



# Annual Report 2018



*Carter and Mason Maxwell picked out fabric and made blankets for sick children at Primary Children's Hospital in Salt Lake City, Utah, as part of the Stern Family Summer Project. See more on pages 7-9.*

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# Leadership Letter



**Colleagues and Friends:** This was a very special year for the Holland & Hart Foundation, as we celebrated our 20th anniversary! It is hard to believe it has been 20 years since our founders, Sam and Jean Guyton, had the vision and passion to establish this organization, devoted to creating volunteer events for all members of Holland & Hart LLP and the opportunity to enhance our relationships with our colleagues and friends. Over that time, the Foundation's volunteers have organized countless events, helping neighbors far and near, and creating a strong sense of community across our offices and beyond that endures even as the legal profession, law firms in particular, and the world at large undergo rapid and widespread transformations.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, we thank each and every one of you who contributed to the Foundation's achievements in 2018, as well as every year before that, back to our first events in 1998.

Please enjoy reading about our Stern Family Summer Project (13 years of teaching a new generation about philanthropy); our amazing award recipients for the Mississippi Project (now in its 15th year); and projects that included building fences, organizing care packages, serving meals, playing with under-served children, and, of course, building bikes. It was a fantastic year and we look forward to the next 20.

Join us on [Facebook](#) to learn about upcoming events or visit our website at [www.hollandhartfoundation.org](http://www.hollandhartfoundation.org).

Sincerely,

Handwritten signatures of Ashley Wald, Chris J. Balch, and Tom O'Donnell.

Ashley, Chris, and Tom



# Firm-wide Food Drive

**Holiday Drive:** It was a quick holiday drive this year, but as usual folks rose to the challenge. Across the firm, we collected \$15,815 in cash, food, and clothing!

Thanks to everyone who contributed time, funds, food, socks, and more. Here are the 2018 winners of the coveted Golden Can award:

## **GOLDEN CAN AWARD WINNERS:**

### **SMALL OFFICE WINNER**

**1ST PLACE: CARSON CITY**

**2ND PLACE: ANCHORAGE**

### **MEDIUM OFFICE WINNER:**

**1ST PLACE: DENVER TECH CENTER**

**2ND PLACE: CHEYENNE**

### **LARGE OFFICE WINNER:**

**1ST PLACE: BOULDER**

**2ND PLACE: BOISE**



*Carson City Office*



*Cheyenne Office*



*Las Vegas Office*



*Aspen Office*



*Carson City Office*



*Denver Office 27th Floor*



*Washington, D.C. Office*





# Partnership Retreat

**National Ability Center, Park City Utah:** At the 2018 partnership retreat, our industrious partners worked on two projects to support the National Ability Center in Park City. At the equestrian center, one group helped to construct new fence lines around the perimeter of the property and several partners enjoyed driving the four-wheel “toys.” Another group helped with a deep clean—inside and out—of the NAC’s fleet of vehicles that are used daily to transport program participants.



# Mississippi Project and Lawyers in the Classroom

**Mississippi Project:** For 15 years, the Foundation has partnered with the West Tallahatchie School District, one of the poorest school districts in the nation, to fund 3 scholarships that help support teachers and students.



*Mary Kimmons  
Outstanding Teacher  
of the Year*



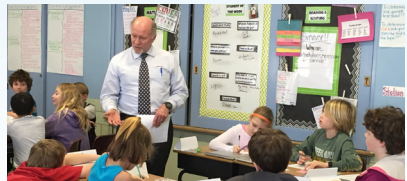
*Linda Johnson  
Outstanding Assistant  
Teacher of the Year*



*Joylecia McCoy  
Promise Scholarship  
Recipient*

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**Lawyers in the Classroom:** In 2018, attorneys from the firm's Denver, Denver Tech Center, and Boulder offices visited 32 classrooms at 11 different Denver Public School District elementary schools and taught 96 sessions to students about the Bill of Rights, rule-making, and how courts interpret laws.



# Stern Family Summer Project

**The Stern Family Summer Project** provides an opportunity for children and young relatives of members of the firm to learn the value of philanthropy and volunteerism at an early age. In the program's 13th year, 15 children ranging in age from 3 to age 17 with connections to the firm's Boulder, Cheyenne, Denver, and Salt Lake City offices volunteered or visited an organization of their choice. \$1,500 was donated to 8 different organizations by the Stern Family in the name of the young philanthropists.

