

Thank you for help on Walk for Warmth

To the editor,

Thank you to all those teams and individuals who came out on an almost summer-like day Feb. 20 to the Walk for Warmth! Our walk was a lot more comfortable than many families will experience this winter. As a result of your efforts, over \$20,000 was raised to support Community Action Agency and its efforts to meet the dire utility needs for families who do not qualify for other assistance. Last year, Community Action Agency was able to help 135 families.

Thanks to an *awesome* Utilities Committee made up of Barb Mitzel from Consumers Energy, Patty Clark from Midwest Energy Cooperative,

Becky Gramling from Citizens Gas Fuel Co., Khris Henson-Jones from Housing Help of Lenawee, Laura VanSickle and Diane Bach from Community Action Agency, Candy Aranda and Terry Gaster from the Salvation Army, John Haught and Nathan Salazar from Goodwill, Betty Burinda from St. Vincent De Paul, Nancy Bishop and Pricilla Gonzales from the Lenawee County office of the Michigan Department of Health & Human Services, Roxanne Sharrock from Lenawee United Way, Kelly Elliot from the Veterans Administration, Judy Mort Duncan from the Lenawee Community Action Agency Advisory Board, Jessica Embury from South Central Michigan Works, Jill Hicks from Family Counseling and Children's Services and

Catherine Cobb Shelter, Deb Sherman from Head Start, and Theresa Smith from the Lenawee County Department of Aging. The event was hosted by the First Presbyterian Church in Adrian and led by the Maurice Spear Campus Drum Corps.

The teams, families, individuals and even pets that participated are so numerous that I know I would miss someone if I tried to name them all. This event and others like it make me happy to have chosen Lenawee County to live in.

If you live in Lenawee County, you have a community that cares about you. Thank you and please continue to support Community Action Agency and its ongoing efforts to assist our neighbors meet their utility needs.

P.S.: Thanks for the great coverage The Daily Telegram gave to our the event.

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Lenawee County Director
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Will support Bronna Kahle for state rep

To the editor,

I am delighted Bronna Kahle is running for the state House of Representatives. Her experience as director of the Adrian Senior Center and volunteering with organizations such as Associated Charities of Lenawee County demonstrates she cares about helping people. Bronna is ingrained in our community and her perspective will be valuable in Lansing.

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