

## 2020 ANNUAL REPORT

#### MISSION

Safenet Services' mission is to create a safe, healthy and supportive environment for women and families healing from the consequences of domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking.

# Oklahoma ranks number 3 nationally in domestic violence murders.

"This program, this place, and these people really do care. My life is now boundlessly hopeful and bright because of Safenet."

- Former Safenet Shelter Resident

#### LETTER FROM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

For those of you who do not know me. My name is Jody Reiss and I stepped into the position of Executive Director after a successful 30 years from Donna Grabow. I started on December 1st, 2020. During this transition, I could not help but wonder if Donna knew what she was stepping into all those years ago. If she knew the legacy she would be leaving, all the lives that would be touched in her time, and all the programs that would eventually be in place because of her vision. I wondered if she remembered the story of the first client to walk through the doors at Safenet? My best guess is she remembers more survivor victories than we could imagine, and many sleepless nights. However, I doubt she could have envisioned the impact she would be making in her tenure.

A little about me: I grew up in Claremore, graduated from Claremore High School, and stuck around to attend Rogers State University. At 21, I decided to move away and eventually landed in Germany.

During my time away I knew Oklahoma was home and even more specific there were not many communities like Claremore, so I came back home to settle in. I've spent the last 5 years doing community level work at the local non-profit Volunteers for Youth. It was there that my passion for non-profit work began to grow, and I guess they say the rest is history.

Like many agencies, we had quite the year. As the pandemic continued into 2020, Safenet had to shift how our services were delivered. Our staff rose to the occasion, as they remained on the frontlines assisting those in their time of need. The commitment and resiliency of the staff is something to be proud of.

In a year unlike any other, we cancelled events and shifted some to virtual options. We have missed the interaction with our volunteers and donors, but many have remained faithful to Safenet by providing time and resources. For this we are forever grateful. We could not do all we do without the support of our Donors, Volunteers, and Board of Directors.

Here is to a bright future!

Be well,

Jody Reiss, Executive Director



#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

Brandi Doty Kristy Geisler

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#### REFLECTING ON 2020 FROM BOARD CHAIR

Reflecting on 2020, flexibility and perseverance are words that immediately come to mind.

Navigating significant funding cuts, leadership changes and the continued COVID-19 pandemic challenged the organization. I am very proud of our Safenet Services team for being flexible and remaining committed to the victims and communities we serve.

Safenet Services would not be where it is today without the strong leadership of our founding Executive Director, Donna Grabow. Donna gave thirty years of her life to building Safenet from just an idea to a multi-service shelter with 35 beds. In 2020, we wished Donna well in her retirement. I know that the community, staff, Board and Advisory Council shares in my gratitude for her many years of contributions to Rogers and Mayes counties.

In late December, we were excited to welcome new Executive Director, Jody Reiss. Jody embodies the mission of Safenet Services. She brings a variety of strengths and talents to the organization as an established community member. Jody is also known for her collaborative leadership skills and empowering others. She will carry on Donna's legacy with integrity and passion.

Strategic goals for 2021 and beyond include a focus on diversification of funding sources and ensuring our services meet the needs of Rogers & Mayes counties. We are counting on the continued support of the communities we serve as we move into this next chapter of the organization. Together we can build healthy families by educating our youth and providing support for those healing from the consequences of domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking.



Sincerely,

Brandi L. Doty Board Chair

#### **SERVICES**

- Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking Victim Shelter
- Counseling
- · Children's Counseling
- Support Groups
- Parenting Classes
- Advocacy
- Empowerment Program
- Court Victim Advocacy
- Protective Order Office
- Batterer's Intervention Program\*
- Supervised Visitation Program\*
- Housing Assistance Program
- Voucher Assistance Program
- Prevention Education Healthy Dating and Bystander Intervention
- Volunteer and Community Service Program

All victim services are free and confidential

\* Fee based program







Counseling & Shelter

129 CLIENTS RESIDED IN SHELTER

8,330 SAFE NIGHTS IN SHELTER

778 ATTENDED COUNSELING, GROUPS OR PARENTING CLASSES

1,156 CALLS TO OUR 24-HOUR CRISIS-LINE



Protective Orders, Supervised Visitation and Batter's Intervention Program

1,026 PROTECTIVE ORDERS FILED

1,512 HOURS OF PROTECTIVE ORDER ASSISTANCE

242 HOURS OF SUPERVISED VISITATION

84 CLIENTS IN BATTERER'S INTERVENTION



Clients & Volunteers

1,239 UNDUPLICATED CLIENTS SERVED

2,315 RECIEVED SAFETY PLANNING

127 CLIENTS WERE TURNED AWAY DUE TO LACK OF SPACE

**232** PEOPLE VOLUNTEERED FOR A TOTAL OF 4,695 HOURS



Transportation and Voucher Impact

7,429 MILES TRANSPORTING VICTIMS

\$125 PAID TO PELIVAN FOR CLIENT TRANSPORTATION

320 PEOPLE ASSISTED WITH VOUCHERS

\$5,199 **VOUCHER TOTAL** 



#### **FINANCE REPORT**

Current Assets	\$338,624
Fixed Assets	4,111,521
Other Assets	2,128,548
Assets	\$6,578,693
Current Liabilities	\$49,329
Long Term Liabilities	28,458
Equity	6,500,906
Liabilities & Equity	\$6,578,693
REVENUE	
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Grant Revenue	\$1,198,168
Gifts & Fundraising Revenue	141,711
Program Income	47,298
Other Income	267,930
Operating Income	\$1,655,107