- Sydney Coker, TRYAD Ministries, Denver
- Luke Gregorio, St. Joseph's Church Y Disciple Program, Cheyenne
- Olivia Gregorio, St. Mary's Cathedral, Vita Nova Coffee Ministry, Cheyenne
- Carter and Mason Maxwell, Primary Children's Hospital, Salt Lake City
- Mitchell Pinto, Food for Thought, Denver
- Joseph, Joshua, Lucas, Mia, and Trevor Sutphin, K9s 4 Mobility, Cheyenne
- Caden Wadman, Rhythm on the River, Boulder
- Dana, Ethan, and Miriam Wald, Dumb Friends League, Denver

To see all of the letters, drawings, and photos from the 2018 Stern Family Summer Project participants, visit: <https://www.hollandhartfoundation.org/stern-family-summer-project/>



*Dana, Ethan, and Miriam Wald,  
Dumb Friends League, Denver*

Hi Stern Family Project,

My friend Bob has an organization called K9s 4 Mobility. They train dogs that help people who can't see or walk to have a better life. They are nice and intelligent dogs. So far K9s 4 Mobility has trained and placed 26 service dogs.

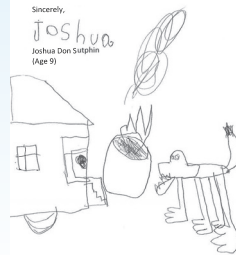
Bob's wife is in a wheelchair and she has a dog named Linden that helps her pick up things she drops and gets things for her. He can even open doors. One day Linden the dog went outside to the neighbor's house and started barking and barking and barking and barked at their flower pot. Nobody knew why he was barking and they kept telling him to STOP. Now usually, he would stop, but this time he just kept on BARKING. They decided to go get him. When they got to him they saw the flower pot was on fire and was about to light the house on fire! Linden saved the house that day.

It costs a lot of money to raise and train a mobility dog. But they only charge a small amount to the people who need the dogs. They need donors to help pay for this BIG money difference. I would like to donate money to them. My family is also going to volunteer to clean the kennels. I'm very excited to use a power washer!

Thank you so much for your generosity.

Sincerely,

Joshua  
Joshua Don Sutphin  
(Age 9)



*Joshua Don Sutphin,  
K9s 4 Mobility, Cheyenne*



# Stern Family Summer Project

A SAMPLING OF LETTERS, DRAWINGS, AND PHOTOS

Sydney Coker  
age 7½

For my Volunteer work Tryad open door ministries.

I went with my Grandma to help serve Lunch. Tryad helps to meet the needs of physically disabled adults. Some of these people are blind and some have wheelchairs. It was fun serving these people they were very nice. They sing and have a bible study after Lunch. I hope to go back very soon.



Sydney Coker, TRYAD Ministries, Denver

# Stern Family Summer Project

A SAMPLING OF LETTERS, DRAWINGS, AND PHOTOS



Mitchell Pinto, Food for Thought

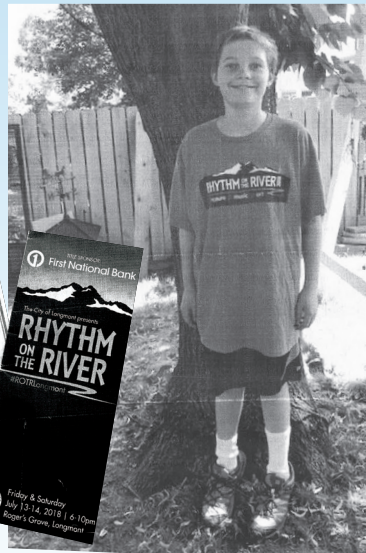
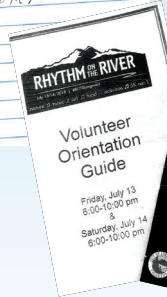
Aug 202018  
Me is mitchell, I am  
7 years old,  
everyday kids in Colorado go  
hungry because they don't  
have enough food,  
this is wrong.  
Food For Thought helps them,  
they pack food for familie,  
I love MY dog, Videe Games,  
and Food For Thought!

Mitchell 😊

Caden Wadman  
5th grade  
Flagstaff, Arizona

on July 14, I helped fill water bottles for  
people at Rivy them on the river in  
longmont. It is a big concert and family  
activities each year. Together with Julie,  
we worked as a team and filled about  
1000 water bottles! I felt proud of  
myself because how much work  
we put in helping people.

(Nude Biggs' nephew)



Caden Wadman, Rhythm on the River

# Anchorage, Alaska

**Covenant House Holiday Project:** The Anchorage office made and served lunch for the teens and workers at Covenant House Alaska. The mission is to help youth in crisis 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year through programs including Emergency Shelter, Street Outreach, Transitional Living Programs and associated services such as housing, health care, youth enrichment, and employment/education assistance.





