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## Resource List

Call 211 or 706-405-4775 for a list of resources for all types of assistance

Alabama Department of Human Resources-Russell County 334-241-5780

American Red Cross – 3940 Rosemont Dr., Columbus, GA 706-323-5614 – Food, Shelter, Clothing, Medical, and other Emergency assistance to victims of fire and other disasters (Muscogee, Marion, Harris, Chattahoochee, Randolph, Talbot, Quitman and Meriwether counties).

American Red Cross – 1208 8th Avenue, Phenix City, AL, 334-298-3631 – Emergency Food, Shelter, Clothing (for Fire Victims Only; if house is totally destroyed), Utility assistance (twice a year – must be age 62 or older. Call for information), Russell County Residents Only. Hours 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Monday–Friday.

Area Agency on Aging – 706-256-2900 or 1-800-615-4379 or 1-866-552-4464, (Lee or Russell County, AL – 334-749-5264). Must be 60 or older or be disabled. Help with: Household chores, Home delivered meals, Bathing and Personal Grooming, Emergency Response Button and other needed services.

The Baptist Center-1606 5th Ave., Phenix City, AL, 334-298-3581. Food Pantry, some medication assistance, toiletries.

Brown Bag of Columbus-Mon, Wed, & Fri, call for appointment 11342 17th St, 706-596-8581. Food for 65 and over only.

Chattahoochee Valley Episcopal Ministry — 1120 Lockwood Ave., Columbus, GA. Call 706-327-2836 for information. Financial Assistance (not for utilities) and referrals.

Children and Family Connection (if you have children) – 901 13th St., Phenix City, AL – 334-298-6610. Referrals for Russell County residents.

Columbus Housing Authority-706-571-2800

Consumer Credit Counseling Service of West Georgia and East Alabama – 1350 15<sup>th</sup> Ave, Columbus, GA – 706-327-3239. A non-profit, accredited, and nationally affiliated financial counseling service that assists individuals with budgeting, money management, credit education and debt reduction.

The Church of the Holy Family – (St. Vincent de Paul Society) – 706-322-0098- Call for information and types of assistance.

Damascus Way - 1200 11th Ave., Columbus, GA 706-653-2061, Shelter for Women and Children.

**DFACS** (Muscogee Department of Family and Children Services) – 2100 Comer Ave., Columbus, GA, 706-649-7311.

East Alabama Aids Outreach-665 Opelika RD, Auburn AL 1-800-799-4967. M-F 8a-5p

Emergency Food and Shelter Program-900 Linwood Blvd., Columbus, GA 706-649-1600. Mon-Fri 8a-5p

Enrichment Services Program – Columbus, GA 706-649-1600 or 706-596-0504. Rental and Utility Assistance is West Central Georgia, Food Distribution, Commodities, and Elderly Nutrition Program (includes program for meals delivered to your home, for disables or elderly). 2014 No Rental Assistance.

First Baptist Church of Columbus – 1214 Third Ave., 706-322-4468, Food Monday & Thursday 9:30 – 11:30, Walk-ins OK. All other assistance with DFACS referral.

Food Stamp and Temporary Assistance for needy families (TANF) AL, (office Phenix City, AL-334-214-5780, X5831, 1-800-997-8888.

Food Stamp and Temporary Assistance for needy families (TANF) GA, office 706-649-7311, 2100 Comer Ave., Columbus, GA.

Fourth Street Missionary Church – 222 5th St., Columbus, GA, 706-324-2055, Clothing (Mon. 11:00 – 1:00). Food pantry – every 3rd Monday of each month. Need ID.

Georgia Legal Services – 1036 First Ave., Columbus, GA 706-649-7493. Assists with reduced Fee GA state ID.

Holy Family Catholic Church-Corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave and 12<sup>th</sup>, 706-322-0098. Tues & Thurs 9:30a-11a. Food/utilities (see Enrichment program)

Homeless Resource Network-2221 Second Ave., Columbus, GA 706-571-3399-Homeless Services, Referrals.

Hope Harbour-706-324-3850-Shelter for Domestic Violence Survivors, (Women and Children)

House of Mercy-1532 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave., Columbus, GA, 706-322-6463, Shelter, Clothing (clothing five a way, Mon., Wed., and Fri 1:: Need photo ID

House of Restoration-908 7th Ave, Phenix City, AL 334-214-5522. Traditional shelter for men.

Housing Opportunities for persons living with HIV or Aids-334-571-0838. Rental, Mo

Lazarus Society-607 16<sup>th</sup> St, Phenix City, AL, 334-298-8552, Utility Assistance for Alabama residents. No Rental Assistance

Lion's Club International-Glasses, 1-800-5367/706-327-1000 (Lens crafters-Peachtree Mall) Contact Help Line-706-327-3999

Meals on Wheels-Contact Help Line-706-327-3999. They will give you a number to call.

Metra-706-653-4413-Bus route, information regarding transportation services (Dial-A-Ride)

Mission Columbus/Good Sheppard Health Care-3679 Steam Mill RD, 706-507-4672, Food Clothing, Call for appointment 8:30-4:00. Medical and possible Meds assistance, Call the Ministry Resource Center, 706-507-4687 for information. Educational-call for information. Job fair-every Tuesday 10:00 (no appt needed). Christian Women's Job Corp-call for information

Neighborhood Works-706-324-4663, help with getting your credit fixed, we will work with you.

