

# Barrett Foundation, Inc. Ending Homelessness for Women and Children

2023 **Annual Report**  Dear Friends,

Because of your support, Barrett Foundation is in its 39th year supporting women and families experiencing homelessness. I am so grateful to have joined this organization last year and look forward to celebrating Barrett's 40th anniversary with you in 2025.

With homelessness skyrocketing by as much as 48%, and with the increased cost of living, your support for Barrett's mission was critical last year. We are seeing more and more clients who are experiencing homelessness for the first time, like Kaylene and her daughter Makayla. While staying at Barrett House last year, they were able to find the comfort, support, healing, and new skills to put an end to their brief experience of homelessness.

Since the pandemic, we've been able to add new programs, and reconnect in person with long-time partners such as Albuquerque Healthcare for the Homeless, APS tutors and community volunteers who provide support to our participants. Albuquerque Healthcare for the Homeless started back on-site in February to offer weekly individual and group counseling. Children received academic support from an APS tutor.

### Last year we served 933 people experiencing homelessness.

Other donations and grants helped provide three meals a day for our residents at the shelter, and assisted with the costs clients encounter when moving into a new home.

Barrett House shelter, like any home, has monthly utility expenses, routine maintenance, and repairs that are getting more costly. Our supporters literally helped us to keep a roof over our heads and pay for expensive plumbing, heating, A/C repairs, fencing, and flooring.

I can't underscore enough how your support ensures our workforce has the tools and support they need to provide effective and compassionate service to our clients. Last year, we were able to attend trainings that improved our skills in crisis de-escalation, cultural humility, and other relevant topics.

I look forward to seeing more of you in the coming years, and I thank you in advance for keeping Barrett in your charitable plans in 2024.

Gratefully,

Cory Lee, Executive Director

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### "Barrett House gives you back your humanity, your relevance, and your will to try."

-Kaylene, Barrett House resident



# 2023 Impact

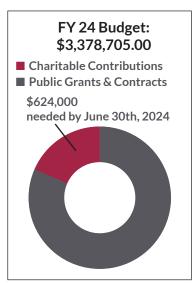
Clients served: 933 Clients housed: 221

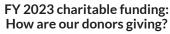
Clients sheltered at Barrett House: 205

Number of meals served: 24,762

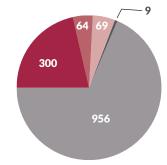
## It takes a community

Our fiscal year runs from July 1 to June 30th. In FY 2023 Barrett received 1397 gifts. Most of these gifts were under \$100.00. Many of these gifts came from monthly donors, or donors who give more than once a year. We were fortunate to have several large gifts and grants from charitable foundations to meet our goals.





- Number of gifts up to \$100 (\$80,034)
- Number of gifts over \$100 and up to \$500 (\$70,584)
- Number of gifts over \$500 to \$1,000 (\$53,028)
- Number of gifts over \$1,000 and up to \$10,000 (\$216,949)
- Number of gifts over \$10,000 (\$198,500)



### Many thanks to these groups and all of our partners in 2023!



















#### Donate online at www.barrettfoundation.org/donate

**Give Monthly** – Be a Changemaker at https://www.barrettfoundation.org/change-maker

**Pledge** – Pledge your annual gift through regular payments throughout the year.

#### Stocks, Wills and Trusts -

Contact our Development office at 505-246-9244 ext 107.

**Matching** – 1. See if your employer will match your gifts to Barrett. 2. Inspire others to give with a matching gift toward one of our appeals and campaigns.

**Sponsor** – Learn about sponsorships for our upcoming events by emailing our development office at communityengagement@barrettfoundation.org and checking our website.







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