



December 2014

Dear Friends,

We are upon the Holiday Season and a New Year. It is a time when we give thanks for what we have and plan for the future. It is also a time of giving. Please consider making a contribution to Community Partners in Caring this holiday season because:

- » 85 cents from every dollar goes directly to provide services.
- » Your contribution helps with the “match” required for our Federal Grant Program.

Please help seniors in the Santa Maria, Lompoc, and Santa Ynez Valleys maintain their independence by making a tax-deductible gift to Community Partners in Caring. Your donation will make a positive difference in the lives of local seniors.

Sincerely,

  
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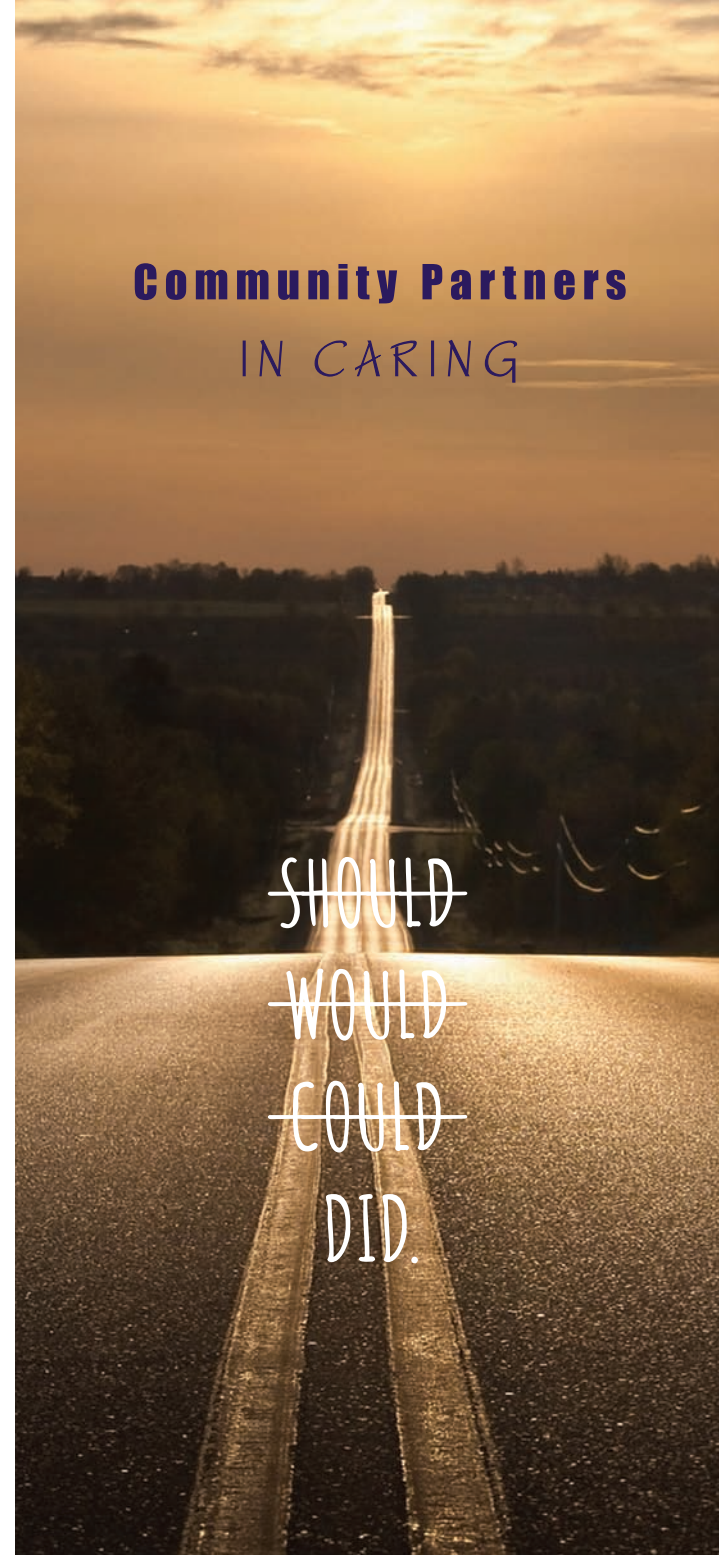
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# Community Partners IN CARING

SHOULD  
WOULD  
COULD  
DID.

**VOLUNTEER STATISTICS**

- » 459 individual clients served
- » 4,730 services to our individual clients
- » Types of services: trips to medical & social appointments, yard work, minor home repairs, light housekeeping, paper work, and friendly visits
- » 59,968 volunteer miles driven
- » 4,513 volunteer hours donated to provide the services *(excluding administrative hours)*
- » Value of total volunteer donated hours is \$118,872.42 *(based on a \$26.34/hr value)*

*The value of volunteer hours is based on the value that is set each year by the Independent Sector (IS), the national leadership forum for charities committed to advancing the common good. The IS sets the value each year after the Bureau of Labor Statistics has released its study of wages for the previous year.*

**FUNDRAISER DINNER**

- » 128 attendees
- » \$41,253 funds raised



Member of the National Volunteer Caregiving Network

**"I would not be able to do the things like go to doctor appointments, especially out of town. It makes me feel safer having someone to help me do things. Thank you."**

~ M.M.

**"(CPIC) helped me by keeping my independence."**

~ N.C.

**"I cannot drive, haven't for seven years, very poor eyesight, have sever glaucoma. It is a wonderful thing. I am so thankful for CommunityPartners in Car-**

**ing;**

**it's a real blessing."**

~ C.H.

**"With excellent services I have been able to maintain in keeping in the mainstream as others can do."**

~ B.S.

**"My oncologist is located in Solvang. My driving is limited."**

~ I.M.

**"It helps me in my brain injury rehab to see a new me. Love your service that helps me make it through life!"**

~ J.G.

**"I really appreciate all you do for me."**

~ H.D.

**"You just don't know how grateful and thankful (I am) to have you all to help me in more ways than one. I thank God for all of your volunteers; they've helped so much."**

~ V.F.