# John Katchen

ANCHORAGE COMMITTEE CHAIR



John Katchen is an Of Counsel in the Anchorage office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2017.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

The entire Anchorage office cooked lunch at the Covenant House.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

By continuing to stay engaged in community issues. My hope is that we continue to provide support and services to organizations that serve victims of domestic violence and sexual assault.

*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Anchorage, contact John Katchen at [Jwkatchen@hollandhart.com](mailto:Jwkatchen@hollandhart.com) or 907.865.2606.*

## **Committee Members:**

Kyle Parker  
Tali Birch Kindred  
Sean Parnell  
Janet Tipton



# Aspen, Colorado

**Heritage Park Care Adopt-A-Family:** For our annual holiday project, the Aspen office adopted the residents of Heritage Park Care Facility, an assisted living complex located in the Roaring Fork Valley. Since many residents do not receive visitors or festive greetings, we decided to brighten their holidays by fulfilling their Christmas wishes, which included new hats, gloves, word puzzles, and chocolates. The Aspen Team assembled personalized gift bags for 22 residents, which were much appreciated by all of the residents.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Lift Up Food Bank

# Stephanie Stach

ASPEN COMMITTEE CHAIR



Stephanie Stach is a Legal Secretary in the Aspen office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2014.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

My best memory was helping the Aspen Rotary prepare for the annual Ducky Derby\*. The event brings out members of the Valley in droves, and our office was proud to be a part of it. We were able to connect with so many members

of the community, young and old, and it was a really special time, sharing stories and laughing, all while participating in such an important event.

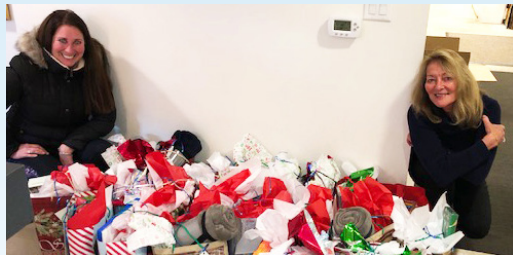
## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

The Aspen office intends to support our community throughout the Roaring Fork Valley for the next 20 years through continued work with our food banks, local schools, and seniors' facilities.

*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Aspen, contact Stephanie Stach, [smstach@hollandhart.com](mailto:smstach@hollandhart.com), 970.429.6898.*

## Committee Member:

Susanna Miller



\*Individuals, families, and companies adopt single ducks for a nominal fee. The duck that places first at the finish line wins a grand prize of \$10,000 for its donor. The Rotary Club awards 10 to 20 prizes in addition to the grand prize. The money raised is used to help pay for local youth groups, scholarships for Aspen high school students, and international aid projects.



# Boulder, Colorado

**Grove Foundation Garden Project:** We partnered again this year with the Grove Foundation, a local non-profit organization that uses experiential gardens to educate children about the benefits of healthy eating and environmental stewardship. In July, a group of almost 30 volunteers worked on project cleaning and organizing gardening materials and tools for use in community gardens at elementary schools throughout Boulder County. The group also helped with a maintenance project at the Flatirons Elementary School garden.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- I Have A Dream Adopt-A-Family Holiday Project
- Crayons To Calculators School Supply Drive

# Ken Winterton

BOULDER COMMITTEE CHAIR



Ken Winterton is an Of Counsel in the Boulder office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2010.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

Showing up with a crew of 20 to 30 people to help prepare materials and supplies for elementary school gardens for the upcoming school year. Each time, representatives from the Growe Foundation, that coordinates the school

gardens program, comment that otherwise it would have taken them weeks to accomplish the tasks, and our help puts them in a much better position to get off to a good start when students show up in the fall.

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

Our office will strive to continue with the strong partnerships we have formed over the past years with community organizations, and to establish new relationships with organizations that provide meaningful impact to our local communities.

## Committee Members:

Jeanne Frei  
Kay Goldermann  
Liz Harding  
Patty McGill  
Lisa Prodanovich

*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Boulder, contact Ken Winterton, at [kwinterton@hollandhart.com](mailto:kwinterton@hollandhart.com) or 208.383.3949.*

# Denver, Colorado

**Lennox Guest Home Refurbishment Project:** The Lennox Guest Home is a personal care home providing assistance and supervision with medications to 57 elderly and/or disabled residents. The Denver office has supported the Lennox Guest Home for over 30 years, hosting various events to benefit the residents. In August, 28 volunteers, including employees, spouses, friends, and children, helped give some TLC to Lennox Guest Home, painting the front porch, foyer, and main hallway. While we managed to disrupt the residents' access to the porch and main hallway for much of the day, they were all very grateful for the effort everyone gave to freshen up their living space. Volunteers worked hard all morning and then broke for lunch with the Lennox Guest Home residents (graciously made in advance by Delena Jackson and her husband, Fran) and then worked diligently to finish the project by the late afternoon.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Weinberg Food Pantry Spring Community Food Drive
- Bonfils Blood Drive
- Wish for Wheels Bike Build
- Brother Redevelopment Paint-a-thon



# Sarah Ritchey Haradon

DENVER COMMITTEE CHAIR



Sarah Ritchey Haradon is an Of Counsel in the Denver office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2018.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

Our project with the Lennox House last summer was very special. The sense of community and camaraderie was overwhelming. I loved watching the children of members of the firm work alongside the Foundation's founders and

the residents of the Lennox House, who were thrilled with the new paint job. It was a wonderful way to serve an organization that our office has supported for over 30 years.

