

## Priority Areas

### FROM POVERTY TO POSSIBILITY

United Way is helping people move out of, or avoid, the cycle of poverty with access to nutritious, affordable and appropriate food security and with supports to access emergency shelters and to maintain safe and stable housing.

### ALL THAT KIDS CAN BE

Investing in kids so they can succeed in school and develop supportive relationships. Giving children and youth the support they need to make healthy choices and to better handle life's challenges.

### HEALTHY PEOPLE, STRONG COMMUNITIES

United Way is creating a strong, inclusive community connecting people of all ages to supports for their personal wellbeing - from addiction and mental health supports to helping seniors live independently

## 2025 Board of Directors

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## 2026 / 2027 Funded Agencies

Big Brothers Big Sisters  
BGC (Boys & Girls Club)  
Canadian Red Cross  
Family Counselling Centre  
Habitat for Humanity  
Inn of the Good Shepherd  
John Howard Society  
Lambton Elderly Outreach  
New Beginnings, ABI Stroke Recovery  
North Lambton CHC  
Rebound  
River City Vineyard  
Salvation Army  
VON  
Walpole Island First Nation  
YMCA

 **28 - Programs**  
**16 - Agencies**  
**1 - Community** 

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## 2025 United Way of Sarnia-Lambton Annual Report



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# President Report

## Jason Killingsworth

It is my pleasure to share this year's President's Report for the United Way of Sarnia-Lambton. Over the past year, we have continued to see firsthand the incredible impact that generosity, collaboration, and community spirit can have in improving lives across Sarnia-Lambton.

United Way exists to strengthen our community by bringing people and resources together to address local needs. This past year has been a powerful reminder of how important that mission is. Across Sarnia-Lambton, many individuals, families and seniors continue to face challenges related to affordability, housing, mental health, and food security. Through the dedication of our donors, volunteers, funded partners, and workplace campaigns, we have been able to respond and support those who need it most.

Our success would not be possible without the remarkable support of our workplace campaigns and corporate partners. Once again, businesses, organizations, and employees throughout Sarnia-Lambton stepped forward to give generously. Although we did not quite reach our goal, these contributions helped to ensure that the most vital programs and services remain available to people across Lambton County.

This year we were proud to see strong engagement from the community through many events, partnerships, and fundraising initiatives. These activities not only raised important funds but also strengthened awareness of the work United Way and our funded partners do every day.

We are so grateful to the many volunteers who dedicate their time and expertise to our organization. From campaign and community investment volunteers to our board and committee members, their commitment helps guide our work and ensures that we remain accountable and focused on the needs of our community.

I would also like to acknowledge the incredible work of our funded agencies. These organizations are on the front lines, delivering programs and services that support individuals, families and vulnerable populations across Sarnia-Lambton. Their compassion and dedication are what turn donations into meaningful impact.

To our amazing staff team, thank you!! Our United Way operates with a small but incredibly committed group who work tirelessly behind the scenes. Their passion for our mission and their commitment to this community are evident in everything they do. On behalf of the Board, I want to express our sincere appreciation for their hard work, professionalism, and dedication throughout the year.

As we look ahead, the needs in our community continue to grow, but so does our determination to meet them. United Way will remain focused on supporting vital programs, strengthening partnerships, and mobilizing our community to ensure that everyone in Sarnia-Lambton has the opportunity to thrive.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to thank our donors, volunteers, partners, and supporters for their continued belief in the work we do. Your generosity and commitment make a lasting difference in the lives of so many.

Together, we are helping build a stronger, more caring Sarnia-Lambton.

Thank you.

~ Jason

### United Way of Sarnia-Lambton Statement of Operations

As at December 31, 2025

	2025	2024
<b>REVENUE</b>		
Campaign Revenue	1,457,433	1,613,905
Uncollectable Pledges	-7,603	-8,930
	1,449,830	1,604,975
Grant Income	0	0
Investment Income	99,036	43,435
Day of Caring	2,573	2,604
Future Fund Donation	124,699	105,440
Bingo	27,360	24,385
Other Campaign Income	38,427	2,687
Management Fees	15,250	0
	307,345	178,551
<b>Total Revenue</b>	1,783,526	2,063,475
<b>FUNDRAISING EXPENDITURES</b>		
Fundraising Expenditures	318,279	324,575
Allocation to Community Services	1,438,896	1,458,951
Donations to Future Fund	-26,854	-7,520
Program Expenditures	1,422,064	1,471,914
+/- Revenue Over Expenditures	-10,022	-20,483

### United Way of Sarnia-Lambton Statement of Financial Position

As at December 31, 2025

	2025	2024
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Cash	515,191	370,947
Pledges Receivable	227,552	259,741
Accounts Receivable	23,307	8,660
Marketable Securities	1,594,230	1,786,467
Inventory	1,810	1,810
Due from Future Fund	184,021	69,039
Capital Assets	7,496	6,673
<b>Total Assets</b>	2,553,607	2,503,337
<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Accounts Payable & Accruals	110,112	130,018
Deferred Contributions	1,544,825	1,522,445
<b>Net Assets</b>	898,670	850,874
	2,553,607	2,503,337