## C.O.N.N.E.C.T. Cities of **Refuge Referral Networks** Affiliates Include



#### "INVEST IN OUR GREATEST **COMMUNITY RESOURCE!** "OUR CITIZENS"

### "Help us to Help Those Who Need Help!"

- Support Our Programs
- Build An Individuals Capacity To Thrive and Survive!
- Assist Network Affiliates

#### Thank You For Your Tax Deductible Gifts

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## http://www.arrowknoxville.com

## **Transitional Mentoring Program for High School Seniors**

"Serve ,Sharpen, Send"

Arrow exists to mentor and serve young men as they transition from their senior year in high school to either college, the military or the workforce.

## THE BURLINGTON FOOD PANTRY

Located at Greater Warner A.M.E. Zion Church 3800 Martin Luther King Avenue Phone: 865-524-8040 3rd and 4th Thursdays @ 4:00 p.m.



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C Community **Organizations Networking** Neighborhoods **Encouraging** Change **Together** 



## **Ministries**

Purpose: "To Honor God and Build Our **Community One Person at A Time Using** Biblical Principals, Service, and **Community Resources.**"

"Leading People to Christ, Connecting People to People; People to Resources, Doing God's Work God's Way."

- We Are a "Hands-On" Community Networking Resource Center. We Provide In-House Services, Information, "Gap Programs" & Services Referrals for Individuals Who Need Help Finding Help.
- Our Approach Is Holistic.-Mind, Body and Spirit
- We Encourage Cooperation, Accountability, And Purpose In The Community between Citizens and Service Providers To Enhance The Quality of Life Of The People We Serve.

**Mission-"Serving God by Serving Others" SERVING KNOX COUNTY SINCE 2006** 

# At-Risk Program -"The Next Steps" & The City of Knoxville's Second Chances Program





Prison/Jail Re-entry Program for At-Risk Men, Women and Youth Seeking a Second Chance- Education, Training and Wrap-Around Services

A part of the "Save Our Son's Network of Providers"



www.theurbancowboy.org

"The Urban Cowboy Restoration Program"

Prison / Jail Reentry Program for Men 18 years and older

- ♦ Job readiness
- ♦ Financial Literacy
- ♦ Housing
- **♦** Employment /Entrepreneurial Innovation
- ♦ Mentoring
- **♦** Education

## F.I.R.M. Program

"Faith Based Comprehensive Family Program
Family \*Intervention\* Restoration\*
Mentoring

## **The Round Table**Support For Men, About Men.



# Getonnected



## **Get Plugged In**

Exceptional - Churches, Government Agencies Organizations, Businesses, Individuals and Employers who are part of a premiere referral network system willing to walk-along-side men, women, youth and children who have fallen on hard times and need the love and support of people who believe in restoration, forgiveness and "second chances." Invest in Cooperative Scholarships, Community Support, Operations and Micro Grants "But he that is greatest among you shall be your servant." Matt. 23:11

## **Community Resource Training Program**



This affordable apprenticeship/training referral program specifically designed to help members of the community who have low to moderate incomes become gainfully employed. The goal is to develop valuable skills that will increase opportunities for sustainable income in high demand occupations that do not require a college degree.



## Project Fresh Start

#### Program for @ Risk Youth 14-24 years of age

- ▶ Education( Emphasis on S.T.E..M and Writing)
- ♦ Employment and Job Readiness Training
- ◆ Juvenile Diversion Service Projects
- Assessments
- ♦ Life Skills /Coaching/Mentoring/



## Homeless Citizens Reentry Initiative (HCRI)





## Services and Referrals to Individuals and Families with Housing Barriers

\*This program is funded in part by the City of Knoxville

## <u>The Charles Moore</u> <u>Memorial Scholarship</u>

This fund provides musical / academic scholarships for students ages 8-21years of age. These stu-

dents are sponsored annually to the credentialed institution and or private instructor of their choice.