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

The Denver office intends to continue its impactful work with the organizations and the people it has served for the past 20 years. We also hope and plan to grow our work to serve new organizations and people in need throughout the Denver metro area.

## Committee Members:

Todd Criger  
James Crowe  
Erik Lemmon  
Delena Jackson  
Lisa Harston  
April Hurst  
Julia Cross Lingsang  
Nate Page  
Brenda Proskey  
Marcy Weaver  
Nate Davis  
A.J. Martinez



To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Denver, contact Sarah Ritchey Haradon at [srharadon@hollandhart.com](mailto:srharadon@hollandhart.com) or 303.295.8044.

# Denver Tech Center, CO

**Children's Hospital Blood Drive:** We joined other tenants of our office building in April to support the Children's Hospital blood drive. Five hearty volunteers donated blood that is used to treat local pediatric patients in the Children's Hospital Bloodmobile.



## OTHER PROJECT

- Food Drive Benefitting The Covenant Cupboard Food Pantry



Lee Gray is a Partner in the Denver Tech Center office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2000.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

I still recall the faces on the girls at the Denver Children's Home when they came in to see their dormitories that we renovated as a joint 60th Anniversary project with the Denver office.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

Members of the DTC office will continue to support the South metro community through projects and food drives.

**Committee Members:**

Abby Briggerman  
Patti Casey

*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in the Denver Tech Center, contact Lee Gray at [lgray@hollandhart.com](mailto:lgray@hollandhart.com) or 303.290.1602.*



*A photo from Lee's favorite HHF Project: Denver Children's Home Dormitory Renovation in 2008*



# Washington, D.C.

**Children of Mine Summer BBQ:** We continue our support of Children of Mine Youth Center, a non-profit after school program that works to promote the safety, health, education and stability of at-risk children in Washington, D.C.'s Anacostia neighborhood. In July 2018, we hosted our annual summer BBQ for more than 40 children from the Children of Mine Center. 10 Foundation volunteers cooked food, ran activity stations—including a water slide, face-painting, and a cotton candy machine—and tried not to have too much fun in the sun!



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Children of Mine Holiday Party
- Bridges to Independence Sponsor-a-Family Holiday Program



# Michael O'Leary

WASHINGTON, D.C. COMMITTEE CHAIR



Michael O'Leary is an Of Counsel in the Washington, D.C. office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2015.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

The first summer BBQ we hosted for the children at the Children of Mine Youth Center in Southeast Washington, D.C. I smile every time I remember how excited the kids were when they arrived and saw a giant waterslide on

their playground. And, it was wonderful to see all of the firm's volunteers connect with the kids whether through games, face-painting, or just talking to the kids over a BBQ lunch. We have hosted a similar event each year since and it has been great to see the kids connect with the same volunteers each summer.

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

While the Washington, D.C. office committee will always continue looking for new opportunities to serve our local community, in recent years we have also tried to build more regular, consistent relationships with some of community service organizations in the greater Washington metropolitan area. We hope to continue this trend in the coming years to allow our volunteers a chance to build even deeper relationships with those organizations.

## Committee Members:

Heidi Beltran  
Kelly Johnson  
Benjamin Smith  
Rosa Smith



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Washington, D.C., contact Michael O'Leary at [mjoleary@hollandhart.com](mailto:mjoleary@hollandhart.com) or 202.654.6922.*

# Boise, Idaho

**Memorial Park Spruce Up:** A group of 25 volunteers came out on a Saturday in early May to work with Boise Parks & Recreation on a spruce up project for Memorial Park, which is located in the shadow of the Federal courthouse. Our industrious group of volunteers applied mulch to the park's play area and sanded and stained several benches at the park's seating area.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- United Way Book Drive and Women United Holiday Helper
- Ronald McDonald House Dinner
- Women's and Children's Alliance Back to School
- Empty Bowls – Idaho Food Bank
- Rake Up Boise

# Alex Grande

BOISE COMMITTEE CHAIR



Alex Grande is an Associate in the Boise office. She has served as Boise office chair since the summer of 2017.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

To recognize the firm's 70th Anniversary, a group of 40 Boise office volunteers spent 4+ hours shoveling and transporting actual "tons" of mulch and sawdust to spruce up one of Boise's largest public parks. The temperature

was in the high 90's during the project, but despite the heat and demands of the physical labor, everything we set out to accomplish got done. The unwavering commitment from our team was truly impressive. As one of the Boise Parks and Recreation employees said: "looks like a bunch of overachievers!"

