As 2026 comes to a close, we are filled with gratitude for supporters like you who believe every young person deserves the opportunity to thrive. Your generosity provides young people with support, access to critical resources, and a place to turn to during challenging times. Thank you for partnering with us to create pathways out of homelessness and toward stability, independence, and hope.

Looking ahead, 2027 will be a transformative year for HOPE 4 Youth. As we prepare to open our new Blaine facility, we're inspired by the opportunities it will create for young people in our community. With nearly double the space, we will be able to provide more access to critical services and even more opportunities for youth to build successful futures.

The need for support continues to grow. So far in 2026, we have seen 863 young people, a 10% increase in youth utilizing our services over last year. Your support ensures we can continue providing basic needs, housing support, education guidance, employment resources, and so much more.

Together, the possibilities are endless!

Imagine what's possible when a young parent has the resources they need to build a stable future

Gabe is a single father who found himself couch-hopping and, at times, sleeping in his car. Facing uncertainty, he began to work with a Youth Coordinator to explore housing options for him and his kids. After months of searching and completing rental applications, combined with Gabe's determination to create a stable living environment, he was approved for an apartment. Gabe was nervous about this transition, but HOPE 4 Youth supported him with the security deposit and first month's rent. Gabe was finally at ease and able to focus on his next steps while providing a home for his children.

Imagine what's possible when a young person can focus on their future instead of survival

For more than a year, Jayden has utilized case management and basic needs services while working to complete an apprenticeship. Consistent access to food, clothing, transportation assistance, and supportive case management helped remove barriers that may have otherwise disrupted her progress. As a result, Jayden maintained stable housing, stayed engaged in school, and continued pursuing a career she was passionate about. Along the way, her Youth Coordinator witnessed increased confidence, resilience, and overall well-being.

HOPE 4 YOUTH
Providing Pathways to End Youth Homelessness

Giving Options:

- ◯ *Monthly*
- ◯ *One-Time Gift*
  - ☐ Check (Enclosed)
  - ☐ Credit Card
- ◯ I want to be contacted about other giving options.

A gift of stock/mutual bond shares will provide life-changing support while offering you a tax deduction and other financial benefits.

Yes! I'd like to see what's possible with my gift!

- ◯ **$100** Provides food and hygiene items to meet basic needs of a youth for a week.
- ◯ **$250** Provides childcare needs including diapers, wipes, and hygiene items.
- ◯ **$500** Provides workforce resources such as clothing, transportation, vital documents, etc.
- ◯ **$1,000** Stabilizes and empowers youth through one-on-one Case Management.
- ◯ **$2,500** Provides a youth with the cost of entering stable housing.
- ◯ **$5,000** Provides youth support services to assist with overall well-being & stability.
- ◯ My gift of *$* _____ provides pathways to end youth homelessness.

Imagine what's possible when young people have the stability and space needed to thrive

This past summer, Kylie and Jackson were living with family in an environment that was emotionally unhealthy and affecting their mental health. The stress and uncertainty made it hard to focus on their well-being and future. At HOPE 4 Youth, they connected with a Youth Coordinator who helped them access housing support and mental health resources. With this support, the couple was able to secure a home. For Kylie and Jackson, this stability has not only provided safety and security, but also the opportunity to prioritize their mental health, set personal goals, and move forward with confidence.

The impact of these stories is only possible because of generous supporters like you.

Every meal provided, every housing plan created, and every young person who finds hope and stability begins with someone choosing to invest in their future.

With your support, we will continue to meet the needs of more young people like Gabe, Jayden, Kylie, and Jackson.

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As we close out 2026, we invite you to make a gift to our Annual Appeal. Your generosity will support the programs, services, and resources that help young people move from crisis to stability and toward the future they deserve. **Lives are changed when a young person is brave enough to walk through our doors and supporters, like you, invest in their success.**

With gratitude,

LaChelle Williams
Executive Director

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