Open Door Community House-2405 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Columbus, GA 706-323-5518. Clothing, Women's Shelter, Case management Women. Senior's Ministry, free showers for people living on the street

Russell/Macon County Community Action Agency-334-298-6614 / 334-298-6610., Financial Assistance (utility and rent), Russell Co. residents only. Located on the Campus to Greater Mr. Zion Baptist Church. 1113 2<sup>nd</sup> Place, Phenix City, AL 368 You can schedule and appointment with the 24-hour automated phone system at 334-408-4066

Samaritan Fund-1024 2nd Ave, Columbus, GA. 706-327-4958 M-Th 9:30a-12p

Source-Columbus, GA-706-322-7715/1-877-530-7360 is a State funded program set up to help low income Seniors and Disapersons access Community based resources that will help them stay in their homes and delay or avoid Nursing Home placements.

St. Anne Church-3502 Kay circle, Columbus, GA 706-568-1592, Financial, Food Pantry Mon-Thurs 9-11:30a. DFACS for all referrals. For appointments please call 706-568-1592 between the hours of 9 a.m. and 10 a.m. Monday-Thursday only. You may also email requests to stanneappointments@gmail.com.

St Luke Outreach Ministries- financial and food pantry (Mon 1:00, Wed 9:30 and 100, Fri 1:00. Financial assistance (utilities) M-Thurs 9:30-11:30, Prescriptions 706-327-4958

St Patrick's Catholic Church-1502 Broad Street, Phenix City, AL 334-298-9025 (see Lazarus Society)

St Paul's AME Church-4900 St. Mary's Rd, 706-682-2927, wed 10a-12p Food/clothing

The Salvation Army-1718 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Columbus, GA 706-327-0275. Financial Assistance and clothing for residents of Muscogee, Chattahoochee County GA and Russell County, AL Call to get on waiting list Mon through Wed 8:45-12 noon. Walk-in-8:45-11:30 Mon-Fri Food Pantry, some toiletries diapers (baby & adults). Must have a valid ID and proof of residency, within the past 30 days. Medications-Call for information. Furniture-fire or other disasters only-need report and photo ID., Mon-Fri 8:45-11:30 Free hot meals for the public 5:00 p.m. Mon-Sat and Sun 4:30p.m. Pathway of Hope-Long term case management-referral only. Emergency Housing-Family Shelter by Referral Only

Unity Wellness-1-800-799-4967; Opelika Road, Auburn, AL. Rental and utility assistance. Assists HIV+ persons in East/Central AL

Urban League of Greater Columbus-706-322-6840 -802 1st Ave, Columbus, GA-Employment Services and Referrals

VA-Columbus Based Outpatient Clinic: For Veterans-1310 13th Avenue, 706-257-7200

Valley Interfaith Promise-1214 3rd Ave., Columbus, GA, 706-494-6348, Shelter, support & services for homeless families

Valley Rescue Mission-2903 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave, Columbus, GA, 706-322-8267 (9a-4p, Mon-Fri, closed 12-1p each day). Furniture (domestic violence and fire victims); Men's shelter. Clothing (Mon & Tues only), food, (financial-utilities) (call first Monday of each month to schedule appointment).

Wynnton Neighborhood Network-Columbus, GA 706-327-0838-2100 Hilton Ave, Columbus, GA. Food Pantry. Must have referral. Utility Assistance (call for information). Hours 10a-12:30p.

W.I.C. Program (Women, Infants and Children) - 2100 Comer Ave. (Columbus Health Department). .Healthy food and nutrition (vouchers for food include cereal, fresh fruits, vegetables), education, classes. Call 706-321-6280 or 1-800-789-5502 for appointment and information.

## ALABAMA RESOURCES

Lakewood Baptist Church - 4011Lakewood Drive, Phenix City, AL. Food only Thursday 2-4 p.m. 334-298-6464

Lazurus Society - St. Patrick Catholic Church 1504 Broad St, Phenix City, AL. Food only, 334-298-7552

Summerville Baptist Church – 3500 Summerville Road, Phenix City, AL Food only Tuesday 9-11 a.m. 334-298-3256

Russell Baptist Association – 1501 Broad Street, Phenix City, AL Food and Utilities Monday-Thursday 9:30-11:30 a.m. 334-298-8495

Child & Family Connection - 910 13th Street, Phenix City, AL Food and Utilities 334-448-1010

## HARRIS COUNTY RESOURCES

FOCUS - Hamilton, across from Wells Fargo Bank. Food and financial assistance. Tuesday/Wednesday 10:00 a.m..- 2 p.m. 706-628-9955

WAVERLY HALL BAPTIST CHURCH – 7515 Georgia 208, Waverly Hall, GA. Tuesday 10 a.m.-12 noon Food only 706-582-2924

BETHESDA BAPTIST CHURCH – 3830 Highway 85, Ellerslie GA. Tutoring, Grief Counseling, Food Tuesday – Thursday 9 a.m. to 12 noon. 706-561-9607

DFACS - 1-34 North College Street, Hamilton, GA 706-628-4226

Harris County Enrichment Services – Monthly sign up for food distribution. Utility Assistance for elderly and disabled. 706-628-4926

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH - 6721 Highway 354, Pine Mountain, GA. Utility Assistance. 706-663-0090