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

Boise is in the midst of a much-discussed period of growth and is constantly ranked one of the most "livable" cities in the United States. It's our goal to continue to make sure we are participating in keeping our city a wonderful place to live by partnering with the nonprofits and organizations that are critical to this community's continued success.

## Committee Members:

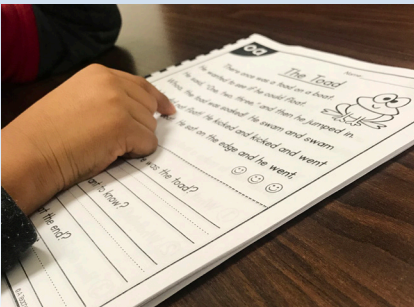
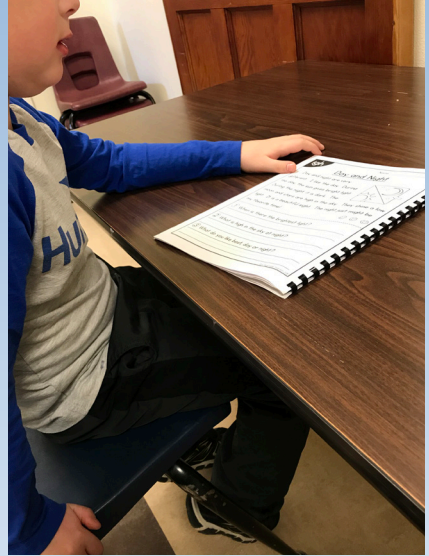
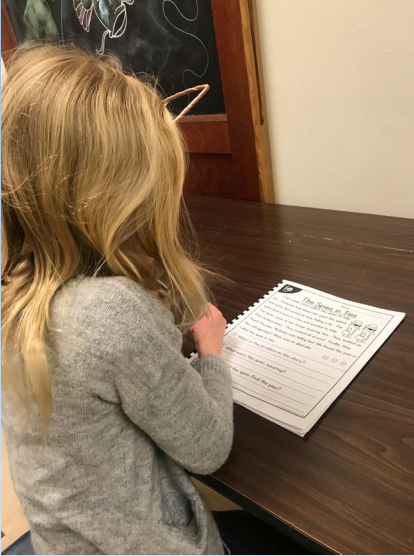
Kelly Andrus	Linda Jones
Anna Eberlin	Chris McCurdy
Matt Harvey	Matt Montgomery
Kirk Houston	Laura Squyres
Clay Karwisch	Grace Witsil



To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Boise, contact Alex Grande at [asgrande@hollandhart.com](mailto:asgrande@hollandhart.com) or 208.383.3975.

# Billings, Montana

**Broadwater Elementary Career Day:** Four members of the Billings office attended a career day at Broadwater Elementary School. The Holland & Hart team spoke to fifth graders about what lawyers do on a daily basis and how important our education is in our lives today.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Broadwater Elementary School Classroom Help
- Big Sky Seniors Holiday Project
- Broadwater Elementary Field Day
- Broadwater Elementary Neighborhood Enrollment Canvas



# Brianne McClafferty

BILLINGS COMMITTEE CHAIR



Brianne McClafferty is an Associate in the Billings office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2016.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

I enjoy most the time we spend throughout the school year at Broadwater Elementary volunteering as reading mentors. The first graders often teach me more than I do them. Watching the progress in students'

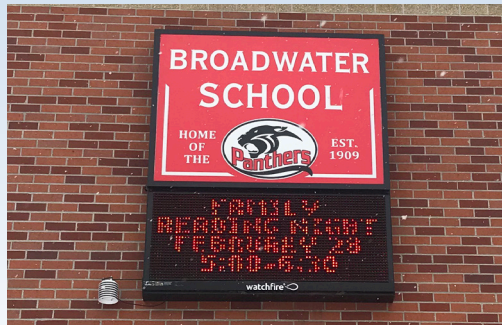
reading skills throughout the year is rewarding and the stories the students tell are never a bore.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

The Billings office intends to continue contributing to our community through the organizations and the people it has served for the past 20 years. We hope to expand our reach to those organizations that focus on serving those community members most in need, particularly organizations that take on the important role of supporting education and providing a safe environment for the future of our community—children.

