joseph Russ hired two vaqueros and drove 100 head of cattle over the coast range to Eureka, where he sold the cattle to the army. In 1854 he married Zipporah Patrick, who lived in Sacramento after crossing the plains with her family in a covered wagon. They bought about 50,000 acres, most of which is still ranched by their descendants. The Fern Cottage is open for tours.

#### Ferndale Children's Center

#### First 5 Humboldt

# **Food for People**

Food for People is designated as the official food bank for Humboldt County. Food for People is working to eliminate hunger and improve the health and well-being of our community through access to healthy and nutritious foods, community education and advocacy. They envision a community where everyone has access to good quality, nutritious food, understands the consequences of hunger and poor nutrition and is committed to creating a stronger, healthier Humboldt County.

## **Fortuna Adventist Community Services**

## **Fortuna Cemetery District**

The Fortuna Chamber of Commerce is a membership organization of individuals and businesses who join together to enhance economic growth through the promotion and support of our community, civic interests and member businesses.

## **Fortuna Cultural Association**

The Fortuna Concert Series is an eight-performance event that continues through the winter and spring. These professional musical programs feature talented local groups and individuals, as well as nationally and internationally known performers. The rich and diversified programming includes classical, jazz, folk, ethnic, vocal and instrumental music.

## **Fortuna Senior Center**

The mission of the Fortuna Senior Center is to enrich, empower and involve seniors in the Eel River Valley area.

## **Friends of the Dunes**

Friends of the Dunes is dedicated to conserving the natural diversity of coastal environments in Humboldt County, California, through community supported education and stewardship programs.

#### Friends of the Eel River

Friends of the Eel River are working for the recovery of the Wild and Scenic Eel River, its fisheries, and communities. In 1994 a small group of dedicated Eel River enthusiasts came together to intervene in proceedings of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC). This was the start of Friends of the Eel River. Thanks to their founder Nadananda and her team, they are now poised to remove the two dams from the Eel River headwaters. They continue fierce advocacy for the recovery of the Wild & Scenic Eel River, her fisheries, and communities.

#### **Funeral Consumers Alliance of Humboldt**

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## **Garberville Redway Area Chamber of Commerce**

The Southern Humboldt Chamber Mission is to enhance our quality of life & environment by promoting tourism & assisting local businesses to expand and prosper. The Chamber also functions as an advocate for Southern Humboldt at the County, State and Federal Levels.

## **GRID Alternatives**

GRID Alternatives is a 501(c)(3) certified non-profit organization that brings together community partners, volunteers and job trainees to implement solar power and energy efficiency for low-income families, providing energy cost savings, valuable hands-on experience, and a source of clean, local energy that benefits us all.

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#### **Headwaters Fund**

As its name implies, the Headwaters Fund is a source; a well-spring of funding for important economic development projects in Humboldt County. Like a 'headwaters,' the Fund is often at the very beginning of a significant flow of ideas, energy, and money. The Headwaters Fund goal is to make Humboldt County a more prosperous place to live.

## **Healy Senior Center**

The mission of Healy Senior Center is to support independent, meaningful, dignified lives for older adults through good nutrition, social interaction, recreation, health maintenance, care maintenance, information, referrals, and volunteerism in a warm and welcoming facility.

## **Hospice of Humboldt**

Hospice of Humboldt was founded in 1978 by a small group of volunteers: Dr. Larry Hill, Jay Rezzonico, Dr. Elmer Larsen, Arlene Brazeau, RN and Margaret Soderberg, RN. They saw our first patient in January, 1979. Hospice of Humboldt is a stand-alone non-profit, not affiliated with any hospital or medical practice. They are governed by a volunteer Board of Directors and all donations to Hospice of Humboldt are tax deductible.

## **Housing Humboldt**

Housing Humboldt (also known as Humboldt Bay Housing and Development Corporation) is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing and managing quality, safe and affordable housing for lower and moderate-income individuals, families and seniors.

## **Humboldt Area Center for Harm Reduction**

Humboldt Area Center for Harm Reduction intends to improve Humboldt Counties overall rating on the Healthy Communities Index, which includes overdose deaths, mental illness, suicide, and homelessness rates, etc.

