



The city of Clearwater's Community Redevelopment Agency seeks to provide insight on Downtown Clearwater's various partners to CRA Trustees. The CRA sought information from the Bilheimer Capitol Theatre, Clearwater Community Garden, Hispanic Outreach Center, and St. Vincent de Paul Community Kitchen. Below is data provided the CRA by the St. Vincent de Paul Community Kitchen as of March 2021.

Downtown Clearwater organization: St. Vincent de Paul Community Kitchen

Organization status: Nonprofit

Organization website: <https://www.svdpclearwaterfl.org/>

Annual budget: \$400,000

Organization mission:

The mission of St. Vincent de Paul Community Kitchen and Resource Center is to provide those in need solace, meals and services in an environment that fosters self-sufficiency.

Staff size:

2 full-time, 1 part-time staff members, 70 volunteers

Current funding structure:

St. Vincent de Paul Community Kitchen receives funding through donations, grants, and special events.

Current leadership:

Christine Bond, Executive Director; Paul Terry, Esq., Board President; Carol Purcell Board VP; Nevena Gundy, CPA, Treasurer; Ann Rood, Board Member, Gerald Gehrand, Board Member

Current activities:

We provide meals, showers, laundry, clothing, personal hygiene items and mail service to homeless people in Clearwater. We connect clients with legal, medical and social services. We house the STARS four-week employment training program and support graduates with housing, move-in and utilities assistance. We are a founding member of Going Home, a coalition of organizations dedicated to the reduction of homelessness in Clearwater.

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