ANNUAL REPORT
1000+ Family check-in calls and home visits by the Youth Mentoring Program team.

78% Increase of revenue from the Annual REAP The Benefit fundraiser.

399 Students enrolled in Teen Response, Youth Mentoring and Corner65 programming.

25 New learners in the Adult Tutoring Program.

196 Students enrolled in Teen Response programming across four schools.

1378 Individuals served from 401 households through the Newcomer Navigators Program.

6126 Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) boxes distributed throughout summer and fall.

159 Individual students engaged in Corner65 sports and arts programming.

35 Team members on the Re:Source Cleveland team.

100% High school seniors in the Teen Response Program graduated on time.
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This past year was a period of significant change, growth, and organizational development. The most significant shift we made in 2023 was to change the name of our organization from The Refugee Response to Re:Source Cleveland. For the past fourteen years, since our founding in 2010, we operated as The Refugee Response primarily serving those who came to the United States through the refugee resettlement program. In this time we served thousands of newcomers to the area and built a reputation for the quality and compassion of our services. Over the last few years our work has organically expanded to serve those who come to our region through a variety of pathways that include humanitarian parole, temporary protected status, asylum, and of course refugee resettlement. Our new name, Re:Source Cleveland, pays tribute to our history while acknowledging the present and looking to the future. We wholeheartedly believe that the broad communities of newcomers are a source of vitality for our region and that our organization is a resource for the continued development of our city and county. To be clear, we are the same organization doing the same work across our seven core programs.

In mid January, our Newcomer Navigators program, core administrative team, and over a dozen of our partners hosted a one-stop-shop day with the team at Cuyahoga County Job and Family Services. In one day over 380 individuals were served, some had newly arrived from abroad and others were secondary migrants coming to Cleveland from other parts of the US. With our partners, in 2023 we facilitated six of these days. It is in all of our interest to ensure that these families can find their footing when arriving, get a good job, access public services and create pathways for their children to be successful in school and in life. We are investing in the services, programs and infrastructure to ensure that this is possible; that newcomers to the region not only arrive here but thrive for years to come. For the year ahead, our Newcomer Navigators program built capacity after serving over 450 families representing over 1300 individuals in 2023.

With our partners at Urban Community School we have built the first futsal and multipurpose sports facility in the city, and in 2024 we will break ground on a new 4,000 sq ft building named The Roundstone Pavilion at the Ohio City Farm. These facilities will create new spaces for newcomers and neighbors to live, work, and play, building community together.

Thank you to all the partners who support our mission, the financial supporters who keep us moving forward, the customers of our Ohio City Farm and the community members whom we are proud to serve each and every day. This past year was a full one, and in 2024 we will continue to deepen our services, relationships, and reach.

All the best,

Patrick Kearns
Executive Director

Ann Zoller
Board Chair
After fourteen years of service as The Refugee Response, we have changed our name to Re:Source Cleveland to reflect the expanded nature of our work. We have made this significant change to be more inclusive and to meet the greater, yet still focused, need. Our original name, The Refugee Response, served us extraordinarily well because of the foresight and clear-eyed intentionality with which our founders, Paul Neundorfer and David Wallis, started and named this organization.

Over the course of our fourteen-year-history, the nature of immigration to the US and our region has changed. As we broadened our reach year-over-year to work with more and more newcomers in the Cleveland area, it became clear that our seven programs were serving and helping a more expansive group of people not only from refugee resettlement programs but asylees, humanitarian parolees, and those who have arrived as refugees and are now residents and citizens. We are committed to helping the broad community of newcomers to Greater Cleveland.

Our new name, Re:Source Cleveland, and accompanying logo - created in collaboration with the Cleveland-based design firm Shark & Minnow - honors our last fourteen years as The Refugee Response and exemplifies our belief that newcomers are a source of strength, vitality, and enrichment to our region. Within our new logo, the confident resiliency of a soaring bird represents traveling with intention and resolve. Like this bird, the families of newcomers have traveled here and quite simply, like anyone, hope to find a place to call home and a future with happiness, safety, and dignity.