#### **Humboldt Area Foundation**

Humboldt Area Foundation is the community foundation of and for the citizens of the Humboldt, Trinity and Wild Rivers regions. They promote and encourage generosity, leadership and inclusion to strengthen our communities

#### **Humboldt Botanical Gardens Foundation**

The Humboldt Botanical Garden provides direction for the building of a world-class botanical garden for the Northern California region. The Gardens are constructed on a 44.5 -acre site south of Eureka near the Humboldt Bay adjacent to the College of the Redwoods. Funding, construction and administration of the Humboldt Botanical Garden is under the leadership and sponsorship of the Humboldt Botanical Garden or HBG.

## **Humboldt County Access and Resource Center (HCAR)**

Humboldt Community Access and Resource Center (HCAR) is a private nonprofit agency incorporated in 1955 by a group of dedicated parents seeking an alternative to institutionalization for their children with developmental disabilities. Today, HCAR serves Humboldt County citizens with developmental disabilities by promoting individual independence, community inclusion and family unity through a wide variety of services and supports. The agency's primary mission is to assist the people they serve to develop and maintain a network of support that maximizes their opportunities to be contributing members of their communities.

## **Humboldt County Public Health**

Public Health provides clinical and preventive services and works with local health care providers and other community partners to connect people with the resources they need.

## **Humboldt Del-Norte Film Commission**

The Humboldt-Del Norte Film Commission is recognized by the Counties and the California Film Commission as the official advocate for filming in Humboldt and Del Norte County. Our services are provided free of charge.

## **Humboldt Del-Norte Medical Society**

The purpose of Humboldt Del-Norte Medical Society is to promote the science and art of medicine, the care and well-being of patients, the protection of public health, and the interests of the medical profession. A tradition of leadership. The Humboldt-Del Norte County Medical Society is a professional organization of physicians (M.D. & D.O.'s) and is the first step into the community of organized medicine - a federation which speaks on behalf of physicians. HDNCMS is the local component of the California Medical Association, one of 38 local county medical societies. It is also affiliated with the nation-wide AMA (American Medical Association).

## **Humboldt Domestic Violence Services**

Humboldt Domestic Violence Services (HDVS) is an independent, non-profit agency dedicated to promoting the rights and welfare of survivors of domestic and intimate partner violence throughout Humboldt County. The mission of Humboldt Domestic Violence Services is to break the cycle of domestic and intimate partner violence through services, education, and advocacy. Our vision is the elimination of intimate partner violence. They provide many services to survivors, all completely free of charge.

## **Humboldt Educare**

Humboldt Educare Preschool believes that children construct knowledge through the actions of play and that children learn best when they want to learn. If children have the freedom to choose the activities in which they will participate, their imaginations and independence are nurtured. The desire to learn is fostered by a rich, challenging, and consistent environment by understanding and flexible adults. In each child, they strive to develop a positive attitude and the desire to learn through exploring our local community and the world beyond.

## **Humboldt Folk Dancers**

The Humboldt Folk Dancers, Inc. (HFD) is a 501(c)(3) non-profit charitable corporation. The HFD is a member of the California Folk Dance Federation.

#### **Humboldt Health Foundation**

The Humboldt Health Foundation partners with Humboldt Area Foundation to improve the health and well-being of the residents and communities of Humboldt County.

## **Humboldt Library Foundation**

Since it was formed in 1996, HLF has raised over \$1.8 million; made grants in the amount of \$1,086,200; added donor advised funds and has continued to build the HLF Endowment Fund. In 2016, our 20th Anniversary year, they set a grant goal to reach \$60,000 for grants to the library - and thanks to your support, they granted \$65,200.

## **Humboldt Literacy Project**

In 1985, Humboldt State University grad student Lilly Gonsalez developed the idea of an adult literacy program. That idea was the genesis of the Humboldt Literacy Project. In the three decades since Lilly's great idea, Humboldt Literacy Project has helped hundreds of people improve their lives by becoming more literate.

## **Humboldt Made**

We're north of San Francisco, past the wine country, up in the redwoods. We're all about our laid back lifestyle and artisan products.

## **Humboldt Mediation Services**

Humboldt Mediation Services is a non-profit organization that promotes the peaceful resolution of conflicts in our community by providing the best possible services in mediation and facilitation with individuals and groups. Additionally, they foster education and training in communication and conflict resolution skills. As trained volunteers working with a general manager, they provide effective, affordable services.

