

Hands of Hope Resource Center, Inc.

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We are pleased to share this report with you. In 2017-2018, we served **363 domestic violence**, **138 sexual assault**, **294 child abuse** and **386 general crime** clients and their loved ones in two office locations. We welcomed 1 new staff member and 3 new board members. We are passionate about our cause and thank all of our volunteers, partners and donors for giving us the opportunity to serve those most vulnerable in our community. We could not offer 24 hour access to assistance without the **4,669 volunteer hours** provided by our caring volunteer advocates.

Warmest regards,

Todd Chantry, Current Board Chair
Stephenie Och, Executive Director

Making a difference...

"Your agency provides a much needed service. I don't know how someone could navigate the system (criminal court, OFP hearings, and divorce) without the support of an advocate. I really appreciate what you have done for me."

~Survivor of Domestic Violence

How can you help?

- Like us on Facebook.
- Sign-up for our quarterly newsletter.
- Volunteer on our crisis line.
- Help in our office.
- Host an event to raise funds, supplies and awareness.
- Volunteer at our awareness events.
- Donate money or supplies.
- Spread the word about our agency and our mission with your friends, family and co-workers.
- Purchase tickets to our March 23, 2019 "HOPE ROCKS" fundraising concert at the Falls Ballroom.

OUR MISSION

Hands of Hope Resource Center advocates, educates and promotes societal change for those affected by violence and abuse. We provide free and confidential services in Todd and Morrison Counties. We serve those impacted by domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse and other general crimes such as assault, burglary, stalking harassment and theft. We provide civil, criminal and medical advocacy for those seeking justice. We work closely with our partners in law enforcement, county attorney offices, social services and schools to support clients affected by crime and abuse. Our Violence Prevention Program provides prevention and other educational programming in the community and the schools on topics such as dating violence, healthy relationships, cyberbullying, sexting, and other topics as requested.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

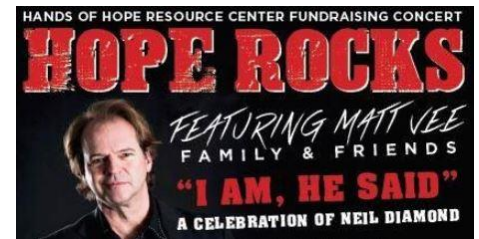
Todd Chantry, Assistant Morrison County Attorney; **Tom Swensen**, Morrison County Probation; **Deb Anderson**, Breitenfeldt Insurance; **Tina Scherping**, Pine Country Bank; **Kali Christensen**, Pastor; **Jeff Jelinski**, Morrison County Commissioner; **Gary Kneisl**, Todd County Commissioner; **Krista Theisen**, Morrison County Social Services; **Roxanne Wyatt**, Riverside Realty of Little Falls; **Sheena Prizler**, Todd/Wadena Community Corrections; **Teri Kuehne**, Todd County Health and Human Services; and **Tina Carlson**, IWCO.

Financial Report

Revenue	2017-2018	2016-2017
Government grants	377,401	378,787
Private grants & contributions	41,359	33,269
Fundraising	28,970	6,062
Contributions	8,560	12,479
Offender fees	4,125	2,529
Other Income	1,859	1,052
Total Revenue	\$462,274	\$434,178
Expense		
Domestic Violence	174,948	160,833
Sexual Assault	119,139	109,354
General Crime	94,123	113,977
Child Abuse	*included in General Crime	*included in General Crime
Emergency Assistance	2,541	4,822
Fundraising	20,230	6,531
Management & General	42,505	38,265
Total Expense	\$453,486	\$433,782
Net Income	\$8,788	\$396

Assets	2017-2018	2016-2017
Cash (including Board designated reserve) & other deposits	204,938	206,502
Grant & Other Receivables	33,269	34,131
Prepaid expenses	6,404	5,798
Furniture & Equipment (net)	5,933	10,203
Total Assets	\$250,544	\$256,634
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	1,144	151
Accrued Expenses	14,960	14,202
Deferred Revenue	14,918	31,547
Total Liabilities	\$31,022	\$45,900
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	105,977	99,086
Operating Reserve	113,372	108,446
Temporarily Restricted	173	3,202
Total Net Assets	\$219,522	\$210,734
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$250,544	\$256,634

Hands of Hope Resource Center books are in the care of Steve Meyer, Finance and Fund Development Coordinator. Our complete 990 may be viewed by going to our website.



In the Community

"HOPE ROCKS" Fundraising Concert

Over 520 community members attended our 1st Annual "HOPE ROCKS" fundraising concert "I Am, He Said" A Celebration of Neil Diamond at The Falls Ballroom. The concert was performed by The Killer Vees featuring Matt Vee Family and Friends. This event will help us continue to fund our Violence Prevention Program which focuses on presentations to youth in the schools on dating violence, healthy relationships, cyberbullying, sexting, and others topics based on individual requests and community groups.

Community Presentations

Our agency provided 50 community presentations to 2,563 participants and 2 professional trainings to 19 participants.

Networking

We are active members of the Child Protection Teams in each county, Morrison County Volunteer Network, Todd County Children's Justice Initiative, Todd County Court Coordination, Todd County Circle of Parents, Todd County Collaborative, the 7th Judicial District Family Violence Council, and the Todd County Violence Response Team. We are also Chamber of Commerce members in Little Falls, Long Prairie, and Staples/Motley.