As Re:Source Cleveland, we remain committed to our core mission and embrace an inclusive approach to support and empower all resettled families, irrespective of their status. Our organization is a resource to this region to continue to grow and thrive for years to come.

The emblematic Re:Source brand logo draws reference to batik printing: a richly hued printing technique that is synonymous with culture - celebrating nature, honoring virtues, and recording narratives. As newcomers, one’s geographical home may have changed; however, the heritage and traditions they bring with them remain a vital imprint on the new life they establish.

Within the logo, the confident resiliency of a soaring bird represents traveling with intention and resolve. The stem of wheat, circular forms [grapes], and crystals [salt] reference the warm gesture of welcoming one to a new home with a loaf of bread, a bottle of wine, and salt:

“Bread, that this house may never know hunger. Salt, that life may always have flavor. And wine, that joy and prosperity may reign forever.”
The Youth Mentoring Program (YMP) works to build relationships that support newcomer youth in grades four through eight in their learning goals. Youth participate in programming for two hours after school, twice per week, at one of two "Learning Lab" sites. At the Learning Lab, youth work one-on-one with volunteer mentors to support academic and social-emotional learning goals once per week. On day two of the weekly programming, Learning Lab students enjoy a variety of activities alongside their peers, staff, and community partners. Both the individual and group mentoring days strive to build communities that value curiosity, a growth mindset, and advocacy. The Youth Mentoring Program prioritizes activities inspired and driven by students’ interests and offers spaces for students to be leaders within a safe learning community. After students graduate from eighth grade, they are referred to the Teen Response program.

In 2023, the YMP expanded its on-site services to Natividad Pagan International Newcomers Academy (INA) and began a summer program featuring a series of field trips and a Language Club designed specifically for early language learners. Building on the success of the Language Club pilot during the summer, the YMP extended these club activities to group mentoring days throughout the school year at INA. This academic year marks a significant milestone as the YMP has successfully introduced native language support in the classroom for all major linguistic groups, thereby notably enhancing the overall learning experience for participating youth.
Teen Response (TR) continued its growth with another record-breaking year in 2023, expanding to its fourth program site at Normandy High School in Parma to support newcomer high school students from Ukraine and Afghanistan. TR staff provides English language lessons, tutoring, college/career guidance, academic case management, and wrap-around services for families. Since its founding in 2018, TR has grown from serving just 35 students at John Marshall High School to 196 students at four sites in two school districts in 2023 – a 460% increase in five years.

In track with the impressive growth, five new staff members were hired in 2023, including experienced guidance counselors and ESL teachers who speak four different languages. Drop-in tutoring programs at John Marshall High School, Natividad Pagan International Newcomers Academy, Valley Forge High School and Normandy High School resulted in 6518 student visits in 2023. The program also maintained its 100% graduation rate for its students. These graduates are now attending CSU, Tri-C and John Carroll University.

To meet the needs of newcomer students, TR offered two summer camps for English language learners in Cleveland and Parma for the first time. Sixty TR students spent part of their summer break improving their English skills to get ready for the new school year.
It is no secret that participating in youth sports can benefit kids’ lives beyond their time on the field. Through the collaborative efforts of Re:Source Cleveland’s teen programs, the experience of the benefits that youth sports and organized play can offer in the lives of students are available to so many newcomer kids in Cleveland.

After months of adjusting to their new homes in Parma, Ukrainian and Afghan Teen Response students were still struggling to get along and integrate one another in their activities, both during the day at school and in our afterschool programs. Among other issues, cultural and linguistic differences presented barriers to creating friendships and positive relationships for these two communities who were both resettled in the same city, facing many of the same challenges. However, if there is one thing Re:Source Cleveland has learned through its last few years of growth, it is that there is one language everyone in the world speaks: soccer.

During the summer, Corner65 hosted a day of play with Teen Response in Parma that saw over 40 students come out to Valley Forge High School to play soccer on teams of mixed ages and ethnicities. Once the school year started, another day of play was held for students who were off from school due to teacher conferences. Again, over 40 students attended and played volleyball, ate pizza and played in an organized soccer tournament. This group featured Afghan and Ukrainian students from Valley Forge and Normandy High Schools, as well as Corner65’s soccer stars from John Marshall High School’s soccer team, many of whom come from the Democratic Republic of Congo and Rwanda.

