2023 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Feed

• Selected BronxWorks locations distributed 39,881 bags of food that contained about 287,143 pounds of food that were used by vulnerable households to prepare about 239,322 meals throughout the year for an average of about 4,250 persons a month.

• Selected BronxWorks programs or sites served 429,146 meals to vulnerable Bronx residents of all age, including 99,024 to young people, 279,697 to temporarily sheltered adults, and 50,425 to older adults.

Shelter

• A total of 164 previously homeless families with about 410 persons were placed into permanent housing, as were 365 previously homeless adults.

• A total of 6,929 individuals and 507 households received rent arrears assistance to remain stably hosed.

Teach

• There were 21 programs that enrolled 2,766 youth, including 151 in pre-school programs and 2,471 in programs for school-aged youngsters.

• There were 268 youth who got help with the transition from middle school to high school and 614 who received assistance with the transition from high school to college.

Support

• Workforce development programs placed 1,742 young people into internships or summer jobs and 264 adults into permanent jobs.

• Of the 6,615 persons who applied for health insurance with support from BronxWorks, 6,597 or 99.7% successfully enrolled.

• Free income tax preparation and financial literacy services were provided to 6,144 people, enabling them to secure $6,150,982 in refunds including $2,281,637 via the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC).

• There were 1,346 immigrants who received legal assistance.

• Our Access to Benefits programs offered benefits and entitlements assistance to 1,690 people, provided 1,693 consultations that led to the acquisition of public benefits worth $2,043,513.