HOUSING OUTREACH...

- * 1.476 residents contacted
- * 142 residents received services
- ***** 111 residents with completed and improved exteriors * 30 residents received a total of \$105.800 in weatherization services
- * \$148.116 in financial assistance from Department of Community Development for energy conservation upgrades
- * Assisted with City-led Ward 2 housing survey
- * Connected residents with Department of Community Development

LakewoodAlive Paint Program:

* \$6.175 in reimbursements to help eight low & moderate income families pay for paint & supplies for exteriors of their homes

Volunteer help provided by: CityEdge Church, Cranford Avenue Block Club. Nehemiah Mission Volunteer Services. New Life Church, St. Edward High School.



(Continued from inside list of Supporters)

Keller Williams

Lakewood Animal Hospital

Lakewood Bailey Building

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2011 INCOME

Federal Block Grants \$85,404 Corporate Contributions & Grants . . 56,399 Individuals 20,727 Event Revenue/Sponsorships 62.840 \$253.950

2011 EXPENSES

Downtown Revitalization \$131,196 Mgmt & General 17,011 Fundraising 13,464

\$234,448



FROM OUR BOARD PRESIDENT ...

To say there's a feeling of excitement and energy in Lakewood is an understatement... you can feel it whether you're dining in one of our outstanding restaurants, shopping in one of our fabulous retailers, enjoying one of our beautiful parks, or simply strolling down one of our tree lined streets.



For those of us associated with LakewoodAlive – volunteers. supporters, event-goers and more - this excitement and energy is what motivates us. Each of you, no matter how large or small your role is, plays a part in this collective vitality that keeps us moving in the right direction as a community.

On behalf of our board of directors, please accept my deepest thanks for your support of LakewoodAlive. As an organization of residents, business owners, nonprofit and community organizations, we are only as strong as the people who live our mission each and every day. I hope we can continue to count on your support and involvement. Working together, we can ensure that the excitement and energy we're all feeling continues to grow.

With warm regards,

Jennifer Baker, President Board of Directors, LakewoodAlive

FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR...



Greetings, Friends!

As the new Executive Director at LakewoodAlive. it is my honor to report that 2011 was a fantastic year and we are extremely excited for a productive 2012.

It is a privilege to work with dedicated volunteers, merchants, staff, and collaborative partners as

we all come together to strengthen this wonderful community.

We welcome your input and ideas about how we can make Lakewood an even better place to live, work, and play. Seeking a volunteer opportunity? Let us know if you'd like to help and how we can connect you with a program that will be mutually beneficial. Thanks for your continued support of our community's non-profit economic development corporation.

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Best regards,
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Ian Andrews, Executive Director LakewoodAlive



WE ARE A NATIONAL MAIN STREET PROGRAM...

200+ volunteers annuallyEstimated 7,000+ volunteer hours served

COMMUNITY-BUILDING EVENTS...

Front Porch Concerts:

- Collaboration between Lakewood Public Library, start NEO and Vance Music Studios
- * Over 800 people attended nine free summer concerts Lakewood Street Walk:
- 30 program providers set-up along closed Detroit Ave.
 5,000 people attended this event



Jileen Coy & Bryan deBoer

Byron & Mary Anne Crampton

Gregory & Christina Denicola

Charles & Catherine Drumm

Larry & Rosamary Faulhaber

Nadine Hopwood Feighan

Robert & Mollie Eardley

Bill & Mary Pat Ellert

Ed & Gladys Favre

John & Terese Craighead

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Lakewood Summer Meltdown 5K & Street Party: * 500 runners registered and nearly 1,000 attended the party

- Spooky Pooch Parade: * 372 dogs registered and 700+ owners marched
- * 45 vendors attended and 3,000 watched the parade
- Light Up Lakewood:
- New Winter Parade, Festival King & Queen, fireworks and additional street entertainment & food vendors
 * Estimated attendance of 8.000–10.000