The impact of these events was overwhelming and immediate. Within weeks of the first day of play, fighting had stopped and students were learning how to greet one another in their different languages. By the time of the second day of play, the students were actively friends, asking to be on one another's teams without a single conflict during the entire session. What a clear proof of the power of sports!
In 2023, Corner65 orchestrated an impactful array of programs spanning 297 days, fostering a diverse range of activities such as soccer, basketball, snowboarding & skiing, kung fu, Girls on the Run, poetry club, media club, afro beats dance classes, cooking classes, and special events like visits to Cavaliers games, Lemonade Stands, The Girls on the Run 5k, a Guardians game, and art exhibitions. Over this period, 159 students actively engaged in training, practice, game play, food experiences, health and wellness activities and team-building which allowed the program to continue cultivating well-rounded individuals both in and outside the classroom.

Corner65 added two staff members who have both helped expand its program offerings to more than just sports and arts programming. A Pathways Coach and a Congolese Family Liaison (through Re:Source Cleveland’s Newcomer Navigator program) were hired to ensure that students in Corner65 are offered individual and family general wellness support.

**COMMUNITY IMPACT**
Corner65’s Congolese Family Liaison’s efforts extended beyond programming days, successfully securing benefits for families in need. Notably, helping two longtime Corner65 families obtain SNAP benefits, marking a transformative impact after not being able to receive these benefits for over three years.

**MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT**
Our Pathways Coach’s mental health and wellness check-ins during programming proved invaluable. Students have expressed newfound confidence in communicating their mental health needs, which shows our holistic approach to student well-being.

**COMMUNITY MEAL DISTRIBUTION**
Our community meal initiative during our summer programming, in conjunction with the sports camp, distributed 125 meals weekly for eight weeks. Throughout the year, we distributed over 3,000 meals, addressing the rising hunger observed during program times.
COMMUNITY MEALS

Summer 2023 marked the first season of the very successful Community Meals program, an effort that was dreamed up, built, and launched by Corner65’s program team.

Every week throughout the summer months, Corner65 hosts sports and recreation camps, running sessions for students across Re:Source Cleveland’s programs. This year, every Tuesday night from mid-June through mid-August, a Community Meal was offered at the office following summer sports and recreation camps. These meals were free and open to the kids and their families and served some great food for up to 125 kids each week, including plenty of leftovers for the kids to take home! The community of supporters and friends was incredibly generous. Each week’s Community Meal was sponsored by a different group of generous supporters that included: Assad’s Bakery, Three Arches Foundation, Abundance Culinary and The Larder, Re:Source Cleveland’s Board Chair, Arby’s, The Temple Tifereth Israel, Strongsville United Methodist Church, Food Conscious & Cordelia, and a group of volunteers. They cooked, prepped, and delivered meals from hot dogs and hamburgers to chicken paprikash and, of course, there were plenty of cookies, juice, water, fruit, and veggies to go with each meal.

The food was outstanding, the volunteers and sponsors were remarkable, and the best part was seeing so many happy kids eat some delicious food in the safe and welcoming environment that our campus provides. This coming year the plan is to host this program again and to feature the new mini-pitch sports and recreation facility as a big part of the sports camp and the Community Meals program. New sponsors and volunteers are always welcome, so if interested in taking part in the amazing community program, reach out to Will Brown at will@resourcecleveland.org.
The Adult Tutoring Program (ATP) pairs Afghan individuals and families with volunteer tutors who meet in person once a week. The lessons take place in the homes of the families, as many face transportation barriers which would prevent most from participating in such a program.

In 2023, the ATP nearly doubled the number of learners in the program with the support of many new and continuing dedicated volunteers. It also expanded to include more advanced in-office tutoring for three men who previously attended classes with their wives. In 2023, ATP served 28 new learners for a total of 53 individuals served across the year, with one 90-minute class per week with tutors.