#### **EXPENSES**

Program Expenses	\$1,351,136
Building Expenses	365,773
Management & General Expenses	90,094
Fundraising Expenses	7,178
Operating Expenses	\$1,814,181

#### **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**



#### **OUR SUPPORTERS**

Adair Christian Church

Aladdin Club

Matt and Traci Ballard

**BancFirst** 

**Bank Of Commerce** 

Bennett's Rt 66 Pharmacy BKK Communications LLC Andrew Brothers-Jones

Patricia Brown

Buck Willis CPA, PLLC

John Bumgarner

Randy & Danette Campbell

John and Bobbie Cary

David Chaussard

Cherokee Nation

Claremore Daily Progress
Claremore Hospital Auxiliary

Clear Title

David Merriman Insurance Agency Inc.

Cheryl Dean Brandi Doty

Neal and Maryann Dunning

Ike Eisenhauer

First Christian Church Women

First Church Of God

FirsTitle & Abstract Services
First Presbyterian Church
First United Methodist Church

Angela Freeman Froman Propane Kristy Geisler Kathy Geyer William Golden

Nili Gold

Donna Grabow Rosalie Griffith Heritage Flooring Heritage Flooring

Highfill Properties
Hillcrest Hospital - Claremore

Robert and Diana Holverson

**Bridgett Hunt** 

Win and Kay Ingersoll Jim Glover Chevrolet Johnny Ragsdale, CPA

Tad Jones Joy Jones

James and Melinda Kemp Robert & Kat Kennedy

Josh & Tara Kerr

Kissee Ford

Clyde and Debra Knox Larry and Kim Larmon Larry and Janet Laughter

Mark Lepak

Christi Mackey

Mayes County Abstract Co.
Mayes County Retired Teachers

Dianna McGuire

**Robert & Christine McKinney** 

Leah Messner

**MESTA** 

Neely Insurance Agency, Inc.

Jeff and Tracey Niblack

Elizabeth Osborne Charlotte Pauley

Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape

Aubree Pixley

Pixley Lumber

**RCB Bank Trust - Claremore** 

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Red Crown Credit Union Mike and Jody Reiss Larry and Peggy Rice Robson Foundation

Frank and Ludmilla Robson

**Robson Properties** 

Rogers County Abstract Sarkey's Foundation Jean Schoonmaker

Sally Scott
Rachelle Scott
Joan Sherwood
Sigma Chi #5053

Smalygo Auto Wholesale Inc.
Smith Brothers Abstract & Title

Aiko Smith

Solid Rock Realtors Spectrum Paint Suburban Chevrolet Jim and Cindy Tanner

Janees Taylor - Cherokee Nation Tribal Council

Team ROC

The Law Office Of Ben Sherrer, P.C.

The Seifried Group, PLLC Jim & Kathy Thomas Tiawa Hills Storage

**Titan Homes** 

John & Karen Tripp

M.L. Tucker

Tuesday Study Club

**Tulsa Community Foundation** 

United Way of Rogers and Mayes Counties

Justin and Sara Wallace

Rhonda Warlick

Wastewater Solutions of Oklahoma

Craig and Jessica Wilbourn Will Rogers Lions Club Ya Ya Sisters Riding Group

#### **OUR STAFF**

Donna Grabow, CDSVRP

**Executive Director** 

**Jody Reiss** 

**Executive Director** 

Delinda Reed, CDSVRP

**Assistant Director** 

**Danette Floyd** 

**Empowerment Educator** 

Sandi Fultz, LPC

**Clinical Director** 

Leslie Hudson, CDSVRP

Rogers County Court Advocate

Cassie Clark, CDSVRP

Housing Case Manager

Angie Pirkey, CDSVRP

Mayes County Court Advocate

**Skylar James** 

**Development Specialist** 

Nicole Chaney, LPC

Victim Counselor

Lucy Simpson, LPC, CDSVRP

Changes Counselor

Sylvia Starr, CDSVRP

Sexual Assault Advocate & Shelter Team Leader

**Sherrie Sherrick** 

Supervised Visitation Coordinator

Kasi VanSandt

Socio-Ecological Model Specialist

**Tracey Wallis** 

Volunteer Coordinator

Treila Nees

Second Impressions Resale Manager

### "THE STAFF AT SAFENET ARE ALL SUPERHEROES."

- Former Safenet Shelter Resident









Rogers County 1219 W. Dupont Claremore, OK 74017 (918) 341-1424 Mayes County 118 N. Adair Pryor, OK 74361 (918) 825-0190

Crisis Line: (918) 341-9400

Website: SafenetServices.org

Email: Info@SafenetServices.org

#### **Second Impressions Resale Boutique & Outlet**

All proceeds benefit Safenet Claremore -4th & Cherokee (918) 343-9151 Pryor - 409 N Mill (918) 825-3009

M-F 9am-5pm & Sat 10am-3pm