## Home Again A 10-year plan to end homelessness in Portland and Multnomah County

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## Since our Plan began in 2004, we have found 12,500 homes for families and individuals.

## In 2011, our partners achieved the following successes:

- Bud Clark Commons: Provided 4,300 people with basic services & housing assistance. The **Bud Clark Commons Apartments** opened, providing supportive housing for 130 tenants.
- Housing for disabled veterans: Secured 50 additional HUD-VASH vouchers for homeless, disabled veterans – bringing total to 305.
- 10-Year Plan Reset Committee: Formed to re-envision and energize the 10-Year Plan.
- Inter-Faith Coordinator: Hired to support greater collaboration among faith groups, government entities and direct service agencies.
- **Short Term Rent Assistance (STRA):** Prevented 767 households, including families, couples and individuals, from becoming homeless.
- Benefits & Eligibility Specialists Team (BEST): Secured benefits for 194 disabled homeless individuals.
- **Economic Opportunity Initiative:** Placed 374 people into jobs.
- Overnight Sleeping Resolution: Passed by the City and County to allow those who are homeless to safely park and sleep in their cars on faith group and nonprofit property.
- New Federal Funds: Secured \$1.36 million to provide housing assistance, employment services and permanent housing for people living with HIV and experiencing homelessness.