In March, the Adult Tutoring Program began a Sewing Circle at the office, to which 13 learners, along with their small children, were transported to the office to have access to sewing machines and donated fabric as well as an opportunity to socialize. With the help of a dedicated volunteer with substantial sewing experience and knowledge of various sewing machines, the women were able to use the time and space to make garments for themselves and their families. As a bonus, they closed out the year with a recipe exchange, where they learned to read American recipes and make sugar cookies while sharing their family recipes for bread in return.

To continue the focus on building community, ATP celebrated Eid at the end of Ramadan in April. The event was catered by a local Afghan-owned restaurant. The event also had some incredible volunteers help with decorations and gift bags for the kids, serve ice cream, make balloon animals for the kids, and clean up. Guests arrived in beautiful, colorful garments, and the kids danced after dinner.
The Ohio City Farm (OCF), one of the largest contiguous urban farms in the United States, exists to provide fair wage employment to members of Cleveland’s international newcomer communities, grow fresh produce for area residents, boost the local food economy, and educate the community about the importance of a complete food system. In 2023 the team grew to seven full-time farmers, all former refugees from Burma, Bhutan, and the Congo, along with two part-time support staff, and had another successful growing season on the banks of the Cuyahoga River. The Community-Supported Agriculture (CSA) program grew produce for over 270 member households for the regular 20-week season and over 100 member households for the 6-week fall season, and OCF was able to increase minimum wage to $15.50 per hour with a team average wage of $17.19 per hour.

With financial support from Key Bank, OCF was able to expand the community food donation program and donated over 3,400 pounds of fresh produce to community members experiencing food insecurity via a partnership with the MetroHealth Food as Medicine clinic, the May Dugan Center, and to other Re:Source Cleveland clients.

Students from Corner65 and Youth Mentoring programs were welcomed to the farm for hands-on educational programming and brought farm expertise to the office to facilitate the inaugural planting of the Plant Club vegetable garden beds.

The year 2023 brought the loss of nearly one acre of the farm’s growing space as progress continues on the future Irishtown Bend Park on West 25th. Local firm Young Design Studio LLC was chosen to design a new farm building that will house a year-round farm market as well as an indoor wash, pack and prep area, team locker room facilities, and space for a commercial kitchen. The time has come to replace the well-loved but no longer functional purple shipping container farm stand. This new building will be used to expand year-round employment capabilities, provide space for underserved populations to process and sell food products, and host educational programming. OCF will also be piloting a new community farm growing space for members of international newcomer communities to grow their own crops in the 2024 season. All of these developments will be adjacent to the future Irishtown Bend Park, marking an important milestone of growth and sustainability in line with the continued development of the West 25th food corridor.

6,126 CSA BOXES SOLD
7 FULL-TIME JOBS FOR FORMER REFUGEES
3,400 LBS OF PRODUCE DONATED TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS
NEWCOMER NAVIGATORS

The Newcomer Navigator Program is more than just a resource navigation program. We believe international newcomers are an essential part of our community and should be fully integrated rather than navigating from the outside. Newcomer Navigators, who are of the communities they serve, meet international newcomers where they are and facilitate a direct connection between them and the social, health and economic services that already exist in our county. By empowering our communities, we create a resilient and sustainable ecosystem that serves the newcomer community today and for years to come.

Navigators are from the international newcomer community and provide direct support to individuals and families in their native languages. While Navigators offer a wide range of support, many clients utilize this program to access:

- Employment
- Applying for public benefits (where qualified)
- Basic needs (clothing, food, etc.)
- Healthcare

Newcomer Navigators proudly supports the following communities: Afghan, Arab, Congolese, Somali, Karen (Burmese), Ukrainian, and Spanish speaking. A first of its kind collaboration, this program is co-created and co-managed by Re:Source Cleveland, Rise Together, Smart Development, Inc, The Somali Bantu Community Corporation of Cleveland, USCRI Cleveland, Nueva Luz Urban Resource Center, and Advocates for Peace and Change.

NEWCOMER DAYS

In addition to one-on-one support, the Newcomer Navigator Program offers one-stop shop events called Newcomer Days. These all-day events (9am-4pm) are free and offer access to numerous programs and benefits across the county in one location. In the first year six Newcomer Days were hosted and collectively served 246 households.

