

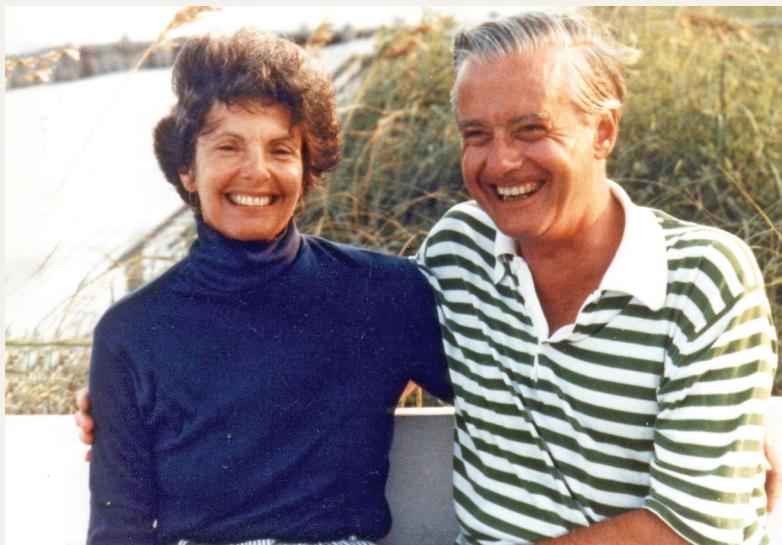


# The Human Needs Endowment Impact Report



Established in 1984 by the late CCF donors Reverend Alanson "Alan" Houghton and Billie Houghton, the Human Needs Endowment is dedicated to improving access to essential resources—shelter, food, utilities, clothing, medical care, and other basic human needs—throughout the Tri-County area. Since its inception, the fund has awarded more than \$440,000 to local nonprofits committed to serving the community. This impact has been made possible by the generosity of 29 donors with contributions totaling nearly \$90,000, and CCF's strategic investment of these contributions, creating the opportunity to grant five times the donation amount.

## "Troublemaking" Trailblazers



The Human Needs Endowment was one of many funds established by Alan and Billie Houghton to fulfill their charitable vision of improving the lives of both youth and adults in our community. As Alan Houghton once said, "We're community troublemakers."

Driven by their passion for service, the couple played a pivotal role in founding organizations such as Crisis Ministries and YOUTH Service Charleston. Their impact extended to projects like constructing Georgetown's first emergency homeless shelter and launching Emergens, a small business incubator.

For the Houghtons, giving was more than an act of generosity—it was both a privilege and a responsibility.

## A New Direction After Prison



Turn90 creates an opportunity for success after prison. They use the power of peer mentorship, cognitive skills training, supportive services, and employment opportunity to create an immersive program experience. The

generous support of the Human Needs Endowment has been instrumental in advancing Turn90's mission. In 2023, the organization employed 111 men, with 34 of them transitioning to permanent employment.

Making a deep investment in a person's emotional, social, behavioral and financial well-being gives them the skills to manage life differently, a pathway to legal employment, and an offramp from the incarceration cycle. Turn90's supported workplace model fills a critical gap in the prison reentry landscape, and with funding from the Human Needs Endowment they are revolutionizing the field.

## By the Numbers

\$89,090	29
DONATIONS	DONORS
\$440,945	59
GRANTMAKING	TO ORGANIZATIONS



# THE HUMAN NEEDS ENDOWMENT

## Grantees

Advocacy Coalition for People with Disabilities  
American Lung Association - Southeast Region  
American National Red Cross  
American National Red Cross - Carolina Lowcountry Chapter  
Association for the Blind and Visually Impaired South Carolina (ABVI)  
Barrier Islands Free Medical Clinic  
Camp Happy Days  
Canterbury House  
Carolina Autism Supported Living Services Ltd  
Carolina Hearing Aid Bank  
Charleston Area Community Development Corporation  
Charleston Habitat for Humanity  
Charleston Jewish Federation  
Charleston Legal Access  
Coastal Crisis Chaplaincy  
Dee Norton Child Advocacy Center  
Dorchester Habitat for Humanity  
Dorchester Interfaith Outreach Ministries, Inc.  
Dorchester Seniors, Inc.  
East Cooper Community Outreach  
East Cooper Habitat for Humanity  
East Cooper Meals on Wheels  
Florence Crittenton Programs of SC  
Good Neighbor Center  
Habitat for Humanity Georgetown County  
Habitat for Humanity of Berkeley County  
Helping Hands of Goose Creek  
Humanities Foundation  
In Every Story  
Landmarks for Families (formerly Charleston Orphan House dba/Carolina Youth Development Center)  
Loving America Street  
Lowcountry Food Bank, Inc.  
Lowcountry Local First  
Lowcountry Orphan Relief  
Meals on Wheels of St. Paul's Parish  
Meals on Wheels of Summerville, Inc.  
Med-I-Assist  
Moncks Corner Baptist Church  
My Sister's House  
NAMI Charleston Area (SC)  
Neighbors Together  
One80 Place  
Operation Home  
Operation Sight  
Palmetto Community Care  
Pattison's Academy  
Rape Crisis Center  
Saint Luke's Evangelical Lutheran Church  
Salvation Army  
Sea Island Habitat for Humanity  
Sea Islands Hunger Awareness Foundation  
South Carolina Department of Social Services Area C Adoption  
Teachers' Supply Closet  
Tri-County Home for Girls  
Tri-County S.P.E.A.K.S.  
Trident Area Agency on Aging Inc.  
Trident Literacy Association  
Turn90 (formerly Turning Leaf)  
United Methodist Relief Center



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