**Committee Members:**

Chuck Hingle  
Steven Small  
Leslie Thomson



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities Billings, contact Brianne McClafferty at [bcmclafferty@hollandhart.com](mailto:bcmclafferty@hollandhart.com) or 406.896.4642.*

# Carson City, Nevada

**FISH Holiday Food Drive:** Each year, the Carson City office selects FISH to be the recipient of our annual holiday food drive. This year, in addition to bringing back the coveted Golden Can, we were also able to tour the FISH facilities and see how our donations are used in the community. A few of us even volunteered to hand out the turkey baskets during the week of Thanksgiving that were made possible with our donations.

Our office receptionist, Marion Gandy, shopped and provided a personal donation of over 120 lbs., making the single, largest staff donation this year of food for our Thanksgiving Food and Clothing Drive. The Carson City office cumulatively donated just over 858 lbs. of food and clothes, and our very generous attorneys collectively made cash donations to FISH of \$500.00.

The FISH program handed out over 200 turkey baskets this year before Thanksgiving (each basket consists of a frozen turkey and all the fixings for a family dinner based on the number of people in each household).



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Adopt-A-Family—Advocates to End Domestic Violence
- Wreaths Across America Day  
(with the Reno office)

# Caren Adkins

CARSON CITY COMMITTEE CHAIR



Caren Adkins is a Legal Secretary in the Carson City office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2017.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

Carson City established its own Office Committee in 2017. Every one of our projects and events since then have been special because the benefit of the Foundation's involvement has been felt by those most in a need in our community.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

Our attorneys and staff will continue to spread cheer and hope to those less fortunate and most in need in our community.

**Committee Members:**

- Scott Scherer
- Fred Schmidt
- Marion Gandy
- Jaclyn Calicchio



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Carson City, contact Caren Adkins at [cadkins@hollandhart.com](mailto:cadkins@hollandhart.com) or 775.684.6010.*

# Las Vegas, Nevada

**Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth—Hygiene Kits:** Youth aged 12-17 are at higher risk for homelessness than adults nationwide and Nevada has a large youth homeless population in desperate need of help. Nevada Partnership for Homeless Youth’s drop-in center provides a crucial service that gives homeless youth access to needed services including food, clothing, hygiene products, and other survival supplies. In April, our office organized a hygiene kit drive: many members of the office donated funds or items for hygiene and food kits that were assembled by our efficient 29-person team and then delivered to NPHY’s drop-in center.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Food Drive
- Shoes That Fit Shoe Drive



# Joseph Went

LAS VEGAS COMMITTEE CHAIR



Joseph Went is a Partner in the Las Vegas office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2017.

## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

My favorite memory is the Shoes That Fit project. The day we delivered the shoes directly to the children at Ruby Thomas Elementary was such an amazing experience. Seeing the gratitude on the children's faces when

we provided them with their new shoes and socks is a memory I will cherish for the rest of my life.

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

It is so important to get involved as a volunteer. There are plenty of opportunities out there if you look out for them. Supporting local businesses and charities and raising money to donate items needed in the community is essential. HHF will continue to be a vital community leader and continue striving to make real change in people's lives.

## Committee Members:

Connie Akridge  
Marcia Alcaine  
Yalonda Dekle  
Jean Fink  
Dave Freeman  
Sydney Gамbee  
Amber Lunn  
Susann Thompson  
Jill Vukasin  
Michael Wadley  
Michelle Wood



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Denver, contact Joseph Went at [jgwent@hollandhart.com](mailto:jgwent@hollandhart.com) or 702.669.4619.*

# Reno, Nevada

**Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (SPCA) Volunteer Day:** We had a great turnout of almost 30 volunteers of various ages for a productive half day helping out at the SPCA in early November. We learned about dog and cat behavior, made treats, cleaned storage containers, and interacted with a variety of adorable dogs, cats, kittens, and puppies. We celebrated our hard work and the Foundation with a pizza lunch.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Fill the Bus School Supply Drive
- National Wreaths Across America Day (with Carson City office)
- Hope for the Holidays Stocking Stuffer-Northern Nevada Children's Cancer Foundation

# Jim Newman and Liz Ford

RENO COMMITTEE CO-CHAIRS



Jim Newman is a Partner in the Reno office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2008. Liz Ford is the Reno Office Administrator. She's been serving the Foundation since 2018.



## What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

Jim's favorite memory is the BBQ Social at the Reno VA Hospital. The event honored the approximately 60 American Veteran residents at the VA for the sacrifices they made to ensure our freedom. This event provided an opportunity for our volunteers to serve food, socialize, and help clean up after the event. It was a rewarding experience especially for those who were able to visit one-on-one with veterans. We were very moved by their stories of combat and injury. Other office members donated money to purchase supplies to help make this event a complete success.

