

MISSION STATEMENT *Becky's Place is designed to "provide shelter and create hope" for women and children who are experiencing homelessness and moving toward a life of self-sufficiency.*

2020–2021 Fiscal Year in Review

Expenses:
\$300,000



Revenue:
\$323,000



50%
of families found
permanent housing



93
Average length of days
stayed



70%
of residents have no
income source upon arrival



33
Average age of adult
women served



117,000
Meals served to residents

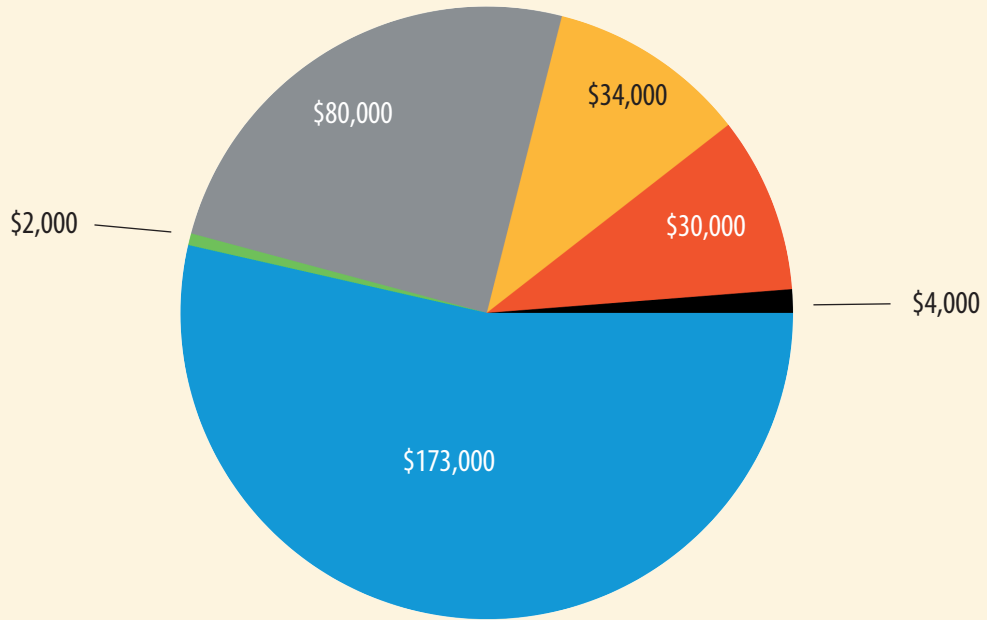


86
Women and children served

Financial Information

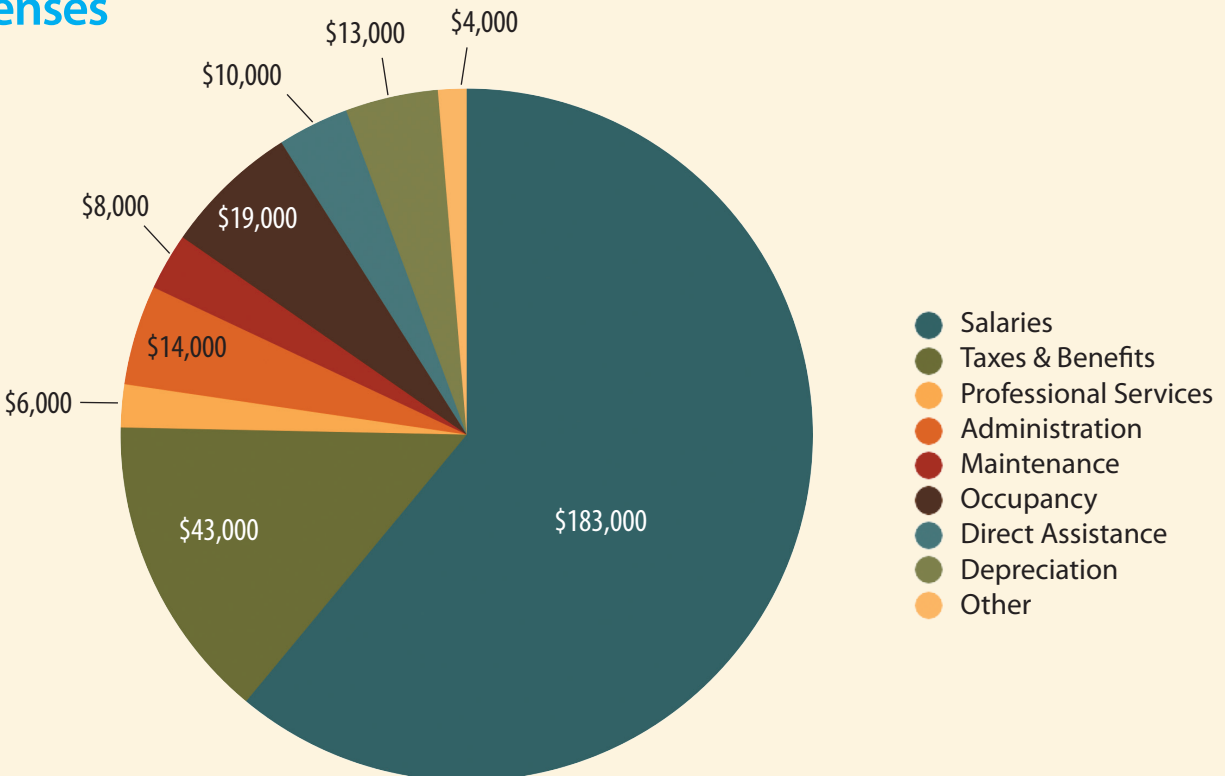
Operating Funds Only – Fiscal Year Ended 6/30/21

Revenue



- Contributions
- Sale of Goods
- Grants
- Events
- United Way
- Interest Income

Expenses



- Salaries
- Taxes & Benefits
- Professional Services
- Administration
- Maintenance
- Occupancy
- Direct Assistance
- Depreciation
- Other

Becky's Place Success Story

Audrey* came to Becky's Place in the fall of 2019 after her husband moved to Florida and left her and her children. Audrey had been with her husband for 17 years and was unable to maintain her housing and bills alone. She had never paid a bill on her own before and her husband oversaw their finances. Audrey had struggled with drugs in the past but had been in recovery for 2 years.

Audrey completed our program and moved out into permanent housing in December of 2019 but was not able to maintain her house, raising her daughters or her sobriety. The pressure and stress of doing it all was too much, and she returned to using drugs and ultimately went to jail. Audrey contacted Becky's Place again while incarcerated and wanted to give it another try. She returned to Becky's Place in December of 2020 and hit the ground running with a whole new attitude. Audrey found services to help with her substance use disorder and went back to her job as a server. She was saving money, completing goals and inspiring staff and her housemates. A local agency contacted Becky's Place about a job opening and wanted to know if there was a resident we would like to refer. Audrey was referred for the position and hired.

A short time after starting her new position Audrey was in a bad car accident in which she broke both of her legs and her pelvis. She spent a significant amount of time in the hospital and was worried about losing her job. Becky's Place contacted her employer and explained the situation. They loved having Audrey on their team and agreed to hold her position. Audrey returned to Becky's Place in a wheelchair and took some time to heal. She returned to work and started attending physical therapy. Audrey was recently approved for housing and is set to move into an apartment big enough for her girls to return to her care. She is beyond excited about her progress and independence, and we are extremely proud of her and her success.

*Name was changed for privacy

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Becky's Place Review

Becky's Place continues to provide shelter services for women and children in Bedford and the surrounding communities. The shelter averages 16 residents each night. Becky's Place also serves as an unofficial call center for our community, answering 2-3 calls every day from women - and men - seeking resources for a myriad of challenges.

The majority of women at the shelter are dealing with one or more physical or mental health condition and have no income. Over 60% have experienced some sort of domestic violence. The staff works with them to complete the shelter program, move into permanent housing and participate in an aftercare program. Residents who do not complete the program are connected with options for temporary housing.

Becky's Place is grateful to receive support from Bedford and surrounding communities. Various organizations donated materials, time and resources to support Becky's Place and granted over \$55,000 in funds.



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