#### **Humboldt Pride**

## <u>Humboldt Recovery Center Inc.</u>

Humboldt Recovery Center is the largest and oldest licensed and certified residential substance abuse treatment facility on the California North Coast. Since our founding in 1972, they have dedicated themselves to providing effective treatment and recovery services to men and women who wish to develop meaningful, drug-free lifestyles.

## **Humboldt Redwoods Interpretive Association**

The Humboldt Redwoods Interpretive Association (HRIA) is a 501(c) non-profit, providing volunteer-run Visitor Centers at four State Parks in Humboldt County. They hope that you will stop by to get information about hikes, directions, ecology, history, as well as maps, brochures, books, and

souvenirs. They strive to connect visitors and the community to the incredible Redwood Forest, in hopes of spreading appreciation and a passion for the conservation of the tallest trees in the world.

#### **Humboldt Senior Resource Center**

Seniors and their caregivers in Humboldt County will have a high quality life with dignity, health and self determination in a community of respect and tolerance.

## **Humboldt State University Advancement**

The Office of University Advancement provides philanthropic leadership and program services to help Humboldt State University achieve its mission and goals. The Advancement office conducts four annual campaigns, facilitates major gifts and planned gifts, directs the University's vital alumni and constituent engagement program and provides marketing and communications services to the campus community.

# Humboldt State University Center for Community Based Learning

Our mission is to promote reciprocal connections among students, faculty, and community members through integrated academic coursework and service in the community, and to encourage the development of socially and environmentally responsible citizens. The HSU Center for Service Learning & Academic Internships works to realize this mission through thoughtful collaboration and partnership-building with community organizations and the university. Hand in hand, we help create opportunities for shared learning and growth for students, faculty, and community partners participating in the applied learning process.

# <u>Humboldt State University College of Extended Education</u> <u>& Global Engagement</u>

Extended Education & Global Engagement is the home of the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute and a number of professional development programs, including Digital Communications & Imaging, The Studio School, Leading Organizational & Community Change, Leadership Studies, Geospatial Certificate, and New Designs for Fundraising, among many more.

# <u>Humboldt State University College of Professional Studies</u>

The College of Professional Studies is committed to providing interdisciplinary liberal arts education and preparation for the profession so our graduates can positively contribute to the human condition, be outstanding leaders in their profession and community, and share a powerful commitment to social, economic, and environmental justice.

# <u>Humboldt State University Public Sociology Master's</u> **Program**

The Sociology department has developed two outstanding majors at the undergraduate level. Both our Sociology and Criminology and Justice Studies majors have excellent core programs developed through a multi-year process of evaluation and reflection. In the future they will continue to ensure that both programs have an equally strong theoretical, methodological and practical/action emphasis. These three components create a holistic, integrated approach towards addressing issues of inequality, environment and community on the sociology side, as well as inequality, law, social policy and action and research skills in the CJS curriculum. We will continue to hone the programs, and their components, so that we are as successful as possible in delivering an excellent education that inspires and motivates our students.

## **Humboldt State University - Office of Philanthropy**

A big part of Humboldt State's future success will depend on those who care about it. And we can all do something. When you volunteer for HSU, promote the good things happening here, or make a donation you make the college experience even better for students of today and tomorrow. Giving back to the university you believe in — that's Humboldt Loyalty.

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## **Ink People Center for the Arts**

The Ink People has been changing people's lives since 1979 by connecting the community with resources for cultural development. The Ink People encourage people to exercise their humanity, build civic discourse, and engage their creative potential. They have a long time presence in Humboldt County and northern California as a community-based, grassroots, artist-run, arts and culture organization. They are organized on community access principles and the belief that art, in all its forms, is essential to the human spirit and well being.

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# **Jacoby Creek Land Trust**

The Jacoby Creek Land Trust conserves land in and around Northern Humboldt Bay to promote healthy creek environments, watershed protection, and sustainable agriculture that is embraced and valued by the local community.

#### Jefferson Project-Westside Community Improvement

The old Jefferson Elementary School has been transformed by community volunteers of Eureka's Westside Community Improvement Association (WCIA). The Jefferson Project has already completed a playground area with new equipment and has opened the building to many organizations for meetings and recreational activities. The excitement builds as our neighborhood shows its commitment to a clean, safe neighborhood full of activities for all ages, from gardening and cooking to dance and drumming, improving oneself and learning new skills. Join us with your ideas, projects and energy!



