...there is a path out ...

One of the factors of the complex, multi-layered problem of poverty is a breakdown of relationships. Together with you, Hope Rescue Mission builds partnering relationships for transformational development for the poor. We believe there is a path out of addiction, houselessness, and the various traps that lead people into life-controlling issues. Helping | Restoring | Transforming

This is where you, our praying and generous donors come in. Separated from your partnership, we would be lagging behind the need. Therefore, as you see these needs, remember, you make them possible!

June Clb

Jim Hicks, Executive Director

"Sally" (as we'll call her) was living in her apartment, working full-time as a case manager, and consistently helping her clients move into the TSOS.

Then life happened.

Sally's rent was increased by her landlord and she was unable to afford the increase. She desperately began searching for an available apartment, but was unable to find anything she could afford. When she was unable to find a replacement by the time she had to vacate, she found herself in the same houseless situation as so many of her clients had also experienced.

Sally continues to work full-time throughout her houseless journey, residing at the TSOS in the interim. Sally diligently saves her earnings each month, coordinates with Peer Support staff regularly, and is looking forward to being back in a home.

Sally states she is especially looking forward to "warmth, cooking vegetables, and better meals!"

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life happenes cont.

A journey to houselessness is often complex, with various factors contributing to it. There are others like Sally and hundreds more with unique stories. Without the right people in the right places to help Sally at every step of her journey, she wouldn't be on her way back into a home.

The dedicated staff and compassionate volunteers are what drive Hope Rescue Mission, with YOU, our supporters and donors, making it possible! Without these key employees and volunteers, and competitive pay that also allows them to make ends meet in their own families, we won't have enough people to walk individuals through their unique journey.

This is where your generosity goes even further. With your gift, Hope Rescue Mission can continue to seek Kingdom-minded team members and volunteers to meet needs across the Mission. From the street, to shelter, to sobriety and stability– every step of the way needs compassionate and dedicated staff and volunteers to walk with individuals.

Step by Step Journey

Contacting HRM to inquire about getting on the list to live at TSOS – spoke to TSOS staff.

Working with a Case Manager while residing at TSOS – TSOS staff is the case manager.

Worked with a TSOS Housing Navigator to address barriers to getting her back into an apartment and working to locate housing opportunities while "Sally" was at work during the day.

TSOS staff contacting and working with outside agencies to get Sally the resources she needs.

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Developing and fostering a relationship with local property manager to establish rental agreements.

Note for reference: All of these people/staff made this journey possible. Without these individuals working around the clock for her (and EVERY client at Hope Rescue Mission), progress like this wouldn't take place.

Will you consider a gift to help make this possible?

Thank you in advance for your contribution. Your gift will go toward finding and retaining Kingdom-minded team members, compassionate volunteers, and directly supporting the ministries that they serve!

 \$75 helps start someone on their journey \$150 helps someone like Sally who experienced unexpected complications of life \$500 helps a family stay in their home this winter \$1,000 will sponsor a Pallet Shelter at the expanded TSOS for 1 month 		
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