

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Lorinda M. Wortz  
Chair, Representing  
Religious Community

Sgt. Yvonne D. Brantley  
Representing the  
Director of State Police

John H. Brown  
Representing  
Private Sector

Lisa R. Canada  
Representing  
Organized Labor

Mark A. Davidoff  
Representing  
Business Community

Karl T. Ieuter  
Representing  
General Public

Shelley A. Kester  
Representing  
Volunteers

Lena Epstein Koretzky  
Representing  
General Public

Mark S. McDaniel  
Representing  
Parents

Brian J. Rooney  
Representing  
Dept. of Human Services

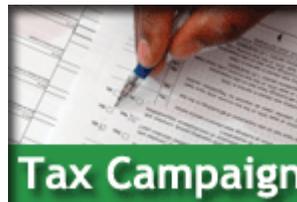
Andra M. Rush  
Representing Business  
Community

Vivek S. Sankaran  
Representing  
Legal Community

Deb L. Shaughnessy  
Representing General  
Public

Carol L. Wolenberg  
Representing  
Dept. of Education

## New Funding Opportunity for Local Prevention Efforts



Beginning with the 2013 tax year, CTF local councils will have an exciting opportunity to supplement their CTF funding through a new income tax incentive. The campaign will work as follows:

- CTF has asked the Department of Treasury to identify all donations raised through the CTF tax check-off, by county, for the 2012 tax year. That amount will be used as a baseline for each county.
- CTF will then average any increases in check-off donations for the 2013 and 2014 tax years. CTF will give that averaged additional money back to local councils—dollar for dollar—in each of their next three grant years (fiscal years 2016-2018).
- CTF will provide local councils with additional promotional materials and encourage councils and their partners to promote the tax check-off in their communities.

All increases in tax check-off contributions made to CTF will be returned to the communities that made the contributions. This opportunity will be a great way for councils to increase their CTF grant amounts and will also help to ensure that CTF remains as a charitable donation on the state income tax check-off (form 4642). Additional information and promotional materials will be available by February 1 on the CTF website at <http://bit.ly/ctftaxcampaign>.

The feedback from local councils about this initiative has been very positive. We wish the local councils and their partners all the best with their local efforts!

# Partner Events

The CAN Council Great Lakes Bay Region will hold its 21st Annual Mardi Gras Auction on February 27, 2014 from 5:30-10:00 p.m. at Apple Mountain Conference Center, 4519 N. River Road, Freeland, Michigan. Tickets may be ordered online at <https://cancouncil.wufoo.com/forms/z1xgjj900u2ff/>.



**Prevent Child Abuse  
Michigan**

## Michigan CTF Team

**Michael Foley, MSW**  
517.335.1938  
[FoleyM2@michigan.gov](mailto:FoleyM2@michigan.gov)  
*Executive Director*

**Sylvia Brown Jones, LMSW**  
517.241.7792  
[Brown-JonesS@michigan.gov](mailto:Brown-JonesS@michigan.gov)  
*Direct Service Grant Coordinator  
Circle of Parents Coordinator*

**Sarah Davis, MPA**  
517.335.7770  
[DavisS11@michigan.gov](mailto:DavisS11@michigan.gov)  
*Senior Program Development Coordinator  
Citizen Review Panel*

**Patricia Headley**  
517.241.7226  
[HeadleyP@michigan.gov](mailto:HeadleyP@michigan.gov)  
*Fund Development Coordinator  
Auction Coordinator*

**Ama Larsen, LLMSW**  
517.241.5860  
[LarsenA@michigan.gov](mailto:LarsenA@michigan.gov)  
*Departmental Analyst*

**Christina Medina**  
517.373.4320  
[MedinaC@michigan.gov](mailto:MedinaC@michigan.gov)  
*Office Assistant*

**Alan Stokes, MBA, MDiv**  
517.241.7793  
[StokesA@michigan.gov](mailto:StokesA@michigan.gov)  
*Research Analyst  
Internet Media Coordinator*

**Emily S. Wachsberger, MA, LPC**  
517.335.0671  
[WachsbergerE@michigan.gov](mailto:WachsbergerE@michigan.gov)  
*Local Council Grant Coordinator  
CAP Month Coordinator*

## Residential Treatment Conference

The 2nd Annual Residential Treatment Conference will be held on February 24, 2014 at Lansing Community College West Campus. The Michigan Federation for Children and Families is hosting this conference regarding the effects of trauma on child development as well as effective strategies for intervention within residential treatment settings. The conference will provide participants the opportunity to learn new approaches and strategies to incorporate into trauma-informed treatment to address challenging behaviors of youth. Heather T. Forbes is the featured keynote speaker. For more information, please visit <http://michfed.org/>. To register go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Feb24ResidentialConferenceRegistration>.

## CTF Social Media Pages



**Children's Trust Fund**  
*Protecting Michigan's Children*

