

Creating a New Home, New Life



Jesse, shown here with his self portrait, one of his many works of art

Jesse grew up in an abusive home with a father imprisoned for drug dealing and lived with grandparents who couldn't cope with a troubled young boy. He suffers from depression, anxiety, PTSD and substance abuse. A father himself, Jesse finally sought help for his mental health issues. But after treatment, Jesse was still without a home. He came to SHC and found housing through our permanent supportive housing program. Now Jesse is working diligently to create a new life for himself and his family.

Once housed, Jesse began his job search, something he wasn't able to do while living on the streets and in and out of shelters. Our on-site service coordinator, Patricia, helped Jesse navigate job sites for employment and complete the online application and his new hire paperwork. Now not only does Jesse have a place to live, he is gainfully employed and motivated to keep his life on a positive track for himself and his son. Jesse is also a talented artist. Permanent supportive housing has made it possible for Jesse to get the support he needs to stay clean and sober, find work that satisfies him, work on his art, and begin his journey of health and healing.

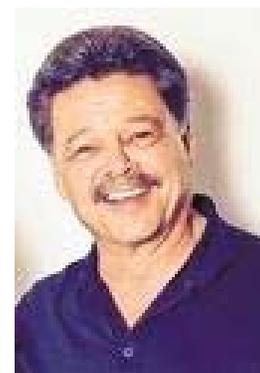
SHC Launches 2018 Year End Campaign

On December 1, SHC launched its **2018 Year End Campaign** for our Housing Support Fund. Your gift allows us to provide assistance to hundreds of individuals and families, create a welcoming, well maintained, and supportive environment for our formerly homeless tenants, and expand their access to health services, life skills, education, and the larger community. Please consider a donation today. Our goal for this year's Housing Support Fund is \$25,000. We've raised \$10,000 so far but we need to raise \$15,000 by December 31st.

Please consider a special year-end donation of \$50, \$100, \$500, \$1,000 or whatever you can afford to help us meet our goal and make a difference in our tenants' lives. Your support will make a real, lasting impact as we work to end homelessness for good! Please, make your donation now at shcnm.org/donate or mail your check P.O. Box 27459, Albuquerque, NM 87125 .

We believe in ending homelessness for good because everyone deserves a home!

Michael Richards



Michael Richards, 65 was called to his eternal resting place on November 22, 2018. All of us here at SHC extend our deepest

sympathies to his family. Michael was owner of Rich Built, Inc. which specializes in residential construction and served on SHC's 2015-2016 Board of Directors. We are very saddened by this loss.

Thank You Grant & Foundation Partners!

SHC is grateful to its 2018 Corporate, Grant, and Foundation partners. We honor these businesses' commitment to ending homelessness and investing in their community. Please join us in thanking them!

2018 Grant and Foundation Partners



Painting With A Purpose



Cheri Lopez, SHC Controller, accepts the check on behalf of the organization

Thank you to Painting With A Twist for hosting SHC on November 8th for their monthly Painting With A Purpose event! We had 41 attendees who had a fantastic time and helped raise \$715.50 for SHC programs. Thank you to all who attended!

Thanksgiving Celebrations at SHC



Staff, volunteers, and community members gathered to celebrate Thanksgiving at SHC. Property managers at Downtown @700-2nd, Sunport Plaza, West Central, and Redlands Apartments hosted dinners for all their tenants. All the food was donated by staff and pies were donated by three Village Inn locations. Volunteers from the Albuquerque Isotopes served at Downtown and Sunport Plaza.

SHC thanks the Albuquerque Area Firefighters Random Acts who provided complete Thanksgiving meals to hundreds of area families this year, including 70 families served by SHC in our scattered site programs. Check out this amazing organization. Our families were so happy!

You can help permanently house hundreds of people every day!

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