# K/T Net (Klamath Trinity Non-Emergency Transportation)

KT Net is a 501 (c)(3) non-profit public benefit transportation service and was established in response to a need for public transportation in northeastern Humboldt and northern Trinity Counties. A grassroots organization, KT Net has been in operation since January 2003. It was formed by a coalition of concerned citizens from several communities in Humboldt and Trinity counties to address the need for transportation.

#### **KEET-TV**

PBS North Coast Public Television educates and enriches our communities by providing informative, entertaining programs and innovative outreach, creating public dialogue on local and global issues, and building vital community partnerships.

## **KHSU**

KHSU is a community-supported, non-commercial public radio station, licensed to, supported by, and located on the campus of Humboldt State University in Arcata, California. We broadcast a diverse mix of programs to a population of about 135,000 people throughout Northwest California and Southwest Oregon.

#### **KMUD Redwood Community Radio**

Redwood Community Radio envisions a community of listeners who, guided by example of RCR programming, work together to create better, more just and sustainable world systems to ensure that all human and other living species on earth move toward higher quality of life and are able to survive the challenges in the times ahead.

# **Kunle Centre**

Kunle was founded in 2010 by a local grass-roots group of peers. Kunle is an African name meaning "Our home is filled with honor." Our organization focuses on addressing the mental health needs of people in our community. Our goals include reducing the rising suicide rate, raising awareness about mental health, and increasing the overall wellness of people in our community.

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### **Latino Net**

The Vision of LatinoNet is for all Spanish-speaking people to feel welcomed and respected, can access services and live in a healthy, supportive community.

## **League of Women's Voters Humboldt County**

The League of Women Voters of Humboldt County [LWVHC] is a nonpartisan political organization [501(c)(4)] that encourages informed and active participation in government, works to increase understanding of major public policy issues, and influences public policy. The League operates on the national, state and local levels. It neither supports nor opposes candidates for office at any level of government and at the same time, the League is wholeheartedly political and works to influence policy through advocacy.

## **Locally Delicious, Inc.**

Locally Delicious is an incorporated, 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that supports the "re-localization" of the California North Coast food system and advocates for re-localization of food nationwide.

## **Lost Coast High Educational Foundation**

Lost Coast High Learning Center believes that to sufficiently prepare our students for today's world, passively learning facts out of context is not relevant to the 21st century skills needed to be successful. At Lost Coast High Learning Center, students are guided and mentored by skilled instructors while developing solid fundamental skills in technology, reading, writing and mathematics.

# **Lutheran Home for the Aging**

Acting as a Management Entity for Newburg Retirement Center and Mountain View Village, we provide subsidized housing for seniors age 62 or over and or disabled persons.

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#### **Mad River Alliance**

Mad River Alliance is a community driven group working to protect clean local water and the ecological integrity of the Mad River watershed for the benefit of its human and natural communities. Mad River Alliance is a 501(c)3 (Humboldt County, California).

## Making Headway Center for Brain Injury Recovery

Making Headway Center for Brain Injury Recovery works toward the prevention of brain injuries through education and awareness and helps persons who have sustained brain injuries- and their families-to gain access to uniquely individualized services, support, and opportunities for self-determination and self-sufficiency.

#### **Mateel Community Center**

The Mateel Community Center has fostered the arts in rural Northern California for approximately forty years. Serving as the cultural hub of the Southern Humboldt community, we provide arts, educational, and social service programs, and present a myriad of multicultural musical, theatrical, dance, comedy, film, craft, and rental events- earning our non-profit organization international acclaim.

## **Mattole Camp and Retreat Center**

Mattole Camp offers many amenities for both indoor and outdoor campers: our own private swimming hole, a main lodge with a large reception/meeting room, a wrap-around deck with picnic tables and benches, a large campfire pit ring with benches, a playing field, low profile obstacle course, volleyball, horseshoes, a fully equipped NSF certified kitchen with commercial refrigerator, freezer and dishwasher, 6 burner stove with 3x3' griddle and double oven, microwave, food processor, coffee pots, washer/dryer, private sleeping cabins with full bath, sleeping rooms off the main lodge with full bath, and HOT showers for all!

## **Mattole Restoration Council**

The Mattole Restoration Council is one of North America's oldest community-led watershed restoration organizations. Established in 1983, the Council's primary mission is to understand, restore and conserve the ecosystems of the Mattole River watershed, with attention to threatened coho and Chinook salmon and steelhead. The Council works to further the objectives and purpose of the Mattole Restoration Council, "the restoration of natural systems in the Mattole River watershed and their maintenance at sustainable levels of health and productivity".