Charles & Patty Geiger Natalie Gelbke **Christine Geniusz** John Gentner Donna Gluvna Christine Gordillo Ioana Gotwald Patrick & Elizabeth Grace Robert & Helen Graham Susan Gregg Charles & Marie Grossman Kenneth & Kathleen Haber Tom & Fran Hayden Kathy Heiderlberg Holly Henry Diane Herman Ed & Mindy Herman Phil & Heidi Hilty Bill & Lacey Hoffman Katherine M. Howley Paula & John Jacobs-Meesig Diane Jacoby Brian Jasinski Chris & Jane Johnson Adam Jusko & Jeanine Gergel Tamara & Chris Karel Laurel Ann Keller Thomas Kilbane Shuhei Kodama **Ruth Koenigsmark** Kathy Kolesar-Aftoora Eugene & Jo Ann Kramer Nordson Michael & Patty Krivosh Davis Kusten & Drucilla Graves Anthony LaCerva Elaine Lakatos Gregory Lampert **Bill & Kim Langely** Dennis & Kim Lansdowne Betsy Lantz Timothy Laskey James Latham Tom Letherman Greg & Mary Beth Leifer

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James F. Rambasek Calvin & Roberta Ratcliff Saniel & Jennider Raynor Paula Reed Mikelann Ward Rensel Scott & Jill Richardson Sheila Riley Shannan Ritchie leff & Susan Ritter Tari Rivera Tedd & Roos Laura Vandale Dr. Frank Ross **Beverly Rudin** John & Kristen Rupert Patty Ryan Jeffrey Sadlowski Kevin Sargent Matt & Melissa Sattler Hilary Schickler Philip Schillawski & Elizabeth Todd Joe & Ann Schleckman Carolyn Seelbach Walter Senney David Shaw Rebecca Shaw Michael & Michelle Smith Pam Smith Bob Soffer & Kathleen McGorray Erin Spangler Charlene Sprankel Rolly Standish David Stein Joe & Elizabeth Stewart Shannon & Craig Strachan Mark & Cindy Stockman Michael & Wendy Summers Thomas & Colleen Sutton James II & Leslie Tighe Ken Tischler Michelle Tomallo Darren & Melissa Toms Tour of Good Cheer Judith Towner

Other Highlights:

- * Hosted 30 Heritage Ohio and Main Street managers at a state-wide conference, September 14–15
- * Executed University of Akron Lakewood ribbon cutting; Lakewood Plaza project launch

DESIGN ACTIVITIES...

John Pyke

* Rehabilitation of City Center Park landscaping with public-private volunteer collaboration



Maynard & Margaret Unger

Thomas Yanks & Carolyn Hufford

David & Dianne Vogt

Thomas C. Wagner

Jack & Karen Weigand

Edwin & Mary Westmeyer

Margaret Ziegenruecker

Mary Warren

Ioann Wilhelm

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Ann Bish

CCLAS

Beck Center

BeeHive Studios

Brennan's Flowers

Camp Bow Wow

City of Lakewood

Cleveland Browns

Cupcake Cravings

Deb Riddle Designs

Discount Drug Mart

Geiger's Clothing & Sports

Lakewood Animal Hospital

Lakewood Baptist Church

Lakewood Masonic Temple

Lakewood Center North

Lakewood City Schools

Lakewood Hospital

Friends of Lakewood Public Library

Convey 360

David Meeker

Giant Eagle

Judy Towner

Julie Warren

GreenSmartGifts

Greystone Goodies

Inn the Dog House

Grey Cardigan

Cleveland Indiancs

John & Margaret Wagner

 Review of drawings for 2012 Downtown way-finding signage
 Developed Tree Retention Program and researched an expanded Pole Banner Program

* Provided architectural technical assistance to local business

DOWNTOWN LAKEWOOD BUSINESS ALLIANCE ...

A merchant program facilitated by LakewoodAlive

- ***** 50% growth in membership over 2010
- Meetings 1st & 3rd Thursday of every month; 10–25 merchants in attendance per meeting
- * Education & training, including: Social Media Training; Graffiti Removal Training; Holiday Marketing Roundtable; Small Business Marketing Seminar
- Events tailored to attract retail visitors, including: Lakewood City Wide Street Sale, in which 100 residents, 55 merchants and 16 block clubs participated; Lakewood Chocolate Walk, in which 300 attended, 28 stores participated and the event sold out for the second straight year; Gingerbread House Tour

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