

## 2025 SUMMER APPEAL LIGHT THE WAY FORWARD



### Dear Donors, Benefactors and Friends,

Proposed federal budget cuts, particularly to Medicaid, SNAP, and other social safety net programs, are a major concern for Wisconsin residents, especially those relying on these programs for housing, food, and healthcare assistance. In fact, it is a frightening time to be in need. We do not know how it will all play out. What we do know is that with your help, we will continue to serve.

## **Light The Way Forward**

As we move ahead, we are committed to lighting the way forward—staying true to the values and vision that have long guided us. We will continue our mission to serve the community by providing emergency food, shelter, and guidance in ways that meet immediate needs and respect human dignity.

# Your support at this time is critical and appreciated

In this time of uncertainty, Shalom Center is blessed to have a strong community of donors and volunteers. We are not able to serve without you. To sustain our programs year round, please consider a monthly donation. Whether it's a monetary donation and/ or volunteering, we appreciate your support. Please use the form on the next page to mail your donation. You may also donate online at: **www.shalomcenter.org/donate** 

With heartfelt appreciation,

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#### MEET OUR NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

On May 2, 2025, the Shalom Center Board of Directors unanimously appointed Esther Roberts as the new Executive Director. Esther served as the Interim Executive Director for the prior two months. For the last 18 months, she was the Shalom Center Housing Case Manager. Under her leadership, Shalom Center has been able to maintain and improve its services to the community. Esther has more than 14 years of housing experience in ensuring access to safe, affordable housing. She had leadership roles in housing programs, neighborhood enhancement, and housing regulation. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice and an Associate's Degree in Communication. Feel free to contact Esther with best-wishes, questions, or concerns.



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