## **McKinleyville Family Resource Center**

We envision a community in which citizens, business, and government combine to facilitate solutions to the changing needs of the community to the end that all members live health fulfilled lives in a fully integrated and welcome environment. Our mission is to facilitate the collaboration of community entities and to develop programs that support, enrich, and sustain healthy community life.

#### **McLean Foundation**

The McLean Foundation has been awarding grants to nonprofits in Humboldt County, California, since 2000. The Founders, Mel and Grace McLean, lived and worked in the Eel River Valley of Humboldt County and their legacy continues to serve the community. The Foundation reserves all awards solely for the nonprofit organizations residing in Humboldt County.

## **Mercy's Haven**

Mercy's Haven is a 'next step' program, with the primary goal of reuniting mothers with their children. During the reunification period, of approximately one year, many aspects of the life skills necessary for successful healthy living, will be addressed and learned by both.

## **Mid Klamath Watershed Council**

The Mid Klamath Watershed Council (MKWC) has been actively planning, coordinating and implementing restoration projects in the Mid Klamath subbasin since May 2001. Focusing on projects that directly benefit our anadromous fisheries resource, we utilize grant funding combined with community and stakeholder volunteers to implement practical, hands-on restoration projects while educating participants on restoration techniques and stewardship principles.

#### **Move to Amend**

Formed in September 2009, Move to Amend is a coalition of hundreds of organizations and hundreds of thousands of individuals committed to social and economic justice, ending corporate rule, and building a vibrant democracy that is genuinely accountable to the people, not corporate interests. We are calling for an amendment to the US Constitution to unequivocally state that inalienable rights belong to human beings only, and that money is not a form of protected free speech under the First Amendment and can be regulated in political campaigns.

## **Multi-Generational Center**

The Eel River Valley Multigenerational Center is a place where people of all ages can come together at one place to participate in classes, programs and activities.

Unlike senior centers or teen centers that provide services, programs and activities for one generation, multigenerational facilities provide ongoing services, activities and programs for multiple generations in a single facility. There will be designated space for specific groups as well as common spaces where many different groups can interact.

#### **North Coast Clinics Network**

The North Coast Clinics Network (NCCN) is a consortium of community health centers working to improve the Health Outcomes of our under-served populations. NCCN's member clinics and health centers are working together to improve access to high quality medical, mental and dental health care for all people, regardless of their ability to pay, through information sharing, community education, shared administrative activities and direct service projects.

#### **North Coast Veterans Resource Center**

Veterans Resource Centers of America is a community based veteran's service agency with a 40 year history of providing veteran programs. We strive to engage veterans and their families in a process of healing and growth that celebrates their individuality, identifies all barriers to success, mitigates those barriers, and challenges each participant to live to their utmost potential. With thirteen (13) Resource Centers across Northern California, Northern Nevada and Northern Arizona, we are focused on the complex realities of veterans issues and work diligently to design innovative programs, which respond to the diverse needs of veterans and the community.

#### **Northcoast Environmental Center**

The mission of the Northcoast Environmental Center is to promote understanding of the relations between people and the biosphere and to conserve, protect, and celebrate terrestrial, aquatic, and marine ecosystems of northern California and southern Oregon.

## **Northcoast Regional Land Trust**

The Northcoast Regional Land Trust was formed in 2000 by a diverse group of people with backgrounds in land use planning, ranching, farming, fisheries, forestry and others concerned with protecting the North Coast's extraordinary environment and quality of life.

## **Northern California Community Blood Bank**

The mission of the Blood Bank is to ensure a safe and adequate supply of blood and blood products to the patients we serve.

## Northern California Indian Development Council, Inc.

The Northern California Indian Development Council, Inc. is a private nonprofit corporation that annually provides services to 14,000 to 15,000 clients statewide. NCIDC was established in 1976 to research, develop and administer social and economic development programs designed to meet the needs of Indian and Native American Communities; to provide support and technical assistance for the development of such programs, and the conservation and preservation of historic and archeological sites and resources.

# Northwest Committee for Employment of People with Disabilities (NCEPD)

The Northwest Committee for Employment of People with Disabilities is a diverse group of individuals from local businesses, labor groups, professional and academic fields, government and private social service agencies. Membership in the Northwest Committee is open to anyone who supports our goal of increasing employment and career opportunities for people with disabilities.

