

ST. CLAIR COUNTY
COMMUNITY SERVICES COORDINATING BODY
A Community Collaborative Body



“...leading the way in the development of services to meet the needs of the community.”

1/10/2023

Dear Community Partner,

Housing insecurity and homelessness continue to be a significant concern in St. Clair County. From January 1, 2021 – September 30, 2022 alone, there were 3,626 calls to the St. Clair County Housing Assistance Resource Agency (HARA) requesting urgent assistance with housing-related matters. Of these calls, 720 were from people who were living outdoors or moving between friends/family, 2,285 were from people facing eviction, with the remainder needed additional support in other areas. During the 2021-22 school year school districts in St. Clair County identifies 406 school age children who were homeless. Our local shelters continue to be at capacity each night.

For the past 15 years, the Housing & Support Services of the Community Services Coordinating Body (CSCB) has hosted the **St. Clair County Community Resource Fair**, a one-day, one-stop event to provide services and support for individuals and families who are experiencing or are at risk of experiencing homelessness. This event is designed to provide immediate support, links to resources, and remove barriers for St. Clair County residents in need.

In 2022, the St. Clair County Community Resource Fair provided 560 households with food, personal care items, and resources. **This year's event will be held on Wednesday, May 10, 2023**, at St. Clair County Community College in the College Center Building. To make this event truly impactful, we are seeking sponsorships from community members and businesses like you.

Your financial support will help to cover costs for items that are provided free of charge to event participants. Items such as shampoo, deodorant, paper products, toothpaste, toothbrushes and more. Please see the attached sponsorship form for additional details.

If you have questions or would like more information regarding the Community Resource Fair or the Community Services Coordinating Body, feel free to contact Amy Smith, with St. Clair County Community Mental Health at 810 966-7830 or asmith@scccmh.org.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Kathy Swantek, Chair
Housing & Support Services Workgroup

Deb Johnson, Chair
Community Services Coordinating Body

ST. CLAIR COUNTY COMMUNITY RESOURCE FAIR



The **St. Clair County Community Resource Fair**, sponsored by the Housing & Support Services of the Community Services Coordinating Body (CSCB) is a one-day, one-stop event to provide services and support for individuals and families who are experiencing or are at risk of experiencing homelessness. This year's event takes place on **Wednesday, May 10, 2023** at St. Clair County Community College and will provide immediate support to area residents in need. To make this event truly impactful, we are seeking sponsorships from community members and businesses.

Your sponsorship will help to cover costs of personal care items provided to participants, such as shampoo, toilet paper, toothpaste, and more. Items that, to most people are necessities, but to those who are struggling, are often difficult to obtain.

- \$2,500 Platinum Sponsor**
 - Full page ad in Community Resource Guide, given to participants and vendors
 - Listed on event website and social media
 - Yard sign with business / agency name displayed at event
 - Business Name on cloth bag given to participants – *To be included on the bag, payment must be received by 2/28/23.*

- \$1,000 Diamond Sponsor**
 - Full page ad in Community Resource Guide, given to participants and vendors
 - Listed on event website and social media
 - Yard Sign with business / agency name displayed at event – Deadline 2/28/23

- \$500 Gold Sponsor**
 - Half page ad in Community Resource Guide, given to participants and vendors
 - Listed on event website and social media

- \$250 Silver Sponsor**
 - Quarter page ad in Community Resource Guide, given to participants and vendors
 - Listed on event website and social media

Organization/ Business Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact E-mail: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Sponsorship Level: \$2,500 \$1,000 \$500 \$250 Other: _____

**Please make checks payable to SCCCMH, and include "Community Resource Fair" in the memo line.
Mail to: St. Clair County Community Services Coordinating Body
c/o St. Clair County Community Mental Health • 3111 Electric Ave., Port Huron, MI 48060**

With questions, please contact Amy Smith at asmith@scccmh.org or (810) 966-7830