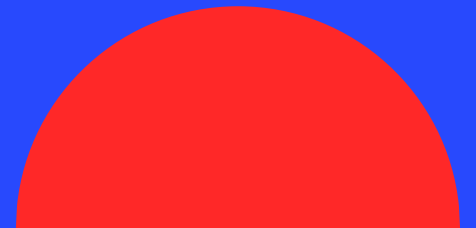
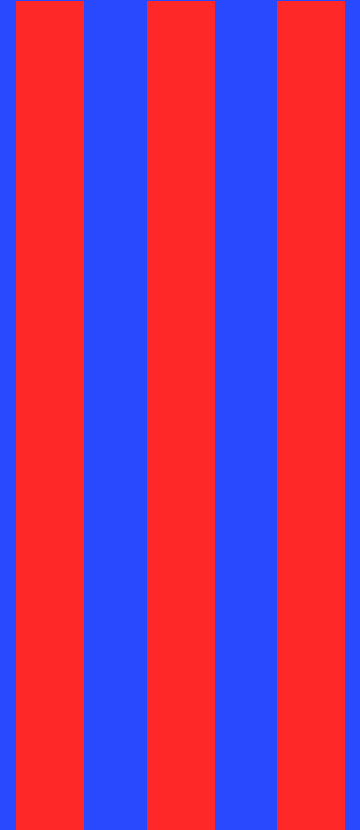




2024 Impact Report

Kershaw Area Resource Exchange - KARE





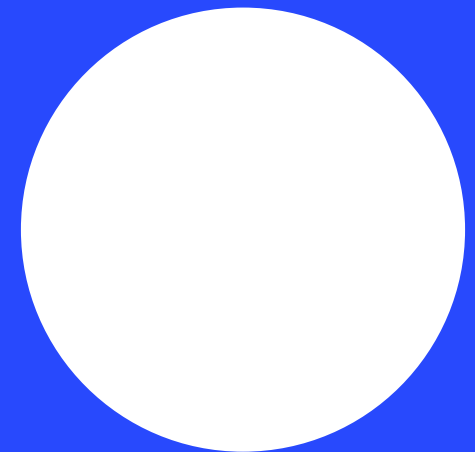
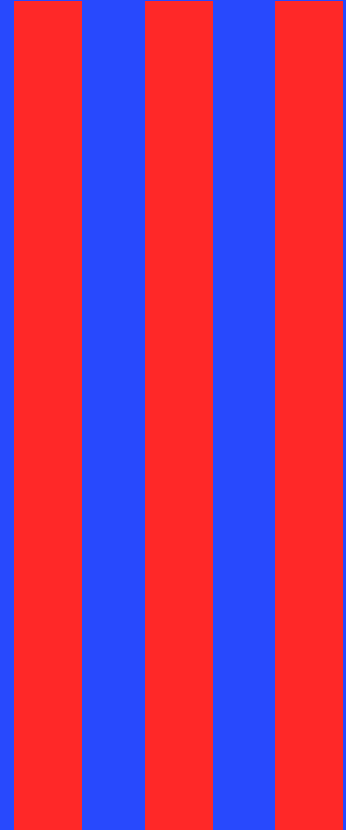
KARE's Programs

- Financial Crisis Assistance – KARE offers short-term, documented crisis assistance, helping with essential needs such as rent and utility payments.
- Food Pantry Operations – KARE offers low-income families nutritious, well-balanced food that covers at least one week's worth of grocery expenses.
- Home Repairs & Duke Energy Weatherization – KARE collaborates with partners to ensure safe living environments for low-income seniors and disabled homeowners.
- The Exchange by KARE – KARE's community thrift store is open to the public and all proceeds go towards supporting KARE's programs.

Year in Review

2024 was an action-packed year for KARE! Some of the standout moments from the year include:

- Renovation and grand opening of the new Exchange by KARE thrift store, featuring 16,000 square feet of shopping space including a boutique!
- Entered into a lease agreement with Kershaw Family Pharmacy to operate out of the Exchange by KARE.
- Grew our staff and volunteer team to meet expanding needs.
- Tackled significant plumbing repairs in our food pantry.
- Broke fundraising record for our annual Charity Golf Tournament.
- Angie Neal was awarded the Anne Springs Close Legacy Award
- Expanded our food pantry operations by providing a satellite food pantry at Macedonia Baptist Church in Jefferson, SC.
- Was chosen as the 2024 "Best of the Best" Non-Profit by the Reader's Choice Awards, organized by The Lancaster News!