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# **Open Door Community Health Centers**

Open Door Community Health Centers provides quality medical, dental and mental health care and health education to all regardless of financial, geographic or social barriers

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#### Patricia D. & William B. Smullin Foundation

The Patricia D. & William B. Smullin Foundation was established in 1990 as a private family foundation in the State of Oregon by William B. Smullin. The mission of the Foundation is to help educate the citizens of Northern California and Southern Oregon through gifts to higher education, health education, and the Episcopal Church.

## Pay It Forward Golden State

Pay It Forward Golden State, Inc. provides shelter, food, clothing, fuel, and other resources to those impacted by crisis and disasters in California.

## **PBS North Coast**

PBS North Coast Public Television educates and enriches our communities by providing informative, entertaining programs and innovative outreach, creating public dialogue on local and global issues, and building vital community partnerships.

## **Planned Parenthood of Northern California**

We offer friendly and compassionate health care to nearly 100,000 people a year, across a vast area that spans 20 Northern California counties from San Francisco to Del Norte on the Oregon border. Our health care services include: birth control, cancer screenings, STD testing and treatment, PrEP and PEP to prevent HIV infection, gender-affirming hormone therapy, medication and surgical abortion, counseling, prenatal care, pregnancy testing, and sterilization.

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#### Quest for Excellence ™

Quest for Excellence™ is a company of Wm Clawson Enterprises, Inc. a California religious non-profit corporation that has been providing educational services and products since 1993. We are dedicated to the development, production, support, and continuous improvement of services and products which serve to promote personal, spiritual and professional excellence. These services and products include conferences, educational programs, coaching services, printed publications and audio/audio-visual media.

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## Redwood Community Action Agency, Inc.

Redwood Community Action Agency (RCAA) is a locally based, private non-profit organization that provides a wide range of services to low and moderate income residents of Humboldt County. Our long-term goal is to develop programs through which people can become self-sufficient and empowered to improve their own lives. There are 52 Community Action Agencies in California and approximately 1,100 nationwide.

#### **Redwood Discovery Museum**

The Discovery Museum is a non-profit children's museum that offers interactive exhibits and thematic programs. Discovery Museum exhibits and programs promote hands-on, open-ended discovery in the areas of science, art, culture, technology, and healthy living. Our goal is to help youth expand their horizons and prepare for the future by fostering a passion for exploration and learning.

## **Redwood Parks Conservancy**

Redwood Parks Conservancy (RPC) is a non-profit cooperating association established to foster understanding, enjoyment, and stewardship of our public lands through educational outreach, visitor services, and support of our partners entrusted with the care of public lands along California's north coast. Proceeds from sales at visitor centers and our online store are returned to the parks to fund special events, exhibits, signs, and publications, including the Redwood National and State Parks visitor guide.

## **Redwood Region Economic Development Commission**

The Redwood Region Economic Development Commission (RREDC) is a collaboration of Humboldt County communities dedicated to expanding economic opportunity in Humboldt County. We create opportunity and support the growth of local businesses. We lead projects of regional significance, make loans, and offer business consulting through our partner, the North Coast Small Business Development Center.

## **Redwood Women's Foundation**

Redwood Women's Foundation is a rural laboratory for women's empowerment. Our mission is to cultivate a safe, productive sustainable space for women, rooted in positive words, consistency, and actions. Our long-term goal is to procure a safe, holistic, and productive land-space for networking, educational seminars, workshops, retreats, community projects, events, fundraising, and sustainable agriculture.

#### **Redwoods Rural Health Center**

The purpose of Redwoods Rural Health Center is to provide responsive, preventive, high quality primary health care services, through a variety of healing disciplines, to all people without regard to social or economic status. We emphasize the client's right and responsibility to participate in his or her own health care decisions. It is our hope that the clinic be a place where the needs of the whole person are met--body, mind, and spirit.

## **ResolutionCare Institute**

Bringing capable and compassionate care to everyone everywhere in the face of serious illness.

## **Rio Dell-Scotia Chamber of Commerce**

The City of Rio Dell, "The Warm Hearted City," is located on the west bank of the Eel River, just below the ancient Scotia Bluffs and nestled comfortably in the surrounding redwood forests. Rio Dell is a small community with a population of around 3,300 residents. Located along U.S. Route 101, Rio Dell is an excellent starting point for trips to local attractions such as the Humboldt Bay area, the Victorian Village of Ferndale, the Avenue of the Giants (which has 31 miles of the most beautiful redwood forest scenery in the world), to the Lost Coast Loop and the beautiful, historic Town of Scotia.

