MISSION

AWAIC provides domestic violence safe shelter, intervention, and prevention.

A MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

I am excited to share with you AWAIC’s FY20 Annual Report, which outlines our results, impact, and financials for the last fiscal year. Behind these numbers are so many individual stories – many heartbreaking, but also many stories of success and perseverance. AWAIC is committed to empowering every woman, man, and child impacted by domestic violence so they can move forward towards a more hopeful future. A future without domestic violence.

One of the highlights of the last year was breaking ground on our Safe Spaces Expansion and Renovation project in October 2019 and finishing up the project in January 2021. The new and renovated spaces will increase our ability to offer safe, emergency shelter to more survivors and will include on-site space for male victims and their children. Much of the new space is devoted to creating private and confidential spaces for victims to share their stories and work through their trauma with trained advocates and case managers.

The project was made possible by the State of Alaska and the Rasmuson Foundation who both invested $1 million each. The Municipality of Anchorage, Murdoch Foundation, Tom and Judy McGrath, Jonathan Rubini and Clare Bertucio, Leonard and Tannie Hyde, Premera, Providence Foundation, Richard & Diane Block Foundation, ConocoPhillips, and N.E. ‘Knobby’ & Mary Ellen Segelhorst Estate all contributed $100,000 or more to the project. Our endless gratitude to those listed above and those who contributed at every level to help make this project a reality after 8 years.

The COVID-19 pandemic has created unforeseen challenges for our entire community. Our day-to-day work at AWAIC has changed, but not our overall function. We remain laser-focused on ensuring our doors stay open to meet the needs of survivors of domestic violence. Early on, we implemented strict COVID-19 protocols and we remain committed to keeping our staff and participants healthy. Our primary focus is ensuring that we are able to provide safety and support to victims of domestic violence and their families 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. AWAIC has continued providing services during the COVID-19 pandemic including crisis intervention, case management, resources and referrals, legal advocacy, personal support, children’s activities and more.

Domestic violence remains a threat to our community and even more so with the added stressors of a global pandemic. Our 52-bed shelter, one of two core services AWAIC provides to our community, had to reduce the number of people we could allow in shelter to meet the recommended social distancing guideline of one family per bedroom in shelter. To meet the needs of those at-risk and seeking safety, we pivoted and found offsite housing. This new way of sheltering victims was made possible with the support of local corporations and foundations who stepped in with incredibly generous donations.

Thanks to our dedicated donors, volunteers, board members, staff and community partners, AWAIC continues to carry out our mission uninterrupted – providing domestic violence safe shelter, intervention, and prevention with compassion and dignity through advocacy and collaboration.

Thanks to YOU, AWAIC continues to be a vital service for our community.

Be well,

Suzi Pearson
Executive Director
**FINANCIAL**

**EXPENSES $6,827,644**
- 3.9% Fundraising
- 4.2% Admin
- 1.7% Prevention and Outreach
- 37.4% Shelter
- 8.1% Non-Residential Services
- 44.6% Capital Expansion

**INCOME $6,748,983**
- 33.4% Capital Contributions
- 3.6% Corporate & Foundation
- 14% Individual Donors
- 0.9% In-Kind
- 17.7% Federal Grants
- 21.2% State Grants
- 3% Special Events
- 4% Local Income & Contracts
- 0.8% Gaming
- 0.9% United Way
- 0.5% Other

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**FY20 RESULTS**

**SHELTER AND SAFE HOUSING SERVICES**
- 13,794 shelter safe nights were provided to 324 women and men and 151 children at imminent risk due to domestic violence.
- 29 days is the average length of stay for women and children in the Shelter.
- 17 women stayed at Harmony House, a 10-bed transitional living facility for women without dependent children.
- 6,091 crisis and support calls were answered by AWAIC staff.

**NON-RESIDENTIAL SERVICES**
- 254 nonresidential women and children at risk for domestic violence were assisted by AWAIC staff.
- 50 adults and children achieved safe, permanent housing through the Moving Forward and Reclaiming Hope Programs which provides case management and support to those experiencing homelessness as a result of domestic violence.
- 453 men and women received Legal Advocacy Services including information, referrals, assistance with protective orders, safety planning, and court accompaniment.
- 106 men and women received financial assistance and relocation services through the Alaska Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Intervention Project (ADVSAIP).

**PREVENTION AND EDUCATION**
**AWAIC staff provided:**
- 157 presentations to 2,088 youth in the community.
- 12 trainings to 243 professionals
- 30 community presentations to 1,035 community members.
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SAFE SPACES EXPANSION & RENOVATION PROJECT IS COMPLETE!

After 37 years, the AWAIC facility has finally been expanded and renovated to better meet the needs of survivors of domestic violence. The Safe Spaces Expansion and Renovation project was finished in January 2021. Our capacity to shelter more victims in our emergency shelter will increase from 52 to 67 beds and will include space for male victims and their children. The additional office space will enable case managers to support more families who have transitioned out of shelter to help them overcome obstacles and access community resources as they adjust to their new life.

The Safe Spaces Expansion and Renovation project created:
- 7,000 sq ft of new space
- 4,000 sq ft of renovated and updated space
- 3 new bedrooms
- 15 additional beds
- 6 new program offices
- 3 new intake rooms

Our endless gratitude to every donor who contributed to bring this project to life. Thanks to the kindness of our community, AWAIC will be able to serve more victims of domestic violence.

Thank you to every donor who believed in our work to help survivors take their first step towards a future without domestic violence.
THANK YOU TO ALL THE AMAZING DONORS!

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- Rasmussen Foundation
- State of Alaska

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- Murdoch Foundation
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- Alaska Mental Health Trust
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