2024 Community Impact

\$20,896.50 Financial assistance provided to 100 Households

278 Clients received Financial Counseling

278 Referrals to partner agencies for additional support

7 Homes repaired (6 projects completed by Youth Serve)

24 Duke Energy Weatherization projects completed

4,373 Households received 734,862 lbs. of food assistance

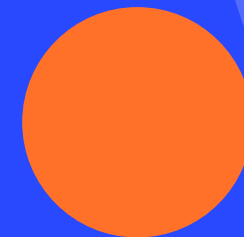
KARE provided partner agencies with 62,694 lbs. of donated food and supplies.

8,513 Volunteer hours donated representing a \$285,114 savings to KARE.

451,169 lbs. of food donated to KARE valued at \$866,245.

KARE donated over 38,000 lbs. of goods for the Hurricane Helene Relief in upstate S.C and western N.C. (included in partner agency number).

\$1,576,664 of total assistance provided to 6,436 families in need.



Financial Support

Fund Distribution

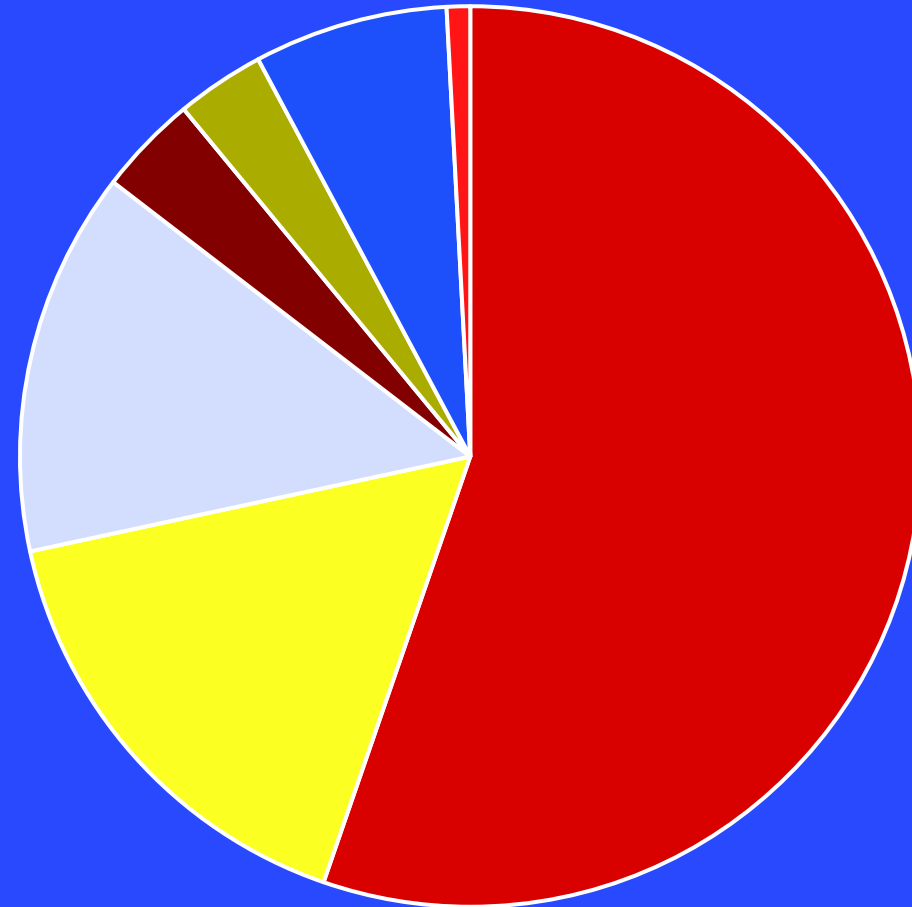
98% Program Expenses

2% Administration

2024 Financial Support

In-kind	\$1,151,359
Grants	\$340,268
The Exchange	\$287,589
Donations	\$74,867
Fundraising Events	\$66,074
Program Income	\$145,059
Pharmacy Lease	\$17,500

Income



■ In-Kind ■ Grants ■ Store ■ Donations ■ Fundraising ■ Program Incomes ■ Lease



Thank you

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