The Town of Scotia, "Where Beauty and History Meet," is located in the heart of Northern California's Redwood Country. It is just across Eagle Prairie Bridge, also known as Hwy. 283, from Rio Dell. Scotia was founded in 1863 and was originally named Forestville, one of the many company-owned towns across the Pacific Northwest. Today, the Scotia is transitioning from the company-owned town it once was, to a thriving, independent community of about 850 residents.

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#### **Salt River Watershed Council**

The Salt River Watershed Council (SRWC) is a community-based 501(c)(3) public benefit nonprofit corporation. The SRWC encourages long term cooperative watershed management practices to sustain, protect and improve water quality, drainage, aquatic and riparian habitat and other natural resources while contributing to long term economic, agricultural and community sustainability in the coastal Salt River Watershed.

#### Sanctuary Forest, Inc.

Sanctuary Forest is a land and water trust whose mission is to conserve the Mattole River watershed and surrounding areas for wildlife habitat and aesthetic, spiritual and intrinsic values, in cooperation with our diverse community.

## **Scotia Band**

Since its formation in 1935 by a group of individuals in The Pacific Lumber Company town of Scotia, California, Scotia Band has continuously served Humboldt County communities. This spirit of dedicated public service enriches all those whose lives are touched. The band symbolizes the ideals and traditions that have made America great. The next time you hear the Scotia Band playing in the park, remember you are listening to a part of America's heritage.

## **Sequoia Humane Society**

The Sequoia Humane Society is a no-kill shelter whose mission is to be a community leader in reducing pet overpopulation by providing a high-standard of care and through programs such as adoption, spay/neuter and education.

The Sequoia Humane Society also has a new pet supply store in Old Town with a growing selection of pet food, treats, toys, and much more. All proceeds benefit the Sequoia Humane Society.

## **Sequoia Park Zoo Foundation**

Sequoia Park Zoo inspires conservation of the natural world by instilling wonder, respect and passion for wildlife.

## Six Rivers Montessori

Our mission is to nurture students' character, compassion, respect and curiosity; to cultivate their means to learn, to invent, and participate fully and joyfully in life independently and collaboratively; to sustain a quality Montessori holistic classroom environment within a farm-based learning community; to encourage a deep sense of interdependence and responsibility as caring, global citizens and stewards of the earth.

## **Sorrel Leaf Healing Center**

Sorrel Leaf Healing Center provides Mobile Response and Crisis Stabilization programs to serve the needs of children and adolescents ages 7 to 18, offering transformative, compassionate, evidence-based and trauma-informed care for young people experiencing a mental health crisis.

## **Southern Humboldt Community Healthcare District**

Mission: To provide high quality local medical services, to engage community members with education, activities and lifestyle opportunities which promote optimal health, and to assist our patients in navigating access to services throughout the health system.

## St. Joseph Health

St. Joseph Health, Humboldt County (SJHS-HC) is committed to meeting the highest standards in healthcare delivery while ministering to the needs of the whole person – body, mind and spirit. This commitment to the people of the North Coast is expressed in the St. Joseph Health System's four core values - Dignity, Service, Excellence, and Justice.

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## The Other Side of the Fence

The Other Side of the Fence is a Humboldt County 501 [c]3 nonprofit charity dedicated to preventing cruelty to children and animals; as well as providing relief to persons with an illness or disability, single parents, and seniors 55+. It is our mission to create a holistic set of Programs and Services to combat all aspects of family life that may lead to cruelty to animals and children.

## **The Wildlands Conservancy**

The southern estuary of the Eel River in Humboldt County contains a diverse array of habitats and a magnificent arena of life. This 1,100 acre property includes: tidal wetlands, freshwater marsh, sand dunes, grasslands, beach frontage and a spectacular half moon bay on the Eel River. Wildlife includes: river otters, harbor seals, tundra swans, bald eagles, egrets, herons, salmon and steelhead trout. The grasslands on the property are a winter refuge for tens of thousands of Aleutian Geese. These geese were once headed toward extinction when the fur industry introduced foxes to the Aleutian Islands that preyed upon the geese. The practice has since ceased aiding the geese's recovery.