1332
INDIVIDUALS CONNECTED WITH COUNTY SERVICES

6
ONE-STOP-SHOP NEWCOMER DAYS FOR ARABIC-SPEAKING, CONGOLESE AND UKRAINIAN COMMUNITIES

30+
COLLABORATIVE PARTNERS ACROSS THE PUBLIC, PRIVATE AND NONPROFIT SECTORS IN THE COUNTY
PARTNER SPOTLIGHT

NUEVA LUZ

In line with rebranding from The Refugee Response to Re:Source Cleveland, the organization has expanded its mission and the communities of service. Services are no longer just available for individuals living in the United States with refugee status, but are open for all newcomers in Cuyahoga County. Reflecting this change has been the foundational partnership with one of Cleveland’s strongest resources of support for the Hispanic community.

Nueva Luz Urban Resource Center (NLURC) was founded 25 years ago to reduce the negative impact of HIV/AIDS among Latinx and other underserved communities. NLURC continues to provide holistic services to people living with HIV/AIDS including medical case management, housing case management, legal services, recovery services, pharmacy services, nutrition support, and transportation assistance. NLURC also engages in community outreach with marginalized communities, including at-risk youth, newcomers, and those with varied immigration statuses. Today, newcomers and asylum seekers from Venezuela and Nicaragua have been supported as they adjust to life in Cleveland.

NLURC is located in the Gordon Square Arts District, which is historically one of the hardest hit areas in Cuyahoga County for HIV infections. Over the years, NLURC has adapted to meet the needs of the community. They now help over 1,500 people meet their housing and nutritional needs every year, and their legal clinic initiative has been a breakout success, providing invaluable legal counsel to over 150 people. NLURC has been a key implementation partner with the Cuyahoga County-funded Newcomer Navigator program.

Nueva Luz has been working to support Spanish speaking new arrivals in the greater Cleveland area. In the first year of operations of the Newcomer Navigator program Nueva Luz provided direct services to 41 families. A significant portion of these clients were from Venezuela arriving in 2023 following the eligibility for Temporary Protected Status. Nueva Luz aided families to apply for status adjustment and to secure basic needs including housing, food security and access to health care.
REAP THE BENEFIT

REAP the Benefit looked different than the usual in 2023. Most notably, the event was hosted at Re:Source Cleveland’s new office on the Urban Community School campus, which meant that for the first time in history, guests did not celebrate on the Ohio City Farm. As the far north side of the farm is currently under construction for the Franklin Road realignment, which is the first stage of the Irishtown Bend Park project, the event needed a new venue this year. Over the next couple of years, the new farm market on the south side of the farm will be under construction, so Urban Community School’s campus will be this event’s home for years to come.

This year REAP welcomed over 450 attendees, bringing new activities and experiences that included a ring-toss, basketball shooting contest, photo booth, Afghan tea garden (with poetry reading), flower bouquet-making station, and Henna tattoo table. REAP 2023 also had the usual staples: delicious international cuisine from 12 local restaurants and chefs, a fun silent auction, multiple bars featuring sponsored beer and seltzer by Market Garden Brewery, Great Lakes Brewing Company and Polar Seltzer, and the best live music and entertainment in town from the OPUS 216 classical ensemble to the ever fun and upbeat Da Land Brass Band.

The community’s generosity blew away all expectations throughout the night, particularly during the Fund-a-Need, where more funds were raised to support our mission than ever before. The success of REAP the Benefit 2023 was made possible by so many generous sponsors and donors. Thank you!

REAP the Benefit 2024 will be hosted on Urban Community School’s campus again on September 28th, 2024. See you there!
The last few years have brought a great deal of growth, development and change to Re:Source Cleveland. In 2023, in partnership with Urban Community School, the first outdoor multi-sports field in the City of Cleveland was planned, fundraised for, and constructed. For those unfamiliar with a multi-sports field, it is a modular sports court that is primarily designed for futsal, a variation of soccer played on a playground-like surface with smaller goals and fewer players. The mini-pitch blueprint came from the US Soccer Foundation’s Safe Spaces to Play program, and is made with an acrylic tile surface, has built-in chain and steel goals, steel fencing, and a programmable lighting system. This field was sponsored, almost entirely, by a grant from Dick’s Sporting Goods that was jointly applied for with Urban Community School. With help from some key donors and supporters, including Independence Excavating of DiGeronimo Companies, the Carfagna Family and the Cleveland Pro Soccer, the multi-sports field was constructed in just a few months. Now, Re:Source Cleveland’s sports and recreation programming can be hosted on-site in a safe, accessible, and convenient environment. This multi-sports field is not only the very first of its kind in Cleveland, but it is a massive step towards sports accessibility in the city!

