



Third Annual Livingston County Community Connect Final Report

January 30, 2010

Guests

The Third Annual Community Connect attracted more attendees than ever! Over 700 guests, of all ages, from communities across the county connected to needed services.

Attendees (Based on completed intake forms)	%
Adult Males	34
Adult Females	56
Families with children present at event	23
Veterans	2
Living in an apartment or own home	73
Living with friend or family	21
Homeless or living outside	6
Average guest evaluation rating: 4.9/5	

Where did guests learn about Community Connect?	%	Ages (who responded)	%
Newspaper/ Radio	9	0-5 y/o	41
Friend or Family Member	37	6-11 y/o	33
Community Agency	34	12-17 y/o	26
Schools/Medical off/ Attorney	4	18-25 y/o	14
Church	9	26-54 y/o	57
Flyer	6	55-64 y/o	15
Other	1	65+ y/o	4

Volunteers

An incredible mix of volunteers from community agencies, local faith-based organizations, and community members came together. Over 400 of them assisted as guides, greeters, servers – helping guests to find what they needed; distributing and loading goods; setting up and cleaning up. Volunteers rated the experience as **4.6 out of 5** on their evaluation rating scale.

**"I love the way
the community
comes together
to help"**

-Guest

**"Very well organized
for so many
needing help!"**

-Vendor

"Amazing!"

-Volunteer

**"Thank you for
all your help;
thanks so much
for caring."**

-Guest

**"Great
coordination,
unbelievable
effort by all!"**

-Volunteer

**"I did not realize
how big it was!"**

-Volunteer

**"Great organiza-
tion; great food."**

-Vendor

**"Massage and
haircuts were
wonderful!"**

-Guest

**"Had a great
day!"**

-Guest

"Your guides are a wonderful service; everything was great, especially our helpers."

-Guest

"Very helpful in all ways; our guide was great."

-Guest

"Great experience!"

-Volunteer

"This is a wonderful thing for the community."

-Guest

"This is my first time asking for any assistance. The help I have received today was more than expected and such a blessing."

-Guest



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Agency or Service	Service
Child care services	48 children
Legal services	62 sessions
Hair cuts	172 cuts
Services for veterans	36 visits
Work & financial services	103 visits
Benefits and advocacy	92 visits
Services for young children	122 visits
Flu shots	113 shots
Massages	100 sessions
Family focused services	222 visits
Clothing	8500 pieces
Transportation services	25 visits
Blood pressure checks	182 checks
Mental Health and Substance Abuse services	136 visits
Home and utility services	168 visits
Services for seniors	285 visits
Family photos	160 photos
Education and literacy	327 visits
Faith community outreach	180 visits
Food	15000 lbs
Census bureau	300 visits
Personal care bags	500 bags
Other community services	40 visits
Average vendor evaluation rating: 4.8/5	

Other Needs Identified for Next Year

Tires
Bus fare
Weatherization
Child programming
Transitional housing
Dental care (11)
Furniture (5)
Electric dryer
Girls group
Winterization
Eye exams
Income tax (2)
Gasoline
Insurance classes
Financial aid
Finger printing
Car repair
Pet care
Benefit info
Counseling education