

Thank you!

Canal Alliance is grateful for the outpouring of support that we have received from partner agencies, businesses and community members. In addition to financial support, many have provided much-needed supplies that help us continue to serve the immigrant community during the COVID-19 health crisis.

We especially want to thank the following organizations, companies and individuals for supporting our emergency efforts to serve immigrants and their families at this time:

- [Adco Marketing](#) – for donating 200+ cloth face masks
- [Dine'll Canal](#) – for supporting Canal families and small businesses by providing gift certificates for families to get free meals at participating restaurants in the Canal neighborhood
- [EO Products](#) – for donating 1,000 bottles of hand sanitizer to distribute to the community
- [Equipe](#) – for donating 200 cotton masks directly to Canal Alliance and providing one mask to Canal Alliance and other social services agencies for every two masks purchased
- **Group of fifth grade students** – thank you to the group of 5th grade girls who are raising money for Canal Alliance to support families in crisis
- [Hispanic Chamber of Commerce-Marin](#) – for giving heavy-duty bags for food distribution
- **Kris Malone Grossman and Seed Relief** – for donating 40+ lunches for our Food Pantry volunteers
- [Lauren Bartone](#) – for raising \$1,400 for our Client Support Fund by selling paintings through her website
- **Linda Brinen Stout** – for sewing and donating 700 cloth face masks for Canal residents
- [Norm Levin of Natural Portraits & Events](#) – for his front porch photo sessions that are raising money for Canal Alliance
- [Redwood Credit Union](#) – for contributing heavy-duty bags for food distribution
- [San Rafael Chamber of Commerce](#) – for giving heavy-duty bags for food distribution
- [Toyota Marin](#) – for giving heavy-duty bags for food distribution
- [US Bank](#) – for donating pastries for staff and food pantry volunteers this week
- [World Wrapps](#) – for donating sandwiches for staff and food pantry volunteers each week
- [Zero Waste Marin](#) – for providing heavy-duty bags for food distribution



Norm Levin of Natural Portraits & Events raised money for Canal Alliance through his front porch photo sessions.

Lauren Bartone sold paintings on her site and raised \$1,400 for our Client Support Fund.

Madeleine hosted a fundraiser for her birthday, and raised \$1,333 to directly support immigrant families.

Linda Brinen Stout sewed and donated 700 cloth face masks.

## 2020 Census Updates

Social distancing and wearing a mask are a couple of ways to help your community during the pandemic. Another is completing your 2020 Census.

The 2020 Census will inform how much money California receives from the federal government over the next decade. In fact, most of the federal money that our state receives is tied to the Census! That's why getting an accurate and complete count matters for us and our communities. Filling out the Census helps fund critical programs that support our communities.

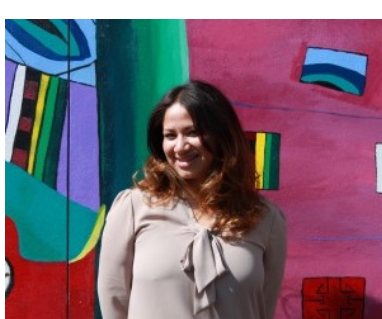


Thank you to [Marin Transit](#) for donating advertising space worth \$48,263 to promote the 2020 Census.

## More Stories from the Front Lines



[Michael Gomez](#), University Prep (UP!) High School Program Supervisor, shares an inspiring story about his colleague motivating others and taking action to help students and their families during the COVID-19 pandemic



[Gloria Castillo](#), Canal Alliance Case Manager, shares an inspiring client story along with her own experience and obstacles while assisting clients during Shelter in Place



[Henry Velasquez](#), University Prep (UP!) Middle School Program Supervisor, shares a story about how he helped ensure equitable access to distance learning for Latino students in Marin during Shelter in Place

Other Stories from the Front Lines

## Thank you to our Aliados!

Thank you to all the new and current recurring donors for supporting our immigrant neighbors.

Muchas gracias por su apoyo.

We're happy to share the following message from one of our Aliados:

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR HOSPITALITY AND STRENGTHENING THE COMMUNITY. THE FIGHT CONTINUES!**

**MIL GRACIAS POR SU HOSPITALIDAD Y FORTALEZA PARA LA COMUNIDAD. ¡LA LUCHA SIGUE!**

- S.D.

## How You Can Support Immigrants During the COVID-19 Crisis

Many community members have contacted us to ask how they can support Canal Alliance and our Latino neighbors during this time. While we are not currently accepting applications for volunteers, there are still ways you can help.

[Find out how you can make a difference in the lives of our community members who are facing financial losses >>](#)

## Thank you to Marin Community Foundation

We're proud to be among the organizations receiving support from [Marin Community Foundation](#) during this time.

We're also thankful to our community partners for supporting vulnerable communities in Marin.

ExtraFood.org  
Operation Access | Adopt  
vative Health Solutions | Canal  
ance | Homeward Bound of Marin | Legal Aid of Marin | SF-Marin Food  
Bank | San Geronimo Valley Community Center | St. Vincent de Paul  
Society of Marin | West Marin Senior Services | Community Action Marin  
Marin Child Care Council | Marin City Community Services District  
Marin Asian Advocacy Project | Interfaith Sustainable Food Collaborative  
Performing Stars of Marin | Bridge the Gap | Redwood Community  
Health Coalition | Marin Center for Independent Living | YMCA of  
San Francisco and Marin | Marin-Health | Center for Domestic  
Peace | Multicultural Center of Marin | North Bay Chil-  
dren's Center | CVNL | North Marin Community  
Services | West Marin Fund | West Marin Com-  
munity Services | Marin Community  
Clinics | Marin City Health &  
Wellness Center | Ceres  
Community Project  
Whistlestop  
Covia  
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These local nonprofits organizations are among many in Marin working tirelessly to help our most vulnerable neighbors during this challenging time. If you can support them with any size financial contribution, please do.



## More Ways to Keep in Touch



Donate to Client Support Fund

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