

## **RURAL HOUSING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FY 2001 GRANTS**

### **PROJECT SUMMARY**

#### **OHIO**

The Way Station in Columbiana, Ohio will receive a Rural Housing and Economic Development grant in the amount of \$149,230. This capacity building grant will be used to expand services county-wide and focus on migrant or seasonal farmworkers. Project activities will include: hiring an executive director and a part-time controller, expansion of referral and outreach services to the poor, job development and training and tutoring children and adults. These efforts will result in the creation of 39 jobs, retention of 240 jobs and training of 95 people. The Way Station also will develop 12 units of housing for very low income persons. Local and private resources have been leveraged in the amount of \$1,086,000. Partners for this project include: U. S. Department of Agriculture, Rural Development, Family Recovery Center, Columbiana Board of County Commissioners, Lisbon One Stop Employment and Training Center, Help Hotline Crisis Center, Tri County Family Violence Prevention Project, and the Columbiana County Community Action Agency.

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#### **OHIO**

Jackson-Vinton Community Action, Inc. in Wellston, Ohio will receive a Rural Housing and Economic Development grant in the amount of \$150,000. This capacity building grant will be used to hire staff, plan, design and develop affordable housing in the distressed Appalachian counties of Jackson and Vinton. These efforts will result in the creation of 2 jobs, retention of 2 jobs and training of 4 people. Local and private resources have been leveraged in the amount of \$83,618. Partners for this project include: Ohio Community Development Corporation Association, Ohio Department of Development (ODOD), Appalachian Leadership Academy, Coalition on Homelessness and Housing in Ohio, Corporation for Ohio Appalachian Development, Jackson and Vinton County Family and Children First Councils, Jackson Healthy First Steps Infant Immunization Coalition, Impact Advisory Council, Child and Family Health Services Consortium, Jackson and Vinton County Chambers of Commerce, and the Salvation Army.

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## **PROJECT SUMMARY**

### **OHIO**

WSOS Community Action Commission, Inc. in Fremont, Ohio will receive a Rural Housing and Economic Development grant in the amount of \$50,000. This capacity building grant will be used to hire a full-time housing developer. The organization's goal is to produce 6 new single family homes per year and construct 40 units of below-market rental units in Sandusky, Ottawa and Seneca Counties. These efforts will result in the creation of 1 job. Local and private resources have been leveraged in the amount of \$62,000. Partners for this project include: Ohio Housing Development Assistance Program, Ottawa Housing Collaborative, Sandusky County Homeless Coalition, and the Ottawa Transitional Housing Program.

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