



National 211 Day Highlights the Essential Services of the Vital Pikes Peak United Way Community Hotline

Colorado Springs, Colo. – On February 11, 2026 (2/11), Pikes Peak United Way is joining United Way chapters and other 211 Networks from across the nation in celebrating 211, a one-stop local resource for help when residents need it most. From finding housing to food assistance, 211 helps to make the critical connection to the services that make a difference in their lives.

“This 211Day, we celebrate the incredible impact 211 has in our community. Whether it’s housing, food, or healthcare – 211 connects those in need with the resources they need to lead stable lives,” said Cami Bremer, president and CEO of Pikes Peak United Way.

In 2025, Pikes Peak United Way’s 211 program fielded **10,788 calls for rental assistance, 10,446 calls for utility assistance, 5,528 calls for income support**, including the VITA tax preparation service – **1,900 calls related to food insecurity, and 1,707 calls for clothing, community support, and general family support.** The program also supported over **2,300 veteran and military households**, connecting them to essential resources across the Pikes Peak region.

“Every day, 211 helps people in our community find food, housing, healthcare, and so much more,” explained Ange-Elie Jean, Chief Impact Officer of Pikes Peak United Way. **“This 211Day, we’re proud to be part of the larger national 211 network, making it easier for everyone to access the help they deserve.”**

About Pikes Peak United Way: The mission of Pikes Peak United Way is to enhance youth success and family stability in the Pikes Peak region by leading and lifting the most vulnerable in our community with mentorship, life resources, and real job opportunities. Our signature programs and partner agencies focus on connecting youth and their families to resources at the front end of their life journey to ensure access to fundamental needs of food, shelter, and learning resources. Visit ppunitedway.org for more information. #LiveUnited

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