

# NCRA Cares



Habitat for Humanity

NCRA employees take pride in their communities and strive to make them a better place. We donate to programs and organizations that have a positive impact. We also contribute by volunteering our personal time. This year there were many that benefitted from NCRA employee and corporate giving.

Each year we have a fundraiser for the local United Way. This year, at the Man vs. Food competition in September, almost \$37,000 was raised. That money will go to fund several local programs sponsored by United Way such as Meals on Wheels, and Steps to End Poverty.

Two teams, one from NCRA and one from MCCU raised funds for the Susan G. Komen foundation to fight breast cancer. They participated in the Susan G. Komen 3-day 60 mile walk in Denver, CO and brought in over \$20,000 for the cause.

This fall, 24 volunteers representing Local 558 installed the siding for a local Habitat for Humanity project. NCRA purchased the siding in response to the employees willingness to help. The siding was completed all on one Saturday and many of the volunteers helped on other tasks throughout the project.

NCRA also sponsors the annual fireworks show put on by the McPherson Light Capitol Kiwanis Club. NCRA underwrites the total cost of the fireworks to help ensure that the tradition continues and allows the Kiwanis



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Club to use its resources and efforts in other places.

A man and his wife, who are both on the refinery cleaning crew, recently benefited from a generous donation from the Refinery Rec. Club. Employees donated close to \$1,700 to help pay for the couple's upcoming medical bills as they were without insurance and expecting a baby. Earl Hancock, Local 558 President, inquired about an additional corporate gift and NCRA matched what the employees raised to reach a total of \$3,500.

During the holidays, the McPherson County Food Bank was given a check for \$19,150 which included employee gifts plus a company match. Also, a van full of wrapped gifts and a generous cash donation were presented to the McPherson Head Start preschool program. Items such as coats, underwear, shoes, and socks were collected along with a check for over \$2,000 that included the NCRA match.

These are just samples of NCRA corporate and employee generosity. Countless additional hours and dollars are given through churches, civic clubs, corporate gifts, and simply helping our neighbors. NCRA cares, and together we strive to enrich the communities where we work and live.



United Way

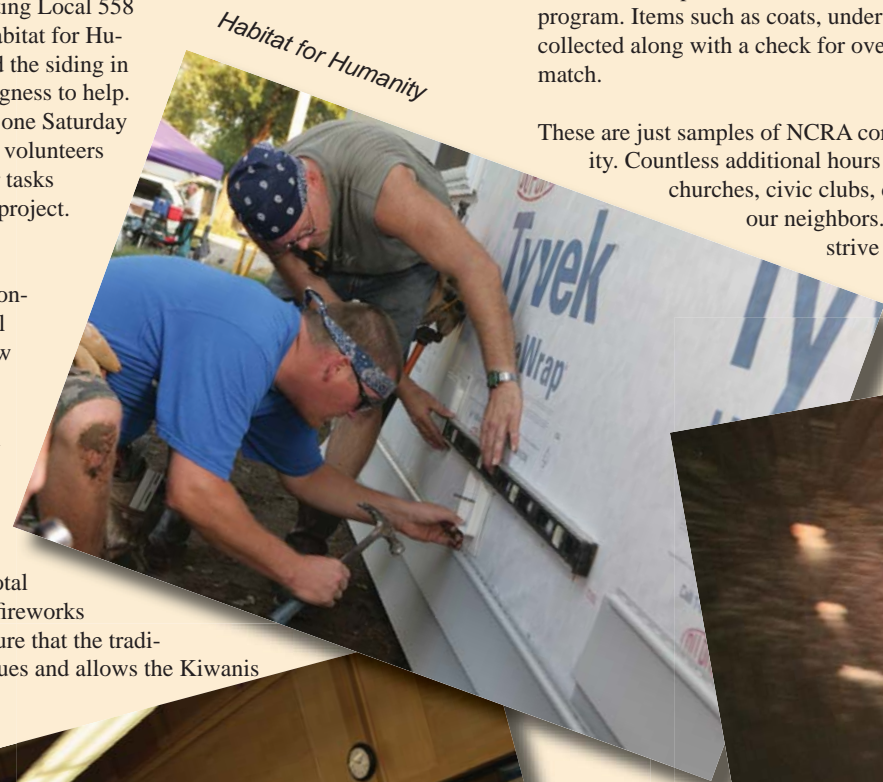
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