Alternatives to Violence (ATV) Mission Statement: In collaboration with individuals and communities impacted by violence, creates safe pathways away from abusive environments through education, counseling, advocacy and shelter.
DEAR FRIENDS OF ATV,

What an exciting year for Alternatives to Violence (ATV). Finally, after 35 years of operation our SafeHouse is open. The vision that began long before I came to ATV and will continue long after I am gone opened its doors in October 2016. The need is great and this has been proven time and time again as we have been at capacity since opening. When I tell people this, we discuss how tragic it is that here, in this time and at this place in society we continue to have the need to protect those who are unable to protect themselves. The daily operation of a facility designed to keep families as safe as we possibly can has exceeded our expectations and the costs to maintain a steady operation is incredible. We have added 10 additional staff members that provide advocacy services to guests of the SafeHouse 24/7. We have intensified our case management services because the needs are so varied and immediate since one of the requirements for entry into the SafeHouse is that they are in “imminent danger”.

We continue to provide supportive services to victims and witnesses of violence and we have advocated for the rights of victims so that they are able to begin the healing process and have done so for thousands of men, women and children over the years. Each person under our care receives tailored services for their specific needs. Receiving advocacy is key to the success of those we serve and may include providing information and referrals, advocacy in the courtroom through court accompaniment or personal advocacy such as assistance with orders of protection, counseling, provision of basic needs and support through various groups. We have also added legal services for victims twice a month through a collaboration with another shelter through the Bringing Justice Home program.

Our relationship with the Loveland Police Department as the providers of immediate crisis service continues. We assist victims whether they choose to leave their abuser or have decided to stay. Should the victim decide to stay, we provide safety planning so they can be as safe as they can possibly be. Through counseling, emotional and physical support, emergency shelter and long-term shelter through our rapid re-housing program, survivors are given the opportunity to thrive and become self-reliant.

The coming year brings growth in many ways. We shifted from an agency where our core services revolved around counseling, advocacy and ongoing support to one that also includes providing services in response to an immediate crisis. As a crisis response agency, we are open 24/7 to meet the immediate needs of victims no longer safe in their own homes in addition to the other services offered. Volunteer victim’s advocates are a continuous need. In order to keep costs down, we had to add paid advocates to assure all gaps are filled.

We could not do all this without the dedicated staff and volunteers, our committed board, generous donors and community partners like you. Each one of us serves a different purpose yet each contributing to the overall success of those we serve and we appreciate your support through your financial donations, in-kind support and volunteer spirit.

Regards,

Glenda Shayne
Executive Director
Vision
Alternative to Violence (ATV)’s vision is that individuals and communities have the skills and support they need to live violence-free.

Guiding Principles

- We meet individuals impacted by violence where they are—with compassion, and without judgment.
- We provide evidence-based services of excellence.
- We meaningfully engage and partner with communities to break the cycle of violence.

DID YOU KNOW?

Nationally 1 in 3 women and 1 in 4 men will be a victim of domestic violence in her lifetime. Studies have shown that it may take up to nine times for a person to be abused before it is reported to law enforcement. If violence is not reported the victims suffer in silence. Many victims and witnesses of crime lack the resources and services that empower them to break the cycle of violence and live safe, self-sufficient lives in southern Larimer County.

The cycle of violence is hard to overcome for many and the journey to a full, independent life is long. So often the various types of abuse are not visible. The bruises may have vanished, but isolation from families, friends, work, and the emotional scars are long lasting. The abuser often attempts to keep the victim financially dependent as another form of dominance and control, and it often takes years to regain financial independence and self-sufficiency.

WHAT ATV DOES

List of Current Services

- Emergency shelter in the SafeHouse
- 24-hour crisis intervention
- Emergency support services for victims and witness of a violent crime
- Advocacy & support (both personal and courtroom)
- Child & adolescent therapy
- Adult therapy
- Community education
- Transition living program
- Support groups
- Life skills training such as financial literacy, nutrition education, and budgeting skills, etc.
OUR IMPACT IN 2016

2,332 units of Individual advocacy services provided to clients
5,580 Nights of shelter provided
750 victims of violence received services from ATV
8,862 hours of volunteers providing advocacy services
1,886 counseling sessions provided to adults
376 counseling sessions provided to children

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

City of Loveland
Colorado Coalition against Domestic Violence (CCADV)
Department of Local Affairs (DOLA)
Loveland Chamber of Commerce
Victims Assistance and Law Enforcement (VALE)

Loveland Police Department
Colorado Coalition for the Homeless (CCH)
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)
Human Services Commission
Hand to Hand Giving Circles
Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)

BOARD MEMBERS

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

### ASSETS

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| **TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS** | **$1,891,823**|

## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

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SOURCE OF FUNDING

Funding Sources

- Government grants (federal, state, county, local)
- Foundations, Individuals and other donations
- Events
- Rental Income
- Gain on Sale of Property
- In-kind contributions
- United Way
- Investment Income

FUNDRAISERS

- Fore Alternatives to Violence Golf Tournament
  RAISED $32,711
- Pastels on 5th
  RAISED $28,149
WE ARE SO FORTUNATE TO HAVE THESE WONDERFUL SUPPORTERS!

Northern Colorado Fence Association

Black Eagle Fence

Staff & volunteers supported by Thrivent!

Studio Vino & Lady Luxe Salon

Crossroads Project One
Thank you to our supporters!