## How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

Jim and Liz foresee serving the Northern Nevada Community by encouraging membership and motivating people to volunteer their time. We know people get busy in other aspects of their lives and realize the Foundation needs to encourage all new members of the office to get involved. We can achieve this by continually promoting the organization's three primary goals: (1) create opportunities for individual and group volunteerism at the firm; (2) foster a greater sense of community among firm attorneys and staff; and (3) support the local and broader communities in which the firm practices professionally. Our committee will seek out every opportunity to cultivate new ideas and members to ensure there is always a band of volunteers connecting with the goal of helping our community.

## Committee Members:

Frank LaForge    Emily Woods  
Sarah Bordelon    Erica Nannini

*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Reno, contact Liz Ford at [lford@hollandhart.com](mailto:lford@hollandhart.com) or 775.327.3081.*

# Santa Fe, New Mexico

**St. Elizabeth Shelter Clothing Drive:** For several years, the Santa Fe office has partnered with St. Elizabeth Shelter and Supportive Housing to help those in need over the holidays. The St. Elizabeth Shelter is a local non-profit that provides emergency shelter, food, case management, and counseling, as well as supportive housing to homeless individuals and families. This year, St. Elizabeth identified a need for warm clothing items as many members of the local homeless community do not have adequate clothing to survive the colder temperatures of winter months. Every member of our office rallied to donate coats, socks, sweatshirts, gloves, hats, blankets, and other cold weather gear that we delivered to St. Elizabeth's in early December.



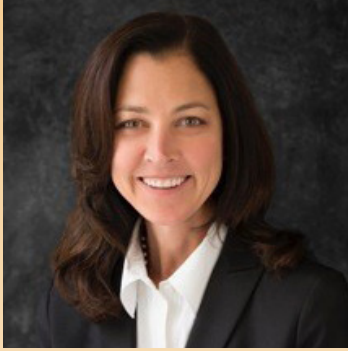
## OTHER PROJECT

- Santa Fe Indian Market



# Jules Angelley

SANTA FE COMMITTEE CHAIR



Jules Angelley is an Of Counsel in the Santa Fe office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2018.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

It was fantastic to see the generosity of people attending our annual Santa Fe Indian Market when we explained the causes that the money would support. It was a great way to raise much needed funds for deserving organizations and

wonderful to see the office pull together to make the event happen.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

We hope to continue supporting the organizations we have partnered with in the past, including St. Elizabeth Shelter, CASA, and Mother Tongue. We also hope to expand our reach to help those in need.

## **Committee Members:**

John Anderson  
Brad Berge  
Julia Broggi  
KK Dendahl  
Michael Feldewert  
Joanna Garcia  
Andrea Gonzales  
Barbara Hart-Hope  
Jordan Kessler  
Larry Montañó  
Adam Rankin  
Ruth Sougstad  
Kathrina Storm  
Robert Sutphin  
David Washington  
Little West



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Santa Fe, contact Jules Angelley at [jeangelley@hollandhart.com](mailto:jeangelley@hollandhart.com) or 505.954.3664.*

# Salt Lake City, Utah

**Homeless Youth Resource Center:** For the Salt Lake City Office's 20th Anniversary Project, we purchased hygiene supplies and assembled 100 hygiene kits for distribution to the Homeless Youth Resource Center. We also donated several boxes of supplies.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Annual Firm-wide Food Drive
- Utah Foster Care Giving Tree

# Barbara Thurgood

SALT LAKE CITY COMMITTEE CHAIR



Barbara Thurgood is a Legal Secretary in the Salt Lake City office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2008.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

The feeling within our office during our holiday projects is amazing. Everyone is excited to participate and contribute to making someone else's holiday special.

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

- 1) United Way programs
- 2) Assisting the homeless in our area
- 3) Contributing to Youth programs in our area

## Committee Members:

Adrienne Bell  
Sheila Bowmer  
Angela Franklin  
Becky Held  
Dave Hatch  
Jennifer Junkin  
Laron Lemon  
Ruth Lundberg  
Trent Maxwell  
Mark Miller  
Allison Osorio  
Ashley Peck  
Emily Schilling  
Kristi Sessions  
Cyndi Thomas  
Steve Tyler  
Julie Uriona  
Barbara Wallin



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Salt Lake City, contact Barbara Thurgood at [bwthurgood@hollandhart.com](mailto:bwthurgood@hollandhart.com) or 801.799.5800.*



# Cheyenne, Wyoming

**Downtown HoDown:** This year, Cheyenne's annual July Frontier Days celebration included the first ever downtown HoDown, organized by the Downtown Business Development Agency. The DBDA closed down one downtown street for food, concerts, and line dancing. Eight members of our office braved the rain and other elements to help set up the street, putting together seats and hay bales for the party.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Food Drive
- Cheyenne Day of Giving
- Friday Food Bags
- Pink Ribbon Run



# JoAnna DeWald

CHEYENNE COMMITTEE CHAIR



JoAnna DeWald is an Associate in the Cheyenne office. She's been serving the Foundation since 2017.

