

**UNITED WAY OF THE OHIO VALLEY  
HANCOCK COUNTY  
PARTNER AGENCY: HANCOCK COUNTY HELP OFFICE**

During this past extremely hot summer, Hancock County had a married, homeless couple living in a tent on the banks of the Ohio River in Hawesville for several months. After a member of the Hancock County Help Office Board found out the couple was living on the riverbank, she first reported the situation to the Hancock County Sheriff's Office for a well-check, and was advised by that office that they were aware the couple was living there. Our Hancock County Help Office Thrift Store volunteer went to their tent and provided supplies and goods to them to make their situation temporarily better. Several weeks later, the homeless couple advised they had found place to move into, and the Hancock County Thrift Store provided necessities and furnishings to make the new place livable.

**WHAT DIFFERENCE WILL YOUR INVESTMENT MAKE?**

With your investment of \$100 **Hancock County Help Office** can:

- Provide funding assistance for a utility bill
- Provide funding assistance for a doctor or dental bill
- Provide funding assistance for a medical prescription
- Provide funding assistance for emergency food
- Provide funding to help supplement expenses at the Thrift Center, such as garbage bags, tape, label tags, etc.

