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Weekend of Service Honors King

United Way brings together 2,000 volunteers

United Way of the Columbia-Willamette hosts its 4th annual Martin Luther King Jr. Weekend of Service from Friday, Jan. 14 through the MLK holiday on Monday, Jan. 17.

United Way has invited over 2,000 community members to volunteer for the event in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s legacy of purposeful community engagement.

Volunteers will work on projects at area nonprofits throughout the four Counties of Clackamas, Multnomah and Washington counties in Portland and Clark County in Vancouver.

From helping cover library books, serving a meal at senior center, to planting trees at a local park; projects are available for people of all ages and abilities.

The work of 2,000 volunteers can potentially be valued at over \$150,000 worth of direct service to the community.

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