

Funds Distribution Report

Recipient Organization:
Housing Hope

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Organization's General Goals:
Promoting and providing affordable housing and tailored services to reduce homelessness and poverty for residents of Snohomish County and Camano Island.

Date of Award:	Level:
2019 Q1	\$10,000+

For more information, please read the attached report from Housing Hope.

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January 6, 2020

Marilyn Sheldon, Director
Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions
8802 27th Avenue NE
Tulalip, WA 98271

RE: Grant Code Q1 2019 14.2

Dear Ms. Sheldon and Tulalip Tribal Members,

Housing Hope extends its appreciation to Tulalip Tribes Charitable Contributions and the selection committee for its generous \$ [REDACTED] grant of June 2019 supporting Twin Lakes Landing's Homeless Family Services program. As we work to meet the needs of our families, we are strengthened by supporters who provide critical funding for these services. Please accept this letter as our final report on the use of your funds.

Housing Hope is inspired by the achievements our participants made in Fiscal Year 2019. Families successfully maintained housing, increased household income, developed family management skills, and supported their child's on-target and healthy development. These successes reflect our families' tremendous progress toward breaking the cycle of poverty.

In our Homeless Family Services program, Housing Hope served 74 individuals from 40 households.

- 95% (38 of 40) of families either maintained their housing or exited Housing Hope's program to other permanent housing.

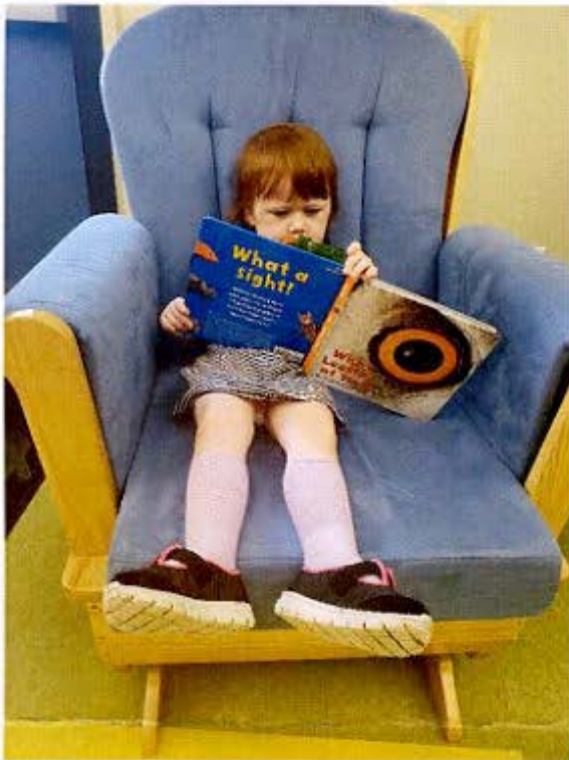
Education and Employment Specialists worked with participants to increase their earning potential.

- 72% (23 of 32) of employable adults participated in education, vocational certification programs, job training, internships, or paid employment.
- 13 adults entered Housing Hope without their high school diploma or GED and 85% of those individuals are making progress toward achieving educational goals.

Family Support Coaches connected families to College of Hope adult life skills education. These classes increase individual skills and knowledge in core life skill areas, including maintaining permanent housing, increasing household income, increasing family management skills, and parent education. Individuals attended *Back to School* (handling the school season), *Renter Certification* (navigating the rental process), *Brain Development* (how the brain develops from infancy to

adulthood), *WRAPS* (group for individuals recovering from addiction), *Solid Foundations* (pre-employment development), and *The Incredible Years* (parenting children aged 2-10).

Housing Hope addresses the needs of the whole family, including children's development. Families are provided with an on-site children's library that provides an opportunity to create a culture of reading that spurs children to explore their imaginations and improve their literacy development. We hope you enjoy these cute snapshots. These girls show up almost every week for a reading group led by a Housing Hope Mental Health Therapist.



Thank you once again for your generous grant. We appreciate Tulalip Tribes' investment in the mutual mission to break the devastating cycle of poverty and improve the lives of vulnerable families in Snohomish County.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Fred Safstrom".

Fred Safstrom
Chief Executive Officer