



To Daniel Emmerson

Thank you for the information regarding the ARPA Funds. I would like to tell you about our Non-Profit Organization. We serve the Deschutes County and our mission is to make sure no child sleeps on the floor. We provide beds for children in need. We have installed over 350 beds since June of 2020, here in the Deschutes County. The Deschutes Chapter prides itself on the fact we accomplish this by using all volunteer staff. We build, deliver and install beds for children ages 3-18 that have no bed. We deliver the bed, the mattress, sheets, comforter and pillow. The cost is approximately 250.00 a bed. The break down is 160.00 for wood, 80.00 for the mattress 20.00 sheets and 10.00 for pillow. We are requesting 5,000.00 this would allow us to Build and deliver 20 beds. We receive our request for a bed from County Social services, Saving Grace, Bethlehem Inn and several other organizations helping people in need of a hand up

This project creates community involvement when we have our build days. Volunteers from the community join together to cut, sand, drill, stain wood, and assemble beds for the kids in need. It brings awareness to the community that people do need a hand up. Some of our kids are newly coming out of homelessness and just need a safe clean bed. . Thank you in advance for considering helping us to make sure no kid sleeps on the floor in our town.

Sincerely,
Joseph M Myers

Outreach Coordinator

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