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Neighborhood House Stands with Immigrants

Neighborhood House stands with our immigrant friends and calls upon our Federal Government to ensure the just and humane treatment of those seeking asylum in America. We have prided ourselves for being a nation that has welcomed those “huddled masses yearning to breathe free.”

It is our moral imperative to live up to that promise and lead by example.

We call for an end to the separation of children from their parents and the immediate reunification for those who have been separated. No country should ever purposely separate children from their parents.

We ask that you join us in supporting efforts to redress these wrongs by giving to our partner organizations who have been working hard on behalf of the families who have been impacted by these policies:

- The [Northwest Immigrant Rights Project](#) is doing work defending and advancing the rights of immigrants through direct legal services, systemic advocacy, and community education.
- [Colectiva Legal Del Pueblo](#) provides a wide variety of direct legal services to fight deportations and keep families together.
- [Puentes](#) is a local nonprofit in Burien offering mental health counseling to immigrant families who are dealing with the trauma inflicted by our broken immigration system.
- [One America](#) is the largest immigrant and refugee advocacy organization in Washington State working on immigrant rights, education, economic and environmental justice, voting rights, and immigrant integration.

Since 1906, Neighborhood House has helped immigrants from around the globe make a new home in this amazing country called America. Filled with hopes and dreams for a better life, these immigrants continue to bring forth their cultures, work ethic, drive and determination.

As a nation, we are stronger, better, and richer because of this diversity.

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ABOUT NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE

From their earliest beginnings serving Jewish immigrants in the 1900s to their work today with people from numerous countries and cultures, Neighborhood House has helped generations of families fulfill the promise of America — an education for their children, self-sufficiency for their families and a meaningful place in a caring community. Serving over 14,000 King County residents each year, their mission is to partner with diverse individuals and families to build community and achieve their goals for health, education and self-sufficiency.

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