In addition to the multi-sports field, Re:Source Cleveland is in the process of beginning construction on The Roundstone Pavilion at Ohio City Farm, named in honor of supporting sponsor Roundstone Insurance. For over 13 years the farm has used a few hoop houses, a walk-in cooler, a shipping container farm stand, and an open-air wash, pack, and prep space to conduct all the farm’s operations. Now, the farm is ready to take the next step with permanent infrastructure. The Roundstone Pavilion will include some very important components: indoor facilities for team members to wash, pack, and prepare produce for Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) shares, restaurants, community donation, and sales to the public; farm team breakroom, lockers and restrooms; flexible space for gathering with the community; a fully operational commercial kitchen for chefs and entrepreneurs as well as the farm team to create value-added products and run educational programming; and last but not least, a farm store to replace the leaking shipping container farm stand, used for retail space for produce and other local goods produced by the farm and partners. The plan is to break ground in the spring of 2024 in hopes of having the bulk of construction completed by summer 2025 ahead of the incoming Irishtown Bend Park project to the north of the farm. A special thanks to partners at the County, CMHA, LAND Studio, Young Design Studio, the City of Cleveland, The George Gund Foundation and Roundstone Insurance for helping make this dream a reality.
The Community Advisory Board (CAB) is one example of a partnership that links Re:Source Cleveland and the immigrant and resettled communities to facilitate connections, leverage resources in creative ways, and advance the goals of all newcomer community members. The CAB meets monthly to share updates, check in with Re:Source Cleveland happenings, and determine which initiatives and projects to pursue.
Re:Source Cleveland started and finished 2023 on strong financial footing. The year started with an unrestricted cash reserve of $600,000, which grew to $1,300,000 by the end of the year. The organizational team, now of 35 full and part-time staff, has built diverse and stable sources of funding that include contracts, earned income, partnerships, sponsorships, grants, sub-grants, individual donations, a small set of interest-earning investments, and special campaigns such as our Annual Appeal – and, of course, a more sustaining REAP the Benefit. The annual operating budget grew to $2,400,000 for 2024, and the cash reserve of $1,300,000 is an amount that would keep Re:Source Cleveland operational for just over six months, an important marker of stability and resiliency.

In 2023 Re:Source Cleveland maintained current and ongoing grants, incrementally raising a strategic number of annual awards, while simultaneously growing new grant support by $115,000. The Ohio City Farm continues to be a crucial part of the organization, and in 2023 the Community Supported Agriculture (CSA) program was offered through a new tiered Fair Farm Labor pricing model that allowed members to pay more if they could or a little less if they needed to. This tiered pricing brought the program its highest-grossing annual sales, which were just shy of $190,000. This tiered pricing will be offered to the farm’s 350 annual customers. Notably, Ohio City Farm will continue to increase farm team wages annually – the current average wage is just over $17/hr and is expected to reach $18.50/hr in 2024.

This past year was a banner year for REAP the Benefit. In 2023 the event was held at our office on the Urban Community School campus. This was a big change from hosting the event at Ohio City Farm, and meant a smaller footprint and fewer ticket sales; however, Re:Source Cleveland earned an all-time high of $143,000 in sponsorship dollars, which represents an increase of 60% from the year prior. As they always do, Re:Source Cleveland’s donors stepped up to help the organization expand and sustain – in 2023 there was 78% growth in individual donation dollars.

Re:Source Cleveland is working to complete fundraising efforts to build The Roundstone Pavilion at Ohio City Farm, begin building a more robust investment capacity to safely continue sustaining the organization into the future, and continue growing in areas of strength including partnerships and individual donations.
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$25,000 - $49,999
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