## **Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation**

With the Pacific Ocean to the west, the majestic ancient Redwood Forest to the east and the streams filled with salmon, the home of the Tolowa is truly one of the most beautiful places on earth. These tallest trees on earth, the K'vsh-chu (Redwood) and runs of lhuk (salmon) are so awe inspiring that they play a powerful role in the Tolowa world view and religion.

The citizens of the Smith River Rancheria are a nation of Dee-ni' known today as the Tolowa Dee-ni'. They are governed under the Smith River Rancheria as a Federally Recognized Nation. Their Administration Office named the K'vsh-chu Administration Building is located in Smith River, California in the Pacific Northwest.

## Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation Community & Family Services

Our mission is to encourage a healthy community by providing services that address the unique social cultural and economic needs of our Tribal Family with accountability, integrity and respect.

## **Transition Humboldt**

The goal of Transition Humboldt is to help communities develop resilience by educating communities on how to prepare to survive challenging times by building community ties and by developing local resources.

## **Trees Foundation**

Located in Garberville, California, Trees Foundation was created in 1991 with the mission to restore the ecological integrity of California's North Coast by empowering and assisting regional community-based conservation and restoration projects. Trees seeks to increase the effectiveness of regional conservation and restoration projects led by committed activists and volunteers on lean budgets by leveraging resources to provide an array of free professional and technical services. These services include: graphic design and publications, website development and programming, fiscal sponsorship, geographic information system (GIS) mapping services, donor advised grants, organizational development consultation, and skills training.

## **Tri-County Independent Living**

Tri-County Independent Living is a consumer controlled, community based, cross disability, non-residential, non-profit organization that is designed and operated within a local community by and for people with disabilities. They offer a wide variety of services to members of the community – most free of charge.

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## **US Servas**

For more than 60 years, United States Servas has been bringing hosts and travelers together. A place to stay, friendship to begin, ideas to be exchanged, cultures to be shared, and world peace one conversation at a time: these are the reasons why you are invited to join us.

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#### **Vector Rehabilitation**

Established in 1979, as a 501(c)(3) non profit, they have been providing excellence in physical therapy to our local community for the past 35 years. Throughout the years, there have been a lot of changes, but one constant has remained - Our commitment to our patients and our promise to uphold our mission, "to provide outstanding physical therapy rehabilitation, education and research to promote wellness of the mind, body and spirit, regardless of the ability to pay".

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#### **Westhaven Center for the Arts**

The newest mission for the Westhaven Center for the Arts is to produce and offer community outreach through exceptional art programs, and has upped its game to more fun, year-round and exciting happenings. Gallery openings are monthly, and therefore showcasing more local artists. You never know what you'll find at the WCA; an art gallery opening, a book signing by our Writer in Residence, or a musician strumming for the locals. They are committed to providing accessible, affordable programming for adults, all while volunteers help to preserve the coolest center around.

## **Westside Community Improvement Association**

The old Jefferson Elementary School has been transformed by community volunteers of Eureka's Westside Community Improvement Association (WCIA). The Jefferson Project has already completed a playground area with new equipment and has opened the building to many organizations for meetings and recreational activities. The excitement builds as our neighborhood shows its commitment to a clean, safe neighborhood full of activities for all ages, from gardening and cooking to dance and drumming, improving oneself and learning new skills. Join us with your ideas, projects and energy!

## Willow Creek Youth Partnership (Dream Quest)

Dream Quest provides youth with vocational and creative opportunities to imagine and build their dreams. Dream Quest is located in Willow Creek, California, and offers year-round and summer programs. Dream Quest is a 501(c) non-profit organization created in 2001 by local individuals who saw a need in our community.

## WISH Crisis Shelter of Southern Humboldt

WISH is a non-profit community-based emergency shelter operating in rural southern Humboldt. They aid and empower women and their children in crisis and/or victims of domestic violence. WISH provides a (community supported) 24-hour crisis line, housing, education about the prevention of family violence, a complete referral service, and more. They provide supportive services and referrals to help you achieve independent living.



## **Youthability**

Youthability is a nonprofit dedicated to helping young people get started in the workplace through providing job training opportunities



#### **Zero Waste Humboldt**

Our mission is to develop waste prevention, reduction, reuse and recycling solutions for the residents, businesses, community-based organizations, and government agencies of Humboldt County. Our activities include public outreach and education, policy advocacy, technical consulting, and project coordination and support.