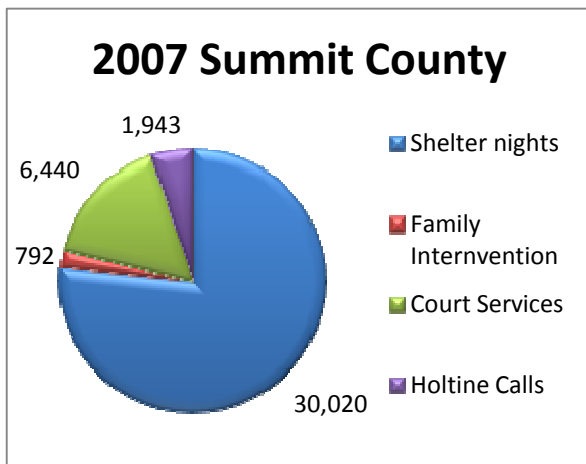
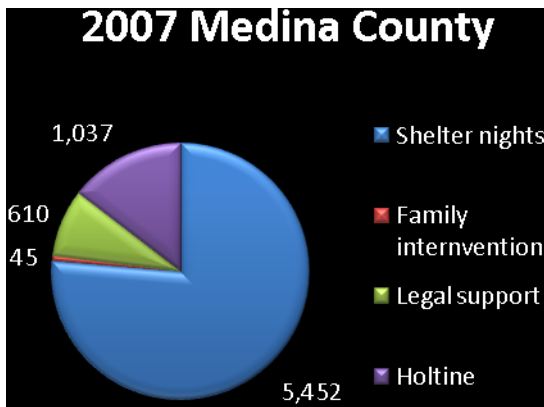




2007 Annual Report

Each year thousands of Summit and Medina County residents who have struggled living in abusive homes make the decision to move towards a peaceful life. Along their journey, some will need protective sheltering, other need guidance in developing a plan of action with timelines and life goals, there are others who simply need anonymous support through a confidential hotline and still others who wish for someone to accompany them through the confusing and intimidating medical or legal processes. Whatever each person needs to achieve peace, the Battered Women's Shelter is there as a catalyst. We would not be successful without all of our generous donors, devoted volunteers, talented staff and dedicated board members. To all who have helped us in 2007, we thank you!

Direct Services to Domestic Violence Survivors



Since 2005, Medina County has shown a 52% increase in nights of shelter requested and provided.

Since 2005, Summit County has shown a 44% increase in nights of shelter requested and provided to victims of domestic violence. As well as, an increase of 2,000 more survivors being seen in the courts.

2007 Battered Women's Shelter Leadership

Executive Director – Terri Heckman

Director of Finances – Bruce Hyer Director of Services – Dana Zedak

Board of Directors

Chairperson- Dottie Eitel Vice-Chairperson- Alane Boffa

Tia Ramlow - Ella Mathews - Allyson Lee - Beverly Brown - Gillian Larabee-Reid

Monica Russell - Gretchen Kungli - Linda Kramer - Alan Rothenbuecher

Sharon Dennis - Deanna Vargo - Richard Barbera



2007 Liabilities and Net Assets			
Assets			
	Cash	\$ 145,812	
	Accts. Receivable	\$ 233,159	
	Investments	\$ 1,171,145	
	Land, Bldg. & Equip	\$ 672,397	
	Other Assets	\$ 129,826	
Total Assets			\$ 2,352,339
Liabilities			
	Accts. Payable	\$48,919	
	Accrued Expenses	\$60,391	
Total Liabilities			\$ 109,310
Net Assets			
	Unrestricted	\$1,369,094	
	Board Designated	\$ 545,000	
	Temporarily Restricted	\$ 65,877	
	Permanently Restricted	\$ 263,058	
Total Net Assets			\$ 2,243,029
Total Liabilities and Net Assets			\$ 2,352,339



2007 Report of Expenses			
	Program Services	\$ 2,549,012	
	Management & General	\$ 81,624	
	Fundraising	\$96,645	
Total Expenses			\$ 2,727,281

2007 Funding Sources

Federal Awards	\$ 1,481,078
Victims of Crime Assistance	
Department of Job and Family Services	
Office of Criminal Justice Services	
Housing and Urban Development	
State Awards	\$ 148,768
State Victims of Crime Assistance	
Ohio Dept. of Job and Family Services	
Local Funding	\$ 214,420
County of Summit Marriage License	
County of Medina Marriage License	
United Way	\$ 380,231
County of Summit	
County of Medina	
Combined Federal Campaign	
Contributions	\$ 433,512

Note: Battered Women's Shelter changed its fiscal year to a calendar year effective 12/31/07. Financial data shown above is for the (17) period of 8/1/06 to 12/31/07.