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## Annual breakfast raises vital funds, showcases vital agency

Since 2001, friends, supporters, partners and leaders from throughout the area have shared one hour of their time to attend Community Action's annual People You Should Know breakfast. This year's event will be from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 16, at the Washington Square Embassy Suites in Tigard.

Those attending will be updated on Community Action's impact on the lives of low-income families in Washington County and learn more about issues important to our community. They will also have a chance to hear stories of hope told by those who have turned to Community Action to overcome challenges and access opportunity.

One of two fundraising activities presented annually by the agency, proceeds from the People You

Should Know breakfast support various Community Action programs and services focused on helping low-income families in Washington County achieve economic security and realize success.

There is no cost to attend but contributions are welcome. A complimentary breakfast is provided and RSVPs are required. Kaiser Permanente is the presenting sponsor. Seats can be reserved by calling 503-693-3255 or by emailing [lgoodwin@caowash.org](mailto:lgoodwin@caowash.org).

"Now, more than ever, people are turning to Community Action for help. Until jobs return to Washington County we know that far too many families will continue to struggle to meet their basic needs. The People You Should Know breakfast is one way we can let folks know how they can make

a difference in the lives of our neighbors in need," said Lisa Brown, Director of Development and Community Relations. "Our work is not possible without a caring and committed community behind us, and we are truly grateful to those who have given so generously at the breakfast and throughout the year. Proceeds from this year's event will ensure that we can continue to lend a hand during tough times."

Community Action was formed in 1965 as a small grassroots organization focused on creating opportunities to break the cycle of poverty in Washington County.

For more information about Community Action, or to support the agency's mission, visit [www.hopehelpchange.com](http://www.hopehelpchange.com) or call 503-693-3230.