### What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?

Last year, our entire office sponsored a family to provide back to school supplies. The family included a group of five Native American siblings who had been moved to the care of their aunt and uncle, who were already caring for

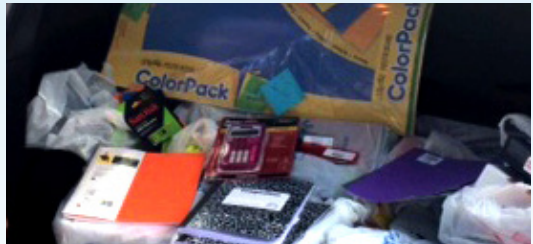
two children of their own. The children were not receiving assistance from the state or the tribe due to a loophole in the system. The entire office chipped in and raised funds to provide essential school supplies, shoes, and outerwear for each of the seven children. We sponsored them again when the holidays rolled around, providing gifts and clothes for each child.

### How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?

Our office will continue focusing on programs that matter to the office, particularly those that impact youth in Cheyenne and its surrounding areas. We hope to become involved with the local Boys & Girls Club. We will also seek out opportunities that allow all members of our families to get involved – we believe that's our strongest way to contribute.

### Committee Members:

Katelyn Hardee  
Michelle McCallum  
Brittney Wells  
Sam Yemington  
Walter Eggers  
Jeff Pope  
Laurie Rogers



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Cheyenne, contact JoAnna DeWald at [jsdewald@hollandhart.com](mailto:jsdewald@hollandhart.com) or 307.778.4232.*

# Jackson Hole, Wyoming

**Teton County Habitat for Humanity Build:** Affordable housing presents a significant challenge for a large portion of Jackson Hole’s local residents. We joined a Habitat for Humanity of Teton build day in June to help work on the largest affordable housing project ever undertaken in Teton County—24 units that are each 1,200 square feet. 5 members of the office toiled in the sun alongside some of the future homeowners, who are each required to contribute 500 hours of “sweat equity” to the project. The units are deed restricted, giving Habitat the right of first refusal and the ability to buy back any home and place it into the Habitat “pool” if a homeowner sells.



## OTHER PROJECTS

- Holiday Adopt-a-Family
- Friday Food Project



# Brad Flynt

JACKSON HOLE COMMITTEE CHAIR



Brad Flynt is an Associate in the Jackson Hole office. He's been serving the Foundation since 2018.

**What is your favorite story/memory about an HHF project?**

Watching attorneys Matt Kim-Miller and Bryson Smith operate heavy machinery at our office Habitat build!

**How will HHF continue serving your community for the next 20 years?**

In addition to taking on annual office projects like Habitat for Humanity and drives during the Holidays, the Jackson office will continue to be a community leader in providing for students in Teton County, WY and Teton Valley, ID who have food insecurity concerns during the weekend through the Friday Food Project.

## **Committee Members:**

Susan Combs  
Trisa DiPaola  
Paula Fleck  
Zale Hansen  
Stacey Hayes  
Matt Kim-Miller  
Trey Overdyke  
Dessa Reimer  
Joe Teig  
Bryson Smith  
Robert Ayers  
Kathy Lynch  
Bill Colgin  
John Martin  
Jen James



*To learn more about volunteer opportunities in Jackson Hole, contact Brad Flynt at [cbflynt@hollandhart.com](mailto:cbflynt@hollandhart.com) or 307.734.4508.*



**FOUNDATION  
ACTIVITIES**



**213**

**PROJECTS**

**TOTAL PRO BONO &  
CIVIC HOURS**



**51,290**

**HOURS  
CONTRIBUTED**



**29,365**

**PEOPLE  
SERVED**



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**TIME/VALUE OF  
THE WORK**

**2,482 VOLUNTEERS**

Launched in 1998 by Holland & Hart partner Sam Guyton and his wife, Jean, the Holland & Hart Foundation is a 501(c)(3) organization with three primary goals:

1. Create opportunities for individual and group volunteerism at Holland & Hart
2. Foster a greater sense of community among the attorneys and staff of Holland & Hart
3. Do good in the communities in which we practice professionally

To achieve these goals, Holland & Hart attorneys, staff, and their families participate in volunteer-driven community events organized by the Foundation's office committees.

*\*All figures represent our best estimates.*

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