

Mission Statement

The American Red Cross, a humanitarian organization led by volunteers and guided by its Congressional Charter and the Fundamental Principles of the International Red Cross Movement, will provide relief to victims of disaster and help people prevent, prepare for, and respond to emergencies.



American Red Cross
Bradford Sullivan Counties
Chapter

**2009
Report to the
Community**

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The Red Cross in Our Community

Disaster Relief and Community Disaster Education

When a disaster threatens or strikes, the Red Cross is there. This year we responded to **11** local disasters, which were mainly residential fires. We helped **9** families, consisting of **30** affected individuals with emergency food, shelter and supplies.

Because being prepared can make your family and community safer and sometimes minimize injury and destruction, we held **3** disaster education classes at our chapter.

Health and Safety Services

From first aid, CPR and AED training to swimming and lifeguarding, American Red Cross programs help people lead safer and healthier lives. This year, **909** individuals learned lifesaving skills through **147** classes taught by Red Cross instructors.

Blood Services

Every two seconds, someone in the United States needs blood. Thanks to generous blood donors, the Red Cross collects and distributes nearly half the nation's blood supply. Over the last year, we helped run **6** blood drives, collecting **3,331** units of blood.

Armed Forces Emergency Services

The American Red Cross provides communication between those in the Armed Forces and their families. We have a worldwide network that reaches service members wherever they are to communicate a birth, illness, or death. This year we provided emergency connections for **13** military families.

Community Services

We depend of volunteers of all ages and backgrounds to carry on our work. Volunteers constitute **97** percent of our total workforce, serving as members of the board, instructors teaching lifesaving skills, disaster action team members, office administrators, event organizers and more.

This year, **353** volunteers made the work of the chapter possible, contributing **5,200** hours, for a contribution estimated at **\$52,000**.

Thank You from Chapter Executive

I would like to thank everyone who has devoted his or her valuable time or charitable support to our organization. We could not fulfill our duties to the communities we support without your help.

Statement of Financial Position For the year Ending June 30, 2009

Total Contributions, Revenues and Gains:
\$122,984

Expenses and Losses

Program Services

Service to Military: \$ 4,992

Disaster Services: \$25,164

Blood Services: \$28,306

Health Services: \$15,125

Community Services: \$ 5,901

*Total Program Services
\$79,488*

*Management & Financial Development:
\$9,170*

Total Expenses and Losses: \$88,658

Ending Net Assets: 102,784