

VOLUNTEER

THE GREATEST GIFT YOU CAN GIVE IS TIME.



Community Impact Panel

We believe decisions for our community should be made by our community. Our fund allocation process is entirely driven by local residents – mostly donors. This volunteer committee reviews all programs applying for funding and gives recommendations for grants to the Board of Directors. They also review existing partnerships to ensure those partnerships are doing their part to make a positive impact on the lives of individuals and families who struggle financially in Whatcom County.

Serving as a panel member offers the opportunity to **learn about key issues facing our community, visit local non-profits** and learn about the work they are doing to combat these issues, and direct donor dollars to **create positive change for Whatcom County residents**.

VOLUNTEER COUNT: 30-50

We strive to engage a diverse group of volunteers. Many of our panel members come on work time through corporate volunteer initiatives. Other volunteers may include retirees, students, stay-at home parents, or other community members committed to the betterment of Whatcom County.

CALENDAR: April 29, 2019 - May 22, 2019 + Orientation on April 23 from 11:30am-1:00pm

Volunteers are divided into multiple panels. Each panel meets one afternoon per week for four consecutive weeks (i.e. every Monday, every Tuesday, or every Wednesday).

TIME COMMITMENT: 15-20 hours

Each weekly panel meeting lasts 3-5 hours. A few hours of additional reading are required outside of these weekly meetings.

Interested? Contact us at hello@unitedwaywhatcom.org or 360.733.8670