



Addressing Homelessness in Columbia, SC: A Community Responsibility

Homelessness in Columbia, South Carolina, continues to grow, highlighting the need for community-driven solutions. In FY23, the number of people experiencing homelessness increased significantly, with children among the most vulnerable. Rising living costs, stagnant wages, and inflation have created a perfect storm, forcing many families into eviction and housing insecurity.

However, we are stepping up to meet these challenges. By providing housing support, financial assistance, and connections to vital resources, We play a critical role in helping individuals regain stability.

While the issue remains complex, solutions are within reach. For instance, increasing access to affordable housing and improving community outreach can significantly reduce homelessness. Moreover, when local businesses, volunteers, and nonprofits work together, the impact becomes far greater than individual efforts alone.

Tackling homelessness requires collaboration, compassion, and a commitment to change. With us leading the way, Columbia can become a community where every individual has the opportunity to thrive.

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