

# OUR NONPROFIT PARTNERS

## A Place To Turn

I am writing to thank you and everyone at Building Impact for your recent contributions to A Place To Turn. We so appreciate receiving your donation of 537 pounds of food collected through your food drive. Your generosity has a real impact on the lives of the families we serve.

There are so many neighbors among us who need a helping hand. A Place to Turn has been consistently providing emergency assistance to such families for decades. Each month, we provide hundreds of families with the provisions they need to survive the hard times they are facing. We are so grateful to the many area businesses, schools, religious and civic organizations, individuals and families for their donations of food, clothing, toys, personal care items and volunteer hours. We would not be able to serve our clients as well as we do without the support we receive from donors like you.

Joanne Barry  
Executive Director

## Y2Y

Y2Y Harvard Square would like to express our immense gratitude to Building Impact and its corporate partners for your incredible support with a bare necessities drive this winter. Y2Y is a student run homeless shelter serving guests ages 18-24 in Harvard Square. Part of our mission is to provide the guests who stay with us with basic necessities, like new socks and underwear, toothbrushes and toothpaste, and an array of other toiletries. Thanks to your support, our storage closets are full, and we now have enough toiletries to last us into next season. We rely on partners like you to ensure that our guests have the supplies necessary to live with dignity and comfort in our shelter.

Dan Wood  
Director Food/In-Kind

## Massachusetts General Hospital

There is a constant need for blood. It is estimated that every 2 seconds, someone is in need. It is only through the help of generous people who give blood throughout the year, that blood is available for the patients at MGH. Post-drive, blood donated will be tested, typed, prepared for transfusion and will be saving lives in the ER, OR and treatment rooms!

On behalf of those patients, THANK YOU  
Kim Cronin  
Manager, Donor Services

## More Than Words

The partnership between Building Impact and More Than Words has been crucial in our success at corporate lobby pop-ups. More Than Words is a youth-led used bookstore and nonprofit social enterprise based in Waltham and Boston. Our youth employees are 16-21 years old and are system involved: homeless, in foster care, in the court system, or out of school.

Building Impact's role in connecting More Than Words to corporate lobbies for these pop-up shops, has allowed us to expand our network to the professional community and sell our used books. Most importantly, it gives our youth an opportunity for hands-on customer service experience. More Than Words thanks Building Impact for continuing to connect us to the corporate community – it truly has made an impact for our youth.

Madelein McCormick  
New Business Ventures

## Middlesex Human Service Agency

On behalf of MHSA and the deserving clients at Pilgrim Shelter, I wanted to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU for your incredible work over the last several weeks. Each of you brought an unbelievable amount of kindness, insight, sensitivity and skill to our Leading With Impact project, and I have no doubt that your recommendations will result in huge improvements in the coming weeks and months. Truly, I don't have the right words to thank you enough -- but please know that your efforts are appreciated and will make a real, tangible difference in the lives of those in need.

Jarred Damico  
Development Director

## The Possible Project

Please accept heartfelt thanks on behalf of the entire team at The Possible Project for coordinating our donation drives. Without your generosity, our students would not be able to learn the enormously important lessons that only hands-on experience can provide.

The Possible Project is a non-profit youth development organization that uses entrepreneurship as the vehicle to teach students a host of skills and characteristics that will lead them to futures filled with possibilities. Skills like leadership, resilience, teamwork, self-confidence, professionalism, and an array of others send students on the pathway to success where they will graduate from high school, complete a post-secondary education or training program and enter a career that will pay them a living wage. Once again we thank you for your investment in and support of the possible project!

Jacey Buel  
Vice President of TPP Enterprises

## Program Partners:

